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# Chef's delight is a job well done

By Doug Funke staff writer

The executive chef at The Round Table Club in Plymouth, a student of fine foods, a voracious reader of cookbooks, would have a wellstocked refrigerator at home, right, Selene J. Toliver?

"No food," she said and then laughed. "In my apartment, I have a big refrigerator with chilled glasses and chilled mugs. People know I have an affinity for beer.'

Toliver, 27, said she's always been interested in food, but can't pinpoint a turning point where she decided to make it her life's work.

Her father, Robert, would bring menus home from his travels as an executive with Ford Motor Co when she was a child.

Toliver and her sister, Shenell, were required by their mother, Vera, to prepare one meal a week

"IT WAS NO big deal, but my parents made a big deal about it," Toliver said.

Her parents encouraged her to study law, but Toliver, gravitated to nutrition and food studies at Michigan State University.

She took some time off and started learning food preparation with jobs in all kinds of restaurants — Midtown Cafe, Mountain Jack's, Treats. She also studied culinary arts at Oakland Community Col-

lege. Toliver developed kitchen sense by keeping her eyes and ears open, tackling tasks others avoided and moving around to take advantage of different cooking opportunities.

"I was always in the front row and right behind the chef because I wanted to see," she said. "I was concerned about quality presenta-

WORKING TWO jobs at a time and going to school and working full time prepared Toliver for the 60-70 hour weeks she now puts in at The Round Table Club.

A typical day often goes 9 a.m. to



**BILL BRESLER/staff photographe** 

Selene Toliver, executive chef at The Round Table, makes pasta. She puts her personal stamp of approval on all dishes before they're served.

## people

"I usually don't leave until the last entree leaves the window. Every entree, dessert and salad that hits the window I personally inspect," she said.

Toliver interacts with the wait staff and spends some time at the bar just to keep tabs on the overall operation. She also troubleshoots occasionally for restaurants in the Mayflower Hotel.

An ad brought her to the Round Table Club, a private eating establishment in the Mayflower Hotel, almost three years ago.

She was especially impressed with Randy Lorenz, manager of the club, and chef Tim Coyne during her interview.

"IN MOST PLACES, the front of the house and the back of the house don't have anything to do with each

other," Toliver said. Lorenz and customers admire her work, too.

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# Couple charged with stealing from church

A man and a pregnant women who allegedly posed as a poor couple to obtain money from western Wayne County churches have been charged with stealing more than \$3,000 worth of items from a Livonia church that took them in, according to police.

Before their arrest, the couple persuaded two Plymouth churches and the Salvation Army to give them money to travel to Florida, according to church leaders and officials. The couple claimed they were living in their car.

The couple visited the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth early in the week of Feb. 27, and received check. The Rev. Philip Rodgers Magee, pastor at the church, made arrangements for them to cash it, but declined to reveal the amount of The couple was staying at Trinity Baptist Church, Livonia, in return for doing odd jobs around the church, said Sgt. Larry Tilford, of the Livo-nia police, adding that the church was feeding them.

However, on Feb. 28 the man, Jay T. Bills, 28, was charged with the Jan. 17 larceny from a building in connection with the theft of \$3,300 worth of items from the church, said Tilford. He said the couple had been staying at the church for about a week prior to the theft and had been there on and off for about six

Bills pleaded guilty to the charge and is serving an 80-day sentence on the charge.

Bills' companion, a 24-year-old woman, was arrested Wednesday, March 1, and charged with larceny from a building, in connection with

the same incident, Tilford said, adding that her court date has been set for May.

He said the couple made the rounds of area churches, including those in Livonia, Redford, Plymouth, Plymouth Township and possibly other communities.

"This is pretty unusual as far as I'm concerned," Tilford said.

Magee said the couple gave the same story at several area churches.

People often come to Magee's church in Plymouth seeking financial assistance. The church's location on Church Street near downtown Plymouth makes it more visible than some other churches are, he said.

Some people's stories turn out not to be genuine, Magee said, adding: "It's been going on for years. This

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# Capitol job

# Students take solutions with them to DC

staff writer

WASHINGTON D.C. - Unlike most visitors in Washington D.C. who simply observe the government trying to tackle its problems, stu-dents from Plymouth Canton and Salem high schools arrived here armed with some solutions.

More than 150 students from Salem and Canton - the largest delegation from a Michigan school district ever to visit the capital - took part in a Close Up governmental studies program last week.

Close Up is a non-profit foundation that emphasizes learning through

For two months before their trip, students played the roles of senators and representatives, expert witnesses and lobbyists. They wrestled with the trade and budget deficits, social problems and the drug epidemic.

Some of their ideas: "Fortune 500 companies should not be entirely owned by foreign investors. Ownership should be con-

fined to no greater than 49 percent.

• "Reduce defense spending to \$272 billion in 1990 and to \$244 billion in 1991.

"Raise retirement age eligibili-

ty for social security by two years.

• "Mandate in-depth drug education for K-12 classes. Invest dollars to educate kids about drugs. Teachers Mike McCauley and Bill

Gretzinger sent the proposals to the students' legislators and President Bush some weeks ago, hoping for some personal response while in Washington.

Wednesday, students met briefly with Rep. William Ford, D-Taylor, Rep. Carl Pursell, R-Plymouth and an aide for Sen. Donald Riegle, D-

Ford welcomed his constituents into the Senate caucus room in the Cannon House Office Building, a cavernous room plush with thick red and sparkling chandeliers suspended from a towering ceiling.

Time was short, and the topics

But Chris Symanns of Salem got a

little floor time. "Over the past few years, funding for education has been cut, and it's becoming harder and harder to get

grants," said Symanns. "Bush has been quoted as saying he wants to be the 'education presiyou doing to initiate legislation for education?' - Chris Symanns

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dent.' What are you doing to initiate legislation for education?'

Answered Ford:"The problem we've been fighting is this budget battle. Congress has resisted cuts, but there's been erosion through in-

"We were all heartened by what Bush said, but then he sent his budget, and there's no money in his budg-et. So he gave us what I call the Will Rogers solution: Look, I solved the problem, now you work out the de-

"The only way to get educational funding is to take it from somewhere

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# Local investors back bond issue

By Doug Funke staff writer

Local investors bought nearly \$2 million of an \$87.6 million municipal bond issue sold last month to finance construction of a wastewater trans-

mission system for Canton, Plymouth and Northville townships.

The tax-exempt bonds, underwritten by Prescott, Ball and Turben Inc., will yield 7.4-8.3 percent depending on maturity dates, a repre-

company said.

Bonds will come due over a 30-

year period.

At least 150 local people invested in the issue, said Craig Fleming, manager of Prescott's Plymouth off-

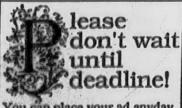
"It's about the best (interest) rate we've seen on an issue of this sort in nearly two years," he said.

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## Dotty over spring

Think long, slim, soft with lots of swishy chiffon and polka dots on just about everything and you have a pretty good idea of the main look for the upcoming fashion season. This cotton navy polka-dot Oscar de la Renta from Jacobson's is a good JERRY ZOLYNSKY/staff photograph

example of what's ahead. The entire fashion story will unfold in the Observer's special Spring Fashion Section appearing

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the country.

was the most spectacular that we ve had around here for a while, in that a

number of churches were hit."

However, Magee said the church won't stop helping the needy, adding: "Or else we wouldn't be a Christian

Chris Talbot of Canton asked the

same queston of Pursell, who said there is a bright side: Plymouth-Can-

ton schools offer an educational pro-gram better than that available in

Detroit and other major cities across

The answer didn't sit well with

Jeff Mayes, a junior at Salem.
"I thought that was shaky," he

said enroute to the Senate chamber

after Pursell's talk. (Mayes hoped to

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The Plymouth Salvation Army, on Main Street south of Ann Arbor Road, was also visited by the coup said Major Rober Geddis, who added: "We gave them a tank of gas."

The Salvation Army's territorial headquarters in Chicago periodically issues warning notices on such persons, but Geddis received no such no-

hear some of the fillbustering ongo-

ing in the Senate, where the nomina-

tion of John Tower as defense secre-

tary was being debated.)
"Pursell said our education is

good compared to education in New

York, Detroit. Philadelphia and Flint. But compared to Livonia and

Northville, our schools aren't as good. It's not fair to compare us to

the big cities. We should be com-

Agreed Shelley Rodgers, a Salem

Larry Oldford 975 S. Main

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pared to other suburbs," said Mayes.

sophomore: "Our per student spend-

Class brings answers to

tice on the couple, who visited the Salvation Army Feb. 27,

Goddis said he would rather be misled "than turn someone away that really needs it. We never turn anyone away. If we can't help them, we refer them to another agency

"It's happened before," Geddis

ing is really low. They spend more money per student in Detroit than in

Pinch hitting for Riegle, adminis-trative assistant David Krawitz ad-

dressed students in the buffet room

of the Dirksen Building.

Krawitz apologized for Riegle's absence, explaining that he was working on the savings and loan

bailout, "a \$100 billion problem that

comes at a time when there is no

Washington at a crucial time.

the Tower nomination.

tor when they get sick."

Krawitz told students they were in

"The Senate is almost equally di-

vided and very deeply divided, over

"There are one million people in Michigan who do not have health in-

surance. We're working on a pro-

gram so that everyone can see a doc-

Pesticides used on fruits and vege-

Krawitz acknowledged that "more

tables is another problem Riegle is

money needs to be spent on educa-

said. "I still believe in people. There

are good people."

The Salvation Army keeps records on its clients, he said, adding that churches may contact the Salvation Army, 453-5464, to see if a person's needs are legitimate. The couple also visited St. John's Episcopal Church, on Sheldon Road

"Our drop out rate is 23 percent.

It's 2 percent in Japan.
"It's a very touchy situation.
We're spending more than is coming
in, which limits our abilities.

"Most people are opposed to high-

"Bush set up a budget for educa-

While students may not have liked

tion that was in fact a cut. We're

all the answers they received, their legislators at least tried to make

That's more than Salem's Greg

"We've met a lot of nice people,"

Wells can say for Texas Sen. Lloyd

said Wells, waiting to hop on the sub-

way from the Capitol to the senate

(from South Carolina) and his aide,

and they were really great. Then we

ran into Lloyd Bentsen. He told us

"We met Sen. Strom Thurmond

going to have to do something."

time for them.

Bentsen.

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school kids."

er taxes. But if you ask people if

they're willing to spend more on edu-cation, most people would say yes.

"Yes, they had stopped here with the same story," said the Rev. Rob-ert Shank, rector at the church. "We gave them the help that we normally

give people."
He said the church gave the couple money, but declined to reveal the

## Chef cooks up the best

"She has a very good mind for being able to be creative," he said.

"My trademark isn't one particu-

Toliver, who lives in Plymouth,

She doesn't like to cook for herself after working with food all day. She enjoys her meals best

food," Toliver said.

It's difficult to check the credibili-ty of someone who comes to a church in the evening. Shank said, adding: "We just know that people do that: The tragic thing is that we only have so much money.

Shank's faith wasn't particularly shaken by the incident.

"It would take more than that for me to question my faith. I don't give it much thought."

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"The responses are all very positive. They're pleased with the quality of the cuisine and appearance." Toliver claims to have no favorite recipe.

lar item," she said. "It's my personality, my commitment to every single entree and dish that comes out of the kitchen."

likes to watch movies and browse in bookstores when she's not work-

when someone cooks for her.

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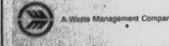
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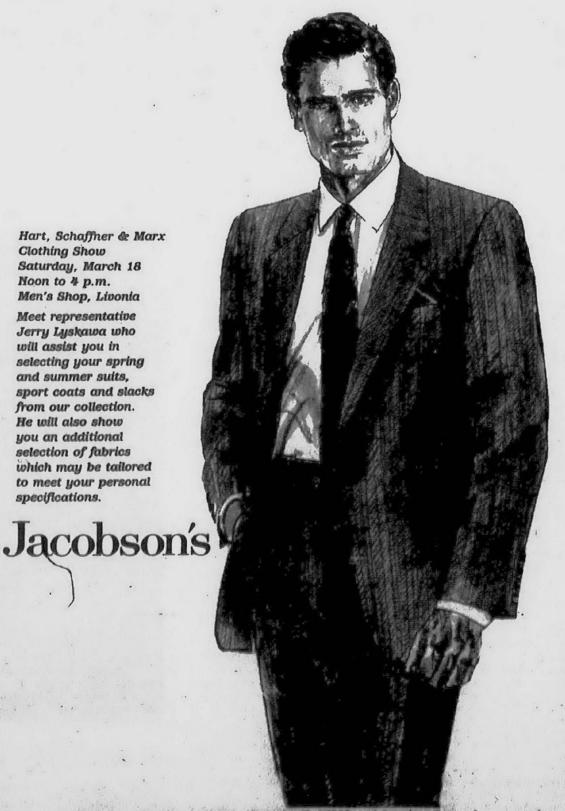
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The 30 members of the Plymouth-Salem Rockettes doubled as chorus girls during performances Friday and Saturday. Another 30 students joined the girls in some of their dance routines.

# Applause, applause

# Rockettes kick off fund-raising show

An enthusiastic audience crowded this past weekend to catch perforinto the auditorium at Salem High mances by a bevy of chorus girls, the



Plymouth-Canton students Kim Morgan (left), Kerri Vince and Denise Menendez relaxing during rehearsals of the annual fund-raising Rockette performances.

Blues Brothers and airborn dancers.

The antics were ingredients in the annual dance and variety show hosted by the Plymouth-Salem Rockettes, a 30-member pompon squad noted for winning awards in area competition. Another 30 or so Salem students joined the Rockettes in the boisterous performance.

A good time was had by all, interim coach Elizabeth Barker said of the variety show.

"It's a very popular community

The show, performed Friday and Saturday nights before sellout audiences in the auditorium at Salem High, is the Rockettes' annual fundraising event. This year they raised approximately \$1,500, half the amount needed to buy new uniforms, according to Barker.

Barker, whose daughter, Megan, is a Rockette, was named to the position in December, when longtime Rockette coach Anne Buie retired. Buie once coached Barker when she

was a cheerleader in 1970 at the now defunct Plymouth High School.



Elizabeth Barker, job placement coordinator for Plymouth-Canton community education and interim coach to the school district's pompon squad, keeps careful watch during rehearsals.



Rami Farhat (left), and Lloyd Young imitate the Blues Brothers during a performance of the Rockettes annual dance and variety show this past weekend.

# Police try to find cause for an alleged knife fight

Plymouth city police were trying to determine what happened last Thursday during an incident in which several youths allegedly produced knives to goad other young people into a fight, police said.

No one was stabbed or injured, said Michael Gardner, commander

of the police department. Several police officers responded to the Plymouth Cultural Center and football field at Central Middle School mid-afternoon on a fight-in-

progress run. About 10 youths were involved. All were 11-14 years of age, Gardner said. Three knives were confiscated.

"Basically, we're sorting out stories of kids," he said. DECOY OPERATION: Three stores in Plymouth allegedly sold li-

quor a minor last week in a police decoy operation, police said. The minor was a 19-year-old wom-

Clerks in two stores failed to ask for identification, police said, while a clerk at another store made the sale even after getting ID indicating

that the decoy was 19. Clerks in six other stores tested refused to sell, police said.

"We periodically check for the

crime watch

a concern of ours," Gardner said of the decoy operation.

Police are expected to seek action against the stores via the state Liquor Control Commission.

DRUNKEN DRIVING: City and township police arrested five people for drunken driving during a two: day period last Wednesday through Friday. They were:

• A 24-year-old Farmington Hills man near Ann Arbor Road and Sheldon at 3:45 a.m. Friday.

A 45-year-old Canton man on Main near Fralick at 10:13 p.m. Wednesday.

· A 20-year-old Romulus man at Greenbriar and Haggerty at 8:03 p.m. Wednesday.

· A 52-year-old Plymouth woman on Ann Arbor Road at S. Main at

2:29 a.m. Wednesday.

• A 42-year-old Plymouth man
on Ann Arbor Road near Lilley at 1:38 a.m. Wednesday.

THEFTS FROM VEHICLES: A Clarion model AM/FM stereo was reported stolen from a Jeep at Plaza Lanes on Ann Arbor Road 6:30-10:08 p.m. last Thursday.

A set of golf clubs valued at \$500 and \$20 worth of groceries were reported stolen from a van at the same location 6-9:15 p.m. the previous

A radar detector worth at \$300 and sunglasses valued at \$157 were reported stolen from a car at Plymouth Bowl on Plymouth Road. That theft occurred 4:50-8:45 p.m. Wednesday.

Windows were smashed in all three instances.

These are just some of the incidents recently reported to Plymouth police. Phone 453-3869 to contact township police, 453-8600 to reach city police.

- compiled by Doug Funke

#### purpose of letting licenses know it's Woman killed; ex-husband charged Judge Virginia Sobotka. "She (the child) didn't witness the staff writer killing," Dearborn police Lt. Richard A Canton woman left her 2-year-Donelson said. "She wasn't in the old daughter in the car when she stopped to pick up a few things from

her ex-husband's home in Dearborn on March 4. The child never saw her mother alive again.

While inside, the woman, Carol Ann Guy, 23, was beaten to death with a lead pipe. Her ex-husband, Paul M. Guy of Dearborn, faces a

hearing this week on a second-de-gree murder charge in the death.

Guy, 27, was held on a \$100,000
cash bond after an arraignment
March 5. A plea of not guilty was
entered on his behalf at the arraign-

ment. The hearing — to determine if there's enough evidence to hold a trial — is scheduled at 9 a.m. Friday, March 17, before 19th District Court

home at the time of the killing.

"The father left the house with

**DEARBORN POLICE found Carel** Guy's body face down on the living room floor in a home on Oxford Street, on Dearborn's west side. Paul Guy had been living in the home and was in the process of moving, police

"It appeared she was bludgeoned with a lead pipe," Donelson said. "A lead pipe was found next to the

The victim was living on Walton Boulevard in Canton. She worked in the office of a computer software

"I'm certain she wasn't living with family," Donelson said. "She was liv-

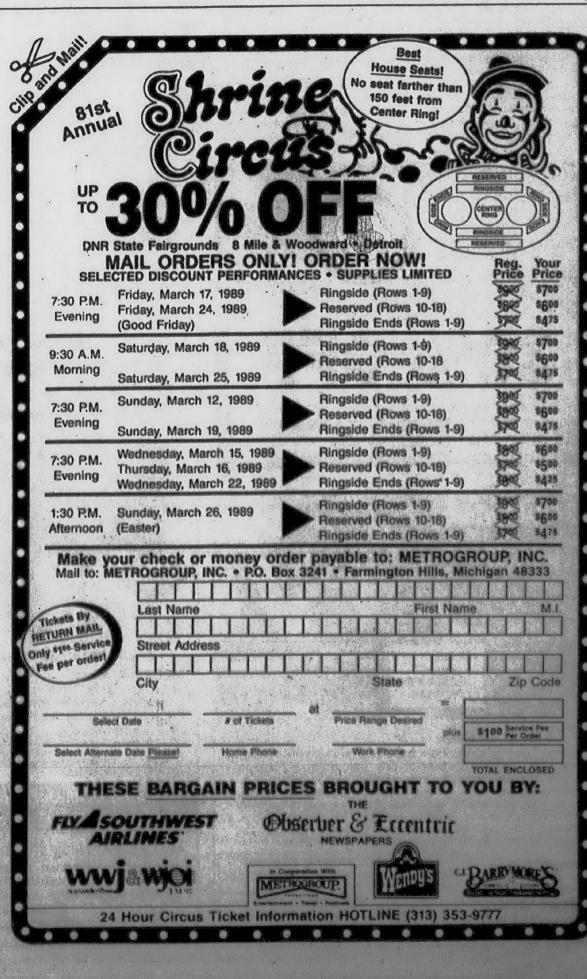
The couple reportedly married approximately three years ago and divorced last November. The couple's daughter lived with her mother.

DEARBORN POLICE Detective Sgt. Paul Keiper told a Dearborn newspaper that March 4 marked the end of the relationship for Guy, be-cause his ex-wife came to his home to get the last of her things.

Guy, a laborer out of work since January, was in the process of mov-ing out of the Oxford home, Donelson

A member of the family called Dearborn police to report a possible

Dearborn Heights police told Dearborn police that when they arrived at the relative's house, Guy was weeping and bore bloodstains on his shirt, hands and white gym shoes, the Dearborn paper reported.



## Investors purchase bonds

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A GENERAL RISE in interest rates, a large number of recent bond sales and uncertainty about the money supply all combined to establish favorable yields for the Western Townships Utilities Authority issue,

An 8-percent yield on a federal/ state tax exempt bond is equivalent to a taxable yield of 11.65 percent for a Michigan investor in the 28percent tax bracket, Prescott said.

Fleming said he wasn't surprised that the community responded to the bond sale, but was impressed at the

"They know the project. They un-derstand the project. They can see the growth going on," he said. "They know the townships are on a very comfortable footing. They feel very, very comfortable."

WTUA's BOND issue drew a BBB+ grade from Standard & Poors rating service. That's fourth best on

A major reason for the lukewarm rating is that the three members of the authority don't have joint liability to meet each other's debt and Northville has the lowest individual rating of BBB+, said Steve Murphy, an analyst for Standard and Poors.

A higher rating would have resulted in less interest expense for the au-thority and a smaller yield for inves-

As it is, the WTUA will pay \$205 million to service the bond debt, said Jon Kirn, a vice president for Prescott.

 Based on engineering estimates of capacity for the system, Canton will pay 39 percent, Plymouth and Northville approximately 31 percent each, said Maurice Breen, Plymouth Township supervisor.

PROJECTIONS HAVE indicated that benefit and tap fees for future development will suffice to service the debt, Kirn said.

Proceeds of the \$87.6 million issue have been invested in U.S. Government securities.

Engineering studies will proceed now that financing is in place, Breen said. The general route of the main sewer line will be parallel with I-275, then west along Michigan Ave-

The three townships aren't expected to hook up with the Ypsilanti Community Utilities Authority until 1992, Breen said.

Plymouth, Canton and Northville began exploring alternatives to sending sewage west instead of east a couple of years ago as the Wayne County Supersewer and Son of Supersewer projects languished.

"We're getting into a plant (Ypsilanti) that's state of the art and won't have substantial new require-ments by EPA," Breen said. "It's a well-managed plant."

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# Students get a taste of job market

staff writer

"Preparing to Live and Work in the 21st Century," an annual event aimed at junior and senior students attending Plymouth and Salem high schools, was hosted for the second time Tuesday by career counselors at the two schools.

Featuring a series of five lec-tures aimed at students considering future occupations and train-ing, college career counselors and area employers discussed expected trends in future employment.

Some observations are startling. · Coporate hiring will decrease and small businesses, including an estimated 70,000 now located in southeast Michigan, are expected to become the primary U.S. em-

There will be a worldwide surplus of labor while the U.S. simultaneously experiences a labor Each year, an estimated 300,000 college graduates take jobs that do not require a college de-

© Of the 20 fastest growing oc-cupations, 12 are in the medical field, including podiatry, optome-try, occupational therapy and medical records technicians.

 There will be more retail clerk and waiter and waitress posi-tions than the total number of jobs generated by the 20 fastest grow-

• The hottest employment field at the moment is polymer-coating technology, research in manufac-turing that produces new paint and ink applications.

• The disparity in wages be-tween skilled and unskilled work-

ers is growing each year.

"I'M HERE TO find out what I want to do, to find out what are the newest and hottest careers," said Jennifer Justice, a junior at Plymouth Salem who, with parents Judy and Bill, attended Tuesday's event. Jennifer's first choice of lecture

was by Gloria August of Eastern Michigan University's career cen-ter who spoke on "Job Market — What's Hot and What's Not."

"Our expectations must change because for the first time the up-coming generation will probably experience a lessor quality of life than the present generation. This is not gloom and doom. It's reality," August kaid

August said.
Judy Justice found the message "depressing but probably accurate." The lecture, she said, was useful for Jennifer, the youngest of four children, because Jennifer has not yet settled on a career choice. Of the five lectures offered dur-

ing the evening, participants had time enough to attend three each.

Keri Peterson, a Plymouth Salem junior, and parents Nils and Donna, also attended August's lecture. Keri knows exactly what she

"I LIKE TRAVELING, I've been to Europe and the western United States, I'm going to major in busi-ness administration and get into the hotel and restaurant business so I can do more traveling," she

Viraj Parikh, a Plymouth Canton junior, also has her future planned. "Til either go into medicine or a health field," she said.

Viraj, born in the U.S., was accompanied by parents Viren and Rohini, originally of Gujurat in In-dia. Viraj understands Gujurati, her parents' first language, but is unable to speak it.

Before long, having command of more than one language will be an essential employment skill, accord-ing to the director of the EMU career center, Jim Vick, because "we're talking a future global world economy." For now, however, the U.S. is "internationally illiterate." Fewer than 5 percent of all college graduates, are able to converse in a language other than

Vick spoke on "Trends in the Workforce." Judy Banfield, also of EMU, addressed "Finding the Right College" and Stuart Baker of Schoolcraft College spoke on "Edu-cation and Training at the Community College." Representatives of AT&T and First of America Bank joined physical therapist Bhanu Hajratwala in addressing "What Employers Will Look for in the Future."

By evening's end, junior students Ford Cotton of Plymouth Salem and David Maasberg of Plymouth Canton summarized the feelings of most. Ford, who at first was uncertain about attending the event, said "it's been very interesting. I've learned a lot." Maasberg said he now has "a better idea of what kind of work I should go into when I get to college.'

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# Target gives Growth Works \$5,000 grant

A lot of attention is focusing lately on Growth Works Inc., an agency dealing with substance abuse and ju-

venile delinquency. Target Stores is giving the Plymouth-Canton agency a \$5,000 grant to launch a new program for sixth and seventh graders and their parents.

And Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara has designated March 20-25 as Wayne County Youth Assistance Week involving Growth Works' Youth Assistance Program (YAP). Programs from 22 communities will be included.

The purpose of the special week is to spotlight programs and solicit state and local support.

YAP IS designed to prevent or reduce the onset of delinquency in 7- to 16-year-olds.

"What has happened in Wayne County in particular is that kids are getting lost in the juvenile court syssaid Susan Davis, Growth Works youth assistance program director.

"Police have petitioned thousands and thousands of kids. The kids who go into youth homes have committed big crimes. And with kids that commit first and second crimes, nothing

happens."
YAP tries to reach those offenders before they become more deeply involved in crime.

Youth Assistance is an intervention saying we will deal with our own kids," Davis said.

GROWTH WORKS, located in Plymouth, plans to launch a new program to deal with sixth and seventh graders and finance it with the Target grant.

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The chain is doling out \$350,000 to netro Detroit non-profit groups suprting family services.

"We're trying to tap into the younger kids," Davis said. The schools will be asked to help

identify families where children show unruly behavior, she said. "Classically kids in the classroom

are acting out because of dynamics of the family," Davis said. "Acting out behaviors in kids stems from some type of trauma in the family

SUBSTANCE ABUSE, unemployment and single parenthood are common causes for stress in the home, she said. And some parents need help in defining their role.

"It's a tough job being a parent,"
Davis said. "They want to be their
kids' best friends. I try to define, you're the parent, and they're the Growth Works will try to give par-

ents different communications skills to replace yelling and nagging, Dav-

"That doesn't get them any-

Growth Works will seek Canton families when using the Target grant; however, parents in Plymouth and Plymouth Township will be included if they request, Davis said.

THE GRANT was given to an agency dealing with Canton families. because a Target store, on Ford Road, in the township opened last month. The chain is a subsidiary of Dayton Hudson.

"We will continue to take applications and we will continue to put money back into the Canton area," said Mike Connel of Target Stores.

"Dayton Hudson has always given 5 percent of their profits before pretax back into the community," he

WHEN TARGET ran an ad asking what agencies could use help, it received more than 300 applications in metro Detroit, he said.

"Target sees this project as a very logical and exciting extension of its commitment to families as customers," according to a Target press re-

## Man is killed in car accident

Richard Matthew Hughes, 28, of Canton was killed last week when the car he was driving hit a tree in Superior Township.

His car apparently skidded out of control at Clark Road, one-tenth mile east of Prospect Road, according to a Washtenaw County Sheriff spokeswoman.

He was taken to Beyer Memorial Hospital and was pronounced dead at 9:27, the spokeswoman said. She said alcohol was not a factor

in the accident and Hughes was wearing a seat belt. Hughes was the son of former Ann

Arbor police Sgt. Art Hughes, who retired from the force in June 1988.

## Treatment program launched

Growth Works is launching a day treatment program for chemically dependent youths in July and wants the public to offer suggestions on how it should operate.

The program will augment rector.

Growth Works' chemical aftercare Anyone

A town meeting is planned 7:30-10 p.m. Thursday, March 16, at 271 S. Main in Plymouth to outline plans and to receive comments, said Dale Yagiela, Growth Works executive di-

Anyone interested in attending may call Yagiela at 455-4905.

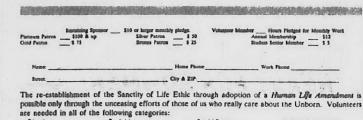
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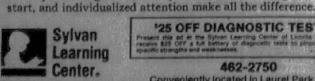


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Some questions and reflections on the embattled school tax reform plan:

Q. The Senate rejected a school tax plan last week. What are its chances of winning by the March 17

A. Excellent. The House passed it 87-14, with 13 votes more than the

needed two-thirds majority.

The Senate vote was 22-14, four short of the needed 26. If history is any guide, the Senate will put together 26 votes by the deadline.

And the yes votes are there. Several Democratic senators took a walk, or voted no, until the Republicans meet them half-way by providing 13 of the needed 26. So far, only 12 Republicans senators have voted yes.

Shouldn't Gov. Jim Blanchard and Senate Majority Leader John Engler exert more leadership?

A. Probably not. Blanchard wants a third term, and Engler is his prob-

able GOP opponent.

If they take opposite sides, they will polarize the issue politically. If they take the same side, the voters, with their trip-'em-up sense of hu-mor, may well reject the plan.

There are times when leaders should lead, and there are times when they should stand back and let the voters' will be done. This is one for the voters.

Q. What's so special about this plan for raising the sales tax 2 cents and cutting property taxes?

Please contact:

ommendation of the blue-ribbon Michigan School Finance Commis-sion — remember them? — in September 1987. The Runkel comm sion recommended a 2-cents hike in the sales tax.

One major difference: It recom-mended pooling commercial and in-dustrial property taxes statewide, to equalize resources, and letting residential and farm taxes continue to

be collected locally.

The current Nye-Oxender plan, known as HJR B, makes a significant modification: nine mills collected statewide, eight mills locally.

#### A. What's significant about that?

A. For decades, farm districts have been itching to get their hands on the cities' industrial tax base without giving up their rural autono-

The Nye-Oxender plan sidesteps this money grab by pooling all prop-erty in two pots. Thus, cities and suburbs still have an incentive to recruit industry and commerce.

HJR B also allows local option enrichment taxes: four mills of the property tax, 0.5 percent of the in-

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Q. How will this plan affect my

A. You'll have to figure that out yourself. The sales tax hike will bring in \$1.6 billion; the property tax cuts will total \$1.1 billion or more,

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Listen to everybody, but do your own calculations. Almost all school districts will benefit, so expect officials to be either favorable or neutral. Teachers unions will favor it.

so there's a tax hike of almost \$500 million as well as a shift. Part of that sales tax hike will be paid by non-resident tourists and business

Look at your state income tax return to see if you got a property tax rebate. If so, the property tax cut may be the same as the rebate, and you'll get no tax cut at all.

travelers.

Sale taxes aren't deductible on your federal tax form, so that will

Sen. Doug Cruce of Troy made this point: Lower-income families in richer school districts are likely to get nicked hard. The plan favors poor school districts, not poor peo-

Q. Whose advice should I take on voting yes or no?

A. Listen to everybody, but do your own calculations.

Almost all school districts will benefit, so expect officials to be ei-ther favorable or neutral. Teachers unions will favor it.

Taxpayers in the high-tech belt be-tween Oakland University and the University of Michigan likely will pay more than their districts get back. The question is: Will the benefit be worth the cost? Three million voters will make three million deciWhy a hike?

Q. Why do we need a tax increase

A. Some say we don't. Dick Headlee, the tax fighter from Farmington Hills, says the governor and legislators are failing to give schools \$450 million "guaranteed by the Michigan Constitution."

In real life, the mental health people are clamoring for more and scheduling a rally on the Capitol steps; prosecutors, judges and juries are sending more crooks to prison for longer sentences; Social Services director Pat Babcock wants a welfare increase for his clients; courts want more and more; and you know what environmentalists are saying about cleaning up toxic wastes.

Sen. Rudy Nichols of Waterford and Rep. John Bennett of Redford have come up with versions of a different idea: As state revenues grow, dedicate a big portion of the increase to education.

Engler's gubernatorial platform will call for increasing the percentage of the state budget for schools. The fact is that some school dis-

tricts — in rural areas and non-in-dustrial suburbs — have only a third as much money per student as others. They're hurting.

Q. Can those formulas work? A. In the real world, budgets are made in the sweaty world of politics, not by mathematical formulas.

Q. Any predictions on how the May 16 election will turn out? Blanchard says it won't fly, and En-

A. With reason. Every tax reform proposal for nearly two decades has gone down.

Michigan voters are in three camps: 20 percent want a tax increase; nearly 40 percent are with Tisch and Headlee for a cut; and the rest are in the middle. There's no clear majority.

Michigan voters love their schools. If someone convinces them schools will benefit, they'll tax themselves. But if they believe judges, welfare clients and unions will raid the pot - forget it.

# How to appeal your assessment

The Michigan Consumers Council has published its 1989 edition of 'How to Review and Appeal Your Property Tax Assessment.

The one-page pamphlet provides information on Michigan's property tax appeal procedures, including summer tax collections.

The brochure clarifies how an individual property tax bill is computed using the state equalized valuation (SEV) rate. There is also information on how assessments are made and how property owners can determine if the assessor's appraisal of their property is correct.

"How to Review and Appeal Your Property Tax Assessment" is one of the most-widely requested brochures published by the Consumers Council.

Free copies are available by writing the Michigan Consumers Council, 106 W. Allegan, 414 Hollister Building, Lansing 48933.

THE GROUP advises property owners who may feel that their appraisals are unfairly high to review the appraisal records in their asses-

sor's office for accuracy. Common assessment errors in-

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clude such false assumptions as a house having a finished basement or fireplace when it doesn't.

Property owners should also review their assessments for missed defects that might tend to reduce the value of a house, such as the shifting of the foundation, and even simple clerical errors in computing the tax.

If you find an error, discuss it with the assessor first. Some assessors may be willing to adjust the appraisal on the spot, thus saving the property owner and the assessor the nuisance of a formal protest.

mally protest, the brochure provides tips on how to proceed and document a case before a local board of re-

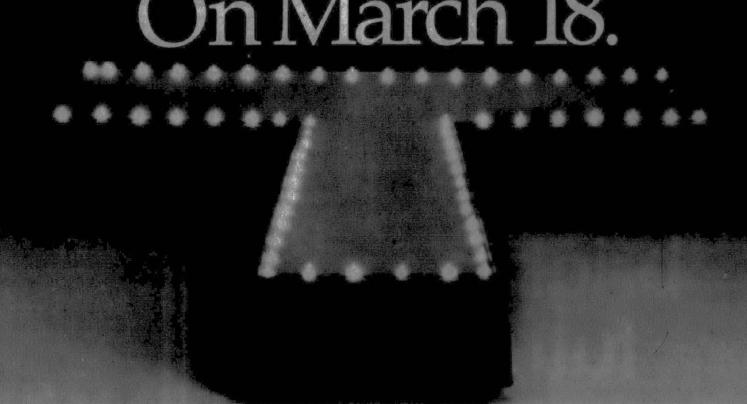
But if you find it necessary to for-

THE PAMPHLET emphasizes that timing is crucial in making an

Each township and city has its own functioning board of review that meets periodically. It is crucial that property owners who plan to file a protest contact their local city or township office to obtain the deadline for filing.







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## points of view

# Woman off base about off color joke

TERRY RAKOLTA is doing a fine job of showing how hard it is to sepa-rate the black from the white. Or, in this case, the offensive from the

Rakolta, from Bloomfield Hills, gained national attention last week for her campaign to convince ad-vertisers that they should not spon-

sor certain television shows.

On one hand, she is to be commended for taking the initiative. A lot of people grumble about what they don't like in the world. Rakolta said nuts to grousing; she went out and did something.

I like that. On the other hand, she is deciding that her tastes should determine what I see on TV.

I don't like that. EARLIER THIS year, Rakolta saw an episode of "Married. . With Children," a new comedy produced on the fledgling Fox Network.

To gain a profitable place among established giants, Fox has promised shows other than the predictable mainstream fare at ABC, CBS and NBC. To be different is to be innovative and controversial.



Too controversial for Rakolta, who found the show sexually offensive and anti-family.

She contacted 44 companies that advertise on the show and urged them to pull their financial support. Some did. Others said they would take a closer look.

On ABC's "Nightline" last Thursday, Rakolta said she won't let the ie drop. She hopes to mobilize a national boycott against products from firms that advertise on shows that she finds offensive.

There's the rub, Igor, and I promise I don't mean that in any

I HAVE NEVER seen "Married." But somebody must be watching it or else advertisers would have already bailed out. If the show had an audience, then it is wrong to say that

it doesn't meet community stand-

And where does this end? Rakolta finds little redeeming in the show, which some say is lewd and insulting to men, women and children. Others say it is a hard-hitting satire against goody-two-shoes shows starring Bill Cosby and his clones.

One of many problems Rakolta had with the show includes a joke based on a man having an erection. Sounds pretty raunchy for your typi-

cal family night of viewing.

But one of my favorite shows,
"Cheers," had what I thought was a very funny scene based on the same concept. Is "Cheers" next on the boy-

THERE ARE multiple issues here. Should the size of a show's audience be its only measuring stick? Should a single joke or the entire show's context be the issue? Is there a difference between a show that airs early in the evening and one that airs late at night when many youngsters are

And there's another problem: Would my terribly liberal and openminded approach differ any if the

show was race-haiting or anti-Semi-tic instead of sexually offensive? The TV is a troublesome appliance. At our home, we likely will cancel our paid movie channel be-cause too often the movies contain language we don't want our 2-yearold to hear. Just Sunday we planned to watch a seemingly pleasant movie directed by Robert Redford. But the program guide said it was rated "R" because of "mature situations" and "language."

We know our boy will hear these words - we've used some of them ourselves - but we don't want to bring them so prominently into our family room. So we turned off the

That seems to be the most obvious decision. Turn the channel. Cancel the service. Decide what you want and don't want coming into your

But don't make those decisions for me. I find that offensive.

Rich Perlberg is the assistant managing editor in charge of Oakland County editions of the Observer & Eccentric Newspa-

# Facts don't help if out of context

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Don't breathe the air - you might get sick.

Stay out of the sun - you might get sick.

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Fossil fuels are no good - poten-

tially harmful to health and the environment. Don't buy a small car - it's not

as safe in an accident. Don't buy a large car - it guz-

Competitive sports are bad for kids — they promote selfishness and bring out the worst in partici-pants and their parents.

Competitive sports are great they build character.

Don't give homework — kids work hard enough in class.

Give homework every night — it teaches discipline and supplements the classroom.

Save your money - it will serve you well in the future Don't save - inflation will kill

Give me a break. Enough already. Information overload. It seems we get all kinds of facts and figures nowadays but no context.

And if it's reported, golly gee, it must be important.

WELL, FOLKS, it ain't necessar-

We can go bonkers trying to structure our lives to deal with the consequences of the latest pronouncement from on high.

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So a little perspective, please. Information in and of itself is useless. Two plus two equals four is basically meaningless until we put it in some kind of context. Like a financial transaction. Or maybe cooking or measuring a board before applying the saw.

We must provide our own per-

spective. It's up to us to filter information based an values, experiences and expectations. That takes some thought. Not necessarily a lot. But

Filters occasionally get clogged. They must be cleaned or replaced. Neglect can gum up an entire system.

Same with us in this age of information. Sometimes, we just have to step away for a while. Check our own internal filters. Decide what's

really important and what isn't. Then we can better manage the volumes of information hurled at us every day. We keep the mean-

ingful and discard the trivial. We don't have to wring our hands. We don't have to sit helpless, paralyzed with fear. We don't have to wonder what's next and wait for the other shoe to drop.

Even if the information is true. Doug Funke is a staff writer for the Plymouth Observer.

## from our readers

## Planning commission chairman lauded for job

To the editor:

Canton residents owe Dr. Richard Kirchgatter gratitude and a sincere "Thank You" for presiding as chairman of the planning commission for the past several years. The formative years in the life of any community are not easy to deal with and certainly Canton's early life has not been without controversy. Dr. Kirchgatter's job was not easy. He was a strong chairman who served the whole community well. He put his knowledge of Canton to work for all members of the planning commission and the planning department.

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testify as to his fairness. Everyone that wanted to present their opinion was heard - at least once - regardless of the hour. He always tried to make certain that everyone in the audience understood what was happening and what had happened. The

Dr. Kirchgatter will continue to serve as a member of the planning commission. John Burdziak will preside as our new chairman. We all look forward to Dr. Kirchgatter's continued sharing of his know-how, expertise and wisdom of Canton Township.

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# School board out of touch

To the editor:

According to the new SEV appraisal I just received, my property value will increase 27 percent or \$11,000 this year. As a result I will pay an additional \$600 based on 54.47 mills. Schools account for 67 percent (37 mills) of this cost or \$400. And the school board thinks the people of Plymouth and Canton should pay more by approving an additional millage proposal this June.

Well, the board and administration are out of touch and unfor-

tunately I can't do too much about this. However, I am thankful to Mr. Headlee for formulating a plan to control out of touch school boards like ours and only allow an increase of taxes on a level equal to the inflation rate and no higher.

Perhaps it will take a third millage rejection for the board to wake up. Nevertheless please "Read my lips, I will not vote for any tax increase or Headlee Rollback.'

> Dan Holton, Plymouth Township

## Historical society thankful for contributions

To the editor:

The members and friends of the Plymouth Historical Society wish to express our thanks to every business and individual who made a contribution to our fund drive, which has lasted for three years.

Although donations fell disappointingly short of our \$300,000 goal, we consider our effort successful since we made many new friends in members joined as a result of our contacts and many businesses made donations. A new major exhibit,

which will open soon, resulted from a contact made during our fund

The Plymouth Historical Museum. being privately funded, must depend on donations from the community to pay for its many educational programs and maintenance of its facility. Donations of time or money are always welcome. With the continued support of our many friends, we will continue to be an important part of

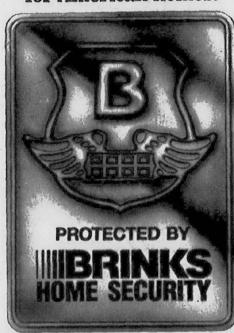
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By Mary Rodrique staff writer

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In a dog eat dog world, law enforcement agencies need all the help they can get - even if it comes from furry four legged animals with

wagging tails.

"Canines provide an invaluable investigative tool," said Sgt. Jeriel Heard, who dispatches the dogs in the Wayne County system.

"A canine alerting to a package provides sufficient reason for probable cause. A magistrate has never refused a search warrant under those circumstances."

There are two dogs who sniff out illegal drugs, five trained to detect bombs, and yet another trained in underwater body recovery. Some canine units including the Michigan State Police division have tracking

dogs. Wayne County does not. Michigan State Trooper Laurie McDonald, who works at the Flat Rock post, is the sole dog handler for the state police in the metro Detroit

"THE STATE police has 25 dog handlers throughout the state," he

"I've worked for almost every department in Wayne County," said McDonald who has been handling dogs since 1975. He has a German shepherd tracking dog, a golden retriever bomb sniffer, and a labrador retriever who sniff out drugs. He's

on his second dog in each division. "I've run 200 calls a year," he said. "Finding lost children is the most rewarding. It's an emotional thing. I've found lots of lost kids."

Although the Oakland County Sheriff's canine division was disbanded last week because of budget problems, the Wayne County Sher-iff's dog detail is still chomping at the bit for work.

The dogs are so effective that their handlers declare they are

worth their weight in gold.

Greg Morris teamed with Cora, a
Belgian Malinois (a breed similar to a German shepherd), two years ago. After 320 hours of training, the two became part of the county's drug sniffing team.

Although the canine division is housed in the sheriff's field office near Metro Airport, the dogs go "anywhere where a controlled substance trained canine is needed," Morris said.

We work for the post office, DEA (Drug Enforcement Administration), ATF (Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms) sometimes (U.S.) customs although they have their own dog, and for all local (police) departments,"

DOGS USED on drug detail are highly disciplined yet so spunky that Morris compares them to "living with a hyperactive 2-year-old child." Another dog handler assigned to bomb squad detail called her canine partner "a workaholic who never stops." It is that type of aggression and desire to please their handlers that makes the dogs such a success.

"Cora has found over 300 pounds of cocaine, 300 pounds of marijuana and several pounds of heroin," Morris said.

She found four kilos of cocaine and \$65,000 behind the tail light of a

pickup truck, more than a kilo (2.2 pounds) of cocaine stuffed into a small pipe buried under the crawl space of a house, and everything from a single marijuana joint to 11 pounds of pure heroin transported through the U.S. postal system. The heroin was wrapped in plastic, sur-rounded by soap powder, sealed in a plastic bowl fastened with duct tape, surrounded by crunched newspaper

and more soap, and sealed in a box.
"The heroin was so pure that it equaled 32 pounds of street quality drug," Morris said.

In a safe once, (Cora) hit \$32,000, 11 pounds of coke and \$100,000

worth of jewelry."

And Cora does it all for a few pats on the head and some quality play time from Morris.

"The dogs undergo weekly train-ing by our officers," said Heard. That training includes planting different drugs in varying quantities to keep the dogs fresh.

"The reward has to be on a daily basis. She has to have the search," Morris said.

Dogs live with their individual handler. These officers are on call 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

There are no sacred hours in drug dealing," Heard said.

In fact, officer Sally Wright and Baba, a five-year veteran of the bomb sniffing squad, have been called out of bed at 3 a.m. on cold winter nights and away from wedding receptions.

"We're mainly stationed at the airport with the FAA (Federal Aviation Administration) program," she

Wayne County Sheriff Robert Fi-

cano said the FAA has approved five dogs for Metro Airport. The FAA paid for the training and purchasing of two dogs. The bomb squad dogs cost approximately \$2,000 each. The sheriff's deparment purchased the other three dogs.

Last year, the canine bomb squad investigated 160 incidents. More than 130 of those were at the airport.

**BOMB THREATS** and suspicious packages make up their workload.
They've sniffed airplanes, baggage, freight, buildings, autos and been assigned to presidential details.
"We've confirmed one pipe bomb

at an area high school — nothing at the airport," she said. "It might be just a threat but you can't ignore it."

Unlike drug sniffing dogs who re-spond to a hit enthusiastically, bomb sniffing dogs are encouraged to make a passive response — for obvi-

Baba's reward for a hit is a toy ball. Other bomb sniffing dogs get food. Since March 1, the bomb sniffing squad has been called out nine

Wright and Baba got their training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

"Once a year the Air Force comes here for certification," Wright said.

Baba's scholastic record is a 100 percent rating, said Wright.

"We've probably got one of the better programs" Wright said. "We get lots of administrative support. Our administration is not afraid to call out the dogs, unlike some de-partments. The first thing they will say is 'have the dogs been called.' Also they give us the time we need for training. The support is there."

Bomb sniffer Baba and his handler, Deputy Sally Wright are members of the Wayne County Sheriff's Department's canine



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# County, state provide canine units

Most local police departments in western Wayne County depend on the canine units from the Wayne County Sheriff's Department and the Michigan State Police.

Canton Township, like Oakland County, has disbanded its canine program because of a recent ruling by the U.S. Department of Labor that handlers receive overtime pay.

"We had two dogs but because of the ruling, we've had to discontinue the program," said John Santomauro, Canton public safety director.

We are very dependent on the state police and sheriff's department canine programs, both narcotics and bomb sniffing. We would very much like to see them continue to provide these support services for us," he

His sentiments were echoed by several other local police departments. Redford Township has temporarily disbanded its one dog unit because the canine vehicle is out of service.

"It will be back. The dogs serve a very useful purpose," said Redford Police Chief David Parker. "Our narcotics officers have used the sheriffs dogs to do some sniffing. We've also used Detroit's dogs.

"I think they serve a very useful purpose. They aren't 100 percent accurate, but I've seen them do some amazing things," said Parker.

Livonia has never had a canine division but Chief William Crayk said the department has used dogs from the sheriff's department and state

"At present we will continue to use those at our disposal," he said. "They are invaluable."

Westland police have used canines from the Inkster and Canton forces as well as dogs from the sheriff's unit and the state police.

Whoever we can get," said Lt. Michael Frayer.

Plymouth Township Police Chief Carl Berry said his department has called on the services of a canine unit only once in the township department's history.

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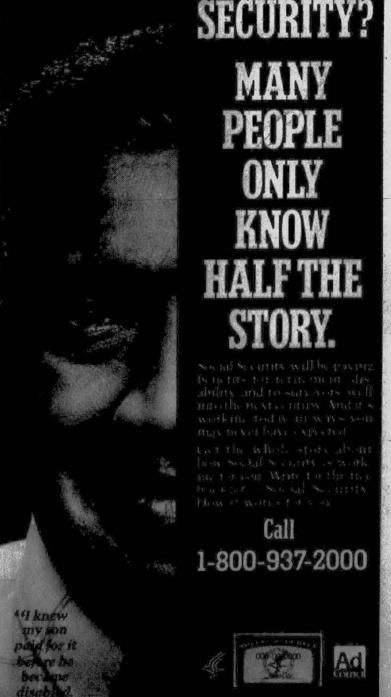
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# County pledges commitment to affirmative action

By Wayne Peal staff writer

Recent U.S. Supreme Court rul-ings have ended Wayne County's set-aside program for minority and woman-owned businesses, but coun-ty officials say it won't lessen their mmitment to affirmative action. Affirmative action has been a

standing county policy.

Wayne County issued an estimated
\$20 million in contracts to minority businesses over the past year, assist-ant county executive Melvin "Butch" Hollowell said.

Minority- and woman-owned firms were responsible for an estimated 25 percent of all county con-tracts, Hollowell said, including nearly one-third of all contracts issued for Metro Airport.

The practice of minority set-

asides came into question after U.S. Supreme Court rulings restricting use of quotas and set-aside programs. In the most recent ruling, the high court struck down set-asides used by the state of Michigan.

Though Wayne County was not a party to the suit, the county called together a panel of legal experts to examine ways to maintain an affirmative action in the wake of high court's rulings.

"WE CALLED together a panel of scholars and constitutional experts," Hollowell said. "What they came up with was a two-pronged approach."

The first step is a proposed "race-neutral" set-aside ordinance.

"It doesn't deal with minorities per se," Hollowell said. "But it is a strong small-business ordinance and

many minority firms are small busi-

The county will also begin reviewing minority hiring and promotion practices among all companies with which it does business.

"We want to see if they're making a good faith effort to hire and pro-mote minorities and women," Hollowell said.

Companies that fail to hire and promote minorities and women, he said, would be decertified from doing business with the county.

THE WAYNE County Commission is also moving toward re-establishing affirmative action.

Commissioners will soon begin taking testimony from contractors to build a case that affirmative action is needed to overcome past discrimination, said commission chairman Arthur Carter, D-Detroit.

'We want it on the record that there has been past discrimination in Wayne County," Carter said.

In May, the commission will hold a four-day affirmative action work-shop for business and governmental leaders. Carter recently spent three days in Washington, D.C., discussing affirmative action with federal offi-

"What we're looking for is a new-er, fresher approach to affirmative action, one that will stand judicial scrutiny," he said.

THE MICHIGAN Road Builders Association challenged the 1980 state law requiring 7 percent of all state contracts to be awarded to minority-owned businesses and 5 percent to businesses owned by women.

Supreme Court justices, without issuing any written opinion, upheld a federal appeals court ruling striking down the law. Blacks, Hispanics, Asians, Eskimos and American Indians are covered by the law.

The 6th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals said the law was unconstitutional because there was inadequate evidence of past discrimination by the state against minorities and

BOTH GOV. James Blanchard and Lt. Gov. Martha Griffiths protested the high court's action.

"We are deeply disappointed the U.S. Supreme Court refused to up-hold Michigan's contract set-aside law. Unfortunately, the Supreme Court has thwarted one of Michigan's best tools to ensure equal access to state contracts for womanand minority-owned businesses," the officials said in a joint statement.

Blanchard said he was asking Griffiths, chairwoman of the Michigan Equal Employment and Business Opportunity Council, to develop new methods to ensure equal oppor-

RE-ESTABLISHING A program

has been made the "number one" priority of the Michigan Department of Civil Rights, director John Roy Castillo said.

A representative for the Michigan Road Builders Association said lawmakers would have to tackle existing barriers before again mandat-

We will be pointing out to them what the Supreme Court has said and that is, before you can go to preferential treatment, you have to look at what other barriers exist," said Lawrence Martin, the group's executive director.

Martin listed bonding changes, venture capital availability, offering smaller projects and revamping payment procedures as ways the state could help small businesses get involved in contracting.

The Associated Press contributed to this story.

# **ACT** workshop offered

High school students and others for midwestern colleges. preparing for college are invited to attend an ACT test preparation workshop beginning 9 a.m. Saturday, March 18 at Schoolcraft College.

The workshop is designed to reduce anxiety and increase performance on the American College Test, a widely-used entrance qualification

Participants will meet in small classes to take practice tests.

Additional information is available by calling the college learning assistance center, 462-4436. Schoolcraft is at 18600 Haggerty, between Six and Seven Mile roads, Livonia.

# **WSU** gains Ford grant

Wayne State University is among nine Michigan schools, and 42 nationwide, that will share in a \$5.5 million Ford Motor Co. grant to provide scholarships for female and minority students.

Interest from grants will finance scholarships on a perpetual basis, beginning with the 1989-90 school year. Priority will be given to Ford employees and their families.

Wayne State received a \$200,000

grant from the automaker. Other Michigan colleges and universities receiving grants include Michigan State, the University of Michigan, Lawrence Tech, the University of Detroit, Marygrove College, Mercy College, Henry Ford Community College and Macomb Community

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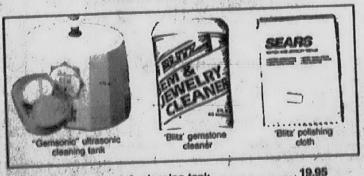
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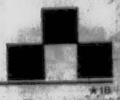
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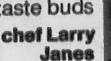
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# Seminar a chance to learn

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The brochure that heralded the "First Annual Chef's Seminar" at Schoolcraft College in Livonia brimmed with typical media hype touting it as "the seminar for serious, sophisti-cated cooks as well as young chefs who appreciate the value of techniques and tips. . . shared by the finest in the

business. The demonstration and classroom sessions ran simultaneously and the organizers did their best at placing the more than 80 registrants to their requests. It always didn't work out, as was the case after lunch at the Williams-Sonoma lecture when Susan Rousseau, manager of the new Williams-Sonoma showplace in Troy's Somerset Mall, queried her classroom participants as to reasons they were in atten-

One honest student went right for her jugular with a response that included "I'm here because they wouldn't let me in to observe Ed Janos and Bryan Gawlas" (their session was filled). So much for hones-

ty.
The \$150 day began with back-to-back sessions in the squeaky clean Schoolcraft College culinary arts kitchen featuring chef Douglas Grech while certified master chef Michael Russell took over the demo lab with a program entitled "Cookbooks - Using Them as your Mentor."

CHEF RUSSELL of the Kingsley Inn in Bloomfield Hills discussed the proper use of cookbooks and how to utilize them to advance your skills. The feedback I received from other members of the

class was positive. And then there was Duglass

Life has not been kind lately to the flamboyant chef/owner of Brasserie Duglass in Southfield. His presentation "Go to Health" seemed scattered and the audience frequently found itself waiting and wondering while he searched for ingredients. Printed recipes were not supplied at his presentation Those in attendance scribbled fruitlessly.

Many requested ingredient amounts and finally — after tasting what resembled sugarfree Jell-O-chocolate pudding and not mousse, sank disap-pointedly in their chairs. Granted, I wouldn't want to die from arteriosclerosis, but after eating this stuff, I can only hope the recipe hasn't made it to Sinai Hospital's kitchen (Chef Duglass is cooperating with Sinai on a hearthealthy menu).

After a short coffee break, session number two had the participants choosing between certified chef Milos Cihelka of the Golden Mushroom in Southfield cooking wild game and Frank Stulock, sales manager of Don Lee Distributors, Dearborn, purveyors of wines.

It was a tough choice. HOW COULD YOU not learn from the mild demeanor of chef Milos? The quintessential chef, confident, steady. A Detroit classic. With this guy guiding the Michigan Culinary Team, honorable mentions are not enough. He goes for the gold, and frequently achieves

For his demonstration, chef Milos did a complete turna-round from Duglass, using backfat to lard every inch of ventson fillet and wild boar leg. The class sat in awe, listening to his tales from a hunt, all the while his nimble fingers lanced the larding needle lanced the larding needle through the wild game, I didn't think anybody still larded.

Ah, but the truth is in the tasting, and the lucky mem-bers of this class sank their plastic forks into the bite-sized bits between continuing choruses of cohs and ahhs.

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# **Fast lane** or slow, go easy with stew

By Larry Janes special writer

AITH AND BEGORRAH! What's this world coming to? Who ever heard of a classic Irish stew cooked any other way than in a cast-iron Dutch oven? St. Patrick would roll over in his grave watching Irish stew prepared using crockpots,

claypots and pressure cookers! Some cooks go through life clinging to their Cuisinarts and microwaves, constantly looking for more ways to make cooking faster. Then again, there are folks who relish the hand chopping, the genteel simmering, the subtle braising . . . cooking to them is a joy that should be savored like a fine wine, not chug-

a-lugged like a six-pack. Honestly, I can attest to falling somewhere in the middle of the road. I'd never trade my Cuisinart but still enjoy chopping fresh herbs and vegetables. Yep, I own a crockpot, and 362 days a year it sits gathering dust in the fruit cellar. I also have acquired the classic, old, rattling pressure cooker that Momma used to transform cheaper English blade cuts of beef into shreds of beef that would literally slip off the fork because they were so tender.

Lo and behold, here we are with St. Paddy's Day upon us. Those of us living in the fast lane are wondering how to make a fast and tasty pot of good old Irish stew. The remainder of us are content to sit and drink green beer and dance a jig while the pot of lamb, potatoes, onions and herbs simmer themselves into a deli-

AS THE LUCK of the Irish would have it, two lovely lassies, both heralding different stories on Irish cuisine and cooking techniques, crossed my path during the

Joan Rector, manager of the gourmet shop at Jacobson's in Livonia, passed along some great information on crocks and pressure cookers. "The younger 'yuppie' shopper purchases the slow cookers and clay pots while the 'middle-age" suburban shopper seems to go for the new pressure-cooker models," Rector

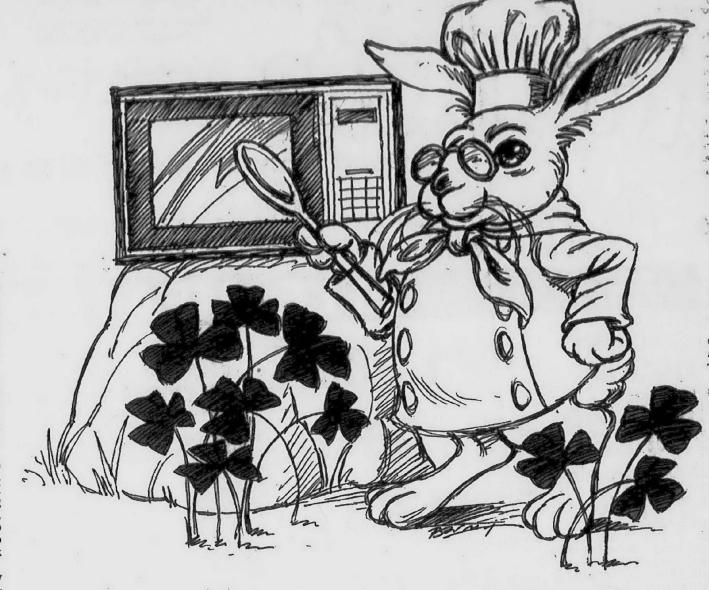
says.

She adds, "The person more apt to purchase the pressure cooker is the person who was raised with one." (That pretty much categorizes me!) Rector was nice enough to pass along some information on the sleek, trendy and definitely high-tech version the folks from Cuisinart have introduced.

Seems that the pressure cooker my momma used to utilize was virtually removed from the marketplace. I can remember the jiggling safety valve on the top that would rattle for hours. Occasionally, Momma would get a steam burn from releasing the pressure too fast.

Nowadays, pressure cookers have dual safety devices, which will allow for the safe escape of steam auto-matically. Pressure cookers will cook meats in half the time of conventional cooking and do wonders to soups and stews, most of which can be made in 20 minutes or less once optimum steam pressure has been reached.

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## Irish stew is a classic

The following recipes can be made either in the slow cooker or by pressure cooker. See directions for techniques and times.

CLASSIC IRISH STEW 2 pounds lamb, trimmed and cut into 1-inch

2 pounds small Irish potatoes 3 medium onions, finely sliced 4 small turnips, sliced ¼ cup fresh chopped parsley 1 teaspoon thyme 1/4 cup fresh celery leaves salt and pepper to taste

Place a layer of lamb in the cooking vessel. Top with a layer of potatoes, onions, then turnips. Repeat until all lamb, potatoes, onions and turnips are used. Divide parsley, thyme, celery leaves, salt and pepper and use after every layer of lamb. Add just enough water To cook in a pressure cooker: Bring to medium pressure and cook for 1 hour. To cook in a crockpot, cover and cook on medi-

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# Bread-baking skills come from Ireland

# Jam tarts, rock buns made for teatime, too

By Arlene Funke special writer

Friends of Theresa Hasson know she's always good for some freshbaked Irish bread or buns.

The 53-year-old Livonia woman learned her culinary skills back home in County Clare, Ireland.
"We baked every day," Hasson said. "We had to, with 10 children in the family. It was a treat to get

in the family. It was a treat to get something from the store.

Although she doesn't bake nearly as often now, Hasson still enjoys turning out batches of Irish bran bread, jam tarts or rock buns—a biscuit-like dessert sweetened with sugar and golden raisins.

The rock bun data its name from

The rock bun gets its name from

its pebble appearance.
"If someone is going to come over, you can make a batch of rock burn?" Hasson said "The the time. buns," Hasson said. "By the time they get here, it's done. They are good, served warm."

The former Theresa Malone left Ireland in 1956 and came to the United States. She settled in Detroit and took a job as waitress at the old Stouffer's restaurant down-

She met her late husband, Jim, a communications technician for Western Union, at the Friendly Sons of Saint Patrick, an Irish so-cial club. Jim Hasson, who also was born in Ireland, moved his family to Livonia around 1971.

MEANWHILE, Theresa Hasson was building a following for her

tasty breads, pies and other des-

"People would ask me for my baked goods," Hasson said. "None of them are overly sweet.'

Hasson also enjoyed the ritual of serving something fresh from the oven, preferably with a cup of tea. "In Ireland they drink tea all the

time — good and strong," she said. Her husband, who died last year, relished the Irish specialties. The four Hasson children - now ranging in age from 18 to 24 - especially enjoyed their mom's brain bread, a variation of the famous Irish soda bread.

The bread contains no yeast. Hasson combines natural raw bran (purchased in a health food store) with flour, baking powder, soda, salt, margarine and buttermilk. A deep cross is cut on top of the bread. The bran bread bakes up crunchy on the outside and has a hearty consistency. "It's very healthy," said Hasson. The bread is rich with fiber from the bran. "It's excellent for toast."

A similar recipe is used for rock buns. The batter, enriched with egg, sugar and raisins, is dropped onto a cookie sheet and forms a bumpy look after baking.

HASSON USES a pastry crust for her light and buttery Irish jam tarts. She emphasizes that the filling be jam, not jelly.

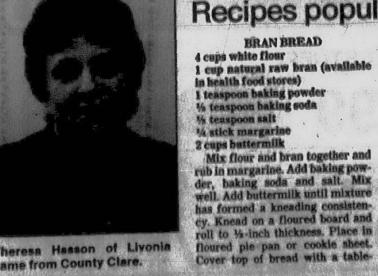
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2 cups buttermilk

Tea table is set with some of Theresa Hasson's homemade specialties.

# Recipes popular with friends



Theresa Hasson of Livonia came from County Clare.

spoon of buttermilk, spread evenly over top of bread. Sprinkle top of bread lightly with bran. Cut a deep cross on bread and bake at 350 de-grees for 1 hour. BRAN BREAD 4 cups white flour
1 cup natural raw bran (available
in health food stores)
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 stick margarine

ROCK BUNS 4 cups flour 1 stick margarine or butter % cup sugar
1% cups raisins
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1 teaspoon baking powder l egg I cap buttermilk

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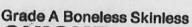
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# Go slow on stew with crockpot or cooker

IN ADDITION, the newer pres-sure cookers are also billing themselves as steamers, slow cookers and all-around cooking vessels. With the new pressure indicators, you can cook at low pressure and have a pressurized crockpot. Many come with steamer baskets that can turn the pressure cooker into a steamer, which will transform fresh vegeta-bles into a mouth-watering delight.

You can even get microwave pres-sure cookers which help alleviate the somewhat tough characteristics you

Ah, but for the folks who relish the ability to throw everything in one pot, turn it on low, leave for work only to return to a house filled with aromas and dinner just waiting to be

had, crockpots are still de rigeur.

Rector says that crockpot buyers are definitely "younger, more upscale" — the folks gift shopping from bridal registries." They are the folks who will fill the pot with fresh vegetables, great cuts of meat and expensive burgundies, and allow the melange to tenderize slowly - almost as if to affect many flavors as slowly as possible.

TODAY'S CROCKPOT users might live life in the fast lane but they also can appreciate the slow country roads. Of course, competing directly with the crockpots are the clay cookers, requiring not quite as much time but garnering the same 'slow-cooked" results.

Then I was introduced to a lovely lassie with a bit o' brogue whose grandmamma hailed from Ireland. Dolly Chase of Garden City just returned from tracing her heritage with daughter Deborah, Deb's hus-band John, sons Jamie (age 7) and Jeremy (age 3).

They traveled extensively throughout Ireland and brought this writer a classic Irish cookbook chock-full of recipes for stews, soda breads, sausages and salmon. Chase recalled fond memories with her family, especially during the high Irish holiday of St. Patrick's Day where the entire Chase clan would gather at home, usually around the kitchen table and hearth, telling tales while watching Grandmamma Edelen "turf cook" the classic Irish

stew and soda bread.

Turf cooking is a technique still used today that utilizes a dried peat moss or heavy Irish turf, which burns slowly. The family cook would place slow-burning tufts of turf under the simmering Dutch oven with more turf on the lift to been a beauty. more turf on the lid to keep a hearty sizzle to the contents of the cauldron. Forget oven thermometers and calibrations, the stew was done when the "kid" (young goat), lamb or mutton was fork tender and the Irish potatoes cooked to the perfect consisten-cy, making for a rich, hearty stew that stuck to your ribs and warmed

the cockles of the heart.

To this day, Chase still utilizes grandmamma's clasic Irish stew recipe but does so, not over burning turf but in a modern oven set at 350 degrees and a cast-iron Dutch oven "with a good, tight-fitting lid."

Chase claims the recipe for Irish stew is so easy just about anyone can make it and make it good. If you wish to cook the recipes conventionally, preheat the oven and use a good, heavy Dutch oven with a lid. Cooking time will be about 2 to 21/2

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**VEAL STEW WITH SAUSAGE** Serves 6 1 1/2 pounds veal stew meat, cut into

1-inch cubes 3 tablespoons flour

3 tablespoons of

34 pound Italian hot sausage, cut into 1-inch thick slices 1 large onion, enopped

1/4 pound fresh mushrooms, sliced 1 teaspoon salt (optional)

1 envelope (1 ounce) spaghetti sauce mix

8 ounces tomato sauce (1 cup) 6 medium carrots

3 medium zucchini, sliced ¼ inch

Coat veal with the flour and brown quickly in hot oil. Remove as browned. Add sausage, onions and mushrooms to pan drippings and saute until golden.

To cook in a pressure cooker: Combine veal, sausage, onions, mushrooms and remaining ingredients except zucchini. Pressure cook on medium (10-12 pounds pressure) for 30 minutes. Add zucchini, pressure cook on medium pressure for 15 minutes. To cook in a slow cooker: Follow browning procedure as stated above. Combine all ingredients except zucchini, cover and cook

at low for 6-7 hours. Add zucchini,

cover and cook at high for one hour

HUNGARIAN CHICKEN **PAPRIKAS** Serves 6

1 large onion, sliced 2 tablespoons butter 2 tablespoons Hungarian sweet

paprika 4 whole chicken breasts salt and pepper to taste 1 pint sour cream 2 tablespoons flour

Saute onion in butter until glossy. Stir in paprika. Season chicken with salt and pepper. To cook in a pres-sure cooker: Place chicken in pressure cooker. Top with onion/paprika mixture. Add water, cover and cook at medium pressure for 15 minutes. Remove chicken. Stir flour into sour cream. Stir through a strainer into

pan liquids. Heat, stirring constantly

until pan liquids are thickened. Do not boil. Stir in chicken. To cook in a slow cooker: Place chicken in crockpot, top with onion/paprika mixture, then add water. Cover and cook on lowest heat setting for 5-6 hours. Remove chicken, combine flour with the sour cream and stir through a strainer into the hot liquid. Heat, stirring constantly, but do not boil until thickened. Add chicken: Enjoy over noodles.

# Try microwave for speedy stew

 Here's a hearty Beef and Vegetable Stew that can be cooked in the microwave. The recipe is from "Easy Cooking for Today" by Canadian Chef Pol Martin.

BEEF AND VEGETABLE STEW Serves 4

Cooking Time: 1 hour 13 minutes Utensil: 3-quart round casserole dish with cover

1 1/2 pounds beef flank, cubed 3 tablespoons soy sauce

1 onion, peeled and cubed

1 teaspoon oil 2 tablespoons tomato paste

21/2 cups heated beef stock 1 bay leaf 3 tablespoons cornstarch

4 tablespoons cold water

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Place beef in bowl and pour in soy sauce; mix well. Season with pepper and marinate 30 minutes. Place onion, oil, thyme and oregano in casserole. Cover and microwave 3 minutes. Add marinated beef, tomato paste and beef stock; mix well. Drop in bay leaf and season well; cover and microwave 50 minutes. Mix cornstarch with water; stir into stew. Stir in turnip, potatoes and carrots; cover and continue microwaving 20 minutes. Let stew stand in casserole 6-7 minutes before serving, then mix in sour cream.

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## Brown rice and wild rice accompany ham

This recipe is from an article "Gourmet Menus - Easter Luncheon" featuring ham, in the March issue of Gourmet magazine.

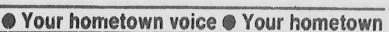
**BROWN RICE AND** WILD RICE TIMBALES 1/2 cup finely chopped onion 3 tablespoons unsalted butter

1 cup long-grain brown rice 1 cup wild rice 1 small firm yellow or red bell pepper, peeled with a vegetable peeler and cut into 1-inch julienne strips 1/2 cup minced fresh parsley leaves

In a large heavy saucepan cook the onion in the butter over moderately low heat, stirring occasionally, until it is softened, stir in the brown rice and the wild rice, and cook the mixture, stirring, for 1 minute. Add 4 cups water, bring the liquid to a boil, and simmer the mixture, covered, for 45 minutes.

Remove the pan from the heat and

well, and divide it among eight 1/2let the mixture stand for 15 minutes. Fluff the rice with a fork and transcup timbale molds, pressing it into the molds gently. Invert the molds onto the ham platter. Serves 8. fer it to a bowl. Add the bell pepper, the parsley, and salt and black pepper to taste, combine the mixture





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"You never use jelly," she warned. "Jelly spreads. It would leak out and the appearance wouldn't be nice. Putting too much jam in the tart also will cause a leak, Hasson said. "Most people would like more jam, but you can't have too much. It makes a ter-

For the last 13 years Hasson has been an employee of the Livonia Public Schools lunch program. Cur-

rently she prepares salads and sand-wiches and does cashier duty at Emerson Middle School.

Hasson also works part-time as a waitress in the Hudson's restaurant at Westland Shopping Center. "Twe always been around food,"

Hasson said her schedule doesn't

permit much time for baking. But sponge cake is a favorite when she is looking for a special dessert. It is feather-light and golden, with a fill-

"It's very rich," Hasson said. "It contains six eggs. It isn't good for people who have to watch their cho-lesterol."

Hasson keeps the ties to her home-land by visiting Ireland every few

"I baked in Ireland without recipes," she said. "I grew up with this all my life. I could blend right into the way of life again."

# Friends enjoy these recipes

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Mix flour, sugar, salt and baking soda together. Rub in margarine, add raisins. Mix well. Beat egg and add to mixture with buttermilk. Mix together well. Drop by tablespoon on floured cookie sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes or until golden brown. Makes 1 dozen brown. Makes 1 dozen.

**IRISH JAM TARTS** 

2 cups flour 1 teaspoon salt 1 cup shortening (Crisco solid) 5 tablespoons cold water

Cut flour and shortening with pas-try blender. Mix together with fork.

hours or overnight.

Filling: 2 ounces butter 2 ounces sugar 6 ounces flour 1/2-teaspoon baking powder

jam (not jelly) - any flavor

Cream together butter, sugar and egg. Fold in flour and baking powder. Line bottom of cupcake pans with pastry. Put 1/2-teaspoon jam in the center of pastry. Put 1/2-tablespoon filling on top of jam, then

place two strips of pastry (crossed) about 1 inch long on filling. Bake at

Add 1 tablespoon water at a time. 350 degrees for 30 minutes, until fill-Mix well and chill in refrigerator 2-3 ing is golden brown. Makes 1½ doz-

SPONGE CAKE

6 eggs 6 ounces sugar 6 ounces flour jam (not jelly)

Beat eggs and sugar until light and creamy. Fold in flour and put into two greased and floured 9-inchround cake pans. Bake at 350 degrees for 15 minutes. Take out of pans and cool on wire rack. Spread jam on side and put together. Sprinkle top with confectioner's sugar. (Do not use plastic container to mix batter, as it won't rise.)

# Seminar a chance to learn

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In the demo lab, Stulock began with a far-too-flowery spiel on the different types of wines. But patience prevailed and soon the wine tasting began. It was evident the class was quiet during the mono-logue, but after cracking a few bottles of the grape, vocificerous com-ments about the samplings were being heard througout the room.

Why someone of Stulock's stature

chose the opening three wines will remains a mystery to this writer, but upon the corkage of a Sterling Vineyard Chardonnay, a Beaulieu Rutherford Cab (cabernet sauvignon) and, last but not least, a Mumm Cuvee Napa Brut, the class was cheer-ing and opting to forgo lunch just to talk more about the better wines.

AFTER A SIMPLE lunch of assorted salads, luncheon meats and cheeses (I guess I expected a little more for \$150), the afternoon ses-

Chef Ed Janos of Chez Raphael in Novi and chef Bryan Gawlas of Jacques in Bingham Farms asserted

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themselves with a tasty presentation on the desktop in disbelief. of a roasted salmon with an assortment of warm vinaigrettes, a bra-ised natural beef tenderloin and a rack of spring lamb.

These guys are the trend-setters in our area and they were chockfull of hip tips. The only thing that would have made their side-by-side presentations more enjoyable would have been a neck microphone and an overhead mirror.

On the other side of the wall, however, was Rousseau from Williams-Sonoma. The course description said e would demonstrate and talk about what's new in gourmet gadgets. What the class received was a 15-minute video sales pitch on a Viking Stove in addition to a game called "guess the gadget" where the only thing stumping the audience (other than Rousseau) was a pear

The female student sitting in front of me dozed off during the video, and as I looked around the room, I saw the young man, who was wishing now more than ever to be in the other session, drumming his fingers

THE LAST TWO sessions, featuring chef Ron Fetch from Sweet Endings Pastries in Bloomfield Hills and chef Tom MacKinnon of MacKinnon's in Northville with a presentation on "Starting a Restaurant Can be Fun," proved to be fitting endings for the day. Both chefs wowed their prospective audiences: chef Fetch with a towering Dynasty Torte and chef MacKinnon with detailed blueprints of his new restaurant, soon to be announced. These guys looked and acted like they not only enjoyed their work, they thrived on it.

All in all, the day wasn't a total loss. It was evident, however, that the promoters of this event need to do their homework more thoroughly if they plan to host it again next year. Take it from someone who frequently does cooking demos, a packet with recipes and tips upon entering the conference would have been appreciated, along with an appropriate notepad and writing utensils for

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AT SUPERMARKET

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#### @ AMERICAN CUISINE

Nell Benedict will teach a class "American Cuisine in a Contemporary Setting" from 7:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 14, at the Communi ty House in Birmingham. She will demonstrate how to make dishes from the Trellis restaurant in Williamsburg, Va., including cheddar cheese soup, salmon fillets with steamed carrots, leaks and lemon, and dark chocolate raspberry cheesecake with chocolate ganache. Course fee is \$12. For more information call the program department at

#### **O CAKE DECORATING**

'Advanced Australian Cake Decorating and Gumpaste Work" is being offered from 6-9 p.m. Wednesdays Mondays-Fridays.

for eight weeks beginning March 15 at Schoolcraft College in Livonia. The course, available through the Continuing Education Services division, is \$77. For more information

#### YOUNG CHEFS

New chocolate treats will be prepared during a hands-on class for young chefs from 4-6 p.m. Wednes-day, March 22, at the Art Center Building in Southfield. The class, for grades three and up, is offered by the City of Southfield. Aprons are required. Pre-registration begins Fri-day, March 17. Fee of \$8 includes supplies. For more information call 354-4717.

#### CANNING COURSE

A seven-week correspondence course in canning and food preservation is being offered by the Michigan State Cooperative Extension Service. Fee of \$15 covers all mailings and 1989 information as specified by the United States Department of Agriculture. Students will learn how to prepare jams and jellies and how to preserve fresh fruits and vegetables and other foods, as well as pickles and relishes. For more information call the Foods and Nutrition hot line at 858-0904 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

# Spinach, endive salad goes with bistro dinner

An article on "Quick and Cozy Suppers," in the March issue of Bon Appetit magazine, offers this salad to accompany a Bistro Dinner.

SPINACH AND CURLY **ENDIVE SALAD** WITH STILTON VINAIGRETTE

If you can't get Stilton, use another assertively flavored, blue-veined cheese, such as Gorgonzola or Roquefort. 4 servings

Stilton Vinaigrette 2 tablespoons white wine vinegar 1 teaspoon Dijon mustard 1/4 cup vegetable oil

3 tablespoons olive oil 2 ounces (1/2 cup) Stilton cheese, 2 tablespoons minced shallots or green onions ¼ teaspoon freshly ground pepper

Salad

1 bunch spinach leaves, torn into bite-size pieces 1 large head curly endive, torn into

bite-size pieces 1/2 cup thinly sliced celery

For vinaigrette: Mix vinegar and mustard in small bowl. Whisk in both oils in thin stream. Add cheese, shallots and pepper. Let stand at least 30 minutes to blend flavors. (Can be prepared one day ahead. Refri-

For salad: Combine spinach, endive and celery in large bowl. Toss salad with enough vinaigrette to coat to taste. Serve immediately.

## Got a recipe to contribute?

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# Explorers took Irish potato home

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Potatoes, even those grown from seed of the same plant, vary radically in their yield, growth, taste and keeping qualities, depending on soil and climactic conditions.

They were first introduced into England in 1563 by Sir John Hawkins but failed to become popular until they were re-introduced by Sir Francis Drake in 1586, and Sir Walter Ra-

leigh began growing them in Ireland. The potato is a high-energy food. Weight for weight, however, the po-tato contains two-and-a-half times less carbohydrates than bread. Its starch is one of the easiest to assimilate, and therefore it can be safely included in the diets of diabetics. It contains only traces of fat.

To avoid loss of minerals - in particular, potassium - the potato should not be boiled in too much water, and the water should be saved to

use in soups and gravies.

Best method of cooking the potato, to save the most of its minerals and taste, is to bake it in ashes or in the oven. The taste is incomparably better, and it makes it possible to eat it without salt, if necessary.

Some people carry a slice of raw potato in their pocket because they believe it has powers to relieve the pain of rheumatism and arthritis.

Potatoes have also been said to possess a degree of potency as an aphrodisiac. Whether or not this is true, most men do like potatoes, and they do respond nicely to a woman kitchen witch Gundella

who takes the time to cook some for them.

In "The Loyal Subject" of 1618, John Fletcher wrote: "Will your Lordship please to taste a fine potato? Twill enhance your withered state, and fill Your Honor with noble

#### POTATOES COOKED IN ASHES

Wash some big, long potatoes; dry them, and bake them in hot embers with glowing coals on top. Wipe them, and serve them hot, with lots of butter or margarine.

Some people prefer to wrap them in foil, rather than blacken their skins. (This is a fun way to cook them in your fireplace in the winter, or out-of-doors in the summer.)

#### **BOILED MASHED POTATOES** WITH OTHER VEGETABLES

Try boiling potatoes with an onion and/or some chopped spinach. Drain, mash, season and serve as you would any mashed potatoes. (You may also use carrots, broccoli, or what-have-you, but remember that the potatoes are the main vegetable. Go lightly on the others.)

#### ROASTED POTATOES

Peel, wash and quarter several good-sized potatoes. Dry each piece of potato and rub it with butter or oil. Place on a rack in a roasting pan and cook in a hot oven (450 degrees) until golden brown and tender.

#### **POTATO BORDERS** OR TOPPINGS

Pipe mashed potatoes through a forcing bag or a pastry tube around the edge of dishes such as meat pies and vegetable casseroles. Potato borders may also be made by molding and shaping mashed potatoes by

Brush lightly with beaten egg, and brown in the oven.1

MASHED POTATOES WITH CHEESE.

Boil and mash potatoes. Add shredded cheese when you add the butter. The heat of the potatoes will melt both. Whip and serve.

KING ARTHUR POTATOES 6 medium potatoes (unpeeled) 6 medium onions (peeled) 1/2 cup butter, melted 1 clove garlic, crushed % teaspoon salt

Cut potatoes and onlors into %-inch thick slices. Arrange these to-gether in a baking dish. Combine butter, garlic, salt, pep-per and celery seeds. Drizzle over the potato and onion slices. Cover and bake at 400 degrees for 40 min

Sprinkle with paprika and bake uncovered for another 20 minutes. (Serves 6.)

POTATO DUMPLNGS 3 cups cold mashed potatoes

2 cups flour 2 teaspoon baking powder

3 eggs salt to taste

3 slices bread, toasted and cubed Mix all the ingredients together, and shape into balls the size of tennis

balls. Boil in salted water 1/2 hour. (These are wonderful served with roast pork, gravy and applesauce.)

#### **POTATO PUFFS**

5 cups cold mashed potatoes 3 beaten eggs 1/2 cup flour 1/2 cup finely diced onions, lightly

salt and pepper to taste 1 teaspoon baking powder Mix all the ingredients together. Melt ¼ cup butter in large shallow cake pan. Drop potato mixture by

spoonfuls into pan.

Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Turn puffs over and bake for 15





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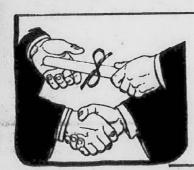
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# Stoddard wins appeal seeks return to banking

By Tim Richard

Stanford C. Stoddard has 30 years of successful banking experience, ideas on how to improve the industry, a fresh resume and a desire to go back to work.

The 58-year-old Birmingham executive also has clearance from the U.S. Court of Appeals, which vacated the Federal Reserve Board's order banning him from banking for life.

"No one has held any position open for me," said Stoddard, who was forced to resign as board chairman.

forced to resign as board chairman of Michigan National Corp., the statewide bank holding company, in

"The thrift industry (savings and loans) has to be merged into the banking industry," he said, referring to the nearly nationwide crisis.

"This all requires management talent. I've had total banking management experience for 30 years. I have 10 years remaining in my career. I can outwork and outproduce any young man in the business."

"IF YOU TAKE the diseased assets out of a thrift, there will be peolpe who will put money in the healthy body."

Stoddard advocated making all S&Ls stock companies rather than mutuals (owned by depositors) so that managers and directors have someone to answer to.

"And no one has put in more time in more Michigan cities than I have," said the man who for years advocated statewide and nationwide banking while his competitors condemned the thought.

While giant banks made shaky loans to less developed countries and the thrifts are in trouble, Stoddard noted that regional banks like Michigan Natonal and Comerica remain

He said some thrifts are "five times larger than they should be. They were on a quest for size, a quest for grandeur. They reached for high-yield relationships with high risks. Banking is a controlled risk

STODDARD SPOKE in an interview in the Bloomfield Hills office of publicist Bill McMaster.

Stoddard lists a franchise financ-

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ing firm-in-the American Center Building in Southfield as a business address but said he hasn't been ac-

"I've done a certain amount of consulting work," he said. Stoddard said he hasn't been on the boards of any listed companies as his legal battles have continued. He is appeal-ing his 1987 federal court conviction for misapplying Michigan National funds in a Jackson building lease. He was fined \$5,000 and sentenced to three years in prison but is free pending his appeal.

STODDARD WANTS compensa-tion for his lost income and legal costs in the Fed case, and he's looking in two directions:

• He has an Oakland Circuit Court suit against Michigan National for "several millions of dollars" in legal fees. That case is in the briefs and discovery stage.

"The bylaws of Michigan National call for total reimbursement of expenses incurred by a bank officer and director defending himself on regulatory charges. No one would serve as a bank officer or director without that," he said. He contends MNC directors were intimidated by federal regulators into forcing his resignation.

• He intends an action, as yet unspecified, against the Comptroller of the Currency and Federal Reserve Board for lost wages and directors' fees since he has been banned. He estimated lost income at \$300,000 a year. He also was deprived of the

right to vote his stock but can't be compensated for that.

Federal regulators accused Stod-dard of spending bank money on per-sonal expenses. Stoddard said he made a strict differentiation, and that money spent on his house was for security purposes because he could have been a kidnap target.

IN WORDS bordering on the sarcastic, the U.S. Court of Appeals in the District of Columbia reversed the Federal Reserve Board's order banning Stoddard from banking. The court said the Fed lacked jurisdic-

"One cannot remove what isn't there," said the court, noting Stoddard had resigned before he was

"(T)he board's position evokes the old doggerel about the little man who wasn't there ('He wasn't there again today;/Oh how I wish he'd go away.'). The board knows that Stoddard is no longer there, yet it insists on the legitimacy of the removal proceedings as a means of exorcising him from the field of banking."

The court rejected the Fed's argument that "an official anticipating service of such notice could, by timely resignation, avoid the possibility of an agency order . . ."

Stoddard said he is using the same argument - lack of jurisdiction in appealing his federal court conviction in the Jackson lease case. That case is before the 6th U.S. Court of Appeals in Cincinnati.

## Leaving the force

Sugarfoot, a one-time Wayne County Sheriff's mascot, should have a new owner by the end of the week. The 6-year-old miniature horse is seen above in a 1984 photo provided by the Wayne County Sheriff's Department. Sugarfoot served as a mascot for the department's Sheriff's Child Identification Program (SCIP). As such, Sugarfoot visited area schools and shopping malls to help

promote child fingerprint identification. Because many local police departments now conduct similar identification programs and of the cost involved in maintaining the horse - department officials decided Sugarfoot's services were no longer necessary. Sealed bids were placed earlier this month, with a new owner expected to be selected by the end of this week.

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# Canton goalie stars in WCHA tourney



named tournament MVP

That message is intended for Ellen Pye of Canton Township and comes from her son, Bill Pye.

It seems Bill, who became an instant celebrity when he was named most valuable player of the Western Collegiate Hockey Association playoffs a week ago, forgot his mother in the aftermath of victory.

Pye, a sophomore goalie, stopped 43 shots last Monday night to pace Northern Michigan's 9-4 victory over Denver in the final of the WCHA tournament in Minnesota.

"When he was interviewed on television, I was expecting him to say 'Hi, mom,' because he knew we'd be watching," Ellen said. "But he said 'Hi, Tracy.' That's his girlfriend. I thought "Tracy?' What about 'Hi, of omission when he spoke on the telephone later to the jubilant members of his family, who watched the game via the satellite dish at the Sports Den in Redford.

Yeah, she was kinda upset about that," Bill said. "That name just clicked in my head and I said that. Give my ma something, so she can show all her friends."

Actually, her son's performance in the WCHA playoffs was more than

enough to please Ellen Pye.

Bill turned away 38 shots as the No. 8-ranked Wildcats defeated Wisconsin 4-2 in the semifinals, and he topped that with his superb showing in the championship game. Pete Podrasky, another NMU player from Canton, scored a goal against Minne-

Though pleased to have been the MVP, Pye downplayed his selection,

## hockey

"It could have gone either way," he said, adding teammate Phil Ber-ger of Dearborn had a great series, too. "I don't think I had as many quality shots as I did other games.

There were a lot of shots from the blue line, and that kind of save should be made. Those are the kind you have to make if you want to go any farther."

PYE, HOWEVER, outdueled Wisconsin /goalkeeper Curtis Joseph, who was the regular-season MVP, when their teams met in the semifinals. Pye was runner-up in the earlier voting.

"Against us, he didn't have that

on the shots we had," Pye said. "But he had a good series. It was a 3-2 game, and then we scored an empty-

The possibility of landing tourna-ment MVP honors occurred to Pye after that game, but Denver goalie Lucian Carigan was coming off an excellent semifinal game, too.

"He made my game look like nothing," Pye said. "He must have stopped 20 point-blank shots.

"When I went into the final - you don't want to think about it - but it does go through your head. I figured the goalie on the team that won it would get it."

Pye's goaltending is one of the reasons NMU is where it's at. He has all the decisions with the exception of two losses for the Wildcats, 25-15-2. Pye has a 3.11 goals-against average and .907 save percentage.

NMU WAS THE surprise team of the WCHA this year. After being picked to finish seventh, the Wildcats were second only to Minnesota in the final standings and improved upon that in the playoffs.

"The biggest thing was proving everybody wrong," Pye said. "We all knew we could do it, and we wondered why the hell they were picking us so low. But it's such a competitive league I can understand why they'd

Pye's parents wish they could have foreseen the success that was ahead for NMU, a middle-of-thepack team the last four seasons in the WCHA.

They made five trips to Marquette during the regular season, and they used the airline tickets Ellen had won to fly to Colorado Springs for a NMU-Denver series.

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# Area hopes end in Wayne defeat

staff writer

Observerland's lone survivor in the state basketball tournament was left feeling like a refugee.

Two-time defending state Class A champion Detroit Cooley (22-1) left Wayne Memorial in ruins Friday, rolling to an 80-53 victory in the re-gional finals at Southfield-Lathrup. "Our kids did the best they could,"

said Wayne coach Chuck Henry. "We were overmatched at every position. We just couldn't go belly-up from baseline to baseline. We were hoping our shots would go early and they

would go cold. "But we didn't hit our shots and they sure did."

Henry was hoping for a bit of deja vu. It was only three years ago that his undersized Zebras took eventual state champion Romulus and Terry Mills to triple overtime before losing

in the district. "I thought of that," Henry admit-"but the circumstances here were a little bit different. Playing against the PSL (Public School League) and Saginaw (Valley League) is a whole different story. These kids are 6-foot-6 and 6-7. They're big, strong kids."

COOLEY WAS certainly imposing, but it was the shooting of guards Michael Talley (25 points) and Derwin Good (14) which left Wayne stranded.

"I think we were prepared to play and it showed from the start," said Cooley coach Ben Kelso. "We've been a fairly good shooting team. We've shot 60 percent from the field most of the season."

Wayne's plan of attack was to spread the floor out, penetrate and attack Cooley's defense with jump

The Zebras had moderate success in the first half, but found them-

## basketball

selves trailing 40-26.

"We didn't want to hold the ball or delay," Henry said. "We came here to win. We basically had a conservative game plan. We wanted to hold down their layups. Defensively, we tried to guard Talley straight up, but Good and the others hit the jumpers because our guards were helping out inside against their big people.

"For us to trap early would have been disastrous. We don't have the depth or the quickness to press a team like that. We just hoped to spring the press now-and-then and get a quick turnover."

THE ZEBRAS COULDN'T spring any surprises at the outset of the second half as Cooley reeled off eight unanswered points to swell the lead

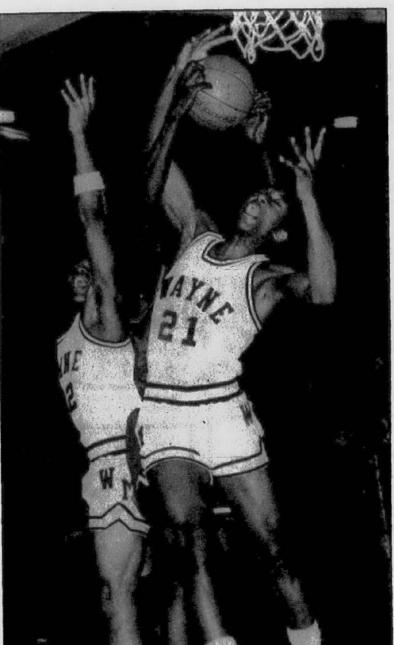
The University of Michigan-bound 10 points during the third period to propel the Cardinals to a 56-36 ad-

Cooley then opened up its offensive attack in the final quarter, highlighted by a pair of monster dunks from 6-7 Missouri-bound Daniel Lyton, who finished with -14 points; and 6-6 junior Clifford Jud-

Senior guard Tony Rumple, who did his best to keep Wayne close with 11 first-half points, finished with 17 points to share team-high honors with junior Pierre Hixon.

"They did a very good job of shooting and spreading the floor; and also by setting some excellent picks," Kelso said. "They tried to go

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Gary Hankerson (21) of Wayne Memorial fights for the rebound in Friday's regional final against defending state champion De-

# Doughboys stop Rice's upset bid

By Marty Budner staff writer

Pershing was the slick city team out of the reputable Detroit Public School League (PSL). The Doughboys lost just two games all season — to state powers Detroit Southwestern and Detroit Cooley.

Not many people gave Birming-ham Brother Rice a chance in Friday's regional championship game against Pershing. The Doughboys were overwhelming favorites.

But, guess what?

The Warriors, despite a decided height advantage and a lack of overall quickness, gave the Doughboys everything they could handle. Pershing eventually pounded to a 58-53 triumph.

Rice coach Frank Carrico thought his team had a chance all along to cash in on a regional trophy. And the Warriors almost pulled it off.

"I'm proud of the way we fought. We were the underdogs, but I didn't think it was going to be a clear decision," said Carrico, whose team ended the season with a 14-9 overall record. "I thought it would be a close

"I told the players I thought it would be a game in the 40s or 50s. I thought they held the ball more than. we did. We were ready to run with them. We hung in there really well.

"I thought the thing we had to do against them is not turn it over," he said. "If you limit your turnovers you can limit their fast-break opportunities. They actually run a better fast break off of turnovers than they do off of missed baskets. That's what we were hoping to do."

RICE RAN that strategy to near perfection in the first half. The Warriors had only five turnovers in those two quarters, and, even though court leader David Washington was held pointless, the Warriors still matched

'I'm proud of the way we fought. We were the underdogs, but I didn't think it was going to be a clear decision. I thought it would be a close game.'

> - Frank Carrico Rice basketball coach -

Pershing point-for-point.

Pershing had a 15-11 lead after the first quarter, but Rice started strong in the second to take an 18-17 lead. The teams traded baskets the rest of the quarter, with Pershing junior guard Kahlil Feider making a free throw just before halftime to give his team a 26-25 lead at the in-

Pershing outscored Rice by four points in the third quarter to take a 42-37 lead. The Warriors were still in the game at this point.
But things slowly started to unrav-

el for Rice.

The Warriors two centers - senior Loren Luedeman and junior Matt Moskus - and Washington all were playing in foul trouble. Plus, Rice started committing turnovers (13 in the second half) - something they avoided in the first half.

That combination ultimately led to Rice's downfall.

PERSHING TOOK its biggest lead of the game four minutes into the fourth quarter, 51-42. The Warriors tried to fight back, but to no avail. Pershing made 7 of its final 11 free throws to stay in control.

And when Washington fouled out

with two minutes left, it was virtual-

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# Defending state champs win regional

By Brad Emons staff writer

Livonia Ladywood's volleyball team proved again Saturday they still have that "killer instinct," defeating Temperance-Bedford for the Class A regional championship at Wayne Memorial, 15-8, 9-15, 15-5.

The defending state champions, now 43-5 overall, advance to the state semifinals against the Lansing Sexton regional champion this Saturday at Kalamazoo Central High School (time to be determined).

Coach Tom Teeters called the win over No. 2-ranked Bedford (45-5) "an

upset.
"They had already beaten us twice
this year," said Teeters, who also led Schoolcraft College last November to the National Junior College Ath-letic Association crown. "But it was not to their advantage to play us a third time. I thought we could upset them, but we had to play well.

THE BLAZERS came through in THE BLAZERS came through in flying colors, but first had to win their regional semifinal and they won it impressively, slamming Dearborn Edsel Ford (15-0, 15-1).

In the other semifinal, Bedford was extended to three games by host

Wayne (15-11, 8-15, 15-9).

In the final, Ladywood kept Bedford's big hitters in check and took

advantage by dinking and dumping shots in between the Mules' defense. Kari Domanski's left-handed dump clinched the match.

The shot was typical of the way Ladywood kept its opponent off-bal-"We scored on that shot most of

the time," said Teeters Meanwhile, Bedford also had trouble receiving serves and dealing with the Blazers' top hitter, sentor

Sarah Adzima, who got Ladywood off to a 4-0 lead in the third and decisive game after Bedford had evened things at 1-1.

"The only thing they (Bedford) changed was that they used a single blocker instead of double-teaming

Sarah," said the Ladywood coach. "I was certainly surprised and that helped. The key this time was that they didn't block as much, while we received and served better."

"WHEN WE PLAYED them before they shut me down," said Adzi-ma, the 5-foot-10 standout. "But without being blocked, we were able to score more from the middle. I think we played better against them because this meant a lot more."

Adzima, who has signed with Western Michigan University, is looking forward to her trip to Kala-

"It means everything because Kal-

volleyball

said. "We're going to do it." There were several heroes Saturday for the Blazers, but one of those who stood out was 5-8 sophomore

amazoo is a volleyball town," she

"She made some fantastic, key saves that nobody else could get to," said Teeters. "Keli just played out of her mind. Some of our lesser experienced players came through and that's why we won."

Teeters said his club is peaking at the right time.

"They've never gotten tired of volleyball and I've never heard any complaints," he said. "They want to finish strong."

WAYNE, meanwhile, steadily improved as the season went along un-der coach Ann Kolnitys and appeared primed for the upset over Bedford.

The score was knotted at 10-all when the Zebras suddenly went sour from the service line. Bedford then went on to win the first game.

"Our serving was not as strong,

but sometimes that happens," Kolnitys said.

But in the second game, a 15-8 Wayne victory, Tiffany Pankey "served up-a storm," according to the Wayne coach.

"I thought the first two games the momentum was with us," Kolnitys said. "But the third game was definitely Bedford's. They never give up. They always move and groove all the time."

The Wolverine A League champion Zebras, got sparkling efforts from senior Glenda Cobrea and junior Evette Sluder.

"Glenda is our defensive star," said the Wayne coach. "She made plays today that no high school girls make. She also had some great "And Evette's hitting was out-

standing. See played like a winner, "I'm very pleased with every

Ladywood, meanwhile, can be-come only the state's second Class A chool to win back-to-back titles.

Portage Northern won three straight from 1985-87.



Wayne's Brandy Caincross spikes the ball into the net during Saturday's Class A semifinal match against Temperance-Bed-

#### · KARATE CLASSES

The Canton Parks and Recreation Department is offering karate lessons for all levels from 7:30-9 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays. The cost is

\$35 per person for 10 weeks, Sam Santilli, a sixth-degree black belt, will instruct all ages in the Isshinryu style of karate. Registration is on a continuous basis. For details call 397-5110.

#### · HOLE-IN-ONE

Mike Pietras, 45, of Canton shot a hole-in-one at East Lake Woodlands in Tampa, Fla., on Feb. 26. It was his first ace in three years of playing golf. He used a 5-iron on the 164yard hole.

#### MOSHIMER ROAST

The Plymouth Salem athletic department is planning a roast for football coach Tom Moshimer, a veteran of 30 years in the game, on Saturday, March 18, at Fellows Creek Golf Course.

School officials want to contact as many former players, coaches and friends as possible.

Questions should be directed to Paul Cummings, athletic director, at 451-6600, ext. 231.

far. We would have saved the tickets."

Collegiate Hockey Association tournament.

Marquette as opposed to traveling to the East.

20-3 at home, and we can challenge anyone at home.

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**MVP** honors to Pye

"I'm just sorry we couldn't make it out there (to Minnesota for the

playoffs)," Ellen said. "I wish we would have known they were going this

With its tournament victory, NMU earned an automatic bid to the

NCAA tournament and was waiting to learn who and where it will play

THE WILDCATS hoped their playoff success would rate the home-ice

advantage in the tournament. Pye figured the only thing that could prevent that would be the University of Illinois-Chicago winning the Central

"So it looks like we'll play an eastern team at home," he said. "We're

"I think we've got everything on our side right now. We've got the

Of course, he isn't the alone in his desire to see the Wildcats play in

confidence, and if we get the first game at home we'll be all right.'

its first-round game. The pairings were to be announced late Sunday.

#### SOFTBALL SIGN-UP

Canton Parks and Recreation has assigned the following sign-up dates to its respective softball leagues: men, returning teams, March 1-10; men, new teams; March 13-24; wom-en, all teams, March 1-31; coed, returning teams, March 1-10; coed, new teams, March 13-31.

The fees are \$365 for men's teams, \$300 for women's and \$190 (which includes a \$40 refundable forfeit fee) for coed. Fees must be paid in full at the parks and recreation department. Call 397-5110 for information.

#### SOFTBALL CENTER

Canton Softball Center is accepting registrations for its spring season, which begins April 9 for men's, women's and coed teams. There are no residency requirements. The team fee is \$295 for 18 games.

To be placed on the mailing list for league and tournament information, call 483-5600 2-9 p.m. weekdays and noon to 6 p.m. weekends.

#### **BEARLY-BIRD TOURNEY**

Canton Softball Center's Early-Bird Tournament will be played the weekends of April 8-9 and 15-16. Each team is guaranteed five games. The fee is \$85 plus cost of umpires. To register, call 483-5600.

#### **BASEBALL REGISTRATION**

The Plymouth-Canton Junior Baseball League will have its 1989 registration 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, March 18, in the Plymouth Canton High School cafeteria.

Registration is open to all boys and girls 7-18 who live in the Plymouth-Canton School District. The playing age is based on the player's age as of July 31, 1989. Birth certificates age as of July 31, 1989. cates are required for all first-time registrants.

Fees range from \$25 to \$35, which includes the Detroit Tiger baseball ticket fund-raiser. Beginning this year, the boys 15-18 division will play slow-pitch softball.

#### **O SC VOLLEYBALL INFO**

 National Junior College Athletic Association champion Schoolcraft College will hold open volleyball tryouts from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Sunday, March 19 in the school's auxiliary

• Tryouts for age-group AAU developmental volleyball will be Sunday, April 2, at Schoolcraft College The schedule is: 5-7 p.m., boys all ages and girls under 14; 6:30-8:30 p.m., girls under 16; 8-10 p.m., girls

to the basket a number of times and

it was evident that they are well

coached. To be deliberate, it's diffi-

cult to do that if you haven't done it

KELSO SAID his Cardinals have

"It hasn't been an easy road for

us," he said. "A lot of the teams have

tried a number of gimmicks. A lot of

the coaches have come up with some

excellent game plans. They've tried

to create as much confusion as possi-

But there was no confusion about

Friday's outcome.

been a marked team all year.

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all year."

## Pershing eliminates **Bro. Rice**

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ly all over for Rice. The Warriors just couldn't get their offense run-ning smoothly without their floor leader.

"We had a couple of lapses there right at the end of the game," said Carrico. "But I thought the ones which really hurt us were the halfcourt turnovers we had about halfway through the (fourth) quarter. Those came at a critical time.

"And it hurt having (Washington) in foul trouble," he said. "That really took away his offensive aggressive-

Washington, a senior headed to Iowa State, finished with just 9 points. P.J. Potter, a reserve senior guard, finished with a game-high 21 points, including a pair of 3-point shots. Junior Paul Arthur scored 13

Junior forward Sean Rambus led Pershing with 16 points and Feider talled 15. Senior Dion Rambus also scored in double figures (11).

Cooley simply had too much tal-

"I don't think they (Wayne) have

faced that kind of competition be-

"We have a good schedule, but not a PSL schedule," said Henry. "We have to play 14 league games, but

also play teams outside our league

like CC (Redford Catholic Central

and Ann Arbor Huron. We're also al-

lowed three scrimmages a year and

normally we pick up good teams. I'm

Wayne also should not be ashamed

The Zebras went 20-5, tied for the

Wolverine A League crown and won

the Westland John Glenn district.

not ashamed of our schedule."

of its season.

fore," said the Cooley coach.

# swimming

100-yard medley relay: 1. Robbie Frayer, Jim McLenaghan, Chris Frayer and Vinnie Iteh, 1:23.30; 4. Matt Mestrovich, David Hlavin, Kevin Crabill and David Le, 1:38.45.
25 freestyle: 3. Kevin Crabill, 18.65; 5. Matt Mestrovich, 20.06; 7. David Hlavin, 21.30; 8. Mark Kowalski, 21.73.
100 Individual medley: 2. Chris Frayer, 1:35.90; 3. Jim McLenaghan, 1:40.82; 4. Robbie Frayer, 1:41.12; 6. Kevin Crabill, 1:50.78.

100 freestyle relay: 2. Flobert Frayer, Jim McLenaghan, Vinnie tkeh and Chris Frayer, 1:12.41; 4. Mark Pesnichak, David Le, Richie Ikeh and Mark Kowalski, 1:48.86.

#### 8-UNDER GIRLS

100 medley relay: 1. Stacia Guikewicz, Angle Lebbon, Angle Frost and Julie Knęcht, 1:26.90; 3. Tricia Kelley, Tara Petroskey, Megan McHenry and Erin Conlon, 1:38.05; 4. Beth Roth, Katle Bonner, Erin Taylor and Andrea Mesner, 1:46.61.

25 freestyle: 2. Erin Taylor, 19.41; 4. Tricia

Kelley, 21.21; 6. Erin Conlon, 22.78; 8. Katie Bonner, 23, 10.

100 Individual medley: 2. Angle Frost, 1:33.98; 3. Julie Knecht, 1:49.36; 6. Tara Petroskey, 1:56.21; 7. Megan McHenry, 1:57.80.

100 freestyle relay: 1. Stacia Gulkewicz, Megan McHenry, Julie Knecht and Angle Frost, 1:16.38; 2. Erin Taylor, Tara Petroskey, Gall Wiklund and Tricla Kelley, 1:28.98; 4. Beth Roth, Theresia Radtke, Stacle Ludwig and Andrea Mesner, 1:48.00.

200 medley relay: 2. Matt Kowalski, John McLenaghan, Russell LaForte and Tom Mesner, 2:32.82; 4. Dan Shasko, Scott Belisle, Brent Mellis and Kyle Petroskey, 3:00.86; 5. Jacob Horn, Norihiro Sugo, Patrick Krause and Sean Zelek, 3:11.60; 6. Marty LaPorte, Joshua Filliater, Ben Herman and Brian Williams, 4:02.37.

50 freestyle: 4. Russell LaForte, 33.66; 5. John McLenaghan, 34.65; 6. Tom Mesner, 35.68; 8. Dan Shasko, 39.86.

100 Individual mediey: 4. Kyle Petroskey, 1:34.93; 5. Scott Bellsle, 1:35.81; 7. Marty LaPorte, 1:47.40; 8. Brent Mellis, 1:47.42.

200 freestyle relay: 2. Russell LaForte, Tom Mesner, John McLenaghan and Matt Kowalski, 2:17.13; 3. Scott Bellsle, Patrick Krause, Kyle Petroskey and Dan Shasko. 2:40.71; 4. Brian Williams, Joshua Filliater, 2007. 2:40.71; 4. Brian Williams, 2007. 2:40.7 Sean Zelek and Christopher Holland, 3:08,45: Richard Hlavin, David Pesnichak, Brent Mellis and Eric Larsen, 3:08.67.

#### 9-10 GIRLS

200 medley relay: 2. Kati Sneath, Jessica Ash, Tina Compton and Sara Casillas, 3:00.27; 4. Lisa Pesnichak, Kim Crabill, Amy Roselle and Rebecca McMullen, 3:29.74. 50 freestyle: 3. Melissa Goff, 35.89; 4. Amy

Sonnanstine, 36.13; 6. Meredith Haggerty. 38.74; 7. Katl Sneath, 39.05...

· 100 Individual medley: 3. Melissa Goff, 1:32.16; 4. Amy Sonnanstine, 1:35.37; 6.

Sara Casilini, 1:37.67; B. Tina Compton 1:42.91.

200 freestyle reley:-1. Sera Casillas, More-dith Haggerty, Medica Golf and Amy Sonnan-stine, 2:35.03.

#### 11-12 BOYS

200 medley relay: 2. Paul Magoulick, Ryan Petroskey, Tom Satwicz and David Bracht, 2:25.71; 3. Joe Ervin, Steve Bollman, Jason Stirling and Drew Varsava, 2:50.23; 4. Joe Foster, Steve Hoskins, Matt Martin and Gabe Myers, 2:50.90.

50 freestyle: 2. David Bracht, 29.45; 5.

Drow Varsava, 34.64; 6. Joe Foster, 34.91; 7. Gabe Myers, 36.01.

100 Individual medley: 3. Paul Magoulick, 1:20.14; 4. Tom Satwicz, 1:20.34; 5. Joe Er-

vin, 1:20.49; 7. Ryan Petroskey, 1:30.20.
200 freestyle relay: 1. Drew Varsava, Jason Stirling, Joe Ervin and David Bracht, 2:13.59; 2. Ryan Petroskey, Steve Bollman, Jerry Peters and Tom Satwicz, 2:24.53.

#### 11-12 GIRLS

200 medley relay: 1. Jennifer Frost, Elaine Luzano, Beth Berger and Mandi Ras, 2:21.17; 2. Jill Mellis, Karyn Behnke, Amy Toms and Melanie Bosse, 2:27.60; 4. Meghan Buslepp, Olivia Ikeh, Emma Luzano and Kelley Larsen

50 freestyle: 1. Mandi Ras, 29.68; 4. Beth Berger, 30.70; 5. Lori Kelley, 31.61; 6. Jennifer Frost, 33.70

100 Individual medley: 2. Lori Kelley, 1: 19.87; 3. Elaine Luzano, 1:20.39; 4. Jili Mellis, 1:21.43; 5. Amy Toms, 1:21.56.

200 freestyle relay: 1. Beth Berger, Karyn Behnke, Amy Toms and Mandi Ras, 2:06.22; 3. Emma Luzano, Laura Lebbon, Lori Kelley and Elaine Luzano, 2:19.09; 4. Kelley Larsen, Jaclyn Theisen, Tracle Maycock and Karin Kangas, 2:45.50.

#### 13-14 BOYS

200 medley relay: 2. Scott Helmstadter, Bill Gildhaus, Matt Erickson and Aaron Berlin, 50 freestyle: 3. Matt Erickson, 27.05; 5.

Scott Helmstadter, 28.27; 7. Aaron Berlin, 32.48; 8. Bill Gildhaus, 33.30.

100 individual medley: 2. Matt Erickson, 1:07.92; 5. Scott Helmstadter, 1:13.74; 7. Bill Gildhaus, 1:22.13; 8. Aaron Berlin, 1:29.47.

#### 13-14 GIRLS

200 medley relay: 1. Janet Roberts, Kristin Stackpoole, Candi Bosse and Megan Andrews, 2:09.66; 3. Carrie Vanderweele, Amy Austin, Stephanie Long and Dawn Sammut, 2:16.01; 4. Laura Maciag, Amy Homan, Tina Brogan and Janet Short, 2:21.75; 5. Tara Hechlik, Stacy Belisle, Julie Brown and Christina Schaler, 2:29.16.

50 freestyle: 1. Candi Bosse, 28.63; 3. Kristin Stackpoole, 28.77; 6. Megan Andrews,

29.42, 7. Amy Austin, 29.53. 100 Individual medley: 1. Kristin Stack-poole, 1:10.86; 2. Janet Roberts, 1:11.73; 3. Candi Bosse, 1:11.76; 4. Megan Andrews,

200 freestyle relay: 1. Dawn Sammut, Laura Maciag, Stephanie Long and Janet Roberts, 2:00.26; 2. Niccole Theisen, Tara Hechlik, Jill Andrews and Stacy Bellsle, 2:12.47; Kim O'Malley, Laura Schryer, Carolyn Space and Kelly Morante, 2:16.84.

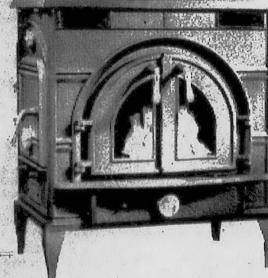






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## Take cautious approach to post-surgery exercise

Dear Myrna: I am a regular exerciser. I like low-impact aerobics and body toning. Last week I had major abdominal surgery. My doctor has allowed me to exercise a little by next week. I can't imagine this - I am wiped out. What should I do?

I think the first and most important thing you must realize is that your body has had an enormous shock. It's not just the area of the incision you have to be concerned with, but your entire body.

The effects of anesthesia and the medication you have probably

taken is a shock for your body in itself. No matter how fit you were before surgery, it's important to acknowledge the effects of surgery on your body before you even think about starting to exercise.

In my research on the subject, I've found some interesting facts.

Did you know that the metabolism rate changes for a number of days after surgery? This affects not only the body's general nutrition, muscle mass and muscle strength, but the delivery of nutrients and the body's ability to utilize them is delayed for a couple of days following surgery.

According to many medical surgeons, it takes the body a few weeks to totally reverse the hormonal trauma of surgery. Also, while recovering in bed, your muscles do start to atrophy a little which will affect your ability to exercise and should influence your post-surgical exercise program.

Your body has gone through physiological chances and you should exercise cautiously and recognize your limitations.

If you are careful, exercise can increase your circulation and help speed up your physical recovery. This also will have a positive effect on your mental outlook as well, since post-surgical depression is not

Planning your post-surgical exercise program: • How fit were you before surgery?

Consider the type of surgery and the length of time the doctor is

telling you to rest. • When the doctor allows you to exercise the following week what does he really mean? Does he mean a little walking, swimming

or low-impact exercises? Abdominal surgery can become quite major because all movement comes from your center abdominals.

Now is where the common sense kicks in. Keep in mind that sometimes, from the doctor's point of view, when your incision heals and you are back on your feet, you're healthy. Total fitness conditioning is not his or her area of expertise.

When you start to regain your strength, start by walking. Start onehalf mile per day and increase slowly to two miles. This is a good

When you feel really up to it, try a beginner, low-impact class or low-impact level 1 class. Start twice a week, then increase to three or four times per week. This will give you your variety on aerobics and body toning.

Do not expect to find an exercise class easy at first. Have lots of patience. Remember, abdominal surgery can be a slow recovery -all our movement comes from our centers.

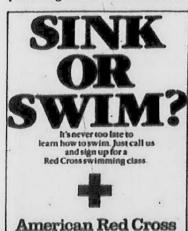
Myrna Partrich, co-owner of The Workout Company of Bloomfield Township, is happy to answer any questions readers may have regarding exercise. Please send your letters to: Sports Department, Myrna Partrich, 1225 Bowers, Birmingham

# High school seniors vie for scholarships

Observerland made the list of 137 Oliver's Pizza-Gordie Howe Scholar/ Athlete winners for 1989.

The awards make each winner eli-gible for one of three \$1,000 Oliver's Pizza Scholarships. Each winner has until Wednesday, March 15, to submit a 250-word, typed essay on his/ her goals following high school grad-

All tri-county area private and public high schools were asked by



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people in sports

Oliver's to select a boy and a girl from this year's senior class who would meet the Oliver's Pizza criteria for the award. The winners were selected by their high schools, be-cause they have shown through their personal efforts and achievements that they have made a positive impact in their school and community, serving as role models to other stu-

The Oliver's Pizza Scholarship Committee meets later this month to select the three winning essays — one from Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties.

Among those Observerland stu-dent/athletes selected were: Scott Hauncher and Patrick Fuelling, Redford Catholic Central; John MacKenzie and Joseph Delfgauw, Redford Union; Dawn Marie Berger, Livonia Stevenson; Carrie Buell and Trevor Smith, Livonia Clarenceville; Cecret Norris, Garden City; Jeremy David Findley and Kim Traynoff, Livonia Churchill; Maureen O'Dell and James Adams, Farmington; Christy Johnson and Cindy Viall, Farming-ton Hills Mercy.

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Estate of JAMES DAVID PHILLIPS, Deceased, Social Security Number 410-64-9572.
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by this hearing.
TAKE NOTICE: On October 6, 1988 at 9.00 a.m., in the probate courtroom, Detroit, Michigan, before Honorable FREDDIE G. BURTON JR., Judge of Frobate, a hearing was held on the petition of James Hensett Phillips requesting that Gregory J. Stemplem he appointed personal representative of James David Phillips who lived at 7001 Payne Street, Dearborn, Michigan and who died February 26, 1988, and requesting also that the will of the deceased dated N/A and codicils dated N/A be admitted to probate.

Creditors are notified that copies of all claims against the deceased must be presented, personally or by mail, to both the personal representative and to the court on or before May 16, 1989, Notice is further given that the estate will then be assigned to entitled persons appearing of record.

Dated Jamary 11, 1989
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# Changes in store for anglers

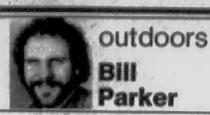
ISHING LICENSES expire at the end of the mouth and when anglers purchase a 1989 license, they should also be sure to pick up a copy of the 1989 Michigan Fishing Guide. There are some changes in the regulations that should be noted.

To enhance the trout/salmon fish-ery on the Great Lakes, a fishery that has dropped off dramatically in recent years, the Michigan Natural Resource Commission made several changes regarding bag limits and size limits.

On the Great Lakes and connecting waters, the daily possession limit on trout and/or salmon remains at five. But this year, no more than three of one species may be taken, except pink salmon, and no more than two splake or lake trout may be taken from Lake Michigan.

The regular season 10-trout bag limit remains in effect on rivers and streams with the exception that only three may exceed 16 inches in

On streams with extended trout and salmon fishing, the daily limit was reduced from five to three, and



all three must exceed 16 inches in

The lake trout season on Lakes Michigan and Huron has been ex-tended through Labor Day. The sea-son had previously closed on Aug. 16.

THE DAILY POSESSION limit for yellow perch has been set at 50. The exception is on waters of Lake Huron, the St. Clair and Detroit rivers, and in Lake St. Clair and Lake Erie, where a daily limit of 100 yellow perch will be enforced.

Beginning this year, it will be illegal to take reptiles, amphibians, mollusks and crustaceans except as provided by the DNR director's order. Snapping and softshell turtles and frogs may be taken for personal consumption under a fishing license between July 15 and Sept. 30. The daily possession limit for snapping turtles is 10, softshell turtles two and

frogs 12.

There is also a new limit on lake herring and a no-kill (catch-and-release) bass season is in effect on the Huron River in Washtenaw County.

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THE WEEK OF March 19-25 has been set aside by the National Wildlife Federation (NWF) as National Wildlife Week. This annual observance by the NWF is intended to build public awareness of the nation's natural resources and the ongoing efforts to conserve them.

This year's theme is "Predators, They're Part of the Picture." The NWF believes it is time for people to fully understand the importance of Locally, the Huron Clinton Metro-parks and the Oakland County Parks are each offering a mini-class on

On March 19, Stony Creek Metro-park will hold a class titled "Predaors: How They Fit In." The class begins at 1 p.m. and will focus on how predators are often misunderstood and persecuted for catching and eating other animals, when in reality, they play a very important role in the ecosystem. Call the Metroparks at 1-800-24-PARKS for more infor-

On March 29-30, Independence Oaks County Park will hold a mini-class entitled "Predators." This class is aimed at children 9-13 years old and will explore the life of predators. Activities and games are planned. For more information, call Independence Oaks at 625-6473.

(Bill Parker is happy to answer questions readers may have regarding the outdoors. Send your questions or comments to Outdoors, 1225 Bowers, Birmingham

# Mixed bowling offers fun time

IXED LEAGUES can be more And they are one of the in-

teresting features that set bowling apart from most other sports. There is something special about bowling with your spouse, girlfriend, boyfriend or other friends. Co-ed leagues can be competitive. They include some very good bowlers and some with lesser skills.

Everybody tries just as hard to win, and the scores can be mighty fine. Perhaps the most important thing to remem-ber is to make the most out of the evening, regardless of the scoring outcome.

Mixed leagues have been in existence for several decades, with second and third generations following in their par-ents' footsteps. These mixed leagues keep it going year after year because bowling is fun, and at this level it is even more

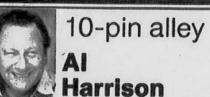
· Ed Dudek of Livonia won the 1989 Domino's Pizza Mid-States Masters La-Z-Boy Classic, ousting Fran Abbate in the finals (172-137) on March 5 at Nortel Lanes in Monroe. Dudek won \$1,500, a trophy and a reclining chair for his ef-

Westland's Dennis Celmer (last year's winner) finished fourth and took home \$180, while Craig Demeo, another West-lander, took sixth (\$180).

Other area-cash winners included Tim Rose of Westland and Peggy Smitely of Garden City, \$145 each; Mike Hasty and Pete Rizzo, both of Redford, \$90 each; Rich Plasencia (Westland) and Ron Gendjar (Livonia), \$70 each; John Landuit (Livonia), Sanford Mandell (Farmington Hills), John Madison (Livonia), Tom Phelps (Canton) and Rich Pactales (Gar-den City), \$40 each.

hander in the Woodland Lanes "Jacks and Jills" Mixed League, was not always a

He started bowling right-handed as a child. Until he wrecked his knee in a wild game of Frisbee, he had bowled 15 years right-handed. The injury was to his left knee, so the doctors ordered him to quit bowling or learn to throw lefty.



Merwin proved this can be done with success. After three years as a southpaw, he has mastered that side of the lane and looks to be getting better all the time.

• The Greenfield Mixed League at Country Lanes in Farmington Hills is one of the older leagues in the area.

Last Friday, Lee Snow led the scorers with a 706 series and 259 high game. John Staricha rolled a 267/659 and Ed Wright

In Westland's Oak Lanes, Sunday Mixers League member Tom Myers bowled a 224, Joe Lindley a 603 series with games of 214 and 222. Cheryl Kuzner led the ladies with a 237 game. Kuzner's high game gave her 131 pins over her average series

A few weeks ago, Bill Weed bowled his first 300 game in mixed-league play at Country Lanes, and his wife, Sandy, shot a fine 699 series in the Country Lanes La-

• In other area action, Westland Bowl was the sight of a 675 series from the arm of Brendan Heaney of the Notre

Dame K of C's. Heaney rolled games of 184, 257 and 234. Out on Five Mile, where Merri-Bowl is located, Chuck Rosin, bowling with the "Lost Weekenders," had a 703, on games

of 247, 246 and 210. "Right on Time" member Bob Spaw Jr. came in with a 279 game and 749 se-ries. In the Livonia Municipals, Duane Sanders scored 278 and, in the Men's Sen-

ior House, Pat Frazier finished with a 728 The pins were falling well at Oak

Lanes in Westland, with the Sunday Classic League being the scene of a 275 game by Dave Grabos. His series was 729. Mark McCusker was right up there also

with a 725 set, including games of 268

and 256.

In the Monday 175-Under, Clark Fullerton rolled a 245 game and 636 se-ries: The Monday Night ladies saw Candy Campbell with a 222 game. In the Friday Men's League, Henry Coleman had a 260/ 250 and Wally Wolfe, 244, with a 699 se-ries. In the Friday Ladies League, Terry Gifford, 213, Carol Wrobleski, 212, and Mattle League, 100, 224 Mattie Johnson a nice 224.

at Redford Lanes, Kevin Krohn shot 639. Others with impressive scores were Dave Cornwell and Will Grulke, 629; Bill Schaaf, 615; Clark Stone, 613; Ron Breu-han, 611; Craig Tillman, 610; Kevin Chambers, 607; and Jarv Woehlke, 601.

 Woodland Lanes in Livonia is open Easter Sunday, and will feature the No-tap family doubles tournament, limited to Bantam, Prep and Junior League bowlers paired with an adult. Trophies will be awarded, as well as other prizes. Call 522-4515 for reservations.

• In other action at Woodland, the Family Foursome League featured 14-year-old Jamie Sewruk with a 266, 212 and 215, for a 693 total, and Jeff Sewruk with a 231, 213, 258 for 702. Joe Castile, a 12-year-old, rolled a 224 game.

In the Gay 90's, seniors Fred Alberts recorded a 277 and a 628 series. He was 141 over average one game and 220 over his average series.

The Parks & Recreation League saw Heather Steele with a 192 game, 90 pins over average. Gary Shatter of the Ford Parts League rolled a 683 series, and Doris Goodbread rolled 232 in the East

The Senior House League featured Bob Adamczyk, who finished with a 275/724; Dave Myers, 246/696; Steve Macika, 233/ 680; Marty Rush, 246/677; Chuck Myers, 243/670; Jerry Tomczak, 245/670; George Byrd, 234/658; Tim Bennett, 258/ 656; Bob Mackowski, 236/656; Tom Brig-

ham, 231/653; Rick Patton, 231/653; Rick Patton and Bill Stillwell, both 641. In the Monday Preps, Bobby Lightner shot 199. That was 101 pins over average.

· In the Bel-Aire Lanes Senior House League of Farmington, Daryl Rollins blasted a 730 series with a 279 game. Kevin Linton had a 696 on games of 252, 255 and 189; John Robertson, 277/689; Mike Bengels, 263/696; Jerry Lash, 267/ 688; Bill Funke, 672; Frank Semik Jr., 670; Bob Parker, 255/671; Tony Camerel-la, 666; Tony DePasqual, 652; and Jack-Heady, a 258 game. In the Junior House, Kurt Davey rolled a 278 game.

 Derrick Jasper, an 18-year-old from Livonia, competing in the Youth Classic Tournament in Romeo, scored well with games of 196, 245, 197 and a 638 total.

Bowling tip of the week: This is from Gini Richardson, professional instructor at Strike & Spare. The thumb hole in your ball can create problems for you. If the hole is too tight — and this can develop while you are bowling a game — you can help yourself out of the dilemma by taking a regular handkerchief, stick your thumb in it, and force your thumb into the hole a few times.

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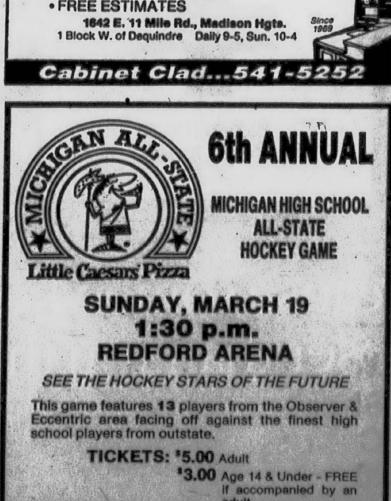
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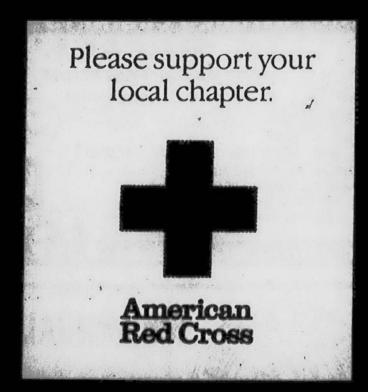


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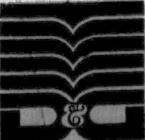
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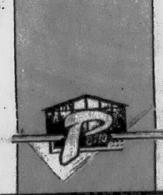
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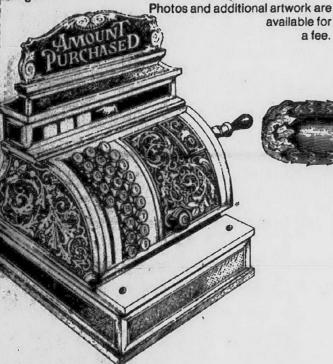
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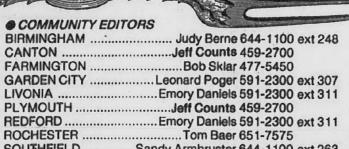
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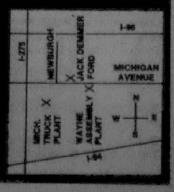
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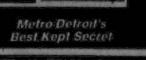
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## Together again

They decided the best thing for them was a break. OK, so it lasted 2½ years, but the Violent Femmes are back with a new LP. Find out above the group's revival in Street Beats, 3D.

The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers

# A winter 'madness'



photos by DAN DEAN/staff photographer

The frozen expanse of Houghton Lake becomes a haven for snowmobilers during Tip-Up-Town.

# Surviving at Tip- Up-Town U.S.A

By Bill Parker staff writer

. . . His fingers numb from the icy-cold water, Redford's Lawrence Novak reaches back into the freezing waters of Houghton Lake and retrieves his fishing line. He pulls a 19-inch northern pike up through the hole in the ice, smiles, admires the fish, then returns it to the wintery waters since the fish was an inch short of the 20-inch legal minimum size.

... His face covered with whipped cream, Southfield's Corey Taylor continues his assault on the chocolate cream pie. Standing on stage, without hat or gloves, Taylor is oblivious to the single-digit temperatures being recorded on this sunny afternoon. He's too busy winning the pie-eating contest to

Their cheeks dried and chapped from the elements, Mary and Matt Rons of Livonia zip up their snow suits, mount their snowmobiles, and speed off down the lake. They don't even seem to no-tice stinging winter winds.

These are the participants and this is Tip-Up-Town U.S.A.

DESPITE UNSEASONABLY cold conditions on opening week-end, visitors to Tip-Up-Town U.S.A. 1989 didn't mind. They were having too much fun at northern

Michigan's most popular winter

"I just come up here to enjoy myself," said Novak, who was at the opening weekend of this year's Tip-Up-Town, Jan. 21-22, with his wife, Peggy, and his son, Jason. "I came up here with my dad, when I was a kid, a long time ago. I always wanted to come back. This is the second year I've been back in recent years. I like to see all the machines (snowmobiles) and talk with the people. Everyone is friendly. It's a lot of fun."

Joe Taylor, who was at the festi-val with his wife, Lauren, and his son, Corey (the pie eater), agrees.
"We have friends with a cabin

on the lake, so we came up for the weekend to (ride) snowmobiles and enjoy the festivities," Taylor said. "We're having a lot of fun. There

friendly people. It's not too cold if , you dress for it."

TIP-UP-TOWN U.S.A. is held annually the last two weekends of January on Houghton Lake, in central northern Michigan. This year, better than 50,000 visitors celebrated the 20th consistence of the brated the 39th anniversary of the festival, which began in 1951 strictly as a fishing tournament.

"It all began, years ago, when some local businessmen wanted to do something to drum up some business for the winter," explained Gary Piche, of the Houghton Lake Chamber of Commerce. "Originally, it was just a fishing tourna-ment. (Which is where the name came from, since a tip-up is a self-supported fishing pole used for ice fishing.) But the main concept, right from the start, was just to have a good time. It certainly has grown. Now we average between 30,000 and 50,000 (visitors) over the twoweekend carnival. It's one of the top 10 winter carnivals in the na-

WITH A WIDE variety of activi-ties, Tip-Up-Town U.S.A. is truely a winter festival that can be enjoyed by the entire family.

Children can play on a giant ice slide; participate in any of the con-tinuous games, directed by the Tip-Up-Town staff of volunteers; enter a pie-eating contest; see a puppet show, clown act or magic act; ride a 40-foot ferris wheel or go fishing, cross country skiing or

Other activities for adults include demo rides on four-wheelers and snowmobiles; a Las Vegas Night party; ski races; even dance contest, held daily in the huge works, helicopter rides, hang glider demonstrations, a parade (this year's Grand Marshall was former baseball great Sparky Lyle), booths and various demon-

IF SNOWMOBILING is the pre-ferred activity, Houghton Lake it-self covers more than 20,000 acres

Please turn to Page 4



The carnival atmosphere takes on a state fair look with one exception — enowmobile suits instead of shorts.

## **Warp Factor**

Monday, March 13, 1989 O&E

#### Karlos Barney



Believe in hell? Of course I do - I'm tortured by cellulite, my Sharpei Is/shedding, and I just discovered I'm allergic to sushi."

# This is fishing?

staff writer

Let's say you've never been ice fishing.

A friend asks you to go to some place called Tip-Up-Town U.S.A. for the weekend and give the sport a chance. He explains the process of digging holes through the ice, setting your tip-ups and then hang-ing out in the middle of the lake, sometimes all day long, (although some people drive right out on the ice and sit in their cars) waiting for this little red flag to pop up on your tip-up, signaling a fish is on your line

Then the fun starts. You pull the line in, bare handed of course, remove the fish while your fingers rapidly become numb, then start

the process all over again.
You'd probably look that person
in the eye and tell him he's crazy,
right? What could be fun about
that? Sounds cold and boring, right?

Just ask Randy Ruggero.

RUGGERO, 32, who lives in Ad-

dison Township (north of Roches-ter) went up to Houghton Lake recently, where Tip-Up-Town is held annually. He went with his neighbor, Jim Taliaserro. It was the first trip to Tip-Up-Town for both

"Jim wanted to go up, and at the last minute the person he was going up with couldn't make it," explained Ruggero. "I had never been ice fishing, but I went with him so he could still go and to keep him company. Since I was up there, I decided I might as well fish too, so I bought a one-day (fishing) license."

That license was probably the best investment Ruggero has ever

Just after sunset, on the first day of the festival, Ruggero caught a huge northern pike.

"EVERYTHING WAS against me to catch that fish," explained Ruggero. "I wasn't even fishing for a pike. I had a small hook and a little minnow. We were fishing for

crapple or perch.
"When it came up, it was all

pike. It was a monster. We were worried it wouldn't make it through the (hole in the) ice. When I got it about six inches up through the hole, Jim grabbed it so the line wouldn't break.

The fish later weighed 15pounds 11-ounces and measured 39-inches long. It was the biggest pike taken over the four days of Tip-Up-Town, winning the north-ern pike division of the fishing tournament.

The victory earned Ruggero a

brand new power auger. It also changed his life a little.

changed his life a little.

"Twe been ice fishing ever since," admitted Ruggero. "I even went out and bought a portable (ice) sharty. I've been out four times already, but I haven't caught anything, yet."

Must have been beginner's luck, right? Think about this. Prior to Tip. Ilp. Town. Ruggero, had been

Tip-Up-Town, Ruggero had been fishing one other time and he caught a 36-inch northern then.

Must have been beginner's luck.



DAN DEAN/staff photographer

Lawrence Novak, formerly of Redford Township, sets up his tip-up while his wife and son stay in the warm car.

## **MOVING PICTURES**

# 'N.Y. Stories' has the best of everything

"New York Stories' (A+, PG, 130 minutes) is this week's top film, with Woody Allen, Francis Ford Coopola and Martin Scorsese each contributing a short story about their New York backgrounds. All three are marvelously well photographed and accompanied by superb music, al-though Allen's use of "I Want A Girl" may be a bit obvious.

The photography, by the world's top cinematographers — Nestor Al-mendros, Vittorio Storaro and Sven Nykvist - is particularly noteworthy with exposure and filtration set to render rich, sensuous, expressive images — every frame a visual pleasure. The directing and acting, as well, are fine tuned to perfection as these three stories present life in New York's fast lane.

Scorsese's contribution, "Life Lessons," features a successful, but bedeviled artist, Lionel Dobie (Nick Nolte). He's fixated on himself as an artist and on young girls who stave off the specter of age.
His current paramour/assistant is

Paulette (Rosanna Arquette). Together they represent the quintessential obsessive-compulsive New York

Part two of this trilogy is Coppo-la's charming story that has very little to do with flutist/father Claudio (Giancarlo Giannini) or photogra-pher/mother Charlotte (Talia Shire).

"LIFE WITHOUT Zoe" is very much about life with Zoe (Heather McComb), a precocious young lady who just happens to be clever and sensible enough to save her parents'



the movies

Dan Greenberg

#### Grading the movies

A+	Top marks - sure to please
A	Close behind - excellent
A-	Still in running for top honors
B+	Pretty good stuff, not perfect
В	Good
B-	Good but notable deficiencies
C+	Just a cut above average
C	Mediocre
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Not so hot and slipping fast

The very best of the poor stuff

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verting to his earlier absurdist com-

ic style, this time cleverly and incon-

gruously set in a very realistic mid-

Truly awful

"The Adventures of Baron Munchausen" (A, PG, 126 minutes) is a delightful, magical alternative to the Reserved for the colossally bad realism of New York. Terry Gilliam ("Brazil" and "Time Bandits") has concocted a \$45 million confection of the three, with Woody Allen reabout life's possibilities.

lationship.

There really was a Baron Munchausen - and I don't mean Jack Pearl's radio character of the '30s. Karl Friedrich Hieronymus, Freiherr von Munchausen (1720-97).

still hasn't resolved his maternal re-

Unlike Allen's recent works -

"Purple Rose of Cairo" and "Hannah

and Her Sisters" - "Oedipus

Wrecks" has a somewhat pessimis-

tic, downsided conclusion. Not to

"Life Without Zoe' is unthinkable,

and all three teach "Life Lessons"

worry, it's still very funny.

A balloon, made from ladies' silk lingerie, car-

was a cavalry officer who served successful, 50-year-old attorney who Frederick the Great of Prussia.

ries Baron Munchausen (John Neville) aloft on "The Adventures of Baron Munchausen."

When he retired, he sat around drinking and telling fanciful tales of his battles with the Ottoman Turks. One of his drinking companions, Rudolf Erich Raspe, went to England in 1785 and published what soon became a best selling, comic satire of the baron's adventures.

TERRY GILLIAM has built a marvelous fantasy on those stories as Baron Munchausen (John Neville) appears in the Theatre Royal in an 18th century city, besieged by the Turks. The Henry Salt Players are performing "The Adventures of Baron Munchausen," when the real baron appears to tell it like it was or like he wished it had been.

Henry Salt's (Bill Paterson) daughter Sally (Sarah Polley) believes the baron's improbable stories and inspires him to gather his old companions and save the town.

But he and his friends have aged and weakened. Albrecht (Winston Dennis) may no longer be the world's strongest man nor is Berthold (Eric Idle) still the fastest. Adolphus' (Charles McKeown) vision has dimmed and Gustavus (Jack Purvis) can no longer blow harder than any hurricane.

his quest for allies to fight the sultan's army in

But they have their memories and the faith of a young girl — which is the point of this marvelous adventure. The Baron travels to the moon, to the belly of a monster - in fact, to the outer realms of imagination - with his power restored by her

The effects are special indeed, and it's easy to see where the \$45 million went. Imagine what it would have cost, if all of Gilliam's fantasies had been filmed. Unfortunately, business interests reined in the production, forcing cuts of several major scenes. The many that remain, however, are distinctive.

The baron's adventures are thrilling, rich visual experiences produced by a top team - cinematograper Giuseppe Rotunno (Fellini's "Amarcord" and John Huston's "The Bible") production designer Dante Ferretti (Fellini's "Satyricon" and "Pasolini's "Arabian Nights"), cos, tume designer Gabriella Pescucct (Fellini's "City of Women" and Sergio Leone's "Once Upon a Time in America"), special effects man Richard Conway ("Brazil" and Spielherg's "Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom").

WITH A TEAM like that, expect a." fantastic production. You won't be disappointed.

Among the less attractive premieres this week, "Police Academy 6: "R City Under Siege" (PG). Such potboilers have a built-in audience and earn their keep. From the producer's point of view, they make money, so why bother screening them for critics who have no kind words for this stuff anyway?

"Chances Are" was sneak previewed around this market last week" (but not for the critics). This roman tic comedy stars Cybil Shepard, Robert Downey Jr., Ryan O'Neal and Mary Stuart Masterson.

STILL PLAYING:

"The Accidential Tourist" (C+) .: PG) 120 minutes. Slow-paced family melodrama.

"Beaches" (A+) (PG-13) 120 min-a Bette Midler and Barbara Her-

shey in fine show of friendship. Bill & Ted's Excellent Adventure" (B-) (PG-13)

George Carliln gives the boys the key to a time-traveling, A-plus history project. 'The 'Burbs' (D) (PG) 95 minutes

Tom Hanks in slow-paced, absurd satire of horror films. "The Chocolate War" (B+) (R) 105

minutes. Thought-proviking story of high- :q

school students selling chocolates "Cousins" (A-) (PG-13) (115 min-

Charming romantic comedy about life, love and marriage.

"Dangerous Liaisons" (C+) (R)... 115 minutes. Even lush images and good acting

can't overcome the non-cinematic quality of this boring story of pre-"Dirty Rotten Scoundrels" (B+)

(PG) 100 minutes. Super-slick con men on the Rivi-

era are lots of fun. "The Fly II" (\*) (R).

Bad genes notwithstanding, our hero's still hovering.
"I'm Gonna Get You Sucka" (C+)

(R) 85 minutes. Slow-paced satire of B-movies

from the black point of view. "The Land Before Time" (A) (G)

Touching story of a group of young dinosaurs. Excellent animation.

"Lucky Stiff" (\*) (PG) A beautiful woman takes a 300pound man home for dinner - her ...

family members are cannibals. "The Mighty Quinn" (C-) (R) 90

Murder, money and spies in the Caribbean.

"Mississippi Burning" (A+) (R) 130 minutes.

Brilliant political, film about, 7 human greed, fear and cruelty. A 2

#### "Oedipus Wrecks" is the funniest Sheldon Mills (Woody Allen) is a **VIDEO VIEWING**

Devotees of madcap, zany humor ought to check out the Marx Brothers' comedies, all of which are now available on videocassette. Some have been around for a while although the one I screened, "Horse Feathers, was released late last

But starting with 1930s, "Animal Crackers" and "Duck Soup" through 1931's "Monkey Business," "A Night at the Opera" (1935), "A Day at the Races" (1937), "Room Service" (1938), "At the Circus" (1939), "Go West" (1940) right down to Groucho's solo performance in "Copacabana" (1947), it's the best of Marx brothers, mont, Thelma Todd, Eve Arden, Maureen O'Sullivan, Lucille Ball, Carmen Miranda and many others are at your videocassette recorder fingertips.

The fourth Marx Brothers' comedy, "Horse Feathers' (A, 67 minutes), considered by some to be their best, originally was released in 1932. The script by famous humorist S. J. Perelman, features a non-stop barrage of visual and verbal humor at

THE FILM wasn't rated, but is clearly a G by today's standards. Its

What is avant-garde cinema any-

The question arises because there

seems to be so much of it going

On Saturday, for instance, the Cinema Guild of Ann Arbor is show-

ing Jean-Luc Godard's "Weekend,"

which Current magazine describes

as "one of the masterworks of avant-

There's also the University of

Michigan-Ann Arbor film and video

department's symposium on avant-garde cinema on Thursday and Fri-

day, March 16 and 17, featuring a re-

trospective of works by Ken Jacobs,

who is, according to their brochure,

one of the most innovative and in-

Beginning to sound like a broken

Avant-garde is a term that seems

to imply something new, something

no one's ever seen before. It seems

strange, therefore, to apply it to Go-dard's 22-year-old "Weekend" or to films made by Jacobs in the early

Is there a certain point where once

innovative work becomes an accept-

fluential avant-garde filmmakers."

By Anne Sharp staff writer

around these days.

record here.

**ALTERNATIVE VIEWING** 

musical score by Bert Kalmar and Harry Ruby includes Groucho's theme, "I'm Against It" plus Zeppo singing "Everyone Sez I Love You" - with several reprises including one by Groucho in a canoe. And, of course, Harpo solos on his harp.
The technical quality of this tape

is quite good, at least for 1932, although the voices are strident by today's standards and there is one rough spot where sound and picture. don't match up. That's not enough, however, to interfere with viewing

Marx Brothers' films were unrecial institutions and got tremendous laughs with their play on language
— "You got a haddock, take an aspirin" - and by deflating the pom-

In "Animal Crackers," they let the air out of Mrs. Rittenhouse's (Margaret Dumont) social pretentions; 'Duck Soup" devastates war and fascism with, among other pointed routines, "All God's Chillum Got

"A Night at the Opera" includes the famous scene with 30 people crammed into a small cabin aboard

When avant-garde gets old

ed part of regular cinema? Or is the

rule "once avant-garde, always

Another question: Is there a point

LAST MONTH, for example, the

symposium on A-G Cinema brought

in Stan Brakhage, a member of Ken Jacobs' generation of experimental

filmmakers. Watching his presenta-

tion was a rather trying experience.

For one thing, Brakhage is one of the most incoherent public speakers

I've ever heard. At one point, he

seemed to be teiling us that narra-tive drama is the leading cause of

The films he showed were equally baffling. They seemed to be designed

as a deliberate antidote to the dra-

matic narrative — bland, unin-volved, filled with totally forgettable images. People were walking out in

I felt sorry for Brakhage that evening as he bravely babbled over the sound of slamming fire exit doors. It

Here was Brakhage, the stale old modernist, trying to impress us with a rebel, what an innovator he is. Here was his youthful postmodernist

audience, who grew up long after people like Brakhage started break-

was obvious what was going on

at which avant-garde itself becomes

avant-garde?"

Of all their wild gags, my favorite is a quieter one which comes half way through "Horse Feathers" when the Dogcatcher, Pinky (Harpo), responds to a gambler's "cut the cards" with a hachet.

Brother Chico is Ara Bravelli, the bootlegger, and the two of them wind up playing for Huxley College's beleaguered football team. Another teammate is Frank Wagstaff (Zeppo), son of the Huxley College president, Professor Quincy Adams Wagstaff (Groucho).

ZEPPO, ALONG with everyone lenting in their comic attack on so- else, is messing around with the "college widow," Connie Bailey (Thelma Todd), who also hangs out with Jennings (David Landau), the conniving backer of arch-rival Baldwin University.

However, it's not the plot line that's intriguing. It's the madcap anarchy of language and action as the Marx Brothers demolish education

— try Groucho's anatomy lecture and sports - the Lions should score so easily

That's what grabs you as the Marx Brothers romp in their own, inimitable and disrespectful style. They sure knew how to make people laugh in those days.

When broken rules are the norm,

you tend to get jaded about innova-

tion. You want something else be-

sides something that's intellectually

stimulating but entertaining as well.

Now Jacobs, from all accounts, is

something of a showman. Live per-

formance and special effects are a

trademark of his work. And his im-

agery is reportedly anything but bland.

A-G FILM impresario Jonas Mekas hailed his 1963 work, "Blon-

die Cobra," as "a work hardly sur-

beauty, in sadness, in tragedy."

assable in peversity, in richness, in

Jacobs himself describes his 1982

piece, "The Whole Shebang," which

involves 3-D effects and projectors

showing identical films at varying

speeds; as "a strident elegy to crazy

See for yourself. "Cobra," along

with other short works by Jacobs, will be shown at 7:30 p.m. Thursday

at Lorch Hall Auditorium (corner of

Tappan and Monroe) on the U-M

campus. "Shebang" will be per-formed at 7:30 p.m. Friday. Jacobs will be present both nights. And it's free admission.

You want to see a show.



Claudio (Giancarlo Gianni) and Charlotte (Talia Shire) easily fall under the spell of their charming daughter in "Life Without Zoe," written by Francis Coppola and Sofia Coppola, part of **Touchstone Pictures' "New York Stories."** 

## SCREEN SCENE

DETROIT FILM THEATER, Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit. Call 832-2730 for information. (\$5 all seats)

"High Hopes" (1988), 7 and 9:30 p.m. March 17-18, 5 and 7 p.m. March 19. Mike Leigh's satirical portrait of a downwardly mobile couple in Margaret Thatcher's

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY. Strong Auditorium, Ypsilanti. Call 487ing all the rules and were unim-3045 for information. (\$2 all seats)

"Die Hard" (1988) 8 and 10 p.m. March 14-15 and 18, 10 p.m. and midnight March 16-17. Flashy urban action thriller features saucy Bruce Willis as the hero and sultry Alan Rickham as the villain.

HENRY FORD CENTENNIAL LI-BRARY, 16301 Michigan Ave., Dearborn. Call 943-2330 for information. (Free)

"Saints and Sinners" (1949), 7 p.m. March 13. An Irishman, unjustly accused of a crime, returns to his home town in order to clear his name.

MICHIGAN THEATRE, 603 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Call 669-8397 for information. (\$4 regular, \$3.25 for students and seniors)

"Gone with the Wind" (1939), 7:15 p.m. March 13, 15 and 17, 8:15 p.m. March 14. Fully restored Technicolor version of the classic romance about the life and loves of a Civil War she-devil.

"Citizen Kane" (1941), 6 p.m. March 14. Orson Welles' notorious, brilliant, thoroughly entertaining drama about the rise and fall of a newspaper tycoon.

PARK THEATRE, 804 Eric St. E., Windsor. Call (519) 971-9983 for dates children and members).

and time (\$4 regular and \$2.50 seniors, "Bagdad Cafe" (1988), 7 p.m. March 15, 17 and 18, 9:30 p.m. March 16 and 18.

West German director Percy ("Sugarba-

by") Adlon's whimsical comedy about an unlikely friendship between a two-ton German tourist (Marianne Sagebrecht) and the cantankerous proprietor of a desert roadside cafe (CCH Punder).

"Angry Harvest" (1985), 7 p.m. March 16 and 18, 9:30 p.m. March 15, 17 and 19. Agnieszka Holland's WWII drama about a Polish farmer (Armin Mueller-Stahl) who hides an Austrian Jew (Elisabeth Trisenaar) from the Nazis.

REDFORD THEATRE, 17360 Lasher, Detroit. Call 537-2560 for information. (\$2 all seats)

"Ben-Hur" (1959), 7:30 p.m. March 17-18. William Wyler's spectacular Biblical era epic about a Jewish charioteer (Charlton Heston) who gives the Romans a run for their money.

TELE-ARTS, 1540 Woodward, Detroit. Call 963-8690 for dates and times. (\$2 matinee, students and seniors, \$3.50 regu-

"What Have I Done to Deserve This?" 5:30 and 7 p.m. March 15-16, 5:30 and 7:45 p.m. March 17-18, 1, 3:15 and 5:30 p.m. March 18. Campy comedy by Pedro Almodovar, director of "Women on the Verge of a Nervous Breakdown."

"Cane Toads" 10 p.m. March 17-18, 7:45 p.m. March 19. Offbeat Australian documentary about a disastrous attempt to introduce a new breed of beetle-eating froggy types to Aussieland.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN-ANN ARBOR: A select listing of offerings by campus film societies. Locations are Auditorium A of Angell Hall, 435 S. State St.; Modern Language Building, 812 E. WAshington, and Natural Science Auditorium, 830 N. University. (Prices average \$2.50 single, \$3.50 double feature.)

(1964), 7 p.m. March 17, Angell (free). Ar-

menian director Sergei Paradzhanov's version of an Eastern European legend about a Romeo and Juliet like romance.

'Weekend" (1987), 7 and 9 p.m. March

18, MLB 4. French director Jean-Luc ? Goddard's wild, angry black comedy about a group of decent citizens who slide into savagery. "Sammy and Rosie Got Laid" (1987), ? and 9 p.m. March 18, MLB 4. Complex;

provocative comedy-drama about the seamy side of life in modern-day London. Directed by Stephen Frears; marvelous E screenplay by Hanif Kureishi. "The Quiet Man" (1952), 7 p.m. March

18, MLB 3, with "Hatari" (1962) at 9:15" p.m. It's a John Wayne double feature; pilgrim. "Quiet Man" concerns an Irish boxer, while "Hatari" features the Duke as a big game hunter in Africa.

"The Color of Pomegranates" (1969), 7 p.m. March 118, Angell (free). Sergei Paradzhanov's biography of the 18th century Armenian poet, Sayat Nova.

"Surrealist Shorts" 7 p.m. March 19,75 Angell, with "8 Times 8" at 9 p.m. That's shorts as in short films by the likes of Salvador Dali, Luis Bunuel and David Lynch. "8" is a collaboration by several surrealist artists on the theme of chess.

"The Legend of Suram Fortress" (1985), 3:45 p.m. March 19, Angell (free). The U-M Armenian Studies Program's film series continues with Sergel Paradzhanov's exploration of the cultural traditions of Soviet Georgia.

UNIBERSITY OF MICHIGAN-DEAR-MS BORN, Recreation and Organizations (Center, Evergreen Road across from the Center). Fairlane Town Center, Dearborn. Call 593-5390 for information. (Free)

"Clara's Heart" (1988), 7:50 p.m. March 15-16. Whoopi Goldberg stars as a. Jamaican domestic worker who helps'a little boy cope with his parents' divorce.

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# Rockers get their own walk

'My friends are here and this has

always been home to me," he said.

The group's first single combined Little Richard's "Jenny Jenny" and Chuck Willis' "CC Rider" into "Jen-

ny Take a Ride," which became a No. 10 hit in 1966, inspiring follow-

up medleys "Devil With a Blue Dress on" and "Good Golly Miss Molly."

listening to any artist; he's "busy

writing his own music."

At this point in time, Ryder isn't

According to Nino Cutraro, the

cafe's proprietor, once Old Man Win-

ter leaves us for good, the two-foot

square block of cement will be placed in the sidewalk in front of the

haps would make the Violent

Femmes a cohesive unit once again.

"TIME HAD a whole lot to do with

it," Gano said. "There was a lot of

people who could have sat us down

and said, Everyone is being stupid.

Everyone is being crazy. There's got

"I don't think we would've been

The spontaneity sought on "3" was

perhaps an attempt to get back to

their roots, back to those early days

in Milwaukee as teenagers when the

Violent Femmes were street musi-

Back then, Brian Ritchie, Victor

DeLorenzo and Gano would strike up

a concert whenever, wherever they

saw fit. Chrissie Hynde happened to

catch the group's act and invited the

Femmes to open for the Pretenders.

in 1983, which later went gold in 1987 (selling more than 500,000 cop-

A debut album followed on Slash

The Violent Femmes have been a

success with a minimalist approach.

Whether on a street corner or in a

10,000-seat venue, a pair of acoustic

guitars and a drum have been the es-

sence of the Violent Femmes' sound.

teenage performer once had a ner-

At the forefront is Gano, who as a

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to be a way to work this out.'

It worked.

Femmes get back to basics on '3'

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He entered one of metro Detroit's fastest growing night spots bedecked with a pair of black Ray Ban Wayfarer sunglasses ala Jack Nicholson. No doubt, he was on a mission.

Legendary Detroit rocker, Mitch Ryder, made his way through the doors and the vast crowd awaiting his arrival at the Metropolitan Musicafe recently, to plant his palm in wet cement.

"It's pretty wet and mushy," said Ryder, the first inductee into the Detroit area's first and only "Rock'n'Roll Walk of Fame." He pressed his palms and signed his

"Of course, I'm honored to be the first," Ryder said. "Now, I'm ready to go to a Korean massage parlour."

Ryder considered a white soul

shouter from Detroit, who reached his peak of popularity in the late 1960s while fronting the Detroit Wheels, still lives in his native city. He's been working on a new album, as well as touring across the coun-

"WE WERE out in Montana near Angeles, Ryder opted to stay in Dethe mountains and there was this monstrous storm - the worst they've had this century," he said. "But we still made the show. It was

Ryder had sung with local combos the Tempest and the Peps before forming Billy Lee and the Rivieras. In 1965, their stage act caught the attention of Four Seasons producer Bob Crewe, who signed them and gave Ryder the name he became famous with (supposedly picked out of a phone book) and christened the Rivieras the Detroit Wheels.

Although he lived in New York for more than two years and had the op-portunity to take up residence in Los

Nearly 21/2 years later, the Violent

After emerging on the alternative

Femmes can be thankful that what

music scene in relatively short time

with acoustically sparse hits like "Blister in the Sun," the Femmes

nearly went bust. The group decided

to take a break after their third al-

bum, "The Blind Leading the Na-

A date was never set when to re-

"There were a lot of problems, personal and otherwise," said Gor-

don Gano, singer and guitarist of the

Milwaukee-based band. "People in

the group had some differences in

what direction they thought the band

should go. There were people at odds

The hiatus proved fruitful, though.

Gano didn't fret, spending the time

crafting 12 new songs for what later

become the band's latest LP, "3"

Without other members not hear-

ing so much as a note, the Violent

Femmes entered Carriage House

Studios in Stamford, Conn., to record

would bring a spark to the Femmes'

latest offering - a charge that per-

Gano was hopeful his strategy

with one another."

(Warner/Slash).

might have been never came to be.

By Larry O'Connor

staff writer



Legendary Detroit rocker Mitch Ryder was the first inductee into the Detroit area's "Rock'n'Roll Walk of Fame."

Musicafe. Other blocks will be added to the sidewalk as the list of inductees increases.

"THE ROCK'N'ROLL Walk of Fame is a natural extension of the memorabilia found inside," Cutraro said. "Rock'n'roll superstars will leave their marks here as they have left their marks on modern music

"There's no reason why California has to be the only place with a celebrity 'Walk of Fame,'" he said. "Probably, 90 percent of the rockers on the 'Walk of Fame' in Hollywood, are from Detroit."

Cutraro added that he would like to have Bob Seger's along with prints

After a 21/2-year long hiatus, the Violent Femmes are back

from Aretha Franklin, Madonna, The Temptations and Glenn Frey.

The memorabilia already on display at the cafe includes an evening gown worn by Aretha Franklin, gui-tars from Ted Nugent, an outfit worn by Madonna, a pair of gold Porsche sunglasses worn by Michael Jackson and a guitar signed and dedicated at the grand opening in No-

Other memorabilia includes the recently acquired Elvis Presley ukulele, three original lithographs made by John Lennon, one of only 200 guitars ever signed by Les Paul, and signed guitars from George Michael, Jimmy Page, Stevie Ray Vaughn and J.J. French of Twisted Sister.

## IN CONCERT

e HUNTUNES
The Huntunes will perform Monday,
March 13, at Rick's Cafe, 611 Church,
Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-

**o** IDYLL ROOMERS

Idyll Roomers will perform Monday, March 13, at the Blind Pig, 208 First, Ann

AND SO ARE YOU
 And So Are You will perform Tuesday,
March 14, at Rick's Cafe, 208 S. First,
Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-

Gwar will perform with special guest, Slaughterhouse, Tuesday, March 14, at Blondie's, 21139 W. Seven Mile, Detroit. For information, call 535-8108.

New Riders of the Purple Sage will perform Tuesday and Wednesday, March 14-15, at Rick's Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-2747.

**O JUGGLERS AND THIEVES** Jugglers and Thieves will perform Wednesday, March 15, at Rick's Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call

Rook will perform Wednesday and Thursday, March 15-16, at Slammers in Dearborn Heights. For information, call

• ROOMFUL OF BLUES
Roomful of Blues will perform Thursday, March 16, at Sully's, 4758 Greenfield, north of Michigan Avenue, Dearborn. For information, call 846-5377.

• DIFFERENCE

The Difference will perform Thursday, March 16, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555. They also will perform Friday and Saturday, March 17-18, at Rick's Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-2747.

O IODINE RAINCOATS

Iodine Raincoats will perform Thursday, March 16, at Rick's Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call

• BLASPHEMOUS
Blasphemous will perform with special guests, The Trip, Thursday, March 16, at Blondie's, 21139 W. Seven Mile, Detroit. For information, call 535-8108.

Elvis Hitler will perform Thursday, March 16, at the 3-D Dance Club, 1815 N. Main, near 12 Mile Road, Royal Oak. For information, call 589-3344.

## COLLEGE

Here are the top 10 songs receiving air play on WOUX-AM, campus station of Oakland University in Rochester.

1. "Mayor of Simpleton," XTC.

2. "Stand," R.E.M. 3. "Mr. Disco," New Order.

4. "Killing Jar," Stouxle and the Ban-

5. "Veronica," Elvis Costello.

6. "Punk Rock Girl," Dead Milkmen.

7. "Give, Give Me More," Wonder Stuff. 8. "The Great Commandment," Camou-

9. "I'll Be You," Replacements. 10. "Into the Groove(y)," Clecone Youth. FUNDOUSE Fundouse will perform Friday, March 17, at the Hamtramck Pub, 2048 Caniff, off 1-75. For information, call 365-9780.

MOTOR CITY BOCKERS
 Motor City Rockers will perform Friday, March 17, at Blondie's, 21139 W.
Seven Mile, Detroit. For information, call

NEW BARBITUATES
 New Barbituates will perform Friday and Saturday, March 17-18, at Lili's 21, 2930 Jacob, off Jos. Campau, Hamtramck. For more information, call 875-

SLEEPY LABEEF
 Sleepy LaBeef will perform Friday
and Saturday, March 17-18, at the Blind
Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.

Figure 4 will perform along with Danc-ing Smoothies Saturday, March 18, at the Hamtramek Pub, 2048 Caniff, off I-75.

MARIO BOY SMILING
 Mario Boy Smiling will perform Saturday, March 18, at Sully's, 4758 Greenfield, north of Michigan Avenue, Dear-

SACRILEDGE BC
 Sacriledge BC will perform along with
Savage Steel and Wicked Angels Saturday, March 18, at Blondie's, 21139 W.
Seven Mile, Detroit. For information, call 535-8108.

Roulette will perform Saturday, March 18, at Jameson's, 1812 N. Main, Royal Oak. For information, call 547-6470.

Violent Femmes will perform Satur-day, March 18, at Hill Auditorium in Ann Arbor. Tickets are \$16.50. For information, call 99-MUSIC.

Bruce Cockburn and His Band will per-form at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, March 19, at the Power Center in Ann Arbor. Tickets are \$16.50 in advance. For information,

**O BROKEN TOYS** 

Broken Toys will perform Sunday, March 19, at Blondie's, 21139 W. Seven Mile, Detroit. For information, call 535-

R.E.M. will perform at 8 p.m. Wednes-day, April 5, at Cobo Arena in Detroit. Reserved seats are \$18.50. For informa-tion, call 99-MUSIC.

## COUNTRY

Here are the top 10 songs receiving air-play on WCXI-AM.

1. "Bridges and Walls," The Oak Ridge Boys. 2. "New Fool at an Old Game," Reba

3. "There's a Tear in My Beer," Hank

Williams, Jr. 4. "I'm a One Woman Man," George

5. "From a Jack to a King," Ricky Van

6. "Don't You Ever Get Tired (of Hurting Me)," Rounie Mislap. 7. "Baby's Gotten Good at Goodbye," George Strait. 8. "I Wish I Was Still in Your Dreams,"

Conway Twitty, 9. "Highway Robbery," Tanya Tucker, 10. "Who You Gonna Blame This Time,"

### **REVIEWS**

## STARR STRUCK: THE BEST OF **RINGO STARR**

Popular opinion is that Ringo Starr's musical career died, for all practical purposes, in the mid-1970s, fellowing two outstanding albums, "Ringo" and "Goodnight Vienna."

But evidence to the contrary exists on a brand-new Rhino compact disc compilation, "Starr Struck: The Best of Ringo Starr, Vol. 2." This 16-track CD, of course, may

be for Beatle completists only. But it contains several rare and unreleased nuggets, which only point out the prevailing anti-Ringo bias among U.S. radio programmers and record labels - the latter which, until now, decided not to touch the ex-Beatle's music since a 1981 album, "Stop and Smell the Roses."

In fact, some of the best cuts on this post-Apple collection are pulled from "Old Wave," Ringo's 1983 "comeback" that didn't happen.

The set (co-produced with Joe Walsh) was released in Canada only.

After listening to the hard-driving hit petential of "In My Car," one can only wonder why it wasn't given a

chance in this country.

Other "Old Wave" songs perking up the ears include "I Keep Forgettin"," "Hopeless" and Ringo's cover of "She's About a Mover." The other Beatles are showcased on Ringo's latest. The lead-off track, "Wrack My Brain," bears the stamp



of George Harrison all over it. It is a swift-moving Harrison-penned/pro-duced tune from the "... Roses" al-bum which briefly flirted with hit

Paul McCartney contributes two other tracks from that underrated Boardwalk LP, "Attention" and the horn-flavored "Private Property." Combined with "Wrack My Brain," one wonders why nobody took notice of Ringo then, either.

Ringo's third ex-mate, John Lennon, shows up on the partying "Coo-kin (in the Kitchen of Love,)" from the 1976 album, "Ringo's Rotogra-

Some of the drummer's weaker albums ("Ringo the 4th" and "Bad Boy") also are represented on the

CD, unfortunately.
Ringo probably will never match
the success he had immediately following the Beatles' breakup. But
"Starr Struck..." at least shows people that he has done some pretty good things in the years since. - Tim Smith

## BEELZEBUBBA — Dead Milkmen

again with a new LP, "3."

vous club owner assume legal guar-

dianship so he could play. Basic

songs of youth struck a chord with

their audience, especially the college

songs have gained momentum in

adolescence," Gano said. "Here you have an 18-year old singing a song about adolescence instead of a 30-

"I ATTRIBUTE some of that to

popularity through the years.

anything, Violent Femmes'

As Jim Walewander toils away in the Detroit Tigers' minor league camp, he can assess his contribution to major league baseball and be quite proud.

"Wales" couldn't hit a lick, but he made the Dead Milkmen a club household name. Thanks, Jim. This

undoubtedly will earn you a Hall of Fame entry on the first ballot.
Yes, the Philadelphia punk group has a winner in "Beelzebubba" (Enigma). Yes, it's funny. Yes, it's perhaps the Milkmen's best offering to date. Perhaps the Dead Milkmen are one of the last American punk bands. They embody the true meaning of punk music. Like a church softball

game, anyone can play.

The Dead Milkmen perform with unbridled intensity, However, there's an alarming trend developing in their music — the Dead Milkmen are actually learning how to play their instruments. A frightening thought, indeed.

Musicianship aside (like maybe to



year-old gearing their songs to a

younger audience. I think some of

the songs capture the sincerity of

Songs like "Blister in the Sun"

The Violent Femmes will per-

form at 8 p.m. Saturday, March at Hill Auditorium in Ann Ar-

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bor. Tickets are \$16.50. For infor-

captured the audiences attention.

the North Pole), the Dead Milkmen's forte is the lyrics. Humorous, yes, but the true gift these fellas possess is their ability to get to the heart of the matter.

For example, here's some lines to sample from the opening cut "Brat in the Frat." "I do not like you college brat/I do not like you and your frat/I do not like you at the shore/I do not like you drunk on Coors. . . .I hope you don't decide to breed/cause that's one thing we don't need." Little gray area there, that's for sure.

Granted, some of this stuff is darn

right juvenile. Songs about smoking banana peels and body odor is junior high school humor at best.

But the Dead Milkmen plead guilty. And their parody of music draws even more laughs, especially in comparison to the music on the radio that is not meant to be funny, but is

- Larry O'Connor

## WHO GOES THERE?

- Cinecyde



you see live and say, "Wow." Then you wait for the record and you say, "What?" Cinecyde is one of those bands who

The Cinecyde on stage and the Cinecyde on vinyl are apparently two different animals. The group seen at the local pub is aggressive and packs quite a wallop. Somehow, somewhere, something is amiss

On "Who Goes There?" (Tremor), we wait. We wait for one of the more progressive bands in the area to evolve from something more than a

barebones garage rock'n'roll outfit.
Thoughtful and intelligent song subjects can be found as well as meaningful lyrics (There's a need here for printed lyrics). But dressing those numbers up in the gutteral gui-tar sound reminiscent of the late "70s garage scene is the equivalent of plaid bell bottoms and platform

The meaning of "Industrial Grey," a tune about the massive industrialization of our society, is washed

away with continual blasts of guitar. Some songs, like "Love Me, or Leave Me Alone" for example, could be shortened for better effect.

Yet when Cinecyde is firing on all cylinders, it's a force to be reckoned.

with. "Mojo Man," a song without any deep meaning, really lends itself to the sound of Cinecyde's music. Perhaps, we're expecting too much. On "Who Goes There?" Cine-

cyde is probably no better or worse than any other band on the Detroit

But Gary Reichel and the rest of his Cinecyde mates don't seem to be a group that would only settle for

- Larry O'Connor

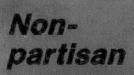
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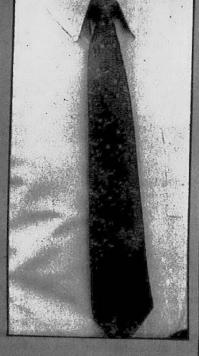


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# Jane: Growing up is hard to do

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Dear Jane.

The "older man syndrome is not uncommon — even high school stu-dents who have never heard of Sig-mund Freud talk about boys who are "fixed" on their mothers and girls who are "fixed" on their fathers.

It's not just that the kind of man you describe is a father figure, more importantly, he is a safe one who will not marry you. So you pretend you want to get married without the danger of it's happening.

If you want to break the "older

man" syndrome and meet someone

closer to your age, you will stop wasting the years you have between 20 and 30 and look for an age-appropriate man who wants to get mar-

ried and give love. It is a tremendous task for a girl to start out wanting to be a child and to then desire to become a grown woman, a wife and mother.

Dear Barbara,

I am the mother of two boys 12 and 13. Because of my upbringing, I guess, I find it extremely difficult to discuss sexuality with my sons. I have asked my husband, their father, to have discussions with them, but he also is uncomfortable with it.

I have bought books for them to read, but I don't think it is right to have a book be their main source of sexual education.

Your help in this situation would be very much appreciated.

Thank you. Birmingham

Dear Birmingham,

The difficulty that both you and

**Barbara Schiff** 

your husband have in discussing sex with your sons is due to the fact that each of you is not free of fears, misconceptions and misinformation about sex.

I agree that giving your sons a book as their main source of sex education is not the best way for them to learn about intimacy and love be-

tween two people.

Might I suggest that before you and your husband discuss sex with your sons you do the following: First, buy "The Joy of Sex" and "More Joy. of Sex" by Alex Comfort. Read them. together and work together as a team to increase your joy and comfort with sex.

When you have reached this stage of growth and development, not only will you be able to talk about sex and love, but the relationship between you and your husband will be a clos-

This would be a joint venture between the two of you for both personal and mutual growth and development.

I hope this answer has helped.

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To V.C.K.: Here's to your barefootedness. Barbara

If you have a question for Barbara Schiff, an experienced ther, apist and counselor, send them to Street Sense, 36251 Schoolcraft,

# A 'fishy' reason for Tip-Up-Town

Continued from Page 1

and has 72 miles of shoreline. And directly across the street from the Tip-Up-Town headquarters are the Prudenville Trails, offering more than 200 miles of trails.

As far as fishing, Houghton Lake is a favorable spot for pike, walleye, perch and pan fish.

'We have some monster pike out there," said Piche. And as proof, moments after Piche made that statement, Randy Ruggero of Addison Township (north of Rochester) showed up with the eventual fishing contest winner in the northern pike division, a dandy 39-inch, 15 pound, 11 ouncer, which he had just caught with a minnow on a tip-up.

AS WITH most festival-type events, there are often bumps to iron out in the presentation and Tip-Up-Town U.S.A. is no exception. The biggest problem festival organizers face is the ice on Houghton Lake.

The lake is shallow, not more than 25-feet in its deepest hole. Subsequently, the ice freezes solid up to 20-inches thick, making the lake very appealing to people who want to drive their motor vehicles right out to their favorite fishing hole.

The problem occurs when the temperatures fluctuate, ice melts and then refreezes. This action causes pressure under the ice, causing pressure cracks to appear on the surface of the ice. If people stay away from these cracks with their vehicles there usually aren't many problems. But inevitably, each year, someone drives over a crack and quickly receives a free car wash.

This year, among others, a fellow lost a brand new suburban when he parked directly over a pressure

'We have hundreds of cars out there (on the lake) every year," explained Piche. "If people use reasonable caution we usually don't have many problems."

In recent years, Tip-Up-Town U.S.A. has been flooded with snowmobiles and all-terrain-vehicles.

"We're not a snowmobile carni-val," Piche said. "We try to accommodate the snowmobilers, but that's not our No. 1 priority. Our priority is to make this a family event. You don't have to own a snowmobile or want to ice fish to come up here and really have a good time."



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# George just talks about himself

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elped. Barbara The last time Melvin George paid a visit to Detroit, he came to visit his uncle. And his luggage was stolen.

So George has a warning for any-one interested in coming to his com-

edy show.
"I'll be watching what everybody's

But seriously, Melvin George is certainly not your typical funnyman. Leaving his hometown of Boston in 1975 for greener showbiz opportunities in New York, he soon became

a regular at Catch A Rising Star and The Improvisational while earning a degree in theater at State University of New York (SUNY).

director, George was a member of "The Kitchen Table Comedy Team" (with Robert "Hollywood Shuffle" Townsend) for three years. That group made an appearance at Carne-

Applying his skills as an actor and

In 1981, George decided to test the solo waters of stand-up work. A big break came his way — opening three Patti LaBelle shows in front of 8,000 people at King's Dominion amusement park in Virginia.

"The first show was horrendous," George said. "I just couldn't grasp 8,000 people in my head."

GEORGE TURNED it around for the ensuing shows, and eventually landed opening slots for Chaka Khan, Gladys Knight and the Pips, Roberta Flack, The Commodores, The Four Tops and The Temptations.

The style of comedy George embraces is a hybrid of his influences Bill Cosby, Richard Pryor, Dick Gregory, Bob Newhart and George

"I talk about myselfe" he said. "If it happened to me that day, it'll probably be on stage that night. I can't sit down and write jokes. I have to live them."

Another unique aspect to George's humor is his use of body movement to manipulate a punchline or routine.

"I'm 6-feet, 2-inches. It's tough for me to stand still," he said. "So, I sometimes like to explain my jokes with a little physical action."

Beyond the superficial aspect of comedy, however, George seeks something more out of every performance - to truly reach his audi-

"I'd like to believe that the style of humor I do is the kind that makes a difference in people's lives," George said. "I once had a woman come up to me after a show and tell me she had a few weeks left to live. But while watching my show, she felt like she had no problems and could just laugh. I have a desire to share in people's happiness."

WHEN NOT on the comedy circuit, George is a devoted family for myself in 1985, but then my son man, living on Long Island with his wife, 17-year-old daughter and 3year-old son. They are both sources of inspirations and perspiration.

"When I'm on the road, I look forward to coming home. Then when

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Melvin George's style of comedy is a hybrid of his influences — Bill Cosby, Richard Pryor, Dick Gregory, Bob Newhart and George Carlin.

plans and desires were secondary.

"Comedy is just what I've been able to do for a living, and I'm making the most of it. So I want to keep doing it and support my family."

I'm at home, I look forward to leaving," he said. "I had (career) plans but not the kind of notoriety reached George still does wish for fame, by friends like Robert Townsend. was born, and I realized that all my The fame he seeks is of a more para-

"I want everyone to know me and to leave me alone when I walk down the street. I like the attention, but I

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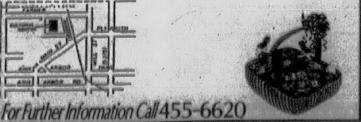
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#### **O CHAPLIN'S EAST**

Klaus Myers will appear Wednesday through Saturday, March 15-18, at Chaplin's East, 34244 Groesbeck, Fraser. Showtimes are 8:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday and 8:30 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday. For information, call 792-

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Mick Louis Lazinek will perform on Tuesday through Saturday, March 14-18, at Chaplin's West, 16890 Telegraph Road, south of Six Mile, Detroit. For information, call 533-8866.

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Snowshoes? Those webbed, wide,

ancient pieces of wood that make

you walk like a duck?
With a reputation like that, it's no wonder that snowshoes have long stayed hidden in the shadows of their glitzier and faster cousins, skis.

But no more. Two trends have merged to bring snowshoes out of the shadows. One is the quest for year-round physical fitness. The sec-ond is a spiffy new 20th century look

to an old technology.

An Upper Michigan snowshoe maker three years ago sold 2,000 pairs of snowshoes. He has since upped sales to 12,000 pairs a year.
"I took a gamble when I bought

this company three years ago," said Bob Hulse, owner of Iverson Snowshoe Co. in Shingleton, the only snowshoe maker in Michigan. "But I thought their popularity would in-

"And we got a big break when we became the distributor for L.L. Bean ny). That accounts for one-half of our sales."

Ten thousand years ago, native Americans strung moose or caribou thongs onto a piece of lightweight wood and took off across the glacial

FOR THE last 200 years, folks living in America's northern regions have used this practically unchanged and very practical piece of equip-ment for a strictly utilitarian reason - to get through the woods when the snow got too deep. Woodsmen, outdoorsmen, trappers

and foresters have long used snowshoes. Even snowmobilers and skiers carry along a pair for emer-

But snowshoes today have captured new fans.

Physical fitness buffs find inex-pensive ways to keep active in the spring, summer and fall. But, for

non-skiers, options dwindle when sidewalks get lcy. Snowshoeing is a good way to keep

physically fit because breaking a trail through snow is exhausting work, especially in light, powdery

snow, where snowshoes sink deeper.

That brings us to the second reason for the new interest in snowshoes modern technology.

With the new, narrower snowshoes, the old duck walk is gone. Today's snowshoes are lighter and shorter than their ancient coun-

THE IVERSON company still sticks to old-fashioned wood frames. But many companies today have switched to maintenance-free, nearly indestructible tube aluminum.

Rawhide bindings and harnesses have given way to synthetic materials such as neoprene or urethane. Unlike rawhide, these bindings don't fuzz up with frequent use.

"Twenty percent of those we sell are rawhide, and that's mostly to traditionalists who hang them over the fireplace," Hulse said. "The big



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Kathy Thomas, an assistant naturalist at Independence Oaks County Park, opted for snowshoes during a recent trek through

switch has been to neoprene."
In the Upper Peninsula, families still buy snowshoes as a practical tool to get through their snowbound

In Lower Michigan, families now buy snowshoes to enjoy winter. Today, the distinctive track of the

webbed snowshoe is a common sight on state forest and recreation lands. Snowshoe wearers have three advantages over skiers.

First, snowshoeing can be quickly mastered. It takes just five minutes to learn the basic technique of walking (keep the tips up and let the tail

And it takes maybe an hour to master the secrets of climbing up short, steep hills (kick tips straight

SECOND, snowshoers have an easier time getting up steep hills than cross country skiers, and they have an easier time getting downhill where there are no ski run-outs.

And third, folks on snowshoes can go where other folks, including skiers, can't go. They walk where the only tracks in the snow are the tracks made by animals. In the silence of winter, they can plough through thickly wooded backcountry, unfazed by fallen logs, heavy underbrush or marshland.

Snowshoeing is not yet as big as skiing or snowmobiling, Hulse ad-Back East and out West, shoesnowing is bigger. In fact, Hulse's biggest market is New Eng-

land, where folks buy his mountain-

Snowshoes are designed for specific uses. Some give good traction in

open areas. Some give backpackers or foresters extra support. Still others are best for long walks through drifted snow.

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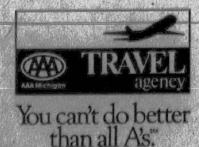
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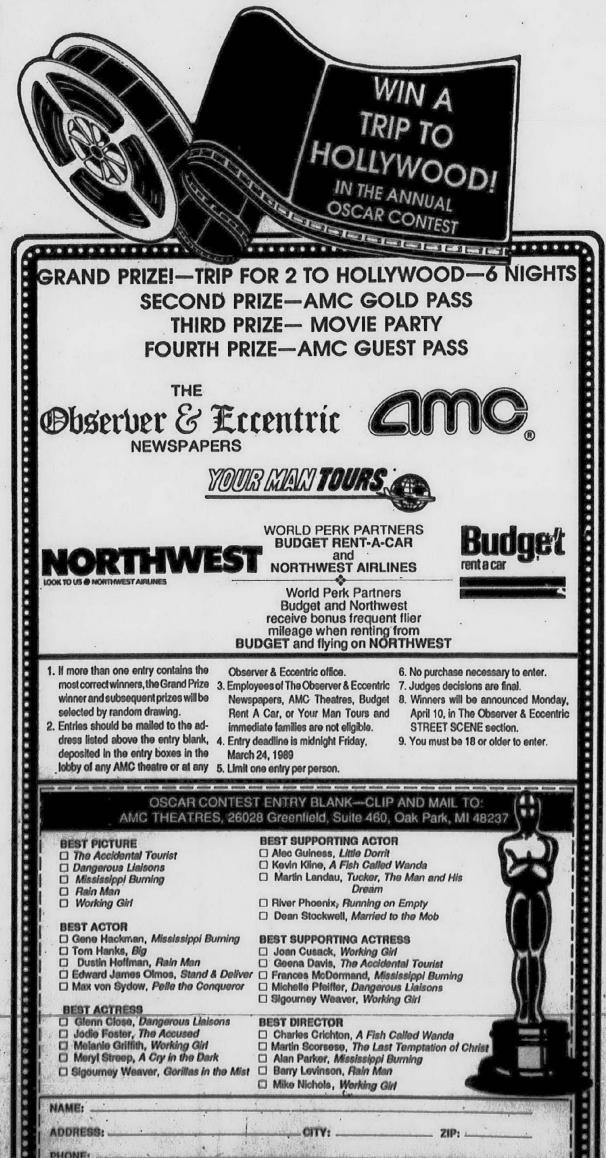
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Meryl Streep won her nomination for her portrayal of Lindy Chamberlain in "A Cry in the Dark."



# The best actress: It may be Glenn, but it'll be close

By Dan Greenberg

Frankly, after perusing the nominations for best actress of 1988, I called the Academy and suggested they drop it this year. For some reason, however, they didn't pay any attention, so we'll have to deal with Melaine Griffith ("Working Girl'), Sigourney Weaver ("Gorillas in the Mist'), Glenn Close ("Dangereous Liai-

son'), Jodie Foster ("The Accused') and Meryl Streep ("A Cry in the Dark'). One of the problems in analyzing these wom-en in those roles is the difficulty of separating performance from character and from the vehicle which reached the screen. In three of the five instance (Close, Foster and Streep), the portrayals were excellent, but the films were unpleasant. Close's and Griffith's movies also received best picture nods.

In all these cases, the actresses ought to be complimented for doing well with unattractive material. Nonetheless, the general flavor of the film reflects poorly on the performers and viewers tend to give more credit to more posi-

That may be why Melanie Griffith was nominated. "Working Girl' wasn't particularly unpleasant, but it wasn't particularly engaging either, just a silly, inconsistent and weakly structured film that panders to feminist aspirtions. There's very little tension or excitement, just a lot of pleasant meandering through the business world's fast lane.

GRIFFITH'S portrayal of a fading secretary with management aspirations is not the high caliber performance associated with an Oscar. Among other things, her diction shifts, not as is to be expected as the character grows and matures, but as the situation fluctuates. Sometimes she's a competent businesswoman who has studied diligently and sometimes she's a flaky secretary from Staten Island. Neither her performance nor the film work very well.

To my mind, the other weak performance that got nominated was Sigorney Weaver who has a fairly rare distinction — she's only the fifth performer to receive two acting nominations in one year — best actress for her role as Dian Fossey in "Gorillas in the Mist' and sup-porting actress as the nasty executive torment-ing poor Melanie Griffith in "Working Girl." In both instances, Weaver's performances

are thin, unpleasant caricatures. In the latter, she projects an unbelievable veneer that is so pretentious even phonies were ringing up their complaints.

Clearly, Weaver's competition for Support-ing Actress, which includes Joan Cusack as Griffith's bizarre, but fast friend in "Working"

Girl," is way ahead on this one. As for Weaver's "Gorilla" performance, that, too, was a caricature of an obssessed woman, who placed "her" gorillas above all else, even survival. But Weaver played it stricty from the Magic Kingdom, so that's two down.

JODI FOSTER'S portrait of "bad" girl abused by men and by the system in "The Accused" is a worthy performance but, again, the general aura of the film with its brutal, and unnecessary, rape scene distanced me from Foster's performance.

Some may argue that such feelings testify to excellent acting, but I stick by the principal that the best roles are the positive although not necessarily heroic ones

Glenn Close's pre-Revolutionary French aristocract whose sexuality is her only weapon in "Dangerous Liaisons" is another case of an unpleasant and generally uncinematic film which detracts from performance. The decadence of the times reflected in the film - it was too talky and generally lacked motion - turned me off early on, so that Close's excellent characterization was wasted on this viewer.

This is Close's fifth nomination in eight films and while she ranks near the top in nominations, she has yet to win an Oscar and that may add a few points to her side. But she is up against one of the top nominess, Meryl Streep, who counts eight nominations for her 15 films. Streep won twice, in 1982 for "Sophie's Choice" and as supporting actress in the 1979 "Kramer

IN "A CRY in the Dark," Meryl Streep plays a mother falsely accused of murdering her child and unjustly, the butt of public hysteria. Despite Streep's excellent work, the role is one of considerable ambivalence. While it probably reflects the way such an accusation would destroy a woman's life — and her reaction probably is reasonable - the film was sufficiently

discordant so that it never is convincing Despite my distasté for "A Cry in the Dark," there's no question in my mind that Meryl Streeps performance was the best of the five. Nonetheless, the reasoning goes, she's won

some, this one wasn't that great and so it's time for Glenn Close to be a bride instead of a bridesmaid. She's my pick, not for best actress, but to win the Oscar in that category.

# Who's going to name that moose?

# Odds and ends from the 'Upper'

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This column should be headlined "Name that moose, and other interesting bits of miscellany," but who has that much room for a headline?

According to the Upper Peninsula Travel and Recreation Association, known in the UP as UPTRA: Smokey the Bear had a name, Woodsy Owl had a name, even Paul Bunyan's ox, Babe, had a name. But what about Michigan's moose? Mooses? Moose.

These moose are not native American citizens, they are naturalized immigrants, 60 of them having been transported here from Ontario in 1985 and 1986.

Our long-legged friends needed some way to keep warm during those long Michigan winters in the Upper Peninsula, so you won't be surprised to hear that the herd has

grown to 120! UPTRA is so fond of them that they have decided to adopt them all, and make the moose the token mascot of the Yuu Pee.

Now, if you would like to name the moose, you can write your creative selection on a three-by-five card and send it (one entry per card, please) to: Name the Moose Contest, UP-TRA, Box 400, Iron Mountain, Mich.

Your deadline is Aug. 15, 1989. If you win, you receive a four-day tour of the UP with guest appearances on WLUC-TV in Marquette, a top-to-bottom tour of the Mackinac Bridge, a trip into moose country with a Department of Natural Resources biol-

ogist and "other surprises."

If you don't win (or even if you do) you will get a mailbox full of literature about the UP.

WHO SAYS that columnists are

suckers for dumb publicity stunts? Not me. While we are on the subject of the UP, however, lets talk about what else is going on up there.

There is a Spring Carnival March 16-19 at Marquette Mountain, which has just been sold to Peter O'Dovero of Marquette. A Spring Funfest at Pine Mountain, in Iron Mountain, March 18-19 and 25-26. An Ice Show in Marquette April 1-2. A Picnic in the Snow in Manden April 9. North American Short-Track Speed Skat-ing in Marquette March 25-26.

What else is going on in Michigan as we head into spring? You are not the only one with a primordial urge to come out of the winter cold into the warmth of spring. The fish have the same urge, and Michigan has 146 varieties, from minnows to lake

sturgeon.
The smelt-dipping season began south of M-72 (a line from Harris-

ville to Empire) on March 1, and north of M-72 on April 1; the season closes May 31.

Smelt fishing may be less about catching fish than it is about the bonding between fisherfolk, who love to wade into icy waters at dawn, net wiggly masses of fish and pass them" out to their friends at home.

Dipping with hand nets is allowed on the Great Lakes and their con-necting waters and within one-half mile of the mouth of any Great Lakes tribuutary. It applies to sucker, carp, bowfin and gar as well as to

THERE IS a Sport and RV Show at Grand Center in Grand Rapids March 16-19. St. Patrick's Day Parades all over the place, including March 17 in Manistee and March 19 in Bay City.



Spring is just around the corner, and fishing enthusiasts are getting their nets ready for the annual smelt run.

You can take your children to Jackson for maple tree tapping and sheep shearing at the Ella Sharp Museum March 19, or to Kalamazoo for sheep shearing at the Kalamazoo Nature Center March 26.
You can tell people are really get-ting desperate for spring.

If you want to do something about the tourist scene, sign up for the sixth annual Governor's Conference on Tourism April 9-11 at Grand Traverse Resort Village. The theme this year is "Service to Match the Scenery." The guest speaker is J.W. Marriott Jr., president and board chairman of the Marriott Corpora-

tion. Call (517) 373-0670.

Or, you could start warming up for Michigan Week, May 19-27.

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OK, OK, so you don't care what they call the moose, you don't want to go to the UP, and you don't care about tourism. Or Susan McCord's Quilts at Greenfield Village, either.

So why don't you contact the Department of Natural Resources, Park Division, at Box 30028, Lansing 48909 and reserve a park cabin, a tent or a "tipi" in one of Michigan's state parks? If I count correctly, there are 665 parks.

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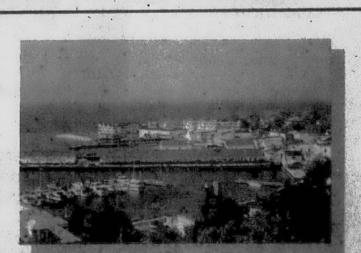
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# organizing Dorothy Lehmkuhl

#### **Best foot forward**

Q. My closet is overflowing because I have so many pairs of shoes. What's the best way to store them?

A. There is no one best storage solution because individuals' needs vary. The best approach is have your closet professionally redesigned with specially built show storage. That can be costly, however, and is not a top privity expenditure for everyone.

Next best, haunt catalogs, housewares departments or conversion stores like Clutter Control of Farmington Hills for the myriad of organizers now available: Men's shoes can sit on extra open shelving on existing shelves or on racks attached to walls. Transparent shoe drawers stack for women's shoes. Bags with horizontal pigeon holes velcro to the rod. Vinyl bags with pockets hang on the backs of closet doors or from rod hangers. Inexpensive cardboard dividers holding nine pairs sit on existing shelves. Metal holders hang from closet doors or sit on the floor.

A rule of thumb is to keep shoes off the closet floor, partly because they are an invitation to end up in a pile. Also if the floor is not clear for easy cleaning, dust can collect there and fly up onto-your clothes.

Some people prefer to retain shoes in their original boxes. Even if they are labeled on the outside, this works poorly because box sizes rarely match and getting shoes in and out is difficult. There is a solution however

To retain original shoe boxes, tear out one end of the box, and tear back the sides — but not the top — of one end of the lid. (The resulting lid "flap" retains box stability and helps deflect dust.) Then tape the lid to the box and stack them as usual. These utilize space well, keep your shoes relatively dust free and yet they can be seen, removed and replaced easily. While imperfect, this idea is very popular in my space utilization seminars.

If you still have too many pairs to fit in your closet, remove out-of-season shoes to a remote storage area. Refine further by keeping only your most frequently worn shoes in your closet and others in another bedroom, for instance. Or divide shoes by type, moving glittery party shoes to a remote spot, keeping flat casual shoes in one closet area and heels in another. Finally, if you are really desperate, ask yourself if shoes worn only once a year or so are worth harboring at all?



condo queries Robert M. Melsner

Q: I read your column and hope that you can give me some advice. My current situation is that I am feeling frustrated paying out all of this money for rent with no tax relief. I am a first-time buyer and I am wondering if you can recommend any books or do you have any suggestions to make the process easier concerning condominums. I am also concerned about the geographic location in choosing the right area. Thanks very much for your help.

A: There is not yet a book to my knowledge which definitively helps condominium purchasers in regard to what it is like to live in a condominium but one is in the works and we will keep you advised as soon as it is printed. Suffice it to say that there are classes that are offered in real estate and condominium operation. Check with Wayne State University at 577-4665 for more information.

As to finding the geographical location and the price range in which you are interested, get a good broker who has had a lot of experience with condominiums to help you. Once you have found a prospective condominium, get an attorney who can check on the condominium association and/or the condominium developer and sit down with you and explain all of the details incident to the purchase of a condominium and its legal ramifications.

Q: Our management company says it has a lawyer on staff who can provide our association with legal advice. The company has also strongly recommended an attorney who it works with, although, I have heard the attorney has done legal work for one of the principals of the management company. One of the members of the board is an attorney who thinks this is not a good practice. What are your thoughts?

A: If, in fact, the management company is "pushing" an attorney, be sure to determine whether that attorney has any financial or legal interest in the management company. Find out if the attorney has performed any legal services for the management company, either in the past or at present. You should be looking for independent counsel who is strictly accountable to the association and no one else. You have a potential conflict of interest situation on the part of the attorney it, in fact he is serving two masters. You may also wish to question the propriety of the management company when such conduct is contemplated.

# Elegant homes are returning

AP — A decade ago, just as the energy crisis influenced Americans to buy smaller, more efficient cars, it also had an impact on the housing market, causing developers to construct smaller, more efficient homes.

But today we are seeing a demand for larger, more spacious houses with greater elegance and a more creative use of space with sophisticated heating and ventilation systems.

Developers have just begun to see the impact of this trend in the demands of purchasers.

Many house buyers, for example, want larger bedrooms that serve as secondary living areas. And the postwar trend to reduce the height of ceilings has been reversed. Homeowners appreciate a minimum of 9-foot ceilings. They often soar to 20 feet, with dramatic window treatments.

Many homeowners will actually incorporate a mini living room into their bedroom, where one member of the family can read quietly and

retire from the rest of the house. Comfortable lounge chairs, side tables and small couches give bedrooms a new dimension. Some people eyen opt to have fireplaces as the focus of these bedroom and living areas.

TO COMPLEMENT THESE spacious rooms, home buyers frequently look for large, adjacent bathrooms, often subdivided into two areas so that more than one person can use the room at the same time.

In the large bathrooms, homeowners may also build whirlpool baths with separate showers and steam showers (an enclosed shower linked to a steam generator). This provides an almost self-sufficient mini health spa right in a bathroom.

Previously, bathrooms were small with minimal and restrictive light. Bathrooms are now being built with larger windows and skylights to provide a greater feeling of openness and light. In the same vein, enclosed sundecks are being built outside of the master bedrooms. These extended porches show even greater popu-

larity in the sun belt for obvious elimatological reasons.

For the health conscious, homes will include small separate bay areas for exercise equipment and space for calisthenics and stretching.

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In homes at one development at Port Liberte, Jersey City, N.J., this bay area is located in the master bedroom, near the shower, so that it can be used conveniently at any time. Port Liberte has a cross section of homes ranging from \$150,000 condominiums to \$900,000 family townhouses, built along a 2 1½-mile network of man-made canals.

WALK-IN CLOSETS these days generally feature shelves designed for shoes and several hanging racks for sport coats and slacks and a variety of drawers. The closet becomes well organized, transformed into a storage and dressing area, and very much more, with a section that

includes, large mirrors for dressing.

Whatever market developers are dealing with, there appears to be an increasing expectation of luxury.

Areas for entertaining play an important role. Foyers — large, formal areas — are separated from the living room and dining room, decorated with tile and marble. This is a place to greet guests that reflects the overall theme of a home.

Kitchens are taking on a new flavor — very European in style and design. Appliances and cabinet work are getting sleeker and cleaner, with much more sophistication in the way they operate

The typical American buyer will take to this with enthusiasm. Smooth closed range tops, built-in refrigerators, built-in microwaves, separate double ovens and a garbage disposal and compactor will be incorporated into more and more modern kitch-

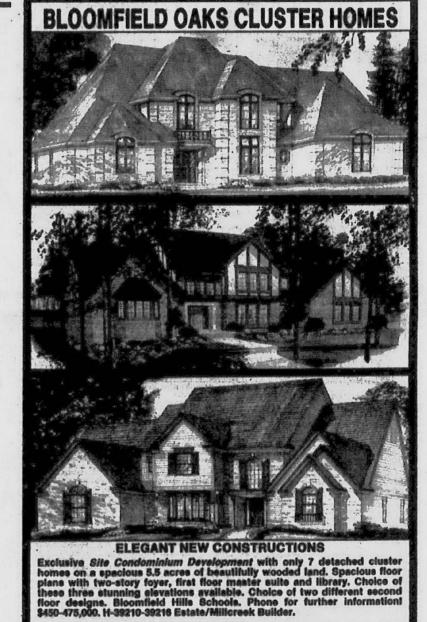
A wider range of counter materials will also be used, including natural and synthetic stones, as well as tile and stainless steel. They are durable and easy to live with, and new in appearance. Kitchens will become an area where style is as important as design.

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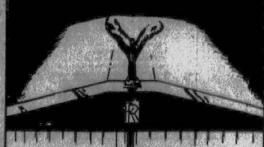
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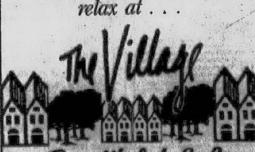
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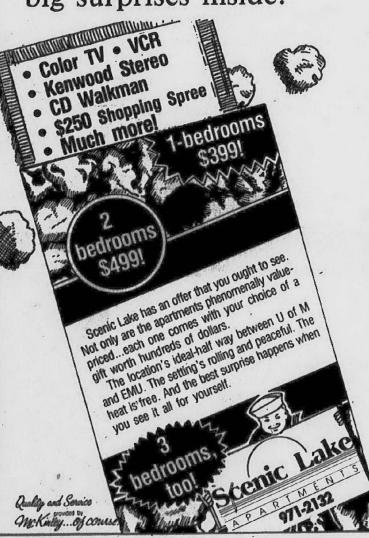
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