





# Canton neighborhoods want to join P-C schools

By Darrell Clem  
Staff writer

Two Canton Township neighborhoods trying to secede from the Wayne Westland school district are pushing to overturn a decision by the county school board to reject the plan.

Parents appealed the county's earlier ruling to the state Board of Education, which has appointed a hearing officer to listen to testimony and issue a recommendation.

The hearings began last month and will continue on Dec. 10. It remains unknown when hearing officer Robert Taylor will issue his recommendation.

Wayne Westland school officials oppose the secession attempt, saying the district would lose \$700,000 annually in state aid if students in Canton's Greenbrook and River Park subdivisions are transferred to Plymouth-Canton schools.

Canton parents want their children to attend classes in the community where they live. The subdivisions in the far west end of the Wayne Westland district are bordered on three sides by the Plymouth-Canton district.

Essentially we're an island separated from the Westland community, parent Victor McGuire said.

PARENTS SAID they shop in Can-

ton and depend on the township's police, fire and library services. Many of their children's closest friends attend Plymouth-Canton schools, they said.

Being part of the Wayne Westland district "really kind of alienates our kids," McGuire said.

Currently about 150 students from the Canton subdivisions attend Wayne Westland schools. That number is growing, however, as the area south of Palmer Road, between Sheldon and Canton Center, continues to grow.

Armed with petitions, the parents earlier this year asked the Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency's board to make their

neighborhoods part of the Plymouth-Canton schools. But the county board blocked the attempt after Wayne Westland officials raised concerns about state aid being slashed.

It would have an impact on every student in our district, Deputy Superintendent Thomas Svitkovich said last week. "I think we're looking at the benefits for everyone. We're trying to maintain a quality educational program for all of our kids."

Although Plymouth-Canton officials have remained neutral on the secession attempt, they have said their schools are strapped for space because of an influx of residents in recent years.

In September, however, Plymouth-

Canton voters approved a \$59.7 million bond issue that includes money for two new elementary and several classroom additions to existing schools.

"IT WOULD seem logical to us that with the new schools being built the (Plymouth-Canton) district would be able to accommodate us," McGuire said.

Perhaps, but plans for the new schools were based on enrollment projections within existing district boundaries, said district spokesman Richard Egli. Moreover, the elementaries won't open until the 1993-94 school year.

As the secession controversy con-

tinues, Egli said, "Our position is still one of neutrality."

Canton parents have wanted to pull out of the Wayne Westland district for years, McGuire said, and the movement has gained steam amid the district's turmoil. A school tax increase won voter approval in June after three failed attempts divided the community. And some board members have battled the district's administration, resulting in Superintendent Dennis O'Neill's plans to retire under pressure on Aug. 31.

Canton parents have denied accusations from Wayne Westland officials that the secession attempt stems from concerns about higher taxes.

# Commission picks Jones as mayor

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Jones said the new commission will have to "go over our city's expenses with a fine tooth comb. We have to change."

The commission, he added, can hopefully alleviate the distrust people have for politicians "by dialogue

between citizens and commissioners."

He also urged attention to maintain a healthy downtown without hurting residential areas, adding, "I strongly urge each and every one of us to put words behind us and go forward as a team."

The ceremonies opened with the

outgoing commission, including former mayors Jack Kenyon and Mary Childs, and former commissioner Louise, accepting honors.

Before leaving the rostrum, Kenyon urged new commissioners "to be aware of the widespread public mistrust of government," and to counter this with "intellectual honest-

ty and impeccable integrity."

City commissioners are not city managers," Childs added. "We have a good person here, Steve Walters, who is very knowledgeable, so let him manage."

The commission next meets at 7 p.m. Monday at city hall.



District Judge John MacDonald swears in newly elected commission members. They are from left to right: Bill McAninch, Robert Jones, Douglas Miller and Dennis Shrewsbury.



Mary Childs, a longtime city commission member and former mayor, is congratulated by Ernie Archer of Plymouth. Childs went off the commission on Monday.

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And on Monday they turned out in Plymouth's Kellogg Park to honor their fallen brothers.

Taps was played, there was a rifle salute and wreath laying at the monuments for World War I, World War II, Korea and Vietnam.

It was a time to remember.



Photos by BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

George Neuman and Marcella Mille of American Legion Post 391 lay a wreath on the World War I and II monument while Alice Fischer and Al Stanwood of VFW Post 6695 watch.



John Pappas, a Vietnam veteran, and daughter, Tammara, pause to look at the monument.



Members of the Mayflower Lt. Gamble VFW Post color guard unit stand at attention.

## Math, science teachers attend local conference

More than 2,400 mathematics and science teachers from the Detroit area, Lansing and Kalamazoo convened at the Plymouth Centennial Educational Park Saturday for the 49th annual Mathematics and Science Fall Conference.

Nearly 200 information sessions and workshops took place, and more than 80 exhibitors displayed at an expo "everything a math or science teacher would ever like to see," said Barbara Church, Plymouth-Canton curriculum coordinator for mathematics and science.

"It was a wonderful success. People were delighted with our site, and we'll probably host it again next year."

Sponsored by the Detroit Area Council of Teachers of Mathematics and the Metropolitan Detroit Science Teachers Association, the conference had been held at Troy Athens High School but outgrew that facility.

"THEY DID a big search throughout southeastern Michigan for a site, and we turned out to be the only school complex that can handle that many people," said Church.

Feedback from teachers was excellent, Church said. "Teachers had an opportunity to attend at least five different workshops, where they received hands-on ideas for teaching

science and math. In addition to that, 1,000 people heard Neal Shine of the Detroit Free Press speak on reflections on education," said Church, the event's site coordinator.

Shine spoke to a standing-room-only crowd, impressing upon teachers that they do God's work.

He said teachers' jobs are made all the tougher and more important because so many of today's students are doomed to short-sell themselves, unaware of the career opportunities open to them and the role education will play in their futures. He said it's up to all of us to take a personal interest in young people if we are to succeed as a nation.

### crime watch

A Plymouth Township man reported \$100 in damage to the rear cap of his 1991 Ford Ranger after he discovered Friday that a vandal had spray painted it green.

The man said that after parking the truck in his driveway at 9 p.m.

on Woodleigh Way near Canton Center, he returned at 11:30 to discover the vandalism. The case was closed for lack of suspects.

**PUMPING LEATHER** A wallet and cash worth \$76 were reported stolen from a locker Sunday at Vic

Tanny's on Ann Arbor Road.

A Belleville man, 40, told Plymouth Township police he left the black tri-fold wallet in his locker at 3 p.m., only to find it gone at 3:51 p.m. The case was closed for lack of suspects.

## Hunters get their deer

**W**e at the Plymouth Observer have revived an old northern Michigan tradition, the community buck pole.

In northern towns, hunters annually bring their buck or doe to town to hang them on the pole for all to see.

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**Lee Weatherford**, 40, of Plymouth killed a four-point buck in Isabella County in late October.

**Bill Friedrich**, 37, of Canton killed

a doe on Oct. 5 in Presque Isle County.

**Jim Dingeldey**, 27, of Canton killed a five-point buck on Oct. 5 in Crawford County.

**Ken Truesdell**, 22, of Westland killed a five-point buck on Oct. 20 in Crawford County.

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"Yes."  
— Craig Shrewsbury  
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"Yes I would. I think this is a national problem."  
— Jean Morrow  
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"I believe so — I'm a health care provider."  
— Jeanine Lowe  
Plymouth



"Yes I would."  
— Ernie Archer  
Plymouth



"I suppose if there was a clear cut agenda that was supported by medical professionals."  
— Mark Oppat  
Plymouth

# MSU trustee fans the flames of Spartan spirit

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calls for 75 interviews to be done to gather a cross-section of opinion on the issue. Based on the interviews, the provost will make a recommendation to the president, who may or may not accept the recommendation. The recommendation then will go to the board of trustees, which also has veto power.

**IN SHINGLETON'S OPINION,** Perles shouldn't hold both jobs. "The two jobs should be separated. You have to have a check and balance," he said. "If the football coach does his job, he has his work cut out for him."  
Asked whether the jobs eventually will be separated, he said, "Yes.

That's my personal view, not the board's."

Shingleton estimated that 75 to 85 percent of voters go to the polls knowing little or nothing about university trustee candidates, yet trustees "are dealing with the minds of the youth of America. I don't know of anything more important than that in this country," said Shingleton, a 1948 MSU grad who competed in the U.S. Open Masters Tennis Championships in 1973-74.

"If that isn't enough, we are spending at MSU alone \$420 million of your money every year. Our total operating budget is \$770 million. It's encouraging to note to know that our

bank deposits are protected by a federal agency that's \$1.6 trillion in debt," he deadpanned.

Shingleton — who with the late MSU president John Hannah raised \$9 million in six months for construction of the Wharton Center for the Performing Arts — said trustees' duties are many. They include clarifying the mission and needs of the university and its students, appointing and assessing the performance of the president, developing a long-range plan for the school, approving the educational program, serving as the "court of last appeal," preserving the institution's integrity and autonomy, and ensuring that there are adequate financial re-

sources and that they are properly handled.

"It's a tremendous responsibility, because there is tremendous pressure from legislators, politicians, booster clubs, academic personalities, you name it. Business, industry and government all have things they want done by the university, and it's very easy to get off on a tangent and lose sight of what the mission of the university is," said Shingleton.

"I hope more people recognize it's very easy to criticize education. That happens a lot. It happened to me a lot before I got on the board. But the acid test if you want to criticize education is to do something about it. I think sponsoring programs such as this is a big step. Par-

ticipating on school boards is very important. Getting active is essential to the success of education."

**TOUGH PROBLEMS** confront universities today, he added. "There is tremendous financial stress. Costs are going up much higher than state support. Quite honestly, we're in a bind in terms of our infrastructure.

"We have a very critical problem with drugs and alcohol, especially with alcohol. I think we have an erosion of values. Sexual values have changed, and I'm not sure for the better. Cheating seems to be a problem, and crime is up." Many stores won't even take checks from students because so many of them

bounce, he said. Improvements in athletic programs are needed — many of which are addressed by the recently-completed report by Knight Foundation, an intercollegiate athletics commission co-chaired by Notre Dame president emeritus Theodore Hesburgh.

Shingleton said MSU will attempt to reach more segments of society by expanding its research and outreach programs.

"We want to expand our services to traditionally neglected urban areas (including Detroit) so that we make use of all areas of the university," he said. "It's going to take a lot of doing to pull it off."

## Vet sends his thanks

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Benning, who served two duties in the 101st Airborne Division in Vietnam, said he believes every young person should serve in the military even if it's just to learn how to be disciplined and how to take orders.  
"With strong morals and if you stay away from drugs you have nothing to worry about (in war zones)," Benning said. "People don't realize how many people got killed in Viet Nam when they were on drugs."  
His mother, Sarah Benning, said she doesn't dwell on worrying about Bowe, because, "He's in the hands of God. I'm here in the U.S. and there's nothing I can do, but pray for him. He has control over whether he follows directions."

HIS PARENTS stressed that

strict discipline was important in raising all eight of their children.

"I teach my children how to be assets in life," Sarah F. Benning said. "If we choose to grow rose seeds out there and not do anything with it, it will come out dandelions."

Meanwhile, Bowe said he wanted to tell everyone back home that he's doing fine.

"To me it's like an adventure," he said adding that the culture and customs in the Persian Gulf are totally different from the U.S.

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"When I got here it was scary, but the people here are getting to be like a family,

"I'm not ready to come home," Bowe said. "I'm having too much fun."



While Sarah F. Benning holds a picture of her son, Kevin F. Bowe, his best friend, Jennifer Gray, holds an essay he wrote home. His stepfather, Willie Benning, looks on.

SHERRIE BUZBY/staff photographer

## Woman assaulted in Meijer car lot

A 29-year-old Canton woman was hit over the head with her own purse by two unidentified men who robbed her in the Meijer parking lot about 3:26 a.m. Saturday.

The men, described as being in their early 20s, approached her as she was loading groceries in her car. One man grabbed her purse. When she tried to retrieve it he struck her

in the back of the head with his fist.

He yelled at her, but she either didn't hear what he said, or couldn't remember when she told police what happened.

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## Dems hold off on endorsements

By Wayne Peal  
staff writer

Barb Johnson didn't know which Democratic presidential contender to support.

Then, former California Gov. Jerry Brown stayed at her Livonia home.

"If I wasn't a Brown supporter before, I am now," said Johnson, a longtime party activist.

That's what this week's Michigan visit by the six declared party hopefuls was all about. They came, they saw, and they tried to convince voters why they should be the man into replace George Bush.

Brown's visit to Johnson's house was prompted by his low budget, longshot campaign.

"HE'S NOT accepting any PAC money and an old, dear friend of mine who's working on his campaign asked if I could put him up," Johnson said.

Other candidates, including Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton, Iowa Sen. Tom Harkin, Nebraska Sen. Bob Kerrey, former Massachusetts Sen. Paul Tsongas and Virginia Gov. Douglas Wilder, joined Brown at the AFL-CIO convention in Detroit.

But from grassroots workers like Johnson, to party heavyweights, local Democrats were keeping their minds — and options — open.

Perhaps they're waiting for the AFL-CIO to issue its own endorsement. Perhaps they're waiting for a more glamorous candidate to enter the field. Or perhaps they're being more cautious after backing a losing candidate last time.

Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara is among those who haven't decided on a candidate.

"HE HASN'T issued an endorsement yet, but I expect he will," press secretary Irma Clark said. "He's not one to sit on the fence."

McNamara was in Amsterdam

early this week discussing airport issues, Clark said. He was expected back in the country to host a Tuesday evening reception in Clinton's honor.

The reception wasn't necessarily an endorsement.

"We previously held a reception for Tom Harkin," Clark said. "Mr. McNamara wants the voters of Wayne County to meet the candidates."

Four years ago, McNamara and most other suburban party leaders came out early for Missouri Rep. Richard Gephardt. But Gephardt's anti-import message found much more favor with party leaders than voters in party caucuses.

Gephardt's loss in Michigan caucuses, despite his impressive support, spelled the end of his candidacy.

U.S. Rep. William Ford, D-Taylor, who also supported Gephardt, is apparently also still mulling his choices.

IN AN interview last month, Ford said he hadn't decided on a candidate but was taking a long look at both Harkin and Clinton.

"He still thinks they're the most known qualities," Ford spokesman Mike Russell said.

Ford is less wild about Wilder, however, calling the Virginia governor an inflexible negotiator.

If nominated, Wilder would be the first black to head a major party ticket; however, his budget-cutting record as governor is considered a liability by party liberals. Like



JIM JAGDFELD/staff photographer

T.C. Roekle of Rochester Hills, left, makes a point with former California Gov. Jerry Brown and host Barb Johnson of Livonia. Brown, who

has shunned PAC money, stayed with Johnson's family Monday night, before attending this week's AFL-CIO convention in Detroit.

Brown, he is considered a longshot Ford, who represents southern Livonia, Westland and Garden City, also mentioned one Democrat who wasn't in Detroit: Mario Cuomo.

Wayne County Sheriff Robert Ficcano said Cuomo headed his list, though he, too, hasn't made an endorsement.

"I think he has the most experience," Ficcano said. "But of those I've seen, I think Harkin is the most direct."

FORD'S CLOSE friend and ally U.S. Rep. John Dingell, D-Trenton, also hadn't decided on a candidate, according to a spokeswoman at Dingell's office in Dearborn. Like McNamara and Ford, Dingell backed Gephardt last time around and was seen in some quarters as the driving force behind area support for Gephardt.

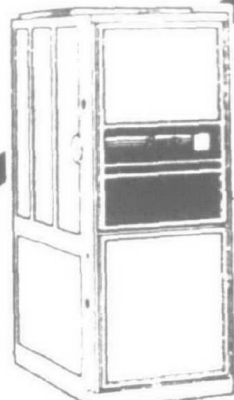
Rep. Sander Levin, D-Southfield, who campaigned with Gephardt in Iowa in January 1988 also hadn't

made up his mind with two months to go before next year's campaign season begins.

"As far as I know he hasn't endorsed anyone," Levin spokeswoman Diane Reis said.

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**Editor's note:** The calendar is prepared one week in advance and will include events running through the next seven days. To include your event in the calendar, information must be typewritten on standard-size paper. For information, call Nancy Pennington, 459-2700.

## THURSDAY

**AEROBICS:** Exercise classes are offered on various days at First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth. Special music and a Dec. 21 raffle are included. Childcare offered. 459-9485.

**SENIOR'S CHRISTMAS:** Canton Township Parks & Recreation Services and Fellow Creek Golf Course are sponsoring a Christmas party for Canton seniors, 12-4 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 4, at Fellow Creek Clubhouse, 2936 Lotz Road. For ticket information call 397-5444.

**ADULT RECOVERY:** Chemical Dependency Outpatient Program will provide therapy for adults on Tuesdays and Thursdays at Straight Inc., 42320 Ann Arbor Road, in Plymouth, 453-2610.

**SELF HELP:** Families Anonymous meets 8 p.m. Thursdays, St. John Neumann Church, 44800 Warren Road, Canton, 453-2811.

**POWER PARENTING:** Power

parenting conference, sponsored by West Plymouth Community Church, will be 7-9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 15, and 10 a.m. to noon and 1-3 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, at Holiday Inn Livonia West, 17123 Laurel Park Drive, North in Livonia. For information and registration, call 455-8200.

**CHILDRENS PARTY:** Canton Parks and Recreation Services is now taking reservations for Canton children ages 3-12 to attend a Thanksgiving party and magic show to be Saturday, Nov. 23, at Canton Recreation Center. Call 397-5110 for party reservations.

**CHRISTMAS CONCERT:** Tickets are now available for the Plymouth Community Chorus Christmas concert titled "Christmas Treasures" to be at 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 6, and Saturday, Dec. 7, and 4 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 8, at Plymouth Salem High School on Joy Road in Plymouth. Tickets are available at Sideways in Plymouth, The Giftfiddler in Northville, or by calling 455-4080.

## MONDAY

**TOUGH LOVE:** Parent support group meets at 7 p.m. Mondays, Faith Community Church, 46001 Warren Road, Canton, 981-5987.

**KARATE:** Classes meet 7:30 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays. Call Canton Parks and Recreation at 397-5110.

## TUESDAY

**HOSPICE VOLUNTEERS:** Training for direct care volunteers for the terminally ill continues 2-5 p.m. on Tuesdays through Dec. 3. Call Maureen at (313) 677-0614.

**CANCER SUPPORT:** Support group for cancer patients and family members continues 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays through Dec. 10 at Radix Center, 42199 Ann Arbor Road, in Plymouth. To register, call Joyce at 478-0212.

**GRIEF RECOVERY:** Classes will meet 7-8:30 p.m. on five consecutive Tuesdays, beginning Nov. 19 in Fellowship Hall at Metropolitan Seventh-day Adventist Church, 15585 Haggerty Road, in Plymouth. To register call 1-800-873-0398.

**SWEET ADELINES:** Women who enjoy singing four-part harmony, barbershop style, are welcome to join the Spirit of Detroit Sweet Adelines International Tuesday evenings. For information, call 534-4468 or 861-0417.

**MEETING:** The Toastmasters Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Denny's Restaurant, 39550 E. Ann Arbor Road, in Plymouth, 451-1241 or 455-1910.

## WEDNESDAY

**VENTURE SERIES:** Doctor Mar-

vin Eisenberg will present the last lecture in a three-part series, "The Art of Fresco Painting in Italy," for Venture on Nov. 20. The series will be at St. John's Episcopal Church on Sheldon Road in Plymouth with coffee at 10:15 a.m. and lecture at 10:30 a.m. The cost for each lecture is \$10. Call Nancy Cooper at 455-0782 or Nancy Sharp at 459-1875.

**CANCER SUPPORT:** Support group for cancer patients only continues to meet through Dec. 11 on Wednesdays, 1:30-3:30 p.m. at The Radix Center, 42199 Ann Arbor Road, in Plymouth. To register call Joyce at 478-0212.

**BREATHERS CLUB:** All area adults concerned with respiratory illness will learn simple breathing techniques and exercises to open airways and make breathing easier. Group meets at 1:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of every month at various locations. Group will meet Nov. 13 at McAuley Health Center, 990 W. Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth. Call 572-5367 for details.

**ALZHEIMER'S GROUP:** A support group for family and friends of those persons afflicted with this disease or a related disorder meets the first Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. at Leisure Village, 31720 Van Born Road in Wayne, (313) 326-8030.

## Senior citizens

**HEALTH CARE:** Speakers on

long-term health care and Medicare are available. Call Patty Jamison at 455-0510.

**SENIOR CLASSES:** The Canton Recreation Center offers painting, ceramics and woodcarving, crafts, genealogy and machine quilting classes. 397-5446.

**HOSPICE SPEAKERS:** Hospice Services of Western Wayne County has volunteers available to speak to church groups and civic organizations. 522-4244.

**TRIPS:** For senior citizen or adult trip information, call Plymouth Parks and Recreation, 455-0620, or Canton Township Parks and Recreation, 397-5444.

## Help

**READING ASSISTANCE:** Free tutoring and confidential skills assessment is available for adults who wish to improve their reading. Call Community Literacy Council, 451-6555.

**RESUME WRITING:** Growth Works, in Plymouth, will write resumes and cover letters for job seekers. Call 455-4093.

**VOLUNTEERS:** Needed to package or deliver meals to homebound seniors living in the Plymouth/Canton community. Individuals who are willing to give one hour or more per day - one or more days per week - may call 453-2525, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Volunteers are reimbursed 21 cents per mile for meal delivery.

**INTERPRETERS:** Volunteers who are fluent in a foreign language are needed to assist in interpreting for ill, disabled or elderly people. Call Helen or Colleen at 981-8820.

**EMPLOYMENT REFERRALS:** Growth Works, in Plymouth, will connect job seekers and employers looking for help. Call 455-4093.

**SPEAKERS AVAILABLE:** Speakers who are available to any group interested in learning about home care as an alternative to nursing homes or hospitals. For more information, call the community relations director at 981-8820.

**SMOKE DETECTORS:** Free detectors, with installation, are offered from Colonial Kiwanis of Plymouth. Call Plymouth Fire Department Chief Al Matthews, 453-1234, or Plymouth Township Fire Department Chief Larry Groth, 453-3840.

## obituaries

### DOROTHY R. BASSETT

Services for Dorothy R. Bassett, 73, of Plymouth were Monday, Nov. 11, at Schrader Funeral Home. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery in Plymouth.

Mrs. Bassett was born Jan. 18, 1918 in Livonia. She died Thursday, Nov. 7, in Tawas City, Mich. She was a life-long resident of Plymouth and was a homemaker and member of the Plymouth Elks B.P.O.E. No. 1780 "Vivians."

Mrs. Bassett is survived by her husband, Warren P. Bassett of Plym-

outh; three daughters, Marlene Gyetvay of Brooklyn, Mich., Susan Roberts of Farmington Hills and Michelle Davis of Plymouth; six grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and three sisters.

The Rev. John N. Grenfell Jr. officiated the service. Memorial contributions may be given to First United Methodist Church.

**ELIZABETH A. SYMINGTON** Services for Elizabeth A. Symington, 75, of Plymouth Township were Monday, Nov. 11, at Schrader Funeral Home.

Mrs. Symington was born Sept. 30,

1916, in Coshocton, Ohio. She died Thursday, Nov. 7, in Plymouth Township. She came to the Plymouth community in 1975 from Detroit. She was the former president and trustee of the King's Daughters and Sons.

Mrs. Symington is survived by her husband, Robert W. Symington of

Plymouth Township; two daughters, Gloria Cameron of California and Cynthia Chambers of West Bloomfield; one son, Stephen Brandt of California; 11 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The Rev. Raymond B. Knudsen II officiated the service.

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# Duggan pitches tax package

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

Wayne County officials seeking state taxing authority for Tiger Stadium bonds will have to do some missionary work next door.

"I have a problem with their taxing non-residents," said Rep. Gordon Sparks, R-Troy, who voted against a bill enabling Wayne to raise \$14-17 million a year.

"My guess is that well over half the people (who will pay the taxes) are from outside (Wayne County). It's a joke — a ruse — to ask the people of Wayne County to vote to tax somebody else," Sparks said.

Sparks cast the lone nay vote in a House Appropriations subcommittee Tuesday as it advanced, 5-1, a bill authorizing Wayne County commissioners to put a three-tax package on the spring ballot. But he may have spoken for counties bordering Wayne whose residents will pay the taxes.

"This is on a fast track, and I resent it," said Sparks, adding he preferred a broader tax than Wayne County was asking.

WAYNE IS seeking state authorization to ask voter approval of a 1 percent tax on restaurant and bar food and beverages, 2 percent on motor vehicle rentals and 1 percent on hotels and motels.

If approved, the taxes would be levied countywide, collected by the state and turned over to the county. The revenue would finance a bond issue of \$140 million over 25 to 30 years, said deputy county executive Michael Duggan.

Jay Rising, an attorney for the firm of Miller Canfield, the county's bond counsel, said the exise taxes

would "sunset" after the bonds are paid off.

The bond issue would pay for the "shell stadium," Rising said. If the Tigers install luxury "sky boxes," those revenues would pay for their construction costs.

Duggan spent three warm hours fending off objections and answering questions, emphasizing a new stadium's role in revitalizing downtown Detroit.

"We did some polling and found a 75 percent negative reaction to Tom Monaghan (Tigers owner) and emotional attachment to (old) Tiger Stadium," Duggan said.

"The easiest thing for us would be to bash Monaghan. We could have made political points," said the chief aide to county executive Edward McNamara.

The enabling measure (House Bill 5300) specifies a location "within the boundaries of a downtown district," pointing to a Woodward Avenue location near Detroit's theater district rather than a west side site near the present stadium, built in 1912.

THE BILL, sponsored by Rep. Curtis Hertel, D-Detroit, is getting unusual treatment.

Although it is a tax and local government measure, it was first sent to an appropriations subcommittee on regulatory agencies, headed by Rep. Morris Hood, D-Detroit.

Hood said in an interview he views the bill as an aid to Detroit and Wayne County. He said he still wants to know who will get the construction and legal jobs.

After the hearing in Hood's subcommittee, the bill will go to the full Appropriations Committee, probably this week, then to the Taxation Com-

mittee before reaching the House floor.

Some members still want to know whether food and souvenir concessions will be open to bidding.

NORTHVILLE resident Bill McLaughlin, president of the Metro Detroit (tri-county) Convention Bureau, said his group "historically has opposed hotel taxes for brick and mortar." The group opposed Wayne's earlier 5 percent hotel-motel tax idea.

But the group backs the current plan to tax 1 percent of gross receipts, he said.

"Detroit's image is in a terrible state," said McLaughlin. "Hotels are depressed. Jobs are in danger."

A former Commerce Department director and Republican state chairman in the Milliken administration, McLaughlin said, "People don't just come to a ballgame and go home. They come for an entire entertainment experience. We need help pretty badly."

Ted Gatzaros, Greek-born restaurateur and office owner in Detroit, said, "I can tell you from the receipts (in Greektown restaurants) what day there is a game at the Joe Louis Arena. I can tell what day there is a game at Tiger Stadium."

Detroit politicians also endorsed the bill.

OPPOSITION came from Elias Bros. executive William Morgan, representing the Michigan Restaurant Association.

"We are not opposed to a stadium in Detroit. We are opposed to all meal taxes — overwhelmingly," he said. "We haven't been able to see any linkage between a tax on a restaurant and a stadium."

# State cuts prompt tuition hike at EMU

Tuition will increase \$2.75-\$8 per credit hour for winter semester classes at Eastern Michigan University.

Increases were approved this month by the EMU Board of Trustees.

Tuition for lower-level classes is increasing from \$67.25 to \$70 for in-state students. Tuition for upper-level resident undergraduates is increasing from \$71.25 to \$74.25 per credit hour.

Graduate students will pay \$3.75 more per credit hour. The new fee is \$100 per credit hour. The doctoral student surcharge will be maintained at 25 percent of the graduate fee.

New tuition rates for students who live outside Michigan and Ohio are: \$178 for lower-level classes, \$187 for upper-level classes and \$235 for graduate classes.

The mid-year tuition increase follows a \$1.6 million cut in state

appropriations. Trustees had approved an earlier tuition increase in August. The combined increases will raise tuition by an estimated 9.9 percent, or \$212 per year, for the average EMU student.

Some EMU students will also pay more per semester in increased course fees. Fees were added to 201 EMU courses and raised in an additional 152 courses.

# Madonna sets wassail feast Dec. 14

Tickets are available for Madonna University's ninth annual Wassail dinner, 7 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14.

Entertainment will include the Livonia Symphony Orchestra, costumed musicians, singers and dancers, as well as a court jester.

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# SMART cancels Thanksgiving parade service

There will be no SMART express bus rides to the Michigan Thanksgiving Day Parade Nov. 28, the Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transportation said.

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SMART said it canceled its Pa-

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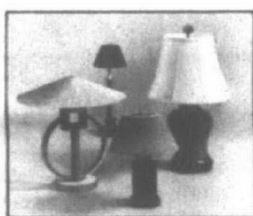
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# Report: Suburban polluters rarely stopped

By Wayne Peel  
staff writer

Western Wayne County industrial polluters benefit, while Detroit residents suffer, under flawed procedures at the city's wastewater treatment plant, a new report alleges. Pollution control enforcement is too slow and city authority too weak, according to a report compiled by The Public Interest Research Group in Michigan, an Ann Arbor-based

public advocacy group. "Basically, western Wayne County polluters are sending their pollution downstream," PIRGIM spokesman Andy Buchsbaum said. "We're saying the city of Detroit shouldn't be subsidizing Western Wayne County industry." Detroit handles sewer inspections for most communities using its sewer system — including Livonia, Westland, Canton, Redford, Garden City, Plymouth and Plymouth Town-

ship. While the PIRGIM report said the city's pollution enforcement has improved, it said violators could wait years before facing penalties. Worse, the report said, enforcement depends upon a Detroit ordinance, even if the polluter is outside the city. "THERE IS a serious question as to whether the city has any authority to enforce the Clean Water Act in

many communities outside Detroit," said report co-author Susan Shink, a research analyst with the National Environmental Law Center. A water and sewer system spokesman, however, denied allegations that the system gives suburban polluters any kind of advantage. "Everybody is inspected the same," said David Fisher, assistant director of waste water operations. "The difference may lie in enforcement but that's because we have to deal with due process if it's an industry outside the city." While enforcing Clean Water Act provisions, Fisher said, the city also seeks to work with polluters. "Our goal is to keep the system clean, but also give our industrial

users a place to come if they need help," he said. If there's a flaw in the system, Fisher said, it's in vague guidelines from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources and federal Environmental Protection Agency. "The guidance we get from the DNR and EPA is almost zero," he said. PIRGIM and the environmental law center gave the Detroit system an overall grade of C-minus in its efforts to curb toxic pollutants. ON THAT point, city officials and PIRGIM apparently agree. The report also said the state and federal agencies should help address problems in the Detroit system. In addition to finding fault with

the city's enforcement procedures and legal authority, it also criticized the lack of limits on such pollutants as PCBs, mercury and toxic metals. It also criticized an alleged lack of public input in enforcement decisions. While Buchsbaum said treatment plants in Chicago and Muskegon do a better job on controlling pollution, he said it was difficult to compare the Detroit system with any other. "We're talking about the second largest system of its kind in the world," he said. "There are an enormous number of industries using the system." The report was billed as the first analysis of treatment plant records ever compiled by an outside agency.

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from high school automotive instructors or by writing to the AAA Michigan Community Safety Services Department, One Auto Club Drive, Dearborn 48126. Completed applications should be mailed to: Chrysler/AAA Michigan Trouble Shooting Contest, Computer Center, P.O. Box 2249, Livonia 48151. There is no entry fee.

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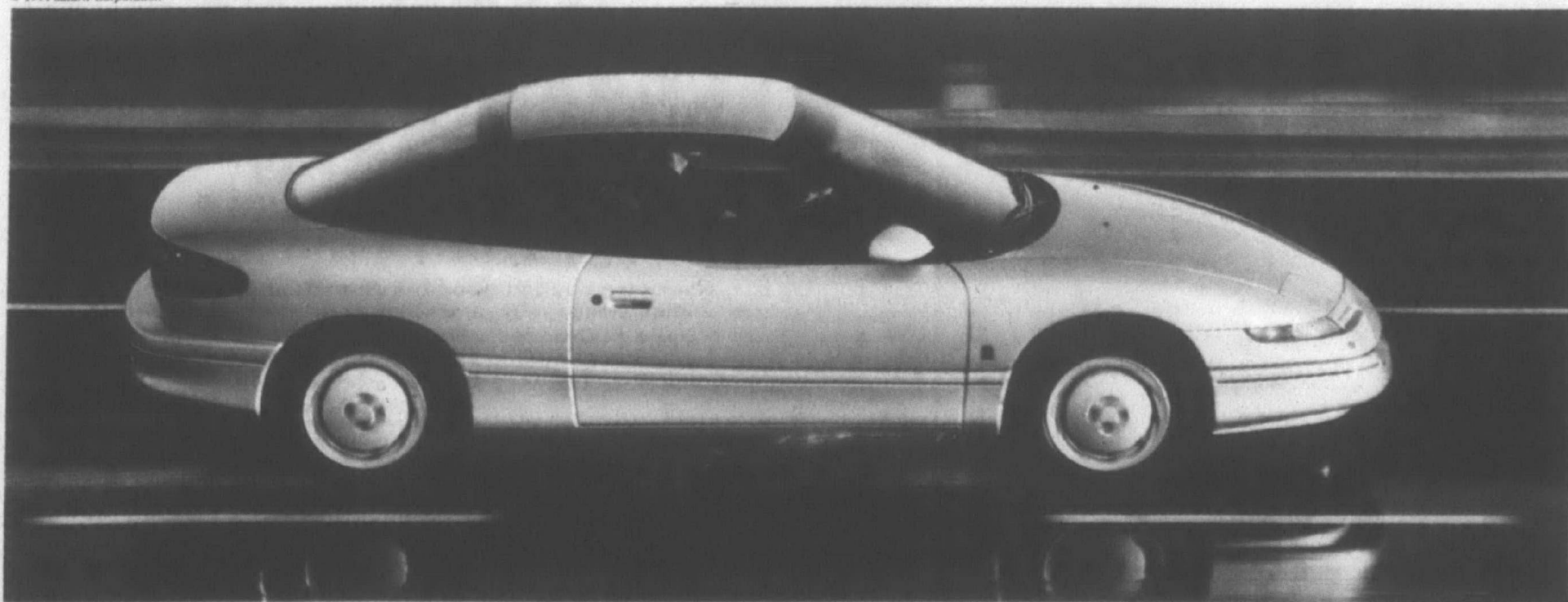
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Traci Thomas, a junior at Albion College, is spending the fall semester working on an internship at the Saturn Corp. in Troy. Thomas is an economics major and is a 1989 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Thomas Jr. of Plymouth.

Sarah Beckman, an Albion College freshman, has become a member of the Gerald R. Ford Institute for Public Service. Beckman, a 1991 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Beckman of Plymouth.

Heather Berlin, freshman at Albion College, has become a member of the Gerald R. Ford Institute for Public Service. Berlin, a 1991 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Berlin of Plymouth.

Tammy Hickey, sophomore at Al-

bion College, recently helped coordinate the solicitations for the Special Olympics Training Day held at Albion College. Hickey, a 1990 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, is the daughter of James and Denise Hickey of Plymouth.

Jennifer Hunter, Albion College freshman, portrayed the character of Bananas Shaughnessy in their recent production of "The House of Blue Leaves" by John Guare. Hunter, a music major, is a 1991 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Hunter of Plymouth.

Amy L. Files, a 1990 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, is a member of the 1991 pledge class of Gamma Phi Beta social sorority at Arizona State University, and is serving as their elected treasurer. Amy is a sophomore majoring in business. She is the daughter of Louis and Diana Files of Canton.

Jeffrey A. Horne was named to the Kalamazoo College dean's list. To achieve the honor, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average, or above, on a scale of 4.0. He is a junior and is the son of Christine L. Horne of Westland and Richard C. Horne of Plymouth. He is a graduate of Franklin High School.

Eileen H. McNulty, daughter of Thomas and Joan Healy of Plymouth, was sworn in as Secretary of Revenue for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. She was appointed by Gov. Robert P. Casey. She was a 1970 honor graduate of Plymouth High School, a 1974 cum laude graduate of Michigan State University, and served as an economic analyst with the State of Michigan, Department of Budget and Management. In 1977 she moved to Pennsylvania to become Revenue Analyst for the Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives. She subsequently served also as Deputy Secretary of

Revenue for Fiscal Policy and Analysis before her appointment as Secretary of Revenue. She is married to Arthur F. McNulty, attorney for the Insurance Division of Pennsylvania. They are parents of three children.

Robert J. Files, a 1988 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, has been elected vice president of publicity for the A.S.M.E. (American Society of Mechanical Engineers) at Michigan State University. Robert is a senior majoring in mechanical engineering. He is the son of Louis and Diana Files of Canton.

Marisa Dershey of Plymouth is among 244 freshmen who are new members of the Carl and Winifred Lee Honors College at Western Michigan University. Measures of outstanding academic achievement include a group high school grade point average of 3.85 and a composite average aptitude score of 27 on the American College Test (ACT), as well as recorded achievements beyond the traditional academic skills.

## Band director honored

James Griffith, Centennial Educational Park band director, was named an "Extra Miler" at the Board of Education meeting held Monday.

Griffith, who began as the band director of Plymouth High School in 1957, was honored for his years of service to the Plymouth Canton Community School District.

The award was presented by Dr. E. J. McClendon, a school board member, who recognized Griffith for his work and service to the band students he has taught and directed over the years.

Since he began as band director, the Centennial Educational Park Symphony Band has received 53 first division ratings of superior performance in Class "AAA," "AA," and "A" district and state band festivals sponsored by the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association.

Along with directing the Symphony Band, Griffith is co-director of the Centennial Educational Park Concert Band and Varsity Band. He was the director of the CEP Marching Band for many years until he stepped down two years ago in

favor of Glen Adsit, associate band director.

Under Griffith's leadership, the CEP Marching Band won the State of Michigan Grand Championship Marching Trophy for several years. The band played at the Tournament of Roses Parade in Pasadena, Calif., the J. L. Hudson Thanksgiving Day Parade in Detroit and the Orange Bowl Parade in Miami, Fla.

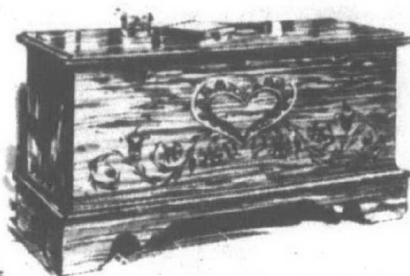
Born in Traverse City, Griffith received a bachelor of music education degree and a master of music education degree from the University of Michigan. While attending Michigan, he was a member of the marching and symphony bands.

In the late 1950s, Griffith founded the Plymouth Community Band and served as conductor for 18 years. In January 1971 he was honored as "Man of the Year" by the Plymouth Jaycees.

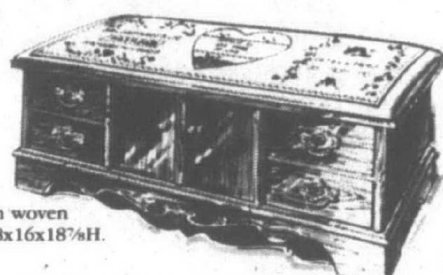
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### IN BRIEF

#### Chorus concert

The Plymouth Community Chorus Christmas concert is scheduled for 8 p.m. Dec. 6 and 7 and 4 p.m. Dec. 8, at Plymouth Salem High School. The "Christmas Treasures" concert features the 110-voice chorus with members from all around metro Detroit. Now in its 17th year, the chorus is under the direction of Michael Gross. Tickets are available at Sideways in Plymouth, The Giftfiddler in Northville, or by calling 455-4080.

#### Walters hitched

One of former mayor Jack Kenyon's last pronouncements from the commission dias at city hall was to inform those attending the installation of three new commissioners that city manager Steve Walters had married over the weekend. "I guess this is appropriate, since I had to campaign for it," Walters told onlookers. Outgoing commissioner and current 35th District Court magistrate Mary Childs performed the ceremony Saturday between Walters and the former Beverly Morrison, Northville finance director. It's the second marriage for both.

#### Christmas walk

Plymouth's historical Old Village is the scene for the annual Christmas Walk, scheduled for Dec. 6-8. Buggy rides will be available, Santa is scheduled to visit and receive the key to the city, carolers will carol, and more. Old Village is eight blocks north of downtown, in north Plymouth. For more information, call the Old Village hot line at 455-7011.

#### Roundtable discussion

The Canton Economic Club will feature a roundtable discussion among local politicians discussing issues facing Western Wayne County. The meeting is Wednesday, Nov. 20, at Geneva Presbyterian Church, Canton. The panel will be moderated by Jeff Counts, editor of the Canton and Plymouth Observer Newspapers. Panelists will include Canton Supervisor Tom Yack, Plymouth Township Supervisor Gerald Law and Plymouth Township Community School Superintendent John Hoben.



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Eleven firefighters and four trucks were called to the Mayflower Hotel at 7:48 p.m. Saturday to handle a fire in Room 169. Fire officials suspect the blaze was caused by an electrical problem.

## Electrical cause suspected in fire

The cause of a fire Saturday in the motel portion of the Mayflower Hotel is still being investigated, but officials have narrowed it down.

"Right now, we think the cause is electrical, it started somewhere in bathroom area," said city fire chief Al Matthews. Hotel co-owner Creon Smith said the cause could be a bathroom heat lamp. "We won't know until they test it," he said.

No injuries were reported in the fire, which fire fighters responded to after getting a 7:48 p.m. call to room 169, above

the hotel parking deck.

"There was smoke on all levels, we searched the building to locate what was causing the smoke and found a sprinkler had activated in one of the rooms on the first floor level," Matthews said.

"We still could not find any visible fire," Matthews said, adding walls and the ceiling were very hot.

"We found the fire within walls and ceilings near the bathroom area on the first floor. It also extended laterally," Matthews said, as wood had ignited in the

ceiling.

The motel portion of the hotel was built more than 10 years ago. Matthews said this was the first time a fire had been reported there.

While the motel rooms were booked at the time of the fire, most people on the floor were at a dinner when the fire occurred.

Just one room sustained significant fire damage. Total damage, to three rooms, was estimated at more than \$25,000. Eleven firefighters and four trucks re-

sponded to the call. The scene was cleared at 11:03 p.m.

Noting that the fire could not be easily spotted as it was inside walls, Matthews said, "They did an excellent job of seeking the fire, and keeping the damage to a bare minimum."

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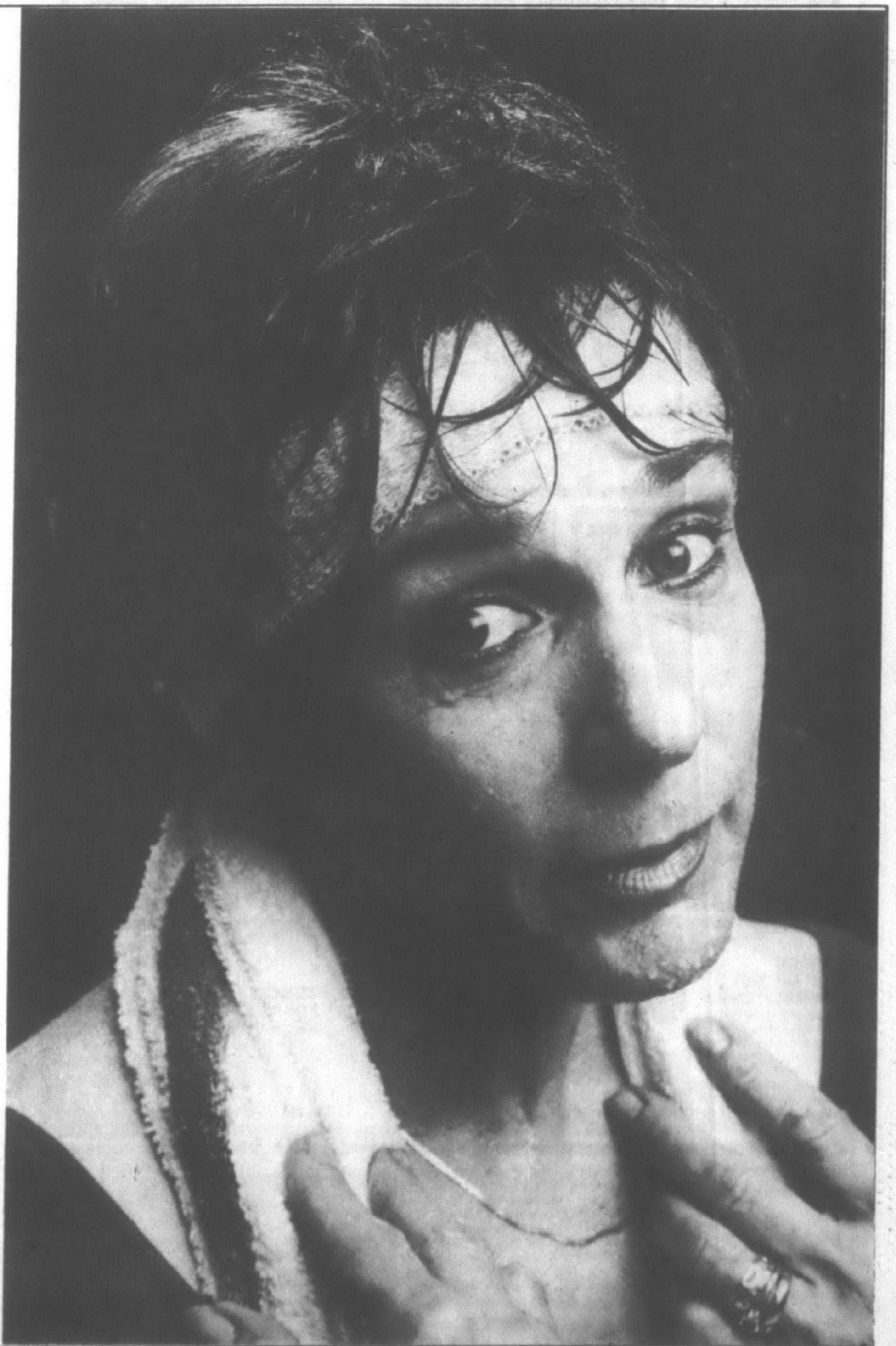
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# 2nd panel to review controversial wetlands bill

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

Promising to "address every problem," Sen. David Honigman has maneuvered the controversial wetlands bill off the Senate floor and into his Local Government Committee.

"The vote to send it to my committee came after a three-hour procedural skirmish," said Honigman, R-West Bloomfield, after the unusual battle last week.

Senate Bill 522, born in the Natural Resources Committee, drew a firestorm because it would have prohibited local wetlands ordi-

nances, which generally are tighter controls over smaller parcels. West Bloomfield and 24 other local units in Michigan have wetlands ordinances governing five or fewer acres.

It's rare for the full Senate to rebuff one committee chair — in this case, Paul Wartner, R-Portage — by sending his pet bill to a second committee.

**SUPPORTING HONIGMAN** in a 20-17 vote were Republicans Michael Bouchard of Birmingham, Mat Dunaskiss of Lake Orion and Robert Geake of Northville, and Democrats William Faust of Westland and Jack Faxon of Farmington Hills.

Opposed was George Z. Hart, D-Dearborn, along with the both parties top leaders — Republican Dick Posthumus and Democrat Art Miller.

Honigman's panel will have only a week or so this fall to work on it. He expects it to be ready "early next year."

The panel usually meets at 1 p.m. Tuesdays. Besides Honigman, members are John Cisky, R-Saginaw, Gil DiNello, D-East Detroit, Jim Berryman, D-Adrian, and Hart of Dearborn.

Honigman may have trouble in his own committee. Members Cisky, DiNello and Hart all voted against

sending it there.

**THREE PROBLEMS** with the existing wetlands law stand out in Honigman's mind:

- "Clarity. The law is fuzzy. That's unfair to landowners and government. People buy land for development and then find out it's a wetland. That's arguably a taking (by government)."

- "Size. To what size wetland is it appropriate to commit governmental resources? Five acres? One acre? A quarter-acre?"

resources. DNR (state Department of Natural Resources) has the will but not the resources. The locals are right there and know the land. But developers complain DNR and local units do not expeditiously process their request (for development permits)."

**SPONSOR WARTNER** said backers will look for another bill to transform into the disputed wetlands legislation.

"We haven't completely resigned ourselves to that (Honigman's committee)," he said. He said Honigman's motion was "purely and simply to kill the bill. These delays are

costly. It is very difficult for developers to provide homes for people."

Rick Jameson, lobbyist for the Michigan United Conservation Clubs, called Wartner's bill "really not supportable from the environmental standpoint or the local control standpoint."

The Michigan Townships Association also assailed the bill because "local planning and zoning officials are best suited to deal with the separate and unique characteristics of lands within individual units of government."

The Associated Press contributed to this story.

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# Telecom bill gets 113 changes in House

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

Senate sponsor Mat Dunaskiss won't accept the House's heavily amended version of his telecommunications bill regulating Michigan Bell.

"Heaven sakes, no. They put 113 amendments, the most ever put on one bill," said Dunaskiss, R-Oxford and chair of the Senate Technology and Energy Committee. Two big problems.

On one hand, we say (in the bill) we won't regulate cellular telephones. Then in sec. 204 we (the House) put in a provision to regulate cellular phones.

"If you put a quarter in a pay phone (which costs 20 cents), five cents must go into a fund for the homeless. It's ridiculous!"

Dunaskiss this week will ask the Senate to reject the House version of SB 124 and send it to a conference committee. He probably will chair it because the bill started in the Senate. A former teacher, Dunaskiss, 40, is serving his first Senate term after 10 years as a minority member in the House.

THE HOUSE last week spent two full days amending the bill before passing it 62-39 late Thursday.

Area lawmakers voting yes: Democrats Bill Keith of Garden City and Wilfred Webb of Hazel Park; Republicans Lyn Bankes of Livonia, Barbara Dobb of West Bloomfield, Jan Dolan of Farmington Hills, Georgina Goss of Northville, John Jamian of Bloomfield Township, Tom Middleton of Ortonville and Gordon Sparks

of Troy.

No (all Democrats): Justine Barns of Westland, Maxine Berman of Southfield and James Kosteva of Canton.

Not voting: John Bennett, D-Redford.

Rep. Alma Stallworth, D-Detroit and chair of the House Public Utilities Committee, agreed there was no chance the Senate would agree to the House changes.

Michigan's telecommunications law expires Dec. 31. The bill sets up a new law that will stay in effect until Dec. 31, 1995.

FIRST CASUALTY was a new "Michigan Telecommunications Commission" separate from the Public Service Commission. That was dropped in Dunaskiss' committee last spring.

"That's one of the things the governor said no to. In the DNR, he got rid of the Air Quality Commission. We're talking about deregulating. There's less reason to have a whole commission," Dunaskiss said.

As first drafted, Dunaskiss' bill was strongly backed by Michigan Bell, its employees' union and the AFL-CIO. There was much talk of Bell's expanding out of telephone service and competing in many other lines of business.

Opposed were AT&T, the Michigan Citizens Lobby, long-distance competitors, cable TV, the burglar alarm industry and the Michigan Press Association.

DUNASKISS SAID Bell can't get into cable TV because of the 1984 federal cable act. "They were able to

get into the fire alarm and burglar alarm businesses. However, I don't think they plan to; it was never their desire," he said.

"It affects education. Gov. Engler, under the year 2000 proposal, wants interactive learning. The bill does set up a mandate to say you will be providing cable interactive TV among school districts, intermediate districts, colleges and universities for those who request it.

"Currently you can't run the lines. The way we've got the bill, they could seek a waiver from the federal government, we'd assume they received it, then they could hook up all the districts in the state."

Dunaskiss said one aim is to keep basic local service rates low. It also prevents Bell from using earnings from phone service to subsidize its competition in other businesses.

HERE ARE highlights of the House's changes:

• Regulation — The bill began with major reductions in the Public Service Commission's control over telephone services, but several amendments were tacked on that would tighten up those regulations. Phone industry officials say current PSC procedures are too slow and should be streamlined.

• Consumers — The bill ends unlimited calling for residential customers, capping calls at 300 a

month. Each call over that amount would cost about 7 cents. PSC approval would be required for the price of phone calls beyond the 300-call limit. (The cap doesn't apply to residents over age 60.)

• 500 call cap — The House rejected an attempt to increase the cap to 500 calls and kept it at 300. Supporters said the increase would be important to large families, households with several college students sharing a line or people who conduct business on their home phone. The majority said basic rates shouldn't subsidize the 10 percent of phone customers who exceed 300 calls a month.

• Rate hearing — One major change requires a telephone company that wants a 4 percent or higher increase to undergo a full hearing before the PSC. Rates of lower amounts would maintain the file-and-use system in the bill.

• Layoffs — The House rejected an amendment that said telephone companies couldn't lay off any workers while the new law was in effect.

• Homeless — Windfall earnings from coin phones would be dedicated to a homeless shelter program. The windfall occurs when phone customers drop in a quarter in instead of 20 cents. One lawmaker said \$5 million was gained last year on the overpayments.

## Chocolate jubilee to aid Alzheimer's association

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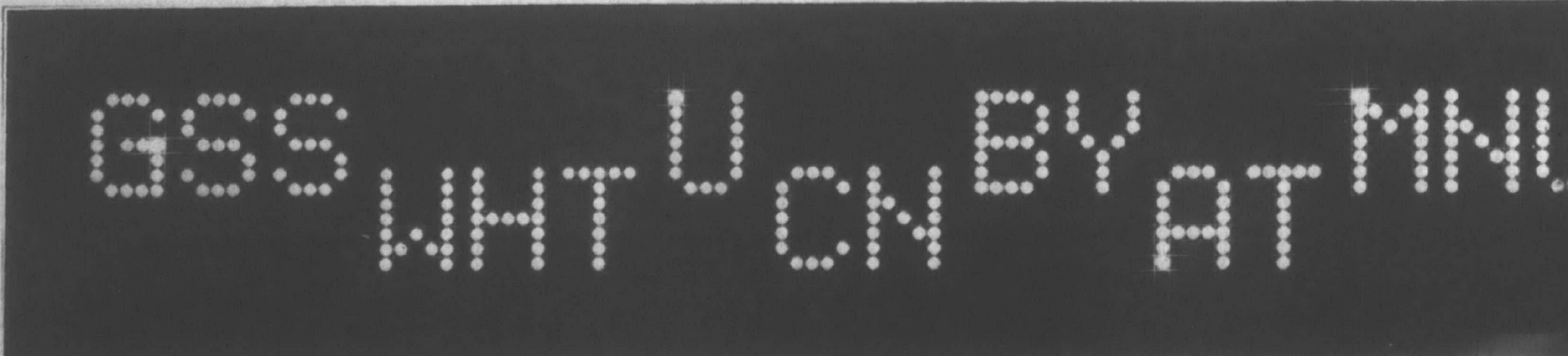
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# Holiday fashion shown

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# Opinion

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O&E Thursday, November 14, 1991

## Airport vote It shouldn't stop purchase

**W**E WONDER about the fate of Mettetal Airport now that voters in the city of Plymouth have deep sixed any thought of allowing the city to join with Canton and Plymouth townships in purchasing the airport.

Voters overwhelmingly approved a charter amendment 1,288-467 that would put any plan to buy Mettetal on the ballot.

The vote was a reading of what the public thinks about the airport. And the result is that Mettetal is a dead horse in the city. We just hope that doesn't spread to Plymouth and Canton townships.

We support a public purchase of Mettetal. To us it's like a community buying a public marina.

**AND WE'RE** worried that the vote in the city of Plymouth will cloud the judgment of Canton and Plymouth Township officials. We're especially worried in the case of Canton, which at first was suing to stop any Mettetal purchase, but later dropped the suit and joined in to support the purchase plan.

To us Mettetal is a different issue in each community. In Plymouth it represented what the established political forces wanted. And the vot-

ers here are caught up in the anti-incumbent, anti-establishment fervor. Not only did they ground the airport, they also defeated Plymouth Mayor pro-tem Ron Loiselle.

In Canton, the airport plan represented a bid by Plymouth Township and the city of Plymouth to take over a piece of Canton. Mettetal is located in Canton and officials want to control the property's destiny.

In Plymouth Township, Mettetal was a project proposed by former Supervisor Maurice Breen that started as a seemingly good idea, but which eventually raised a furor.

But there are other sides of Mettetal. There's the school of thought that the sneaky federal government will eventually have large jumbo jets landing there. We don't believe it, but some do. And we wonder if those who think that way aren't just frustrated with the high cost of federal and state government and are taking it out on Mettetal.

We just hope that Canton and Plymouth townships go ahead with the Mettetal purchase next year. By then opposition could die down and folks will be able to see the purchase for what it is, a way to preserve a resource.

## Thanksgiving festival a draw

**I**t's back. For the second year "A Plymouth Thanksgiving" will be celebrated in Plymouth's Kellogg Park.

While re-runs of "It's a Wonderful Life" get a bit tedious during the holidays, Plymouth's annual Thanksgiving festival doesn't. It attracts folks from Canton, Northville and other surrounding communities.

And the reason for that is the originality of the event. It came off last year for the first time because of the tenacity of Fred Hill, the owner of local clothing stores.

Hill was looking for a way for Plymouth to compete with the malls on the day after

Thanksgiving, traditionally one of the biggest retailing days of the Christmas shopping season.

And what he and other organizers came up with put the malls to shame. Instead of over commercial, staged events, there were actually things to do.

Our favorites were the native American dancers and the re-creation of the first Thanksgiving.

Last year the event made national news, with reports airing on the Cable News Network and on Paul Havery's radio show.

We hope it attracts as much attention this year. It's surely deserved.

## Memorial Decency fights for funding

**N**O MATTER WHAT ACTION the state House takes this week when it votes on restoring partial funding for The Holocaust Center, the central point of the issue — unbridled gross ignorance born of callous budget cuts — remains.

It all started a couple weeks ago. Guiltless John Engler, fresh from his latest triumph over the disabled, poor and needy, a triumph that turned thousands out of their homes just in time for the Thanksgiving holidays, was riding a wave of his brand of victory. So, having already beat up on the defenseless, Engler turned back to the arts and cultural sciences.

Many wondered what he could do to top his other performances. The Man From Mount Pleasant already had cut state funding for the Detroit Institute of Arts, while quietly restoring a similar funding cut for the Grand Rapids Museum. Any doubt of Engler's blind loyalty to out-state interests and dislike of southeast Michigan was erased with that move.

The Holocaust Center in West Bloomfield, and its \$110,000 allocation from the state, was to be Engler's next target. He wiped out the grant as part of his continuing clumsy effort at budget balancing.

He made no friends with this latest move.

**THE HOLOCAUST** Center used that grant to let people, particularly thousands of students, tour the center free instead of paying admission. Rabbi Charles Rosenzweig, director of the center,

said he suspected a partial cut was coming, but was stunned when the grant was eliminated.

It seems Engler, after turning on the arts and the poor, decided the state didn't need to fund this chapter in history. His move shows a cold disregard for all those who fought against the Holocaust and for those who sustain this center as a grim reminder to keep history from repeating itself.

Michigan's Senate, sensing Engler had really blown it this time, last week passed and sent a bill to the House that would restore \$50,000 in state funding to the center. Without that restored grant, West Bloomfield's Holocaust Center was the only museum of its kind in the United States not receiving some kind of state support.

The Senate vote was 24-11. Senators David Honigman and Jack Faxon, respectively of West Bloomfield and Farmington Hills, led the charge to restore the funding. Those who voted against the funding restoration are worth noting: Sens. Arthurhultz, DeGrow, DiNello, Emmons, Gast, Geake, McManus, Posthumus, Pridnia, N. Smith and Wartner.

Those who pushed through funding for the center, in the Senate and House, are to be congratulated for seeing this cut in its true light and showing the human decency to fight it.

And those who sided with Engler will be remembered as those who thought the best way for Michigan to prosper was by cutting its job opportunities, its obligation to its needy citizens, and its ties to rich artistic and cultural heritages.

## Speedy trial with no high bail promised due to famous trial

**T**HE GUARANTEES of the Sixth, Seventh and Eighth (speedy trial by public jury and no excessive bail) amendments were added to the Constitution, in part, because of a famous English trial more than 100 years earlier.

The government of Charles II had forbidden William Penn, a Quaker, to speak in public. Penn ignored the order and was arrested for "riot and tumultuous assembly."

At the trial, the judge, noting that Penn had removed his hat, arbitrarily ordered him to put it back on — and then charged him with contempt for wearing a hat in court. The court then ordered Penn removed for the duration of the trial

— a violation of English common law.

After testimony about Penn's public speaking, the court ordered the jury to return a verdict of "guilty of unlawful assembly." But the jury found Penn guilty only of "speaking in Gracechurch Street." Such defiance outraged the judge who ordered the jury jailed indefinitely without food or water.

The abuse of the jury was common practice to assure an acceptable verdict. The jury remained adamant and finally the frustrated judge gave in and accepted the decision.

The judge got his revenge, though by jailing Penn until he paid a fine for wearing his hat "in the face of authority."



DAN DEAN/staff photographer

## Gathered around

A class from Redford Township gathers around a flame during a tour of the Holocaust Center. The Legislature is looking at restoring funding

for the center cut by Governor Engler. For an editorial on the subject, see the lower left corner of this page.

## Reflections on death with dignity, caring

**MY MOTHER-in-law** died six weeks ago. Effectively paralyzed and sightless from a severe stroke, she vegetated for three years in a nursing home in Ann Arbor.

When she first was admitted, she was saddened and depressed at her predicament. Later she was angry.

Around a year ago, the tone changed. "I don't want to spend another birthday in here," she said repeatedly. "Can't you find a doctor to give me a pill? I just want to get on with it."

It broke my heart to talk with this brave woman who knew she never would recover and who wanted to die with what was left of her dignity intact.

I was never able to find that right doctor. She had another stroke, lapsed into a coma and died quietly. But like many, many others who have faced — are facing — the same situation, I am left wondering why our society cannot find a way for terminally ill or incapacitated people who wish to die when and as they want.

**ONE REASON:** This is a very complicated, ethically confused and politically charged issue.

Another practical reason: Those who could help the process — doctors, nurses, hospital and nursing home staff — are terrified of being sued, even in states like Michigan which have no law explicitly forbidding assisted suicide of the terminally ill.

So the dignity of those who wish to die but cannot, the ambivalent anguish of loving families and the ethics and compassion of the medical profession are all held hostage to the threat of litigation. So what else is new?

**WHAT TO MAKE** of Dr. Jack Kevorkian and his most recent assisted suicides in Oakland County?

If I were prosecutor, I would be looking pretty carefully into whether Dr. Kevorkian's patients were in fact terminally ill. Assisting those already dying is one thing; killing two very unhappy but not terminal patients is quite different.

Beyond that, my own anguish and ambivalence on this matter are violated by Dr. Kevorkian's loose cannoning and his lawyer's publicity seeking. Together they have succeeded in seriously compromising thoughtful and serious consideration of this complicated ethical issue in Michigan.

**SEN. FRED Dillingham**, R-Fowlerville, wants to frame the discussion as a criminal matter. The Senate has passed his bill to make assisted suicide a four-year felony.

Other legislators are setting up a special study panel of thoughtful people, which Michigan Right to Life charges is a "stall."

So we have a subject which is uniquely personal and intensely intimate now becoming the subject of a politically charged debate in the



Philip Power

Legislature. What a shame!

Fortunately, because of last week's vote in the death-with-dignity referendum in Washington state, consideration of this issue is not going to be limited to Dr. Kevorkian's antics or the rocket scientists in the Legislature.

"Grandma's been talking to Grandpa, and Grandpa's been talking to the kids and the grandkids," said a 71-year-old supporter of the initiative. "It's a dinner table topic now like never before."

Initiative opponents agreed. "There are real arguments on both sides, and I can't overstate the importance of debating it openly," said a medical ethicist.

So let's debate the right to die with dignity. Let's not frame it as a criminal matter or as a publicity stunt or as a partisan squabble. Let's face it like the thoughtful, caring adults we try to be when we confront death at close range.

Phil Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His award-winning column will appear periodically.

## from our readers

### Newspaper is real elephant

To the editor:  
If a white elephant is lumbering around this town, it is the Plymouth Observer. Witness its commission and proposal endorsements for the Nov. 5 election.

Now the poor dumb beast calls the proposed library expansion a white elephant.

The library, says the real white elephant, doesn't have to be downtown in the 1950's museum. The library, says the truly dumb elephant, is for information retrieval. And John Hoben is already busy setting that up for the Plymouth schools.

Listen: "Star Wars" -like classrooms should not be in Plymouth until its students learn to read, ponder and form intelligent opinions about some well-chosen texts. What are they going to do with the information they'll retrieve at the speed of light when most of them cannot even think?

Listen again: Plymouth's library should be in Plymouth. And if it wants \$10 million, it should get \$10 million. It will be the best \$10 million spent in this town in the 25 years I have lived here.

How like the stupid Plymouth Observer beast to reduce a library to information retrieval, the lowest possible service for the least possi-

ble strain upon the human brain.  
Joanne Stein,  
Plymouth

### Democracy alive, well in Plymouth

To the editor:  
In the spirit of democracy, best expressed in Thomas Jefferson's legacy: Government derives its legitimacy from the consent of the governed, the voters of our uniquely beautiful little city deserve heartfelt thanks for their exceptional participation at the polls Nov. 5.

The approval of the charter amendment by a three-to-one margin and placing two new members on the commission over the incumbents, who in the past have ignored the public will, has proven worthy of the efforts of those who circulated petitions during the severe cold and snow last winter. We can all be justly proud that Plymouth is politically alive and that the new commission with a clear mandate can take the initiative and move forward without delay to rectify past errors.

Plymouth has the heart to become economically strong as well as politically.

Paul Nastoff,  
Plymouth

### New voices at city hall

To the editor:  
I would like to say how proud I am of all the voters in the City of Plymouth, who came out in the bitter cold on Nov. 5 to exercise their voting rights. You made it known if anyone doubted it that you wanted a voice in the important decisions made at city hall.

During my campaign I walked on almost every street in the city and many of you invited me into your homes to share your ideas and concerns about our city government. I felt very privileged to run for city commissioner and to meet all of you. I will never forget you.

Rosita Smith,  
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# Lobby muddies health care legislation

"COLEMANITIS" is infecting Republican state senators. Named for Detroit Mayor Young, "Colemanitis" is the tendency to shroud things in secrecy when the public wants to know what government is doing to them.

If the police department slush fund is misused, hide the books. If the economic development department sold \$42 million worth of equipment for 5 cents on the dollar, hide it. If you want to meet with other big wheels but don't want to attend a SEMCOG meeting, hold a secret four-man pow-wow.

When someone tries to find out, accuse 'em of badmouthing your town.

THE SENATE finished up its 26-bill "affordable health care" pack-

age last week. And one dandy way to keep poor folks healthy is to shut down Department of Licensing and Regulation investigations, records and hearings by muddying Michigan's twin "sunshine laws" — the Freedom of Information Act and the Open Meetings Act.

Why the obsession with secrecy in the public's business? Senate Majority Leader Dick Posthumus of Alto said, well, the lawyers have it.

In other words, two wrongs make a right.

Sen. John J.H. Schwarz, a Battle Creek physician, added that the final vote would be public. Besides, media publicity would drag doctors' names through the mud.

DOUBLE WRONG, of course.



Tim Richard

In the first place, the "sunshine laws" aren't media laws but a guarantee that public records and public body meetings are public. Rarely are medical discipline hearings reported in the mass media.

What's more disturbing is the Legislature's propensity to close the books and meetings whenever the plutocracy fears its undeserved "image" will be tarnished.

First lawyers. Then chief execu-

tives of schools, colleges and cities get secret evaluations by the boards we elect. Now the medical brotherhood wants to play hide-n-sneak in the name of "affordable health care."

Financiers don't have such protection. You read all about George Bush's son and the son of the founder of Michigan National Bank. But you have to wonder when they'll demand secrecy.

CPAs could be next. So could Realtors. Maybe newspapers being sued for libel should demand court records and proceedings be sealed until the Court of Appeals votes.

IT'S IRONIC that these shenanigans occur as we observe the 200th anniversary of the Bill of Rights and

the 215th of the Declaration of Independence.

How soon we forget the colonists' complaint that their accused were taken overseas for trial so their friends and neighbors couldn't keep tabs on what government was doing to them.

And they remembered the British Privy Council's "star chamber" proceedings in the 16th and 17th centuries: secret trials, forced confessions, torture, cruel punishment.

Today the fear is that regulatory boards are controlled by the interests they're supposed to regulate and will be too lenient rather than too harsh. Under the GOP Senate bills, you won't find out the allegations, you won't learn what the investigator and hearing officer found, you

won't know the substance of the problem — just the final vote, some day.

Historically, Republican legislators have supported (attacked) the "sunshine laws" about the same as Democrats.

In the "affordable health care" debate, however, 18 of 20 GOP senators voted yes, providing the bulk of the 24 to 25 votes for secrecy. Two noteworthy exceptions: Dave Honigman, R-West Bloomfield, nay; Bill Faust, D-Westland, yes.

The rest of the package had some merit. Too bad the hide-n-sneak lobby persuaded the party of Teddy, Ike and Bill Milliken to muddy it.

Tim Richard reports regularly on the local implications of state and regional events.

# Develop alliances to get through college years

QUESTION: My son is having a very difficult time in college. He seems lost in this, his freshman year. Have you any suggestions we can use to help him?



Doc Doyle

ANSWER: Yes. The best advice I can give your son is to develop mutually beneficial alliances with fellow students, advisers and faculty members. Struggling students often make the mistake of "trying to go it alone" in the big university setting. Many fail, many develop severe emotional problems.

Harvard University recently completed a five-year study on this issue. New university students who suffered the most, both academically and emotionally, were those who signed up for all large classes (up to 500 in a class), sat in the back rows of the auditorium, went back to their room to "go it alone." They developed little, if any, identity with classmates, let alone professors.

Students who survived and prospered formed or were part of study groups, shared what they thought they heard from the lectures with others in their group, quizzed each other on pertinent issues, set up group meetings with their instructor for clarification of lecture material

and made use of their academic adviser.

Agreed, this is difficult to pull off in a large university, but it can be done with persistence and a realization that the student is paying for those services and is entitled to them.

DON'T BUY the, "I can't meet with you... I'm a too busy professor." He/she earns a living off your son's tuition. Besides most professors do make themselves available if asked, but they are not mind readers for those students who retreat to their rooms with a sense of hopelessness. And, frankly, there exist a few students who view their professors as an extension of their mothers' umbilical cords.

Based on my university teaching experience, many high school gradu-

ates have little or no problem "going it alone." However, there are some who simply become overwhelmed (especially in their freshman year).

They are too embarrassed to tell their tuition-paying parents they are falling behind, that they are hurting inside and about to throw in the towel. Indeed, the drop-out rate for college freshmen/women can be as high as 40 percent in some institutions.

An interesting aspect of the Harvard study was that it found undergraduate students learn best from professors who continually track progress through frequent mini-tests or quizzes.

Professors who give the one massive test at the end of the semester simply do not understand the loss of learning without intermittent reinforcement theories, don't care, or are simply lazy. They give one test a semester to keep from being overworked! In my opinion, this is the poorest teaching format in existence for undergraduate students.

WHAT CAN professors do? The Harvard study says:

• Professors should help set up small study groups, but require that all assigned readings be completed

before the group meets. The meetings are for clarification, not to re-teach those who slept through the lecture.

• Where writing assignments are required and when appropriate, professors should ask students to photocopy their paper and distribute to the entire class. This sharing experience has always worked well during "Show and Tell" in kindergarten and works just as well at the higher ed level. I used it at the university level and students responded very favorably.

• Professors should encourage some cooperative learning rather than a total emphasis on competitiveness. Go to a G.M., Ford or Chrysler engineering department. The engineers are always sharing what's on their drafting boards, critiquing each other, helping each other.

A major problem is that many university students do not feel comfortable setting appointments and talking informally with some faculty members. Some professors, many I've known, simply do not make themselves accessible. Often they

are "too busy" consulting, writing articles for journals, seeking grants. That's a phenomenon, however, many professors can't control if they want pay increases and tenure.

ALL THIS notwithstanding, it is the aggressive student, with a need, who ties down the busy professors through sheer determination and perseverance who will survive.

Have your son, who seems a bit of a loner, identify someone in his class who is outgoing, who likes people, whom people like, who is on top of the subject. Have him ask that person if he/she would help set up a study group. I guarantee you it helps.

I followed this method studying for my written dissertation exam. It

works! My sons and daughter followed this format through high school and college. We had as many as 15 bodies in our front room, preparing for math and biology tests when they were in high school.

People need people. Your son needs someone to share with.

Don't let him lose his spirit sitting alone in a dorm room night after night wondering when his world is going to crash in. This is psychologically damaging and academic suicide in your case.

James "Doc" Doyle, a former teacher/school administrator/university instructor, is president of Doyle and Associates, an educational consulting firm.

**Students who suffered the most were those who signed up for large classes, sat in the back rows of the auditorium and went back to their room to 'go it alone.'**

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## Salem headed to final

By Brad Emons  
staff writer

Plymouth Salem got out of a tight spot Tuesday, earning its third straight trip to the Western Lakes Activities Association girls basketball finals with a 61-58 semifinal victory over Livonia Franklin.

The Rocks, sporting a 15-4 overall record, will be gunning for their second straight WLAA crown Saturday against rival Plymouth Canton (16-3). Game time is 7 p.m. Saturday at Salem.

"With any team you have under siege, doubt always creeps into your mind," said Plymouth Salem coach Fred Thomann, whose club led by as many as 11 points early in the third quarter before Franklin made a run. "But I was pleased with the fact that we answered their baskets with a basket of our own, particularly down the stretch."

Franklin, down 32-21 at halftime before cutting the deficit to 47-42 after three quarters, made a furious fourth-quarter rally behind the scoring of senior guard Dawn Warner (game-high 37 points).

Her basket with 4:25 remaining tied it at 51-all and her three-point shot, one of four on the night, with 3:22 to play, gave the Patriots a 54-53 lead.

**SALEM'S CYNDI PLATTER** (13 points) countered with a bucket just 15 seconds later to make it 55-54 in favor of the Rocks, who never relinquished the lead despite some anxious moments in the final minute.

At the 55-second mark, Warner nailed two free throws to pull Franklin to within one, 57-56, but Salem's catalyst all night, 6-foot-1 Darcie Miller (26 points), hit an off-balance eight-footer with 29 seconds to play, increasing the margin to three.

Myryah Shea then gobbled up a Warner miss with nine seconds remaining, converting the rebound for two points, drawing the Patriots to within 59-58.

The Patriots' Patty Shea (nine points) then fouled Miller with seven seconds to go.

The Salem center missed the front-end of a one-and-one, the fourth in a row for the Rocks in the final period. But Platter grabbed the rebound, only to be tied up by Franklin's Lisa Craven.

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ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Amy Westerhold drives around Angela Piippo of Stevenson in the WLAA semifinal game

Tuesday. Westerhold was second in scoring for Canton with 12 points.

## Canton defeats Spartans 56-33 in WLAA semis

By Dan O'Meara  
staff writer

Coaches always say defense wins championships, and that's why the Plymouth Canton girls basketball team is in the Western Lakes Activities Association final.

The Chiefs had a much better defense than the first time they played Livonia Stevenson and defeated the host Spartans 56-33 Tuesday in the WLAA semifinals.

Canton will attempt to win its third league title in four years when it plays defending champ Plymouth Salem at 7 p.m. Saturday in the Salem gym.

The Chiefs won consecutive championships in 1988-89, defeating the Rocks 54-39 in the final two years ago. Salem, the top seed in the tournament, beat Canton 51-47 earlier this season.

"The conference championship needs to be between the two best teams, and we were the top seeds going in," Canton coach Bob Blohm said. "We want to play the best team. Let's go out and see who wins it."

**BLOHM WANTED** to enjoy and focus on Tuesday's win in which the Chiefs (16-3) held Stevenson (14-5) to its lowest scoring total of the season.

The Spartans, who pushed Canton to the limit before losing 70-67 in an earlier game, had scored 36 points against Salem and Livonia Franklin.

"They worked their game plan real well and deserved to win," Stevenson coach Chuck Hebestreit said.

In the previous meeting, the Spartans had four players in double figures. Teresa Sarno had 28 points, Mo Drabicki 12, Karen Groulx 13 and

Lori Shingledecker 14. In the rematch, Sarno had nine, Drabicki seven, Julie Martin six and Groulx five against Canton's person-to-person defense.

"Defensively, we did a great job keeping them from doing the things they wanted to do, and we made them work to get good scoring opportunities," Blohm said.

"I wondered how we could stop them (after the first game). We did a better job of getting in position and playing the ball. We anticipated very well. The kids went after the ball, and I was really pleased with that."

**THE SPARTANS** had been playing man defense but went to a zone in an attempt to stop Canton from scoring in the post. But the Chiefs foiled that strategy by shooting well from outside.

Junior center Stephanie Gray saw her scoring total cut in half from the first game but still led Canton with 14 points. She had balanced support with Amy Westerhold scoring 12, Alyson Nounne and Britta Anderson eight apiece and Christie Saffron seven.

"We wanted to keep Gray off the boards and force them to beat us from the perimeter," Hebestreit said. "In the first game, they had 41 points inside (Gray 28 and Kelly Holmes 13). We wanted to take that away."

"They were patient and worked it around the perimeter. They were more patient than us, so they had people shooting jumpers wide open while we forcing shots a bit."

Canton jumped in front 9-0, but the Spartans got it down to 15-11 at

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## CEP cagers make college commitments

By Dan O'Meara  
staff writer

Plymouth-Canton Schools will send a pair of post players to the next college basketball ranks next season.

Salem's Darcie Miller and Canton's Tony Coshatt took advantage of the early signing date Wednesday to make their future plans official.

Miller signed a letter of intent to play for Valparaiso University in Indiana, and Coshatt formally committed to Saginaw Valley State

University.

The 6-foot-1 Miller has played 2½ years on the Salem varsity and has helped the Rocks compile a 15-4 record while leading them to the Western Lakes Activities Association final for the third straight year.

"She really played well for us this year, and I think she is going to do well as a college player," Salem coach Fred Thomann said.

**"SHE HAS HAD** real steady growth as a player, the type of growth you can project to the college level. I don't think she has even

begun to reach her potential."

Miller averages 15½ points this year and an impressive 23½ against the top five teams in the WLAA. Her career average is just under 11 points. She also is averaging 12 rebounds and five blocks this year.

Miller also had planned to visit Eastern Michigan but canceled after visiting Valparaiso, a Division I school with an enrollment of 4,000 students.

"The coach (Dave Wolter) is probably one of the nicest I've ever met, and I felt real comfortable with him and the team," she said.

"Their style of play is exactly like Salem's except they play at a faster tempo. They use the same break. They have a team concept and they're all friends."

Miller said the Valparaiso coaches told her they liked her speed for a player with her height and the decisions she made on offense.

**"(WOLTER) ALREADY** told me I'll be playing my freshman year," she said. "His plan is to put freshmen in and get them started at the

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## Trojan coach frets about CC, Yoakam

By Steve Kowaleki  
staff writer

When Detroit Henry Ford football coach Mike Marshall studies films of Redford Catholic Central, one guy seems to play the starring role more often than not.

"I was looking at the film and they had all sorts of guys open and still went to No. 84 (wide receiver Frank Yoakam). That's telling you something," said Marshall, the first-year coach. "It looks like they go to him every time they need a play."

CC has a fine supporting cast but there's no doubt Yoakam, a senior with 905 all-purpose yards and seven touchdowns, has been CC's go-to guy. Henry Ford will focus on stopping Yoakam when the two teams meet in a second-round Class AA playoff game at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Livonia Clarenceville.

Henry Ford, winner of six straight, beat Dearborn Fordson, 27-17, in a first-round playoff and is 8-2 overall. CC, 9-1 overall, beat Pontiac Central, 37-15, in its first-round matchup.

**THE SHAMROCKS** don't throw much but Yoakam is quarterback Chris Barbara's favorite target, catching nine passes for 286 yards (31.8 average) and one touchdown. Yoakam said he runs a 4.4 40-yard dash and it showed two weeks ago when he caught a screen pass and outraced two speedy Detroit St. Martin DePorres players for a 53-yard touchdown.

He also has lined up in CC's backfield, gaining 235 yards rushing on 25 carries and four TDs. Yoakam has returned 10 kickoffs for 252 yards and a TD and has 12 punt returns for 132 yards and a TD.

The other offensive weapon Marshall frets about is senior tailback Jeff Tibaldi, who leads the Shamrocks with 1,005 yards on 193 carries and eight TDs. Senior fullback Dan Gusoff had his best game of the season against Pontiac Central, gaining 141 yards and scoring three TDs.

"I know they've got No. 84 and No. 20 (Tibaldi) looks like he runs pretty hard; they're the two guys we need to neutralize," Marshall said.

**MARSHALL, WHO** played defensive back at Michigan State from 1976 to 1980, said Ford turned around its

season after falling to 2-2 overall with consecutive losses to Birmingham Brother Rice (25-6) and Detroit Mumford (12-6).

CC beat Mumford and Brother Rice by a combined score of 58-7 but coach Tom Mach knows Ford is improved and may have the best backfield he's seen.

Leading the attack is senior quarterback Orlando Fortunato, a converted wide receiver. Fortunato made the Public School League first team after completing 75-120 passes for 1,300 yards and 12 TDs and rushing for 701 yards and seven TDs.

He gained 225 yards rushing on 14 carries and scored three TDs against Fordson and each week amazes Marshall with his progress.

"He couldn't hand the ball off, throw the ball three yards or do anything at the start of the season," Marshall said. "But he's a hard worker, smart, dependable and shows poise."

The Trojan backfield includes 6-foot-2, 210-pound tailback Diamond Rush, who has more than 800 yards rushing, and Leon Merritt, a sophomore fullback who already stands 6-2 weighs 207 pounds. Merritt leads the team with more than 900 yards, Marshall said.

**THE FASTEST** player on the field Saturday will be Landell Bright, a 5-5, 130-pound receiver who can "flat out fly," according to Marshall.

Junior linebacker Joe Herman leads CC with 84 tackles but the leader is senior linebacker Gary Stegall, who has 83 tackles and delivers devastating blocks when he lines up in the Shamrocks' offensive backfield.

"Gary is one of the toughest kids you'll ever meet," Mach said. "He's the best offensive blocker we've ever had. The linemen open the holes and he picks up the linebackers."

CC placekicker Kerry Zavagnin could be the difference in a close game and Mach hopes the senior can reach the end zone with his kicks. Zavagnin had trouble getting his footing against Pontiac Central and Khan Powell took advantage, returning one of Zavagnin's short kickoffs for an 89-yard TD.

"I'd prefer Mr. Zavagnin put his kickoffs into the end zone," Mach said. "I hope we get the chance to kick off a number of times."

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# S'craft team features new faces

By C.J. Risak  
staff writer

There will be a different brand of basketball employed by Schoolcraft College's men's team this season.

The Ocelots have been a run-and-gun unit the last few seasons, with guys like Randy Watters and Kwesi McGill popping in three-pointers from all over.

Coach Dave Bogataj figures his current team, with both Watters (he starts attending Eastern New Mexico State in January) and McGill (at West Virginia Wesleyan) gone, will still score. But the points will come differently.

"I've told people we'll have a three-point game, but it'll be a different kind of three-point game," said Bogataj, who guided the Ocelots to a 14-15 record - 5-11 in the Eastern Conference - last season. "I don't know what kind of three-point shooting we'll have."

What SC will have is a post-up game. At least four of his players can play in the paint, which means the Ocelots will be going inside much more.

IT ALSO MEANS their biggest weakness of a season ago - rebounding - should be improved. "We can win four or five more ballgames this year just by improving our rebounding," said Bogataj. "And if you rebound better, you don't have to play defense as much."

"If we eliminate second shots, we'll be a much better team."

Returning from last season's squad are three sophomores: 6-foot-8 Scott Meredith (from Northville HS), who averaged 10 points and eight rebounds a game last season; 6-4 Mitch Fyke (Ply-

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outh Canton), 15 points a game last season; and 6-2 Jeff Wagner (Flat Rock).

Bogataj expects Meredith to produce big numbers this season, playing center and power forward. "He'll do a lot more scoring, and we're looking for him to do a lot more rebounding," said Bogataj. Fyke, who will play off-guard and small forward, will be the team's top three-point shooter. Wagner will be the sixth or seventh man.

Also returning after a year off is 6-0 sophomore Tony Rumble (from Wayne Memorial). A starter at point guard two seasons ago, Rumble averaged nearly 12 points a game. "He can shoot, and he's smart," said Bogataj.

TRANSFER RAHIM WOODSON (Flint Hamady) played last year at Alpena CC; the 6-1 point guard will start for SC. "He has the quickness," said Bogataj.

Unlike previous years, when the SC bench was weak (particularly after the semester break, when several players became academic casualties), Bogataj has depth this season.

On the front line, there's 6-6 freshman Chris Habitz (Lutheran Westland), an all-around talent who figures to start; 6-7 freshman center Jarvis Murray (Detroit Cody), a leaper who will make an imposing tandem with Meredith; 6-6 freshman Shawn Harrell (Detroit Chadsey), a post player and former National Guardsman with no playing experience but plenty of ability; and 6-5 Lamont Fondren (Oak Park), another strong rebounder

and tenacious defender.

At small forward or off guard, Bogataj can call upon a pair of 6-3 freshmen: Gamal Ahmed (Westland John Glenn) or Jermaine Burden (Cody). Both are strong, both can run and both are very physical; Ahmed is the better outside shooter, Burden is superior in the post.

OTHER FRESHMEN looking for playing time in the backcourt are 5-9 Shawn Benson (Flint Northwestern) and 5-10 Jeff Stein (Mount Morris), both good shooters and ballhandlers, and 5-7 Reggie Brandon (Wayne Memorial), who will be eligible the second semester.

There's also 6-4 forward Sean Menifee (Detroit Benedictine), but he's recovering from pneumonia and may sit this season out.

"We're as quick as we were last year," said Bogataj, "and we're bigger inside, better inside. We never really had a post game before."

Bogataj doesn't plan to abandon his fast-paced offense. "We're still going to play that up-tempo game," he said. "We can run."

However, he isn't sure their improvement will show in the standings. "I think we have some of the best talent since I've been here and we may end up in the same position as last year," he said. The reason: Oakland CC, Macomb CC and Mott CC all figure to be as tough as usual, and Highland Park CC and Henry Ford CC are both better.

SC can keep pace, if the freshmen develop quickly. "Our weakness is 10 freshmen," he said. Also, the Ocelots' first four Eastern Conference games are against OCC, Highland Park, Mott and Macomb.

So it won't be easy. The Ocelots open Friday at the Macomb CC Tournament, playing Kellogg CC Friday and Muskegon CC Saturday.

# SC women champs in regional tourney

By C.J. Risak  
staff writer

It wasn't supposed to happen like this.

Schoolcraft College's supremacy over the regional volleyball world was supposedly at end. Mott CC had fired the opening volley, wounding the Lady Ocelots at mid-season with a match victory that ended SC's six-year string of consecutive Eastern Conference wins.

That put Mott on top of SC as both headed into the NJCAA Region 12 Tournament. The only advantage the Ocelots could claim was home-court advantage; they hosted the tournament, which started Thursday and ended Saturday.

But guess what? When the tourney drew to a close Saturday afternoon, the team that was there to collect the trophy represented the same school that took the hardware home last year.

And the year before that. And the year before that, too.

In fact, SC has captured the regional tournament six times in Tom Teeters' seven-year stretch as coach, including the last four in a row. The Ocelots did it Saturday by dominating Lake Michigan CC in the semifinals 15-7, 11-15, 15-3, 15-9, then routing Henry Ford CC in the final 15-9, 15-1, 15-8.

THE TITLE sends SC to the 16-team NJCAA Tournament in Miami Nov. 23-27.

And although it may seem like the same old story - just an updated version - Teeters doesn't think so. "This is a major upset," he insisted after his team collected their rewards.

Mott came into the tournament as the favorite, according to Teeters. The two teams were on the same side of the 14-team bracket - Mott was seeded second, SC third - and would collide in the quarterfinals of the double-elimination tourney, if both survived the first two rounds.

SC made it by beating Muskegon CC 15-7, 15-4 in its opening match Thursday, then topping Kalamazoo Valley CC Friday morning 15-4, 15-12. That set up Friday night's showdown between the two Eastern Conference co-champs.

It was as close as might be expected. The two teams had split their conference series; on Friday, the Ocelots went in front by scoring the last six points of the first game to win 15-9. They then took a two-game lead by edging Mott 16-

14 in game No. 2.

Mott came back with a 16-14 triumph in game three. The fourth game saw Mott rally from a 9-3 deficit to take a 10-9 lead, but the Bears couldn't sustain their momentum - nor could they control SC's Kari Van Deusen, the dominant force in the tournament.

VAN DEUSEN kills accounted for three SC points in a 6-2 run that resulted in a 15-12 win and a three-games-to-one Ocelot victory.

The win put SC into the semis opposite Lake Michigan, which upset top-seeded Kellogg CC.

Henry Ford CC took a long, arduous road into the final against SC. The Hawks lost Friday morning to Kellogg; they got into the championship round by winning three loser-round games, beating Mott, Kellogg and Lake Michigan - the second, first and sixth seeds. Henry Ford was seeded eighth.

"We had a real good tournament run," said Hawk coach Gary Gray. "The only problem was, we had to come from the loser's bracket."

The challenge wore out the Hawks. SC left them behind in the first game of the final match, breaking away from an 8-8 tie to win 15-9. Game No. 2 seemed a continuation of streak ending the first game; the Ocelots led from start to finish, surrendering just one point to Henry Ford.

The Hawks scored the first two points of the last game, but SC scored the next nine. Henry Ford closed to within 10-7 before the Ocelots ended it.

THE DIFFERENCE in all of SC's wins was apparent - the inside attack of Van Deusen and Renea Bonser. Before the tournament, Teeters had said they would have to hit .350 for the Ocelots to win.

Van Deusen met the challenge. The only time she didn't meet Teeters' magic number in the five matches was against Mott - she hit .333, with an amazing 27 kills in that match.

Van Deusen hit .636 with eight kills against Muskegon; 435 with 12 against Kalamazoo Valley; 561 with 26 against Lake Michigan; and .387 with 12 against Henry Ford. Her efforts earned her tournament MVP honors.

"She and Renea (Bonser) probably handled 85 percent of our attack," said Teeters. Bonser's numbers were also impressive: .383 with 28 kills against Mott and .387 with 24 kills against Lake Michigan.

# Crawford injury ruins SC chances

By C.J. Risak  
staff writer

All sorts of factors and elements can be credited in the making of a championship-caliber team, but as often as not, the difference between a good team and a great one is one or two players.

So the last thing Schoolcraft College's men's soccer team needed to happen in its Inter-regional Tournament finale with the College of Dupage, played Sunday in Grayslake, Ill., was to lose their main guy - in this case, midfielder Chris Crawford.

But they did; Crawford took a shot to the leg, above his ankle, just 15 minutes in the match. He never returned. The Ocelots played tough

without him, but couldn't score with his creative offensive abilities. The result: a 1-0 Dupage victory.

The win sends Dupage (20-0-2 for the season) to the NJCAA Tournament in Trenton, N.J., Nov. 21-24. SC finishes its campaign with another Region 12 championship and a 13-3-2 record.

"It was a very, very even game," said SC coach Van Dimitriou. "It wasn't a lack of effort on our part. I'm proud of our guys."

DIMITRIOU SAID his defenders - Shane Millner, Jack Abate, Mike Presley and Wayne Worosz - did a solid job marking Dupage's top scoring threats throughout the match, and keeper Scott Hauman was tre-

mendous in the net. When Abate tripped a Dupage player in the penalty area 25 minutes into the match, Hauman stopped the penalty kick.

The game remained scoreless until 27 minutes had elapsed in the second half. Dupage's Dan Lewis took a hard shot that Hauman got a piece of, but couldn't stop.

Crawford's loss crippled the offense, which had been somewhat bolstered by the unexpected return of midfielder Dave Hebestreit. Hebestreit was expected to miss both games due to a stress fracture in his leg, but he played most of the way against Dupage.

But it wasn't enough to offset the loss of Crawford, who scored two goals in Saturday's 3-2 victory over Bethany Lutheran (Minn.). "When you have to mark just one super player instead of two, it makes it that much easier," said Dimitriou.

"(Having Crawford) definitely would have made a difference."

It didn't help when Abate also went out with a twisted ankle late in the first half; he, too, did not return.

Still, as Dimitriou had anticipated, defense was the difference. The Ocelots played it well, but so did Dupage. "They (Dupage) didn't make any mistakes on defense," he said.

IN SATURDAY'S semifinal, SC got the wind in the second half and took control of the match, although they were not as dominating as Dimitriou would have liked.

Bobby Hayes got the game-winning goal, firing a shot that deflected off a Bethany Lutheran defender and into the net.

The Ocelots had other chances. "We missed opportunities," said Dimitriou. "But the guys want to make their coach suffer, I guess."

Bethany Lutheran, with the wind at its back in the opening half, opened the scoring with a goal by Jeff Green. SC battled back, though, getting two scores on headers by Crawford.

Nate Stovall set up the first with a cross; Sean Ryan assisted on the second.

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# Salem girls earn chance to repeat

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The jump-ball possession arrow pointed Franklin's way with four seconds left.

Forced to go the length of the floor, Patriot coach Dan Freeman used his final timeout to diagram a play.

Trying to make a long pass to Shea, Craven was called for stepping on the inbound line. The turnover gave the ball back to Salem.

Guard Christy Parimucha (11 points) was immediately fouled. She converted both free throws with three seconds remaining, sealing the win for the Rocks.

"WE WERE TRYING to 'deke' with Dawn by going long to Patty, and she was there," Freeman said. "We knew they'd overplay Dawn. We were going to her if she was open. It was something we drew up right in the huddle. But it was my fault, if any, for not coming up with something beforehand. It was not her (Craven's) fault."

The Rocks, once again, worked over the smaller Patriots on the boards.

"Our inside players played well and obviously that's the strength of our team," Thomann said. "Darcie came through when we needed some buckets and Emily (Giuliani) went to the line and hit some big free throws. Platter also hit some big buckets."

"And in all fairness to our guards (Parimucha and Leslie Gots), they had a tough task, but I thought they weathered it nicely."

The 5-foot-7 Warner, who had her problems shooting (10 of 31 from the field) against a smothering Salem defense, began opening things up midway through the third quarter by posting up inside. (She had 26 second-half points.)

"One of the contributing factors (to Franklin's comeback) was that they were conscious Dawn just about every trip down the floor," Thomann said. "We were able to hold them down a little bit, but not enough to stop the onslaught."

"It was an outstanding high school game by two outstanding teams. Dawn certainly helped stake her claim to Miss Basketball, and I think Darcie also staked her claim to some post-season honors such as All-Observer, All-Suburban and All-State consideration."

FRANKLIN WILL now meet city rival Stevenson in the WLA consolation finals, 5 p.m. Saturday at Salem. Both teams are 14-5 overall.

"We got beat by an excellent Salem team," Freeman said. "It would have been a big victory over us. We really wanted it. We believed the whole game we could win it. The girls never quit. When you lose by a bucket or two to a Salem team you, never look back."



Stephanie Gray wins possession of the ball from Teresa Sarno (55). Lisa Nicastris is in the middle.

ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

# Chiefs reach title game

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the end of the first quarter. Drabicki made two free throws with no time on the clock to stay within eight at halftime, 29-21.

But the Chiefs began the third quarter hitting five of seven shots and taking a 39-23 lead. Gray and Anderson had two field goals each during the run. Canton shot 54 percent (7-of-13) in that period and led 43-28 at the end. Stevenson made three of 10 shots for 30 percent.

"WE SHOT THE ball real well, which is hard to do here," Blohm said. "It's a hard place to score because of the lights (and depth perception)."

"We had some good scoring opportunities. Noun and Gray are good shooters from the perimeter. When we didn't hit the first one, we had some seconds. We had nice balance between the perimeter and inside game."

"We rebounded well, which I thought would be a problem tonight, because they have good size and mobility."

Sarno got the first basket of the fourth quarter, but the Spartans didn't score again until 2:53 remained. In the meantime, Canton made five free throws and got a deuce from Holmes to lead 50-30. Westerhold scored the last six points, two on fast-break layups following consecutive steals.

# CC basketball star heads for Carolina

By Steve Kowalski  
staff writer

Bob Kummer enjoyed his visit to the University of North Carolina-Charlotte and he liked the school even more after arriving home at Detroit's Metro Airport.

"I was wearing shorts and a T-shirt in North Carolina and when I came home it was 26 degrees," said Kummer, a 6-foot-6 senior guard at Redford Catholic Central who made a commitment to UNC-Charlotte. "I didn't want to leave."

Kummer, who averaged 21.5 points and 11 rebounds a game in making the All-Observer first team last year, signed a binding letter of intent with the 49ers Wednesday, the first day of the early signing period.

The southern climate wasn't all that impressed Kummer.

The 49ers have a lot else going for them, including their coach, Jeff Mullins, a 1964 Olympic gold medalist and a member of the NBA world champion Golden State Warriors in 1975.

Kummer also likes the idea of UNC-Charlotte leaving the Sun Belt Conference this year to play in the Metro Conference, which includes 1980 and '86 NCAA champion Louisville.

MULLINS HAS suffered only one losing season in six as coach of the 49ers and in 1988 guided them to the Sun Belt Conference championship and an NCAA Tournament berth. UNC-Charlotte was 14-14 a year ago and returns 6-6 sophomore forward Jarvis Lang, who led the nation's freshmen last year in both scoring (19.6 points per game) and rebounding (10.6).

There is no football team at UNC-Charlotte, so basketball gets most of the attention.

"The whole town is basketball," Kummer said. "They treat you like a king and everyone can identify with you."

Kummer also made official visits to USC and the University of Toledo and turned down about 20 scholarship offers.

Kummer, who played point guard last year for CC, said Mullins told him he'd play either big guard or small forward and, if needed, the point, at UNC-Charlotte. Kummer made a big impression when he made the Top-20 list of players at

the Five-Star Basketball Camp this summer in Pennsylvania.

"Coach Mullins told me there's a chance I could play right away," said Kummer, who plans to major in business. "He reminded me a lot of my grandpa, his mannerisms, and I felt real comfortable with him. I was real comfortable with (Toledo coach) Larry Gipson, too. Everyone thinks Toledo is a dump of a school but it's nice down there."

"I LIKED USC but I wasn't sure about it and there's talk that coach (George) Raveling could be leaving after this year."

Kummer said he liked the recruiting process at first but it got monotonous. Several college coaches made visits to Kummer's home in Livonia and he remembers one coach who wasn't so excited.

"I was sitting in a 'lazy boy' and I almost put the leg rest up because I was ready to fall asleep listening," he said.

Kummer has come a long way since his freshman year when coach Bernie Holowicki kept him on the varsity.

"I wasn't sure if I could do it but coach was behind me 100 percent and we had a good senior class," recalled Kummer.

# Cage stars sign letters

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college level. Everyone is on scholarship, so he wants to get them involved."

Miller, who plans to major in psychology and minor in business, drew a lot of interest from small schools in Michigan but wanted more security.

"I was looking for a scholarship to finance my college education," she said, "and that just fit in with basketball at Valparaiso when they offered me a scholarship."

The 6-foot-8, 250-pound Coshatt averaged 12 points and 15 rebounds last season while leading Canton to a district championship and a regional final berth. He begins his third year on the varsity next month.

"I think Saginaw Valley got a real diamond in the rough," Canton coach Dave Van Wagoner said. "I think they're ecstatic to get someone like Tony. I think it's a great school for Tony. I think it will be a great place for him to play, because he'll step in and experience some success."

COSHATT, WHO plans to major in elementary education, liked the friendly atmosphere on the SVSU campus, a Division II school in the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference with about 6,000 students.

He hopes to earn playing time with the Cardinals as a freshman, also. "They need a big man and I'm sort of a big man," he said. "They said if I practice hard enough and improve my foot quickness my chances are very good I'll play next year. I plan to give 100 percent and do the best I can, in academics and sports."

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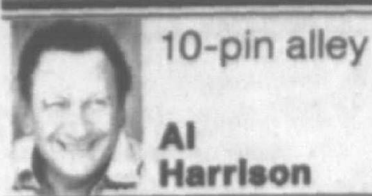
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# Local youth rolls first 300 game

**K**IDS ARE TRULY amazing when it comes to bowling. I was watching 14-year old Jason Johnson at Drakeville Lanes in Farmington Hills as he was taking some extra practice shots. Johnson just finished his first 300 game in the Monday Youth Doubles, where he is carrying a 214 average. He also competes in the Sunday Youth Classic traveling league.



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Johnson, a southpaw, was well schooled by his father, Jerry, who took him as far as he could before turning his coaching over to Lee Snow. How many more 300 games can Johnson bowl? Only time will tell. Another name to watch for is Scott Moscow. This youngster is only 6 and has a high score of 169 and a high series of 464. Instead of bowling with his peers, Moscow is bowling with 11- and 12-year-olds in the prep division at Country Lanes in Farmington Hills.

Moscow is somewhat unusual with his style inasmuch as he throws without using the holes and his slide is similar to that of former baseball player Pete Rose, where he lands on his stomach. But he can throw strikes.

In addition to his league play, his father, Rick, takes him out for plenty of practice during open bowling. Speaking of kids, it's time to register for the Santa Bowl, Dec. 21 at Merri Bowl in Livonia. The event features one game of bowling, shoes and a visit from Santa.

The Santa Bowl is \$5 and you must make reservations in advance. Call 427-2900 for more details. Merri Bowl was the scene of a 300 game by Fred Young in the Senior House League Wednesday. This young man just recovered from a broken right hand, having the pins removed from the fracture after resuming bowling only five weeks ago.

Westland's Paul Grauzer has been

named September's "Bowler of the Month" by the Metrostaff Hall of Fame Classic League. Grauzer, a member of the Anasara's Big Boy team, averaged 235.11 during the month. The 38-year old lefty has bowled for over 20 years with eight sanctioned 300 games and four 800 series, including a high set of 854.

Grauzer averaged 231 during the 1990-91 season and recently captured his second Stroh's Beer Michigan Majors title in Grand Rapids.

I attended the Greater Detroit Bowling Hall of Fame induction last Sunday at the Ukrainian Cultural Center. This year's inductees included Yvonne Barnes, Robert Chamberlain, Robert Goike, Jack Born and Robert Wissmiller.

### BOWLING HONOR ROLL

**Country Lanes (Farmington Hills):** Greenfield Mixed League — John Starcha, 235 game and 639 series; Bill Funke, 235/637; Gloria Martz, 213/613; Tim Hestinger, 218/635 (140 average); Jim Jamerson, 230; Lee Snow, 247; Jim Watson, 227; Darnell Krause, 243. **Livly Ones —** Rip Gagnon, 246-236/654; Scott Young, 210/619; Al Starchan, 256/646. **Wednesday Junior House —** Brent Smith, 245/661; Rob Johnston, 234/612; Greg Goga, 234/592; Gary Smauder, 261/596; Len Beryn, 265/636; Ron Raymond, 241; Rob Sad, 253. **Country Kagers —** Dave Kulling, 235/611; Paul Postula, 222/602; Walt Ulrich, 233; Scott Seifman, 223/597. **Wednesday Ladies —** Bonnie Shank, 235/583; Lisa Watson, 219/566; Karen Milbauer, 213/568. **C/L Ladies Classic —** Wendy Lord, 235/650; Linda Harris, 215/580.

**Country Kagers —** Brian Gardel, 247/616; Dick Dickshott, 235.

**B'Nai B'rith Brotherhood Eddie Jacobson —** Mark Klinger, 257-230/690; Barry Fishman, 248/679; Gary Klinger, 248; Mark Rosen, 234; Joe Pash, 232; Steve Weinberg, 233/630; Sandy Mandell, 227.

**Drakeville Lanes (Farmington Hills):** Monday Youth Doubles — JASON JOHNSON, 300/682.

**B'Nai B'rith Ben Lusk Traveling —** Dean Fine, 264; Mort Friedman, 257-233; Phil Horowitz, 254-244; Alan Zupka, 245; Barry Schussel, 236-231; Alan Boran, 234.

**Wonderland Lanes (Livonia):** Suburban Procolators Traveling — Wall Janiga, 257-234/706; Herb Graves, 236; Joe Bono, 236; Sandy Wolfers, 234.

**Westside Senior Mens League —** P. Brewer, 248/560; D. Schroeder, 218; D. Hochstadt, 225/578; R. Bracci, 221/567.

**Family Affair —** Gary Stempel, 210.

**Bumpers —** Spencer Tessmar, 105; Ryan Bridgeman, 104; Kevin Foreman, 102.

**Preps —** Mark Jaroch, 175; Amy Ferguson, 172.

**BGR Men's —** Barry Perich, 274/650; Tim Bryant, 238; Mark Moulds, 236/635.

**Wednesday Men's Night Ovis —** Rod Florke, 244/662; John Chomin, 253/659; Ray Kulef, 226/644; Gary Steinman, 252; Rob Piontek, 236; Kenny Mynatt, 232; Rob Smith, 224.

**Merri Bowl (Livonia):** Sundowners — Christine Campbell, 254-243-201/698.

**Wednesday Night Men's Senior House —** FRED VOLKING, 300/672; Andy Anspach, 244/670; Roger Troka, 243/651; Rick Provost, 247/660; Randy Smith, 266/696; John Adomitis, 231/658; Dennis Archer, 237/677; Bill Morrison, 247/687; Chris Adomitis, 246/655; Jim Jenson, 267/725; Greg Nagle Jr., 225/665; Kirk Nagle, 251/655; Bob Duman, 245/651; D.J. Archer, 267/744; Greg Cohen, 246/699; Tom Moran, 237/668; Stan Mardeusz, 255/679.

**Garden Lanes (Garden City):** Printcraft — Will Lightfoot, 701.

**Ladies Junior House —** Daanna Glassmeyer, 605.

**Dearborn Heights Men —** John Oberliesen, 694.

**St. Linus Men —** Jim Kowalski, 685.

**Woodland Lanes (Livonia):** Local 182 Seniors — L.C. Jackson, 244; Morley Clarence, 224.

**Ford L.T.P. —** Jim Parker — 278/680; Russ DeBoak, 256/703.

**Men's Trio —** Bob Brown, 277/679; Wale Smith, 696.

**Thursday A.M. Ladies —** Anita Sips, 234.

**Senior House —** TIM BENNETT, 300/736; Brian Zimba, 279/746; Glenn Litrow, 700; Ron Schepis — 696; Mark Payne, 267/724; Roland Franklin, 257/728.

**Elks —** Kevin Miller, 279/696; Tom Terrian, 279/662; Neal Sackey, 669.

**Town and Country Lanes (Westland):** Swinging Seniors Mixed — Jack Flewelling, 288.

**Tuesday Junior —** WILL SIMONDS, 300/726; JOHN VINCL, 300; Jerry Maynor, 771; John J. Adamski, 708.

**Wednesday Night Ladies Junior —** Gloria Picard, 216/608; Jodi Barry, 219/570.

**Wednesday Night Merchants Men's —** Dennis Andrews, 248-247/669; Steve Stott, 247/650; Jeff Herzog, 256; Buck Horn, 247; Dan Passage, 245; Doug Rogowski, 244; Steve DeMarco, 249-226; Keith Henry, 245.

**Wednesday Night Men's Trio —** Jim Allen, 279/728; Andy Deverich, 257/662; Alan Debozy, 247/600; Jeff Herzog, 235/684; Nick Wilkowski, 239/620; Mike Vecheta, 223.

**Westland Lanes (Westland):** Western Wayne Youth Traveling Classic — Ron Ellis, 279/665; Kevin Trumbell, 244/680; Eric Kirby, 255/641; Jason Salinger, 247/656; Alan Dzielchowski, 235/625; Tim Whittaker, 224/600.

**Oak Lanes (Westland):** Sunday Classic — Steve Williams, 279; Mike Lelienowski, 275; Ray Shephard, 257.

**Tuesday Night Ladies Trio —** Liz Bylski, 210; Judy Laird, 200.

**Tuesday Night Rollers Mixed —** Tim Phillips and Shelly Sereno, 233 each; Linda Swiecki, 200.

**Tuesday Night Bowlerettes —** Beth Hall, 203; Krish Klein, 202.

**Tuesday Night Men's —** D. Robinson, 243; George Bird, 237; Augustine Lewinski, 234/603; John Poremba, 220.

**Tuesday Men's —** Brian Munding, 244; Dennis Lemaitre, 234; Pat Hales, 234; Tim Dubai, 229; Ron White, 226.

**Sunday Funimers —** G. Piotrowski, 267/676.

**Wednesday Morning Glories —** Billie Bedro, 202.

**Monday Night Ladies —** Julie Cervantes — 205.

# Spartans claim 5th state soccer crown

By Brad Emons  
staff writer

Maybe it was fitting that Livonia Stevenson coach Walt Barrett, the coach of the newly crowned state Class A boys soccer champions, was wearing a pullover sweatshirt inscribed with the word "Lotto" in front.

With 1:16 remaining in the first 15-minute sudden death overtime, Stevenson hit the jackpot when Matt Grodzicki headed in a cross from teammate Travis Roy to give the Spartans an exasperating 2-1 victory over Saginaw Heritage.

It was the fifth state boys soccer title since 1982 for Stevenson and the first for Barrett, who came over two years ago from Southfield High to take the reins of the highly successful program from Pete Scerri.

"It feels damn good," said Barrett, who got the ceremonial cooler of water dumped on in the chilly air following the win Saturday at Bloomfield Hills Andover. "As a coach this is the pinnacle of my career. This is even sweeter than when I was a player (under Scerri) because I get to share the wealth all 23 players."

To say Stevenson dominated the action would be a gross understatement.

AFTER 80 MINUTES of regulation play, the Spartans had outshot Heritage, 23-3. They also held a 9-3 advantage in corner kicks.

The Spartans rode 1-0 lead well into the second half thanks to Scott Wiggins' header on a cross from Roy (off a free kick) with 15:45 left until intermission.

Heritage, meanwhile, didn't get off its first shot (on goal) until the 45-minute mark.

The Hawks, however, made good on only their second attempt, coming off a rare corner kick with 22:48 to play. Eric Riiko was credited for the goal on an assist from Jason Maday. The score was allowed despite a sterling defensive play by Adam Pichler, who officials ruled was inside the goal line as he headed the ball out.

With the match tied at 1-1, Stevenson then missed a series of scoring chances late, misfiring on at least four point-blank shots. They seemed to have the market cornered on shooting wide and high, as well as hitting crossbars and posts.

Somehow, the Hawks' rope-a-dope tactics, along with the sterling play of goalie Kent Boyer, kept them alive.

"We should have won in regula-

tion," Barrett said. "How many tipped balls went over the top of their net?"

"After about 45 minutes you had to kind of wonder. I felt sooner or later it was going to happen, but then it was 30 minutes left, then 10, and then 10. You have to give credit to the heart and desire of Saginaw Heritage to stay in the game as long as they did."

THE SPARTANS nearly watched their state championship chances evaporate with 4:27 left in the first OT. Spartan goalie Matt Stable made a save on a Heritage rush, but could not control the ball.

With a cavernous net in front of him, Heritage halfback J.J. Swanton planted a shot wide and high.

"My heart stopped," Barrett said. "I don't think I could have lived with that."

Pushing the dangerous Roy up front in attempt to generate even more offense, the Spartans continued to carry the action well into the first OT.

Finally, the bottom dropped out for the "game" Hawks.

Roy, a senior who led his team this season with 16 goals, outmaneuvered Heritage's A.J. Wise, sending a cross to Grodzicki, who left little doubt, bringing the title back to Stevenson for the first time since 1988.

"We were so close it was just a matter of getting it in," Grodzicki said. "I missed at least three or four myself (earlier)."

"I saw Travis (with the ball) and I raised my hand. We had eye contact. Once the pass got there I knew that was it. I knew it was over."

"This is the greatest, I'll never forget it. This is what everybody worked so hard for the last six months."

Added Roy: "I saw Matt hold up both his arms, then I saw their defender holding to the near post, so I hit it to the far post."

BARRETT PRAISED the play of his three forwards — Grodzicki, Adam Carriere and Todd Krzysnik. "They never quit, relentless energy, they never slowed down," said the Stevenson coach.

Another key to the win, according to Barrett, was the play of Wiggins, a senior who normally plays defender.

He was moved to midfield to mark Heritage's second leading scorer, Chad Kingsbury.

"We made an adjustment on the their great center-midfielder (Kingsbury)," Barrett said. "Wiggins not only beat him (Kingsbury) to every ball, he made it no contest out there."

# Crusaders host district volleyball tourney

By C.J. Rieak  
staff writer

The position is strange and — in an odd sort of way — so is the location.

Madonna University's volleyball team will host the four-team NAIA District 23 Tournament Saturday, and that's something the Lady Crusaders have never done before. The reason: The honor of hosting goes to the regular-season champ, and that honor always belonged to Northwood Institute — at least during the last five years.

Tradition was changed this season. Madonna defeated Northwood Oct. 24, handing the Northwomen their first loss in district play in five seasons and securing the home-court advantage for the Crusaders in the dis-

trict tourney. The Crusaders finished the regular season at 41-10 overall with a perfect 7-0 slate in the district, earning their first-ever regular-season title.

Northwood placed second, thus securing a first-round bye, like Madonna. University of Michigan-Dearborn plays Spring Arbor and Siena Heights battles Aquinas in first-round matches today.

THE WINNER of the Spring Arbor-UM-D match will play Madonna at 1 p.m. Saturday; the Siena Heights-Aquinas victor goes against Northwood at 3 p.m. The championship match is slated for 5 p.m. Admission is \$3 for adults and \$2 for students.

At stake is a trip to Cincinnati Mount St. Joseph to play a Bi-district match Nov. 23. The Bi-district winner advances to the NAIA Tournament Dec. 5-7 in Fort Hays, Kansas.

"I think we're going to play real well," predicted Madonna coach Jerry Abraham. "We've been playing with a lot of confidence and with a lot of consistency, both offensively and defensively. And our big players have been playing very well."

While the Crusaders did indeed play well down the stretch, winning 27 of their last 28 matches, they have not been feeling all that well lately. Illness has taken two starters out of practice this week: Elena Oparka has the chicken pox, and Tonia Smith was battling a case of the flu. Both are outside hitters. They are expected to play Saturday.

WITH AN attack featuring Oparka, Smith and Dana Hicks-Finley, it figures Madonna will be difficult to defeat. They were in control against Northwood in their first meeting, which Madonna won in three-straight games, 15-13, 16-14, 15-6. Hicks-Finley had 25 kills, Oparka

got 20 and Smith contributed 12.

A similar performance Saturday will insure Madonna's triumph. "They were very much in control in that match," said Abraham, adding, "That's what they'll have to do this weekend."

Northwood won't surrender its crown easily. The Northwomen are still well above Madonna in the NAIA rankings at No. 6; the Crusaders achieved their highest placing this week, at No. 22.

"I don't think it will matter to them that we beat them the first time," said Abraham.

What will matter is Madonna's ability to focus on its objective. Abraham believes the Crusaders will. "I think the kids are excited about it, they want to make a run at nationals," he said.

That run starts Saturday, at a location that never before has been host to an NAIA District 23 championship.

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## swimming rankings

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200 MEDLEY RELAY (state out: 1:57.59)		100 BUTTERFLY (state out: 1:02.99)	
Farmington Hills Mercy	1:53.43	Mandi Falk (Stevenson)	1:00.92
Livonia Stevenson	1:56.85	Jill Mellis (Canton)	1:01.49
Plymouth Salem	1:56.94	Elen Lessig (Churchill)	1:02.00
Plymouth Canton	1:58.68	Katie Knipper (Mercy)	1:02.21
Livonia Churchill	2:00.20	Candi Bosse (Salem)	1:02.51
200 FREESTYLE (state out: 2:01.99)		100 FREESTYLE (state out: 55.89)	
Erika Smith (Mercy)	1:59.26	Elen Lessig (Churchill)	54.39
Karrie Kranz (N. Farmington)	1:59.74	Erika Smith (Mercy)	54.60
Tara Ditchkoff (Churchill)	2:00.15	Tara Ditchkoff (Churchill)	55.38
Jamie Anderson (Stevenson)	2:01.12	Mandy Speer (Mercy)	55.71
Andrea Hoeflein (Mercy)	2:02.15	Karrie Kranz (N. Farmington)	55.83
Elen Lessig (Churchill)	2:04.31	Andrea Hoeflein (Mercy)	56.38
Mandy Speer (Mercy)	2:04.31	Mandi Falk (Stevenson)	56.41
Holly Palmeri (Stevenson)	2:05.56	Jeni Cooper (Canton)	57.07
Candi Bosse (Salem)	2:05.76	Jill Mellis (Canton)	57.30
Michelle Welch (Mercy)	2:06.37	Mandi Falk (Stevenson)	57.31
200 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY (state out: 2:19.99)		500 FREESTYLE (state out: 5:28.29)	
Mandi Falk (Stevenson)	2:14.14	Tara Ditchkoff (Churchill)	5:18.70
Mandy Speer (Mercy)	2:17.14	Erika Smith (Mercy)	5:23.01
Elen Lessig (Churchill)	2:17.33	Jamie Anderson (Stevenson)	5:24.00
Liz Sorokac (Churchill)	2:17.40	Karrie Kranz (N. Farmington)	5:24.88
Erika Smith (Mercy)	2:18.60	Andrea Hoeflein (Mercy)	5:24.94
Jill Mellis (Canton)	2:18.70	Katie Hoeflein (Churchill)	5:24.99
Tara Ditchkoff (Churchill)	2:20.30	Elen Lessig (Churchill)	5:34.10
Jennifer Knapp (Stevenson)	2:21.12	Sheri Richardson (N. Farmington)	5:35.42
Katie Knipper (Mercy)	2:21.36	Michelle Welch (Mercy)	5:38.97
Jill Knapp (Stevenson)	2:21.67	Katie McWhirter (Canton)	5:39.60
50 FREESTYLE (state out: 25.69)		200 FREESTYLE RELAY (state out: 1:45.49)	
Elen Lessig (Churchill)	24.67	Livonia Churchill	1:42.60
Erika Smith (Mercy)	25.47	Farmington Hills Mercy	1:44.17
Jeni Cooper (Canton)	26.05	Livonia Stevenson	1:45.03
Mandi Ras (Salem)	26.07	Plymouth Salem	1:45.57
Jennifer Knapp (Stevenson)	26.08	Plymouth Canton	1:46.03
Mandi Falk (Stevenson)	26.09		
Jill Hawkins (Farmington)	26.36		
Nancy Warson (Stevenson)	26.49		
Tara Ditchkoff (Churchill)	26.51		
Jill Mellis (Canton)	26.63		
DIVING (state out: five first places)		100 BACKSTROKE (state out: 1:04.59)	
Elna Trager (Harrison)	258.85	Mandy Speer (Mercy)	1:02.21
Mandy Terrell (N. Farmington)	251.10	Jenny McCombs (Mercy)	1:02.67
		Tara Ditchkoff (Churchill)	1:03.20
		Stacey Krause (Harrison)	1:04.93
		Brandi Gary (John Glenn)	1:05.18
		Jane Roberts (Canton)	1:05.28
		Kristin Stackpole (Salem)	1:06.71
		Jamie Hilliard (Stevenson)	1:07.17
		Renee Tomlinson (Churchill)	1:07.90
		Julie Petrillo (Stevenson)	1:07.96
LIVONIA CHURCHILL 105 LIVONIA FRANKLIN 80 Nov. 7 at Churchill		400 FREESTYLE RELAY (state out: 3:52.59)	
200-yard medley relay: Churchill (Rene Tomlinson, Shani Christianson, Carla Karoub and Liz Sorokac), 2:06.27; 200 freestyle: Nancy Noechel (Franklin), 2:21.3; 200 individual medley: Tara Ditchkoff (Churchill), 2:20.5; 50 freestyle: Elen Lessig (Churchill), 24.95; diving: Amy Rozelle (Churchill), 173.95 points; 100 butterfly: Kelly Hansen (Franklin), 1:15.1; 100 freestyle: Kim Rodriguez (Franklin), 1:01.1; 500 freestyle: Jenny Zlobor (Churchill), 6:08.7; 200 freestyle relay: FRChurchill (Jaime Strauch, Kim Gruska, Liz Sorokac and Elen Lessig), 1:44.59; 100 backstroke: Tara Ditchkoff (Churchill), 1:03.9; 100 breaststroke: Elen Lessig (Churchill), 1:13.9; 400 freestyle relay: Churchill (Jenny Patras, Danielle Fall, Shani Christianson and Tara Ditchkoff), 4:26.5. Churchill's record: 9-3 overall and 3-1-1 in Western Lakes Activities Association (Western Division).	Katie Knipper (Mercy)	1:09.06	
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	Mandi Falk (Stevenson)	1:11.01	
	Amy Austin (Salem)	1:11.74	
	Nancy Harvey (Mercy)	1:12.41	
	Andrea Hoeflein (Mercy)	1:12.56	
	Carrie Worthen (N. Farmington)	1:12.99	
	Dana Dixon (Harrison)	1:13.78	
	Elen Lessig (Churchill)	1:13.80	
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## ALL-WESTERN LAKES ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION 1991 FOOTBALL TEAMS ALL-CONFERENCE OFFENSE

Center: Joe Hayes, 6 feet, 2 inches, 210 pounds, senior, Plymouth Salem.  
 Interior lineman: Brian Osterland, 5-9, 180, senior, Livonia Stevenson; Jason Gjoetzer, 6-3, 256, senior, Farmington Harrison; Vern Ralbit, 5-10, 225, senior, North Farmington; Jason Hagelhorn, 6-3, 236, senior, Westland Glenn.  
 Tight end: Brian Lee, 5-11, 185, senior, North Farmington.  
 Wide receiver: Jamey Miller, 5-10, 175, senior, Northville; Duante Anderson, 6-1, 185, senior, Farmington Harrison.  
 Quarterback: Ryan Huzjak, 6-2, 185, senior, Northville.  
 Running back: Roy Granger, 5-8, 162, senior, Farmington Harrison; Leon Hiler, 5-9, 185, senior, Plymouth Salem; Todd Anderson, 5-9, 170, junior, North Farmington.  
 Specialist: Adam Chalmers, 6-0, 190, senior, North Farmington.

Center: Shane Besty, 6-3, 220, Plymouth Canton; Leon Jefferson, 6-0, 265, senior, Farmington Harrison; Allen August, 6-3, 195, senior, Plymouth Salem.  
 End/outside linebacker: Dan Doerfling, 6-2, 180, senior, Walled Lake Western; Andy Scydowski, 6-0, 181, junior, Plymouth Salem.  
 Linebacker: Mike Pesci, 6-2, 200, senior, Farmington Harrison; Chad Myers, 5-10, 180, senior, Livonia Stevenson.  
 Secondary: Mike LaLonde, 6-0, 165, senior, Walled Lake Central; Matt Middleton, 5-10, 165, senior, Walled Lake Western; Jason Horwitz, 5-8, 185, senior, North Farmington.  
 Specialist: Adam Chalmers, 6-0, 190, senior, North Farmington.

## ALL-LAKES OFFENSE

Center: Carl Brooks, 6-1, 208, senior, Westland Glenn.  
 Interior lineman: Pat Vesnaugh, 5-10, 200, senior, Plymouth Salem; Pat Stanton, 6-2, 210, senior, Plymouth Salem; Ron Warra, 5-10, 248, senior, Westland Glenn; Matt Oulasing, 6-2, 210, junior, North Farmington.  
 Tight end: Al Hysko, 5-10, 175, senior, Westland Glenn.  
 Wide receiver: Mike Jehle, 5-9, 150, senior, North Farmington; Rick Bennett, 5-10, 154, senior, Westland Glenn.  
 Quarterback: Mark Temple, 6-1, 170, senior, North Farmington.  
 Running back: Dan Burke, 6-0, 195, senior, Plymouth Salem; Tad Quattlaners, 5-7, 171, senior, Westland Glenn; Chris Marling, 5-10, 170, senior, Farmington.

## ALL-LAKES DEFENSE

Down lineman: Jack Wilks, 5-8, 150, senior, North Farmington; Tim Galda, 6-4, 224, senior, Plymouth Salem; Rob Smith, 5-11, 195, senior, Westland Glenn.  
 End/outside linebacker: Guy Moraskey, 5-10, 170, senior, North Farmington; Ed Jeannin, 5-9, 182, senior, Westland Glenn.  
 Linebacker: Mike Hamill, 5-10, 170, senior, North Farmington; Tony Contesti, 5-10, 170, senior, Walled Lake Central; Jamie Henry, 6-0, 190, senior, Westland Glenn.  
 Defensive back: Ed Gundry, 6-0, 180, senior, Plymouth Salem; John Ward, 6-1, 188, senior, Westland Glenn; Gary Chmiel, 5-8, 172, senior, Westland Glenn.

## rankings

These unscientific rankings are compiled each week by the Observer sports staff. Schools eligible to be ranked must come from the following coverage areas: Plymouth-Canton, Farmington, Livonia, Westland, Redford and Garden City.

- ### FOOTBALL
1. Farmington Harrison.
  2. Redford Catholic Central.
  3. North Farmington.
  4. Plymouth Salem.
  5. Westland Glenn.

## football

Specialist: John Truskowski, 5-9, 145, senior, Plymouth Salem.

### LAKES HONORABLE MENTION

North Farmington: Doug Fletcher, Brad Pawlowski, Eric Parker, Jon Sturtz; Plymouth Salem: Mark Cirella, Hugh Blake-Thomas, Matt Kuzwinski, Pat Martinez, Boyd Rudy, Rob Shepley, Bob Smith, Agon Ujjaj, Josh Vlas, Chip Wadowski, Pete Zantop; Westland Glenn: Mike Birt, Kerry Young; Farmington: Ryan Adams, Rob Cavagnio, Scott Holliday, Jay Jensen, Dave Link, Dave Monge, Brian Parrish; Livonia Stevenson: Jason Dreger, Frank Eupizi, Chris Lehti, Eric Ritters; Walled Lake Central: Mark Cregar, Mike Gluski, Andy Najco, Steve Rabaut, Mark Tartarski, Justin Williams.

### ALL-WESTERN DEFENSE

Center: Todd Osborne, 6-2, 205, senior, Northville.  
 Interior lineman: Frank Ankawi, 5-10, 175, senior, Farmington Harrison; Dave Bec, 6-2, 220, senior, Plymouth Canton; Chris Apap, 5-9, 175, senior, Walled Lake Western; Mickey Story, 6-7, 290, senior, Farmington Harrison.  
 Tight end: Jason Facione, 6-3, 195, junior, Livonia Franklin.  
 Wide receiver: Eric Cunningham, 6-3, 170, senior, Plymouth Canton; Dan Walsh, 5-8, 160, junior, Northville.  
 Quarterback: Andy Fitzpatrick, 6-4, 204, senior, Farmington Harrison.  
 Running back: Aaron Shakarian, 5-10, 180, senior, Livonia Franklin; Steve Hohl, 5-8, 160, senior, Plymouth Canton; Ryan Kukta, 5-7, 170, senior, Livonia Churchill.

### ALL-WESTERN DEFENSE

Down lineman: Brian Scholz, 5-10, 190, senior, Northville; John Spetz, 5-10, 190, senior, Farmington Harrison; Matt Loebig, 6-1, 240, junior, Walled Lake Western.  
 End/outside linebacker: Rip Wolff, 5-10, 165, Farmington Harrison; Kevin Marinkovich, 5-10, 170, junior, Livonia Franklin.  
 Linebacker: Brett Butz, 6-3, 190, senior, Northville; Mike Gjoetzer, 6-3, 250, senior, Farmington Harrison; Derek Lindsay, 6-2, 235, junior, Walled Lake Western.  
 Secondary: Joe Kalhorn, 5-10, 160, senior, Walled Lake Western; Greg Piscopini, 6-2, 185, senior, Farmington Harrison; Chad Olson, 6-2, 205, senior, Northville.  
 Specialist: Travis Itacqua, 5-9, 160, junior, Walled Lake Western.

### WESTERN HONORABLE MENTION

Farmington Harrison: Fred Klotzer, Dan High, Matt Gordon; Northville: John Barti, Scott Hardin, Brandon Hayes, Jim Luebke, Eric Shaw, Kevin Shaw, Jason Stolberg, Rob Subotich; Livonia Franklin: Jeff Hunt, Richard Koons, Keith Roberts; Walled Lake Western: Steve Bigham, Zach Budden, Norman Garner, Arnie Gillert, Benj Kim, Andy Nicholas; Plymouth Canton: Jim Hanna, Ben Hendricks, Matt Horn, John Knowlson, Mark Meszaros, Chris Rose; Livonia Churchill: Mike Johnson, Andy Mullett, Clint Shepley, Craig Shepley.

### GIRLS BASKETBALL

1. Plymouth Salem.
2. Plymouth Canton.
3. Farmington Hills Mercy.
4. Livonia Franklin.
5. Livonia Ladywood.

### BOYS SOCCER

1. Livonia Stevenson.
2. Plymouth Salem.
3. Livonia Churchill.
4. Redford Catholic Central.
5. Plymouth Canton.

### GIRLS SWIMMING

1. Livonia Stevenson.
2. Farmington Hills Mercy.
3. Plymouth Canton.
4. Redford Catholic Central.
5. North Farmington.

## STATE TOURNAMENT DISTRICT GIRLS BASKETBALL DRAWS

### CLASS A at NORTHVILLE HIGH

Monday, Nov. 18: (A) Northville vs. (B) Plymouth Salem, 7 p.m.  
 Wednesday, Nov. 20: Plymouth Canton vs. Livonia Ladywood, 6 p.m.; Liv. Stevenson vs. A-B winner, 7:30 p.m.  
 Friday, Nov. 22: Championship final, 7 p.m. (Winner advances to the Plymouth Canton regional vs. Temperance-Redford district champion.)

### at GARDEN CITY

Monday, Nov. 18: (A) Garden City vs. (B) Westland Glenn, 6:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday, Nov. 20: Livonia Churchill vs. Livonia Franklin, 6:30 p.m.; Wayne Memorial vs. A-B winner, 8 p.m.  
 Friday, Nov. 22: Championship final, 6:30 p.m. (Winner advances to the Dearborn Edsel Ford regional vs. Detroit Northwestern district champion.)

### at REDFORD UNION

Tuesday, Nov. 19: Redford Union vs. Detroit Henry Ford, 5:30 p.m.; Farmington vs. Southfield, 7:30 p.m.  
 Thursday, Nov. 21: Championship final, 6:30 p.m. (Winner advances to the Dearborn Edsel Ford regional vs. Edsel Ford district champion.)

### at WALLED LAKE CENTRAL

Monday, Nov. 18: (A) Walled Lake Central vs. (B) Walled Lake Western, 7:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday, Nov. 20: Farmington Hills Mercy vs. Novi, 6:30 p.m.; North Farmington vs. A-B winner, 8 p.m.  
 Friday, Nov. 22: Championship final, 7:30 p.m. (Winner advances to the Southfield-Lathrup regional vs. Berkley district champion.)

### CLASS B at REDFORD THURSTON

Monday, Nov. 18: (A) Redford Thurston vs. (B) Dearborn Heights Crestwood, 7 p.m.  
 Wednesday, Nov. 20: Detroit Benedictine vs. Farmington Harrison, 5:30 p.m.; Detroit Renaissance vs. A-B winner, 7:15 p.m.

## girls basketball

Friday, Nov. 22: Championship final, 7 p.m. (Winner advances to the Warren Woods Tower regional vs. Warren Fitzgerald district champion.)

### CLASS C at REDFORD BISHOP BORGESS

Monday, Nov. 18: (A) Birmingham-Detroit Country Day vs. (B) Lutheran High Westland, 6 p.m.; (C) Redford Bishop Borgess vs. (D) Dearborn Heights Fairlane Christian, 7:30 p.m.  
 Tuesday, Nov. 19: (E) Livonia Clearcreek vs. (F) Redford St. Agatha, 6 p.m.; (G) Detroit St. Martin DePorres vs. (H) Southfield Christian, 7:30 p.m.  
 Thursday, Nov. 21: A-B winner vs. C-D winner, 6 p.m.; E-F winner vs. G-H winner, 7:30 p.m.  
 Saturday, Nov. 23: Championship final, 6 p.m. (Winner advances to the Morenci regional vs. Onsted district champion.)

### CLASS D at DETROIT REDFORD ST. MARY

Monday, Nov. 18: (A) Detroit St. Mary's of Redford vs. (B) Wyandotte Mount Carmel, 6 p.m.; (C) Taylor Baptist Park vs. (D) Allen Park Inter-City Baptist, 8 p.m.  
 Wednesday, Nov. 20: Taylor Light & Life vs. A-B winner, 6 p.m.; Westland Huron Valley Lutheran vs. C-D winner, 8 p.m.  
 Friday, Nov. 22: Championship final, 7 p.m. (Winner advances to the Warren Bethesda Christian regional vs. Pontiac-Oakland Catholic district champion.)

### at PONTIAC-OAKLAND CATHOLIC

Monday, Nov. 18: (A) Plymouth Christian vs. (B) Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes, 6:30 p.m.; (C) Bloomfield Hills Sacred Heart vs. (D) Pontiac-Oakland Catholic, 8 p.m.  
 Wednesday, Nov. 20: Detroit Lutheran West vs. A-B winner, 6:30 p.m.; Bloomfield Hills Roeper vs. C-D winner, 8 p.m.  
 Friday, Nov. 22: Championship final, 6:30 p.m. (Winner advances to the Warren Bethesda Christian regional vs. Detroit St. Mary's of Redford district champion.)

## The Week Ahead

- PREP FOOTBALL**  
 Saturday, Nov. 16 (Class AA-Region III final)  
 Redford CC vs. Detroit Henry Ford at Liv. Clarenceville, 1:30 p.m.  
 (Class BB-Region IV final)  
 Allen Park at Farm. Harrison, 1:30 p.m.
- GIRLS BASKETBALL**  
 Thursday, Nov. 14  
 Det. Renaissance at Farm. Mercy, 4 p.m.  
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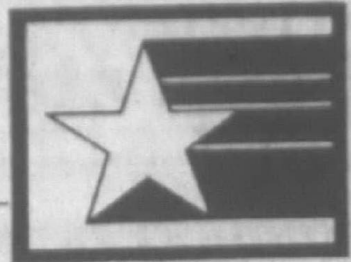


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## Home-grown talent thrives in opera company

Gilbert and Sullivan's operetta "The Mikado" opens Nov. 15 at the Fisher Theatre for 15 performances. For ticket information, call MOT at 874-SING.

By William Coutant  
staff writer

Although the Michigan Opera Theatre has become one of the top companies of its size in the country, it has always been a home-grown enterprise.

From its founder and director David DiChiera to its cast, MOT has taken advantage of the wealth of talent in Southeast Michigan. And those many performers have not only taken part in the company's success, but in many instances, have used MOT as a springboard to other area performances and even national appearances.

Some MOT performers, like Mary Callaghan Lynch, have been with the company since "the early days" when productions were fewer, and audiences were less sure of what to expect. Lynch, who will appear in the lead role for "The Mikado" beginning Nov. 15, started with the company 13 years ago.

"I started in the chorus," said Lynch. "Then I got small roles. Then I played the leading role of Yum-Yum in 'The Mikado' 10 years ago."

BUT LYNCH is not just appearing with the group simply because she's available or lives in the area. The Birmingham mother of two has played Yum-Yum four times, has worked with other production companies and is now a full-time performer.

"I do some commercial work in radio," she said. "And I continue to take lessons and do some coaching."

MOT also depends on many talented performers, like Patricia Pierobon of Troy, who are not full-time. Pierobon, a chorus performer for six seasons with MOT, came in with a strong opera background.

"I performed with the Scottish National Opera," said the Troy mother of two in her native country's accent. "I never really had a chance to pursue a career here."

**'I've had a very good experience. The people are good to work with.'**

— Rosalin Gaustella

But with her children grown, Pierobon has had a chance to practice, take voice lessons, and re-hone her vocal skills. Pierobon is quite happy to be a member of the chorus. She also likes Italian opera the best and performed the MOT's production of "La Traviata" in 1990.

ROSALIN GAUSTELLA, a performer with MOT since 1985, has seen her repertoire grow from strictly chorus parts to include some solo work.

Like many of the company's performers, the Plymouth resident works with other area companies, including the Warren Symphony Orchestra. And like most MOT members, Gaustella has a busy family life. And her experience with MOT? That's also typical.

"I've had a very good experience," the mother of three said. "The people are good to work with."

Paul Silver, a veteran of 16 MOT productions, has found a way to combine a business career with his love of musical theater.

"Eleven years ago I auditioned on the phone on a dare," said the 29-year-old Troy resident. "I had to sing over the phone."

Silver won the part as an extra in "Fidelio" and has been performing with the company ever since.

"I felt really intimidated by opera," Silver said. "But once I saw one, I was really hooked."

SILVER, WHO is a network manager for a computer marketing company, said there is a lot to learning even a small part in an opera.

"Although I've performed mostly in Italian, we've had productions in Polish, German and French. We don't have to be fluent, but we have to know what we're saying."

And Silver said MOT's audience is getting younger. If so, longtime



DOUGLAS SUSALLA/staff photographer

Michigan Opera Theatre has thrived, in part, because of the availability of talented performers and staff who live in southeastern Michigan. Lending their talents to MOT's production of "The Mikado" are (left to right) Rosalin Gaustella of Plymouth, Paul Silver of Troy, Mary Callaghan Lynch of Birmingham and Judith Szefti of Troy.

Livonia resident Deloris Tobis probably has something to do with it. Tobis, who has five grown daughters, arranges MOT presentations for schools and groups throughout the state. Presentations for kindergartners to sixth graders include "Little Red Riding Hood," a one-act opera by Mozart based on a familiar story for kids. Older students and adults may see a Broadway show.

"It serves a dual purpose," Tobis

said. "We need to have future supporters of the arts. But there is also enrichment. A lot of people hear the word opera and say 'yuck,'" she said. "They think of a fat lady singing. This is a way to show them what opera really is."

TOBIS' MESSAGE has not been lost in southeast Michigan where MOT has gone from a tiny company with two productions a year, to a

company with a full-time staff of 30 and the prospect of having its own theater by 1994. And maybe some of MOT's success is due to the variety of productions, which range from opera to musical, and even dance.

Tobis said that is as it should be.

"That's why it's called Michigan Opera Theatre," she said. "It's both opera and theater."

liance on some of the greatest masters of classical music, and stories to match, is the most attractive vehicle for many performers.

"Opera combines acting and vocals," said Lynch. "You have to have both."

"I have a strong theater background," she said. "So Gilbert and Sullivan has come very easy for me. It's my forte."

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# Journey to Oz full of surprise

Performances of the Birmingham Theatre production of "The Wizard of Oz" opened Nov. 13 and continues through Dec. 15. For ticket information, call the box office at 644-3533.

By Barbara Michals special writer

One glance at the spectacular set for the "yellow brick road," a banked double helix spiraling upwards, suggests that the Birmingham Theatre's production of "The Wizard of Oz" will be familiar and yet different.

That this production is unique, not simply an imitation of the classic MGM movie, is the idea stressed by both Worth Gardner, the show's director, choreographer, and composer, and Tom Lawson, the production stage manager and technical wizard of this "Oz."

ALL OF the familiar characters and songs will be included, along with new songs based on the original Harold Arlen melodies. The most obvious change is that the Wicked Witch of the West is now a male. Also an actor will be portraying L. Frank Baum, the creator of the Oz books. Baum will serve as a narrator to the play and also a character himself.

"We're expanding on the familiar story," Lawson explained, taking a

break in the theater lobby from working on lighting set-ups. "Adults will love it just as much as children. They will come for the nostalgia, but they will be pleasantly surprised. This is a more enhanced version, with some of the humor more subtle."

"This is getting back to basics, to what makes one happy," Lawson added. "It's the kind of show where you can just forget about everything for two hours and indulge the child within us all."

This production, which began at the University of Cincinnati in 1982, and was recently presented at the Cincinnati Playhouse in the Park, features plenty of technical wizardry to dazzle the eye. The Wicked Witch will do pyrotechnic tricks with his umbrella and eventually "melt" on stage, disappearing through a trap door while his cape flares out on the floor amidst a shroud of fog. Lawson explained, crouching down to demonstrate.

FOR THE poppy scene, a parachute effect will drop down and spread out, with lights creating first the field of red poppies and then the snow that covers them before the whole will seem to go down a drain.

For the diminutive Munchkins, full-size dancers will pop out of trap doors but only to waist level. They will dance with shoes on their hands, with fake arms and roly-poly bodies clad in funky costumes.

While there won't be a real torna-



The Wicked Witch of the West (Darren Matthias) with his dastardly entourage of flying monkeys in "The Wizard of Oz."

do on stage, the bed will fly as one of the 500 cues occupying a back-stage crew of 18 while the 19-member cast performs

Dismissing the various psychological theories that have evolved about the appeal of "The Wizard of Oz," Gardner sees the Oz stories as continuing in the long established literary tradition of using a journey as a metaphor for life itself. As in "The Iliad" and "The Odyssey," the char-

acter is asked to do the impossible as a test of courage. "We find out a lot about ourselves when we're asked to do something we didn't think we could do."

Barbara Michals is a retired Southfield English teacher. A theater critic for the last 17 years, she is an inveterate playgoer who regularly catches up on all the New York productions.

# 'Ten Little Indians' won't disappoint fans

Performances of the Meadow Brook Theatre production of "Ten Little Indians" continue through Nov. 24 on the Oakland University campus in Rochester Hills. For ticket information, call the box office at 377-3300.



Cathie Breidenbach

Ten guests invited by mysterious letters to an island retreat cut off from the mainland. No phone. No boat. No one else on the island except 10 strangers, each with a past tainted with murder. Hackneyed formula for the English murder mystery?

Yes, indeed, but fans of Agatha Christie mysteries usually prefer their who-done-it unknowns liberally mixed with well-known and well-loved characters and settings.

Meadow Brook Theatre's able production of Christie's "Ten Little Indians" comes through with comforting predictability in story, characters, and setting.

The plot sets up the same old lock-in scenario making it impossible for the suspects to escape (the remote island is seas rough from an inevitable storm).

Agatha Christie brings together the same old assemblage of tweedy, uppercrust Britishers vintage 1940s — a military man brandishing a cane and hobbling stiff legged, presumably because he was wounded in glorious battle; a spindly, pickle-pussed spinster; an inspector type; and a pretty lady wearing hose with seams down the back to show off her good legs. The murders, a lineup of them before

the culprit is unmasked, follow proper English mystery protocol by being bizarre and virtually bloodless terminations.

THIS PRESCRIPTION plot is predictably set in a country manor house which designer Peter Hicks creates with his usual good taste. Lord knows he's had plenty of practice through the years. A wing-backed chair is set by the fireplace, oriental rugs over the floor, dark wood moldings abound, and French doors open onto the garden or in "Ten Little Indians" onto the terrace overlooking the water. Like getting off the highway for a bite at McDonald's, there's comfort in knowing what to expect.

That holds for the cast which reads like a repertory list with the same fine player returning play after play. This production includes Geoffrey Beauchamp, Maureen McDevitt, Eric Tavares, Jillian Lindig, Wil Love, Carl Schury, Thomas Mahard, Paul Hopper, Sue Kenny, and Richard Schrot, all familiar names and able actors.

Cathie Breidenbach of West Bloomfield teaches college writing classes and works as a freelance writer.

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### ● VETERANS' CONCERT

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# Japanese build fine cars, but parking eludes them

Directions to the Tokyo Motor Show include a strong warning against driving a car to the show in Chiba City, north of Tokyo, where a new exhibition hall rises at the edge of Tokyo Bay, staked out by high-rise construction cranes still working on a massive convention center.

The new convention center is built on filled wetlands and marks the northern limit of the largest concentration of heavy industry and manufacturing on earth — a boiling mass of smokestack industries that stretches nearly 30 miles south, interspersed with the modern high-rises and congestion of Tokyo and Yokohama.

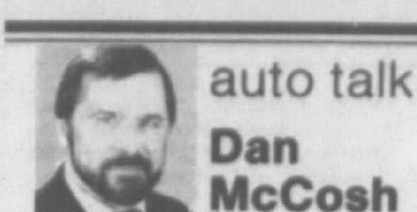
THERE IS, of course, no place to park, which is why the show brochure recommends taking the train, nearly an hour and a half from the center city. The show's theme this year is "Discovering a new relationship: Man, Car and Earth as One." Somehow, it figures.

The Tokyo Motor Show has become the trend-watchers show

among the major auto expositions. More new production models will be launched in Detroit than Tokyo this January, and Frankfurt is still favored by the haute couture Italian designers. But the tension is highest at Tokyo, where the power balance of the auto industry of three continents is palpable.

THE NOTORIETY of the Tokyo show has grown exponentially along with the effect of exported Japanese cars. The early years were displays of automotive oddities, including the vast array of minicars sold mainly in Japan, their bug-like cuteness vastly more appealing to an unfamiliar Westerner than the hapless Japanese commuter crammed inside. In recent years the juggernaut of new models and new technology — four-wheel steering, all-wheel drive, navigation systems — made the show a nerve-wracking experience for auto designers wondering what they had to contend with next.

CURIOSLY, THIS year there



auto talk  
**Dan McCosh**

was a leveling off of high-flying ideas that characterized Tokyo in the past. Far fewer concept cars that rolled on spherical wheels, far more styling exercises testing the waters for a future model. New models launched at Tokyo just added to a steady stream that have been already unveiled elsewhere. The new Mazda RX7 was the standout, along with the Toyota Aristo, and the new Ford Telstar.

In this milieu, against the environmental theme, the Europeans made some startling intrusions. The new Jaguar XJ220 supercar, a 220-mph mid-engine sports car, was launched at the show. The XJ220 is one of the most elegant exotics ever built.

Likewise a 200-mph Mercedes "safety car."

LOOMING OVER them all was the Audi Avus Quattro, a polished aluminum, blunt-nosed sports car with a W-12 engine and 220-mph top speed. "They brought that here to kick the Japanese in the shins," said one observer.

The Americans made less of an impact, although the new Cadillac Seville managed to make the point that there is a modern, but distinctly American car. And Ford put its Contour show car, from last year's Detroit show, on display.

All this was in balance until you wandered to the glass cases full of

technical displays, hastily put together to demonstrate that the Japanese manufacturers were, indeed, pursuing the environmental theme.

ROW AFTER row of new engine and transmission designs, burning alternative fuels or gasoline more efficiently were discreetly lined up in the cases. Several appeared at the edge of a genuine breakthrough that would solve the hangups that have been hindering new technology for years.

Relatively few of the thousands milling the show floor bothered to peer into the glass cases. But it was an impressive display of engineering hardball, the kind of developmental work that will shape the cars of the 1990s.

Now if they could figure out how to build a parking lot, I was thinking as I left the show and took the bus back to Tokyo.

Dan McCosh is automotive editor of Popular Science magazine.

## Ford unveils new line

Continued from back page

One part of the transmission plant has been renovated to accommodate this new transmission.

"Ergonomically, it's the best line I've worked on," said Mike Bowman, who works in the case machining area. Gone are the mist in the air and the oil on the floor that was found in the old line area dating back 12-15 years, he said.

The Magnetic Displacement Sensing (MDS), a new technology being used on the AODE line, can spot missing or misplaced components inside sealed components. Magnetic fields pass through non-ferrous material, such as aluminum, and inspect complicated subassemblies.

The MDS scans components like pins, springs, and bearings to make sure that the subassemblies are assembled properly. The MDS-based system performs an on-line inspection of a transmission subassembly within one second, officials said.

IN ADDITION TO the AODE transmission, the Livonia plant manufactures the AOD and AXOD

transmissions. The latter is a front-wheel drive transaxle used in the Ford Taurus and Mercury Sable.

At 3.3 million square feet, the Livonia plant is the largest of Ford's component operations. Opened in 1952, the plant has undergone six major additions. Some 3,570 workers are employed there with an annual payroll of \$175 million, officials said.

U.S. Army tanks were the first products produced at the plant, which opened in 1952 and sits on 182 acres.

"It's the largest manufacturing facility under one roof," Wisniewski said.

The plant's products go into the Bronco, Continental, Cougar, Crown Victoria, Econoline, Grand Marquis, Lincoln Town Car, Mark VII, Mexican Sable, Mexican Thunderbird, Mustang, Sable, Taurus, Thunderbird and light trucks.

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## business people

**PHILIP LESKY** has been named partner at Hyatt Legal Services. He will assume responsibilities at Hyatt Legal Services offices in Westland and Madison Heights.

**BRUCE W. TERRIO MD**, a resident of Livonia, has been named to the medical staff at Providence Hospital in Southfield.

**DAVID G. LEWANDOWSKI**, CPA, with the Livonia firm R.J. Dickschott & Co., P.C., participated in the Livonia Career Center educational program.

**AUDREY BRODOWSKI** of Livonia has joined United Home Health Services in Canton. She will provide nursing care to homebound patients.

**CARMELA CAMPOLI**, an experienced Realtor for nearly 25 years, has joined One Way Realty Ltd. in Livonia.

**LINDA EPSTEIN** of Livonia Michigan is one 14 Enesco Corporation sales representatives who won an all expense paid trip to the Orient based on excellence in sales performance. Enesco Corporation is a national gift and collectibles company.



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**IRVIN W. CHMIELEWSKI** of Canton, a business planning specialist at EDS Electronic Data Interchange Center of Service in Troy has received the outstanding Achievement Award from the Automotive Industry Action Group for his leadership and accomplishments in the industry.

**RICHARD ZACHARIAS**, an automotive mechanic for United Parcel Service, was recently recognized by the company for completing 20

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**DANIEL L. TURBAC**, agency manager for the State Farm Insurance Companies, has been awarded the professional insurance designation of Chartered Property Casualty Underwriter by the American Institute for Property & Liability Underwriters.

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Freight Systems in Dearborn, has received the 1991 Outstanding Achievement Award from the Automotive Industry Action Group.

**STEVE MYERS**, a consultant, lecturer, attorney and an adjunct assistant professor at Madonna College in Livonia, has been selected to participate in the first Japan America "Grass Roots Summit in Kyoto, Japan.

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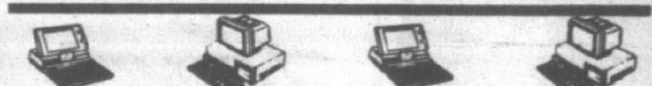
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## Competition heats up in dog-eat-dog supply stores

By David F. Stein  
special writer

The Pet Emporium, Pet Supermarket, Pet Supplies "Plus."

They are to pet owners what the Sports Authority is to athletes or what F & M is to the health and beauty aid shopper.

Within the last several years, a mass merchandising concept for pet foods and pet supplies has taken hold. The new large stores, at 5,000-7,000 square feet, are taking aim at the pet sales of grocery stores and smaller neighborhood pet shops.

These stores don't sell pets, but their supermarket-like aisles are loaded with just about anything you might need to feed, restrain, house, train, transport, entertain or clothe your pet.

The stores feature premium pet food lines, competitive pricing and special events like having Fido pose with Santa as a benefit for pet shelters or anti-cruelty groups. Many welcome pets in the stores, and bulletin boards are festooned with photos of owners' pride and joy.

Perhaps the most prominent newcomer is Pet Supplies "Plus," developed by Farmington resident Jack Berry, which began with a 7,000-square-foot store and corporate headquarters in Redford in 1988.

Within three years, Pet Supplies "Plus" has expanded to five corporate and eight franchise locations in the Detroit area. Other area stores are in Farmington Hills and Union Lake. Pet Supplies "Plus" will have 20 stores in Michigan by the end of this year, and Berry is prepar-



Redford's Heather Gray rings up a customer at the Redford Township Pet Supplies "Plus."

photo by DAVID STEIN

ing for national franchising.

"The pet business, up to that point, was basically a hobbyist business with pets. People running pet stores were hobbyists, not business people," said Berry, part-owner and chief operating officer.

"Basically, all I've done is I've taken the pet category and moved it into the '90s," added Berry, who has more than 40 years of experience in the grocery business.

THE PET FOOD and supply market is nothing to bark at. More than 50 million dogs and more than 50 million cats are kept as pets in the United States.

Overall, Americans spent more than \$2 billion on pet supplies and food in 1990. Gross sales and service per pet store nationally has increased 40 percent in just three years, from an average of \$169,000 in 1987 to

\$238,000 in 1990. Companies spent \$126 million advertising pet products on network television in 1988, the last year for which figures are available.

All three stores carry extensive lines of premium pet foods, including Iams, Science Diet, Nutro, Purina Pro Plan and Nature's Recipe brands. The typical Pet Supplies "Plus" location may have more than 100 different kinds of dog food, counting the familiar grocery store lines they also carry. Sales for pet foods account for as much as half of total sales at these larger stores.

"The health consciousness of everyone has increased in the last five or 10 years and that health consciousness is carrying over to pet products," said Chuck Haffey, owner of Pet Supermarket stores.

Haffey opened a 6,000-square-foot Livonia store in

1989 and has added outlets in Farmington Hills and Pontiac.

Tom Talbot, who opened the 4,800-square-foot Pet Emporium in Livonia in March, said grocery stores are his main competition.

"The grocery stores are the main competition of every store like us because they own 85 percent of the pet food market," said Talbot, a retired Southfield policeman.

THE NEW STORES, according to Haffey, reflect the search for good business opportunities by those finding less upward mobility on today's downsized corporate ladders.

"A long time ago, all the auto parts stores were little, tiny places; Murry's Discount Auto turned it into a supermarket for auto parts," Haffey said.

"People want the service. They are willing to pay for it, but they want someone who is clean and presentable and professional about it.

Perhaps the move to large pet stores was begun locally by Specialty Pet Supplies of Plymouth with a 5,000-square-foot store that opened in 1979.

"Everybody copied us; 10 to 12 years ago there were no stores with strictly supplies, said Terri Bennet, who opened a second store in Farmington Hills in 1989.

Bennet does not believe her stores are competing directly with the larger newcomers.

"We specialize in service," Bennet said. "We have a wide variety of everyday pet needs plus specialization in unusual, hard-to-find items that need backup with information."

These items include show dog equipment and a full line of supplies and training aids for hunting dogs.

"What we are successful at is service; it never gets stale," Bennet said.

Bennet echoes managers and owners at smaller, traditional shops that sell pets as well as food and supplies. They contend that the combination of special attention to service and knowledge about pets will retain the important food and supply part of their business. But they also admit that the pet supply mass merchandisers are formidable competition.

"It hurts business a little bit, (but) I don't think the warehouse store can offer the individual service," said Steve Schultz, manager of Twentieth Century Pets in Westland.

"They have more clerks, but not a vast knowledge of products and the care and upkeep of animals. I think once (small stores) get a sound clientele base, people are willing to pay the few extra cents to get the extra knowledge they need."

## Duty drawback: pennies from government heaven?

By Brian Lysaght  
staff writer

Harvey O. Larson is used to explaining what he does for a living. It's good for business.

Larson is president of the Farmington Hills-based Duty Drawback Service, Inc. The firm helps clients claim little-known rebates called duty drawback from the U.S. Customs Service. The refunds are available to firms who pay tariffs on components goods, then export either the components or products that contain them. Up to 99 percent of the original import duty can be refunded.

Larson estimates "hundreds and hundreds" of eligible Detroit-area companies are unaware of duty drawback.

"It's been around since 1789 and people still don't know much about it," said Larson, whose father founded Duty Drawback Service in 1956. Duty drawback was authorized by an 18th century U.S. tariff act.

According to Larson, the U.S. government annually collects more than \$16 billion in customs duty, \$2.4 billion of which is eligible to be returned to companies as drawback. But only \$400 million of that is claimed.

"There is really millions of dollars

going uncollected," Larson said. That's because companies don't know about the arrangement.

The customs service makes efforts to inform the business community, and Larson does his part because it's good for business, he said.

Here are some examples of companies that can qualify for drawback:

- Company A. imports microchips for use in widgets that it assembles and exports.

- Company B. is eligible if it buys microchips that Company C. imports, then uses the microchips in widgets that Company B. exports.

- Company D. imports microchips, stores them and includes them, along with domestically produced microchips, in widgets it exports.

DUTY DRAWBACK may be the closest thing to pennies from heaven that the government provides. The purpose of drawback is to help American firms compete in foreign markets, Larson said.

Not surprisingly, the customs service wants extensive documentation and paperwork in order.

"There is a myriad of forms, rules and procedures that have to be followed," he said. Larson's company usually works for a percentage of the drawback.

The U.S.-Canada Free Trade Agreement will eliminate or limit some kinds of drawback in 1994, but Larson said he didn't expect the agreement to affect his business much because refunds are retroactive in many cases. Also, there is the large untapped market.

The company has about 200 clients, some large, some small. The larger are among the newest and largest is Ford Motor Co. The truck components manufacturer Kelsey-Hayes is another. Some larger companies have their own duty drawback departments. Larson's father worked in General Motors duty drawback department before launching his own company.

Harvey O. Larson joined his father's company in 1968. They later sold the firm, and in 1990 it was purchased by John V. Carr and Son Inc., a customhouse brokerage and freight forwarding firm. Manufacturer's National Bank owns Carr and Son.

Duty Drawback Service moved to larger quarters in Farmington Hills this summer, and increased staffing by 30 percent.

"We have to hire people who know nothing about drawback and teach them everything," said Larson, adding that the refund arrangement is not even covered in some business textbooks.

## Ford unveils new line at Livonia transmission plant

By Susan Buck  
staff writer

Ford Motor Co. has invested nearly \$400 million in its Livonia Transmission plant for production of a new electronic automatic overdrive transmission (AODE).

The plant, located at Plymouth Road and Levan, will be the only Ford plant to produce the transmission.

The AODE is a four-speed electronically controlled automatic transmission that Ford expects will improve and strengthen the powertrain lineup. The first production units will be installed in the 1992 Lincoln Town Car built at the Wixom Assembly plant.

Ford expects to add the AODE to the Ford Crown Victoria and the Mercury Grand Marquis in the spring.

"Launching this highly advanced transmission required installing 91 new machines and required more than 20,000 hours of employee training," said Gene Wise, plant manager. "Successfully completing this effort

reflects the cooperation, hard work and dedication of our salaried and hourly employees, the leadership of UAW Local 182 and Ford management who comprise the Livonia team."

Ford officials are lauding what they call an "employee involvement" process which created "cross functional teams" of hourly employees, supervisors, process engineers and quality control representatives for each AODE component.

"The whole program is built on the team approach," said Tim Wisniewski, a plant engineer.

JOHN CAIZZA, vice president of UAW Local 182, in Livonia views the AODE transmission as a "new product, but nothing unique." The AODE represents one step further in automation, further impacting on future jobs, he said.

Car sales are down, Caizza said. "Our minds aren't ready for a team approach," Caizza said. "We work by classification."

Actual production of the AODE depends on projected sales of the

1992 Lincoln Town Car, said Bill Carroll, manager of the Ford Motor North American news bureau. No jobs will be added to build the transmission.

Overall car sales, including the Lincoln Town Car are down, Carroll said.

Ford expects a turnaround by spring, Carroll said. "Our annual production rate (for the Lincoln Town Car) has been increasing," Carroll said.

The AODE line incorporates new technology with robotic and gauging systems.

Lasers, which can reach 5,000 watts, are used to weld steel parts together, resulting in increased strengthening, accuracy and quality, said Dennis McGregor, a welder, during a plant tour.

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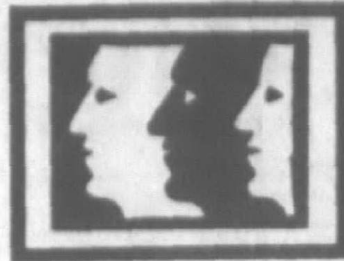
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# Suburban Life

Julie Brown editor/459-2700



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Cleaning up's an important job, although those who do the work aren't always acknowledged or appreciated. This scene from the play includes Ericks Mac (top), along with (left to

right): Jennifer Steinmiller, Jennifer Gawlik, Karyn Gniewek, Colleen Cronin, Dyan Sturdy, Maria Kovac, and Melanie Farrow.

## Play tells stories of working for a living

The everyday stories of ordinary working men and women aren't often told in plays or movies, but their lives and times are the focus of the upcoming Plymouth Park Players production, "Working."

"We've tried to put together an entire season that's a tribute to the American worker," said director Gloria Logan. "Working" is based on the Studs Terkel book of that name in which the author told the stories of working people from all walks of life.

The musical "Working" is serious. "It's got light moments in it too," Logan said. "You learn some things about all these occupations. I think it's always healthy to wear somebody else's shoes for a while."

The production will highlight the talents of students from Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem High Schools. Performances will be 8 p.m. Thursday through Saturday, Nov. 21-23, in the auditorium of Plymouth Salem High School, 46181 Joy, west of Canton Center in Canton.

THE STUDENT actors don't generally do a musical in the fall, so this will be something new, Logan said. The Plymouth Park Players will present another musical, "The Pajama Game," next spring.

"It's kind of a silly, fun, frivolous look at management and labor," she said. "The Pajama Game" also focuses on the workplace and includes elements of romance.

The focus in "Working" is on such people as a steel worker, parking lot attendant, waitress, mill worker and others, "including the housewife. She's one of our workers."

One character, the teacher, has been on the job for 42 years. "She's frustrated and disgruntled with the fact that they want her to try new techniques, but they don't tell her how."

The show's realistic in that some



The firefighters in "Working" are played by Brian Sage (left) and David Burtka.

**'You learn some things about all these occupations. I think it's always healthy to wear somebody else's shoes for a while.'**

— Gloria Logan  
director

workers are unhappy while others find their jobs rewarding.

The cast includes 17 Centennial Educational Park students in ninth through 12 grades. Rehearsals began about seven weeks ago.

"It's a really tough show." Each actor has three or four different roles to play. They must represent those specific occupations and the American worker in general.

WHEN AUDIENCE members first come in, the stage at Salem will be bare. The all-purpose set will be add-

ed, with some 30 different locations created through the use of costumes, props and lighting.

The play incorporates different kinds of music, including pop, jazz, folk music and swing.

One musical number, "Something To Point To," deals with the fact that all workers need something "that they can point to and say 'I did that.'" The opening number, "All the Live Long Day," describes how each worker fits into the overall picture and how workers' efforts come together.

"It's not political, but it says a great deal."

The cast members and production staffers are working hard, but aren't earning union scale for their efforts. Students participate for the experience and enjoyment, rather than the pay, which is non-existent.

"We give them a raise every year, double their salary every year," Logan said with a smile.

Ticket price for "Working" is \$4, and it's recommended that playgoers get tickets in advance. For ticket information, call 459-3518. The box office at Salem will open 6:30 p.m. show nights.

THE CAST includes: David Burtka; Sarah Colomina; Colleen Cronin; Jason Danely; Wayne Faler; Melanie Farrow; Ryan Fisher; Jennifer Gawlik; Karyn Gniewek; Christian Hebel; Maria Kovac; Andy LeRoy; Ericka Mac; Leo Moschouris; Brian Sage; Jennifer Steinmiller; and Dyan Sturdy.

Production staff members are: Karyn Gniewek and Jeff Zarosley, assistant directors/stage managers; Derek Duerr and Julie Rummel, set execution; David Burtka, publicity; Kim Akers, house manager; Beth Turromsha and Dawn Young, lights; Tina Felt, props; Amy Hooper and Julie Oldham, costumes; Jean Paldan and Sue Ratcliffe, makeup; Tara Blackwell and Sean O'Keefe, sound; Gloria Logan, director; Don Daniels, vocal director; Norman Logan, orchestra conductor; and Cletus Karamon, technical director.



This scene from "Working" includes Karyn Gniewek, along with Sarah Colomina and Jennifer Gawlik (in background).

## Couch potatoes Fitness: It matters for kids too

By Julie Brown  
staff writer

MANY KIDS are busier than ever these days. Activities that promote physical fitness — including plain old-fashioned play — can get squeezed out of the picture.

"I think they are tending to watch too much TV and Nintendo," said Jane Bersuder, a physical education teacher at Fiegel Elementary School in Plymouth Township. Other factors also play a part.

"Their days are pretty well planned," said Bersuder, who's taught for about 10 years and is in her second year with the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. Parents may not be at home to encourage youngsters to go out and play.

"Family lives are a lot busier," said Bersuder, who has three sons ages 12, 13 and 18. Eating habits have changed as well, with more families relying on fast food to help them get through their busy days.

TODAY'S KIDS are on the average a little less fit than their counterparts of a generation or so ago, said Dr. Vern Seefeldt, director of the Youth Sports Institute at Michigan State University.

Staffers at the institute in East Lansing conduct workshops and do research, studying the beneficial and detrimental effects of sports on young people. Staffers also write educational materials for coaches.

"I think we have children who are more physically fit," said Seefeldt, who earned a doctorate in child growth and development from the University of Wisconsin-

Madison.

The top 25 percent of today's youngsters are more skilled and in better shape than was true in the past. At the same time, a larger group of more sedentary children brings the test levels down.

"There is less demand on physical labor," Seefeldt said. The attrition of physical education in elementary schools has played a part as well. These days, grade schools average only 30 hours per year — two half-hour periods each week — of physical education.

"That is insufficient to maintain any kind of physical fitness." The addition of other classes to the curriculum means physical education doesn't play the role it once did, although evidence shows being physically fit boosts academic performance, he said.

"THERE ARE a number of programs that vie for the time that used to be customarily available." In some cases, a general classroom teacher who doesn't have an interest or background in physical education teaches gym classes and turns them into a "glorified recess," Seefeldt said.

Schools do have a major role to play in promoting fitness, said Bob Dates, recreation supervisor for Canton Township. He too has noticed the change in recent years.

"When I was growing up, the big thing was to be involved in sports and athletics," said Dates, a 38-year-old Canton resident. "I think there's more available to the kids nowadays. They have so many options today."

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Peter Stamos, a Fiegel Elementary School student, and his classmates know that physical education class can be a lot of fun.

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# Lifelong fitness starts at an early age

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One option is organized sports. "It's a good opportunity," Seefeldt said. "Unfortunately, that deals only with the highly skilled individuals."

Organized sports also tend to be highly structured, and children benefit from having some time for "free play where democracy really comes to the fore," Seefeldt said. "Most sports are imposed on children. I think there's room for both."

Bersuder encourages her students at Fiegel to get interested in some type of activity they can enjoy for the rest of their lives. Exercise that promotes cardiovascular fitness will keep kids going strong for life, so that they don't become middle-aged couch potatoes.

AT HER SCHOOL, youngsters have participated in such activities as a "Jump Rope for Heart" for the American Heart Association and a Halloween "jack-o-lantern" jog in which they walked, ran or jogged on a track.

Dates encourages boys and girls to try a lot of activities and see what they like. Making sure activities are fun is essential, particularly when kids are young, he said. The competition can come later.

"I think that destroys more kids. Kids get discouraged from participating in certain activities because they don't have immediate success." In some cases, a child finds immediate success in playing a video game, and chooses that rather than a more physically demanding activity, Dates said.

Parents can do a great deal to help kids get in shape or stay in shape, they agree. Parents who practice what they preach incorporate fitness activities into their own lives.

Both Bersuder and Seefeldt have encouraged their own children to stay in shape. Seefeldt's two children are grown and have families of their own.

"We kept them involved and they loved physical activities and still do," he said. "They were brought up on an active lifestyle and that really makes a difference."

ENCOURAGING CHILDREN to exercise and to follow other good health habits, such as getting enough sleep and eating nutritious foods, is important. Parents can help children "to really start making some healthy choices and knowing what those healthy choices are," Bersuder said.

Parents need to be sure that local schools assess fitness and then make their views known if they don't like what they find, Seefeldt said. "I think it's the parents who then need to get after the school administrators to change the program."

He believes schools should require a certain level of fitness among students and provide remedial assistance for those whose levels are so low as to imperil their health.

"Then they should be educated to do something about it."

Students need to learn fundamental motor skills in early elementary school and will be reluctant to participate without those, Seefeldt said. The physical education teacher can work one-on-one

or in small groups with students who are having difficulty.

"Remedial help and the guidance of skillful instructors is generally needed," he said.

Programs to promote fitness do cost money; in some cases yuppie parents who have health club memberships don't recognize the need for fitness programs for the grade school set.

"But they won't provide that same opportunity for their children," Seefeldt said. They may vote down funding for such programs in schools or recreation centers, displaying an "unwillingness to provide part of that good life for children who are less fortunate."

Jane Bersuder teaches a physical education class at Fiegel Elementary School. She encourages her students to become interested in some kind of activity to promote fitness that they enjoy and can do for the rest of their lives.



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## weddings and engagements

### Olson-Akey

Sheri Akey, formerly of Livonia, and David Olson were married Sept. 4 in a sunset ceremony on the beach in Maui, Hawaii.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Akey of Canton and Mrs. Dyanne Olson of Cambridge, Minn.

The bride is a graduate of Bentley High School and Wayne State University. She is employed as the operations manager of First Com Broadcasting in Dallas, Texas.

Her husband is employed as a sales representative with Sabin-Robbins Paper Co., based in Dallas.

The newlyweds are making their home in Dallas.



### Abner-Schmedding

Lisa Schmedding of Plymouth and Paul Abner of Plymouth were married Oct. 5 at the Plymouth Church of Christ. Bill Bunting performed the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Lou and Trisha Schmedding of Plymouth and Charles and Linda Abner of Plymouth.

The bride is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. She is employed with DPCS International in Livonia.

Her husband is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. He is employed with Foodland Distributors in Livonia.

Danielle McDonough was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were sister of the bridegroom Kim Kays and Michelle Rusenstrom. Sister of the bride Janine Schmedding was the junior bridesmaid. Sister of the bride Stacey Schmedding was the flower girl.

Brother of the bridegroom Charles W. Abner was the best man. The ushers were Mark Kays and Jason



Newbill. Bobby McKiddy was the ring bearer.

For her wedding, the bride wore a form-fitting satin gown adorned with a touch of beads and lace. She carried a cascading bouquet of carnations, roses and greenery.

A reception was held at the VFW Hall in Westland.

The newlyweds took a wedding cruise to the Bahamas.

### Obreiter-Landini

Karen Michele Obreiter of Washington, D.C., daughter of Maria D. Obreiter of Bay Shore, N.Y., and the late Nicholas Henry Obreiter, is engaged to Michael Joseph Landini of Arlington, Va., son of Raphael J. and Elizabeth Landini of Plymouth.

The bride-elect is a graduate of George Washington University in Washington, D.C., where she earned a bachelor of arts degree in education and political science. She is a candidate for a master of finance and investments degree from George Washington University. She is employed as a portfolio administrator with Chase Manhattan Bank.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Michigan State University and of George Washington University, where he earned a master of finance and investments degree. He is employed as an assistant vice president and commercial lending officer with Franklin National Bank in Washington, D.C.



A May 1992 wedding is planned at St. Dominic's Church in Washington, D.C.

## anniversaries

### Couple marks 55th anniversary

Henry and Antoinette Capaldi of Canton are celebrating their 55th wedding anniversary.

Henry Capaldi and Antoinette Potryms were married Nov. 28, 1936, at Santa Maria Church in Detroit. They have lived in the community for 12 years.

The couple's children are: Barbara Mohawk of Warren; Connie Mercier of Warren; and Rick Capaldi of Canton. They also have 10 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

A celebration is planned at the Marriott Hotel in Livonia. Guests will include the couple's grandchildren and great-grandchild, their brothers and sisters, other family



members and Lilah Patchett. Capaldi, who has been self-employed, and his wife are members of St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton.

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# Looking her best: It's a priority on, off the job

By Julie Brown  
staff writer

## off the cuff

Vicki Jastrabek can't put on just any old thing when she goes to work. She's a fashion sales consultant in the Oval Room at Hudson's in the Twelve Oaks Mall, Novi.

"You have to look well-groomed," said Jastrabek, a Canton resident who's been with Hudson's for almost five years. She likes to look her best, but can't spend hours thinking about what to wear to work.

"During the holidays, it's very busy." She buys clothes that will work well with what she already owns, and can put outfits together quickly.

She went to work for Hudson's at age 52, starting out in the Performance Plus bonus incentive program at the Oakland Mall store.

"I knew I had what they wanted," said Jastrabek, who had previously worked for Weight Watchers and done fashion demonstrations and program training for that organization. She's continued to do a lot of speaking on fashion to women's groups.

JASTRABEK MOVED to Twelve Oaks, and spent about a year working in the F.Y.I. (For Your Image) wardrobing/personal shopping service. She enjoyed her time with F.Y.I., but found that she preferred the faster pace of the sales floor and has spent almost two years in the Oval Room.

"Most of the fashions are very sophisticated," said Jastrabek, who works in the career and dress area. She avoids the "hard sell" high-pressure approach when working with customers.

Jastrabek, who was a full-time homemaker when her children were younger, encourages other women to use the free F.Y.I. service. It can be a tremendous help to middle-aged women who are returning to the workforce.

"Clothing is an investment. When you have something special on, it makes you feel special," said Jastrabek, who encourages customers to look for quality, buying half as much and paying twice as much.

She likes to wear such colors as purple, black and red. Jastrabek believes in having color analysis done by a professional; she found she was a winter person, which means those colors are the most flattering.

SHE'S DISCOVERED there's plenty for women to choose from these days when shopping for clothes.

"Business attire isn't as dull and boring as it used to be. There's much more of a sense of style." Even a conservative suit can be dressed up with a pocket hanky, a scarf or jewelry.

Away from work, Jastrabek's style is simple.

"For leisure, I love jumpsuits. You can have a lot of fun with them." Jumpsuits are chic but casual, said Jastrabek, who was nominated for Off the Cuff by her 22-year-old daughter, Marie, a University of Michigan-Dearborn student. Jastrabek also has two grown sons, Frank and Andy.

Not surprisingly, Jastrabek does most of her shopping at Hudson's — she estimated that 98 percent of her wardrobe originates there. The employee discount comes in handy. She occasionally shops at Minerva's-Dunning's in downtown Plymouth.

She's received a great deal of training on fashion topics during her years with Hudson's and Weight Watchers. "I think I'm very lucky that I've been able to be with these special people that have so enriched my life by teaching me so much."

Jastrabek also does quite a bit of reading on fashion. "I probably have

every fashion book that's ever been published."

SHE CONTINUES to work part time as a substitute receptionist for Weight Watchers. She'd been through the program, lost those few extra pounds and found it improved her outlook on life.

"Things got a lot better for me. It gave me that edge of confidence that's so important. I can't say enough for Weight Watchers."

She's found some women who come to the store in Novi are overly concerned about their age and have too many restrictive fashion "rules" in mind.

Jastrabek believes it's just fine for women beyond 30 to dress stylishly. Her own mother has always enjoyed dressing up and "still loves her beautiful silk blouses." Jastrabek thinks that's great.

"I'm very proud that I'm 57 and I feel as great as I do."

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Vicki Jastrabek buys clothing items that go with what she already owns, so she can put outfits together quickly "because I haven't got a lot of time to worry about that." Jastrabek, a Canton resident, is a fashion sales consultant for Hudson's.

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**BETHEL BAPTIST TEMPLE**  
29475 W. Six Mile, Livonia  
525-3664 or 261-9276

Sunday School..... 10:00 A.M.  
Morning Worship..... 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Worship..... 6:00 P.M.  
Wed. Family Hour..... 7:30 P.M.

**November 17th**  
11:00 A.M. "The Day People Wanted God to Speak"  
6:00 P.M. "Fasting and Prayer"  
"A Church That's Concerned About People"

**H.L. Petty**  
Pastor

**Redford Baptist Church**  
7 Mile Road and Grand River  
Redford, Michigan  
533-2300

9:30 AM Worship  
**November 17th**  
"The Lord is Gracious"  
Pastor Nelson preaching

10:45 AM Church School for all ages  
Wednesday 6:45 P.M. - Mid-Week Service

Staffed Nursery  
Rev. Wm. E. Nelson  
Senior Pastor

Children & Youth Programs  
Mrs. Doreen Gleason  
Associate Pastor

Director of Music

**First Baptist Church**  
45000 NORTH TERRITORIAL ROAD  
PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN 48170  
455-2300

November 17th  
9:40 A.M. Sunday School  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship  
"Grace Defined"  
Rev. Paul F. White  
6:30 P.M. Evening Service  
Pastor Paul preaching  
7:30 P.M. Jr. & Sr. High Youth Fellowship

Pastor Paul F. White  
Cheryl Kays, Music Director

**GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Welcomes You!  
"AN INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH"

**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**  
425-6215 or 425-1116

SUNDAY SCHOOL.....SUN. 10:00 A.M.  
MORNING WORSHIP.....SUN. 11:00 A.M.  
EVENING WORSHIP.....SUN. 6:00 P.M.  
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY.....WED. 7:00 P.M.

**KENNETH D. GRIFF**  
PASTOR

28440 LYNDON, LIVONIA, MI

## NON-DENOMINATIONAL

**UNITY of LIVONIA**  
11/14 Thur. 7:30 PM - Charity  
11/15 Fri. 7:00 PM - "The Rapids of Change" - A.V.  
11/16 Sat. 7:00 PM - Yoga, Wed. 9 PM Alcohol Anonymous

12:00 pm Adult Children of Alcoholics  
12:00 pm 120 P.M. CHURCH and COSS SUPPORT GROUP.  
DORMANT/RECREATION Mondays 4:45 p.m.  
Pamphlet Club, Every 3rd Monday 7:30 p.m.  
Every Tuesday, 7:30 AM Open Forum Breakfast at Rev's Home every Tuesday 7:30-8:30

28800 Five Mile Rd. 421-1760  
Dial A Positive Thought 261-2440

## EPISCOPAL

**ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
16360 Hubbard Road  
Livonia, Michigan 48154  
421-8451

Mon-Fri. 9:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist  
Wednesday 6:00 P.M. Dinner & Classes  
Saturday 5:00 P.M. Holy Eucharist

Sunday 7:45 & 10 A.M. Holy Eucharist  
9:00 A.M. Christian Education for all ages  
Sunday Morning - Nursery Care Available

The Rev. Robert Clapp, Rector  
Every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.  
Phil. 2:11

**EPISCOPAL CHURCH of the HOLY SPIRIT**  
9083 Newburgh Road  
Livonia - 591-0211

The Rev. Emory F. Gravette, Vicar

Sunday Services  
8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
9:30 a.m. Adult Christian Education  
10:30 a.m. Family Eucharist & Sunday School

A Barrier Free Facility for the Handicapped

**SAINT JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
574 S. Sheldon Road  
Plymouth 453-0190

The Rev. Robert S. Shank, Jr.  
Rector

**SERVICES**  
7:45 A.M. Holy Eucharist  
10:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist  
Church School  
Nursery Care

First Saturday of Each Month:  
5:00 P.M. Holy Eucharist  
Wednesdays:  
10:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist

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## CHRISTADELPHIANS

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Sunday Memorial Service 10:00 A.M.  
Sunday School 11:30 A.M.  
Bible Class, Wednesdays 8:00 P.M.

Lecture - November 23 - 7:00 P.M.  
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## NORTHWEST BAPTIST CHURCH

23845 Middlebelt 1 1/2 Blks. S. of 10 Mile - 474-3303

Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.  
Wednesday Service 7:00 P.M.

Nursery Provided  
Rev. Richard L. Karr, Pastor

## CHURCHES OF THE NAZARENE

**Plymouth Church of the Nazarene**  
45801 W. Ann Arbor Road  
Plymouth, Michigan 48170  
(313) 453-1525

Sunday School at 9:45 A.M.  
Sunday Worship - 11:00 A.M. & 6:00 P.M.  
Tues. Ladies Bible Study - 9:30 A.M.  
Wed. Family Night - 7:00 P.M.

J. Mark Barnes - Senior Pastor  
Robert King - Minister of Youth  
James Talbot - Minister of Music  
Lisa Taylor - Director of Day Care

New Horizons for Children Day Care:  
455-3196

## CATHOLIC

**ST. JOHN NEUMANN**  
44800 Warren - Canton - 455-5910  
Father George Charley, Pastor

**MASSES**  
Saturday 4:30 & 6:30 P.M.  
Sun. 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 A.M. & 1:00 P.M.

## SAINT ANNE'S CHURCH (in Redford)

Society of St. Pius X - Traditional Latin Mass  
23310 Joy Road  
5 Blks. E. of Telegraph - 534-2121

Mass Schedule:  
Sunday Mass 12:15  
Rosary & Confession before Mass

## OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

1160 Penniman Ave.  
Plymouth - 453-0326  
Rev. James Wysocki, Pastor

Masses: Mon.-Fri. 9:00 A.M., Sat. 5:00 P.M.  
Sunday 8:00, 10:00 A.M. and 12:00 P.M.

## RESURRECTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

981-6600  
Rev. Richard A. Perletto, Pastor

Sunday Mass 10:00 a.m.  
Pioneer Middle School  
Ann Arbor Rd. between Canton Center Rd. and McCumpha Rd.

## LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD

**CHRIST OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
14175 Farmington Rd. (Just N. of Jeffries X-Way)  
Livonia Phone: 522-6830

**LUTHER A. WERTH, PASTOR**  
Sunday Worship 8:30, 11:00 A.M.  
Sunday School & Bible Class 9:45 A.M.  
Week Day School, Pre-School, Kindergarten  
Sharing the Love of Christ

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN MISSOURI SYNOD**  
High & Elm Streets, Northville  
T. Luback, Pastor  
Kinne, Associate Pastor  
Church 349-3140 - School 349-3148  
Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.  
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Saturday Vespers: 6:00 P.M.

**HOSANNA-TABOR LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL**  
9600 Laverne - So. Redford - 837-2424  
Rev. Glenn Kopper  
Rev. Lawrence Wilton  
WORSHIP WITH US  
Sundays 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.  
Monday Evening 7:00 P.M.  
Sunday School & Bible Classes 9:45 A.M.  
Christian School - Pre-School-8th Grade  
Mrs. Pat Sadler 937-2233

**ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN Church & School** 5885 Venoy  
1 1/2 Bl. N. of Ford Rd. 425-0200  
Divine Worship 8 & 10:45 A.M.  
Bible Class & SS 9:15 A.M.  
Monday Evening Service 7:30 P.M.  
Ralph Fischer, Pastor  
Gary D. Headgorn, Associate Pastor

## EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA

**ST. MICHAEL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Worship Service 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 A.M.  
Saturday Service 5:30 p.m.  
Jerry Yarnell, Sr. Pastor  
David Woodley, Pastor  
Darrell Smith, Youth Minister  
7000 N. Sheldon, Canton Twp. - 459-3333  
(just South of Warren Rd.)

## Timothy Lutheran Church

8820 Wayne Rd.  
(Between Ann Arbor Trail & Joy Road)  
Livonia - 427-2290

Worship Service: 10:45 a.m.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Rev. Mary T. Olivanti, Pastor  
261-0786

## UNITED METHODIST

**ST. MATTHEW'S UNITED METHODIST**  
30900 Six Mile Rd. (Bet. Merriman & Middlebelt)  
Chuck Conquist, Pastor - Kearney Kirkby, Assoc.  
10:00 A.M. Worship & Church School  
11:15 A.M. Adult Study Classes  
Nursery Provided - 422-6038

**CHERRY HILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Randy Whitcomb  
8:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M. Morning Worship  
9:30 A.M. - Sunday School  
321 Ridge Road  
Just South of Cherry Hill in Canton

**First United Methodist Church of Plymouth**  
45201 N. Territorial Rd. - 453-5280

Worship at 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.

Ministers:  
John N. Grenfell, Jr. - Dr. Frederick C. Vosburg  
Kevin L. Miles

**NEWBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
36500 Ann Arbor Trail  
Livonia's Oldest Church  
422-0149

9:15 and 11:00 A.M. Worship Service and Sunday School

**November 17th**  
"A Faith for Tough Times"  
Dr. David E. Church preaching

Ministers:  
Dr. David E. Church, Rev. David Evans Ray  
Nursery Provided

**Clarenceville United Methodist**  
20300 Middlebelt Rd. - Livonia  
474-3444

Worship Services  
8:45 & 11:15 A.M. 7:00 PM  
Church School - 10:05 AM  
Wednesday Enrichment  
Dinner at 6:00, Classes at 7:00  
Nov. 17 - Bishop Judith Craig preaching

## UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

**Salem United Church of Christ**  
33424 Oakland Ave. - Farmington 48335  
(313) 474-6880

Church School for all ages - 9:30 AM  
Divine Worship and Worship Education 10:45 AM

Child Care Available Barrier-free Sanctuary

**BAHA'I FAITH**  
Consider the flowers of a garden, though differing in leaf color, form and shape, yet, nearness as they are refreshed by the waters of one spring, revived by the breath of one wind, invigorated by the rays of one sun, the diversity in-breath their charm, and addeth unto their beauty.

**BAHA'I FAITH**  
Informational Meeting Each Friday  
455-7845 or 453-9129

**BAHA'I FAITH**  
25630 GRAND RIVER at BEECH DALY  
532-2266 REDFORD TWP.

Worship Service 9:15 & 11:00 A.M.  
Sunday School 9:15 & 11:00 A.M.  
Nursery Provided  
Rev. Victor F. Halboth, Pastor  
Rev. Timothy Halboth, Assoc. Pastor

**Worship Together**

## EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN

**Ward PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Farmington Road and Six Mile  
422-1150

SUNDAY SERVICE BROADCAST  
9:30 A.M. WMLZ-FM 103.5  
5:00 P.M. WCAR-AM 1090

SUNDAY, November 17, 1991 - PRAISE SUNDAY  
8:00, 9:15, 10:45 a.m. and 12:05 p.m.  
Worship and Sunday School

8:00, 9:15, and 10:45 a.m.  
"COME BEFORE WINTER"  
Dr. Bartlett L. Hess

12:05 p.m.  
"LEARNING TO PRAY"  
Rev. John S. Crimmins

7:00 p.m.  
"Five Great Promises of God: (5) PROMISE OF PARADISE"  
Rev. John S. Crimmins

Continuous Shuttle Bus service each Sunday from Stevenson High School from 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.  
Wednesday - 7:00 p.m.  
SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION (Activities for All Ages)  
Nursery Provided at All Services

## APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN

**FIRST APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
26325 Halstead Road at 11 Mile  
Farmington Hills, Michigan  
Services Every Sunday at 10:30 A.M.  
Also, 1st & 3rd Sunday at 7:00 P.M.  
Sunday School - 9:15 A.M.  
Bible Class - Tuesday 7:30 P.M.  
Song Services - Last Sunday of Month 7:00 P.M.

## Worship Together

## PRESBYTERIAN (U.S.A.)

**Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church, (U.S.A.)**  
Hubbard at W. Chicago - Livonia - 422-0494

10:30 A.M. Worship Service and Sunday School

Rev. Richard I. Peters  
Rev. Jennifer Saad

Nursery Care Available

## VILLAGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

25350 West Six Mile  
Redford - 534-7730  
Paul S. Bousquette, Pastor

Worship Sunday - 10:00 A.M.  
Congregation of Faith, Fellowship and Friends  
Nursery Provided - Wheelchair Accessible

## ST. TIMOTHY CHURCH

16700 Newburgh Road  
Livonia - 464-8844

Sunday School 9:30 A.M. All Ages  
Worship 11:00 A.M.  
"The Whole Field"  
Janet Noble, Pastor  
A Creative Christ Centered Congregation -  
Nursery Provided - Barrier Free

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Main & Church  
PLYMOUTH  
(313) 453-6464

Worship, Church School & Nursery  
9:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.  
Philip Rodgers Magee Leland L. Seese, Jr.  
Minister Associate Minister  
"We have been contemporary since 1835"

## PENTECOSTAL

**FULL GOSPEL CHURCH OF PLYMOUTH**  
291 E. SPRING ST.  
2 Blocks N. of Main - 2 Blocks E. of Mill

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.  
WEDNESDAY 7:30 P.M. (Classes for all ages)  
Worship 11:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M. (Nursery Provided in A.M.)

Pastor Frank Howard - Ch. 453-0323

## CHURCHES OF CHRIST

**MEMORIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
(Christian Church)  
35475 Five Mile Rd. 464-6722  
MARK McGLIVREY, Minister  
Steve Allen Youth Minister

BIBLE SCHOOL (All ages) 9:30 A.M.  
8:15 A.M. Service - Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.  
Evening Worship & Youth Meeting 6:30 P.M.

## ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

**Brightmoor Tabernacle**  
Assemblies of God  
26555 Franklin Rd. - Southfield, MI  
(4896 & Telegraph - West of Holiday Inn)

A Charismatic Church where people of many denominations worship together

MORNING WORSHIP 8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.  
SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 A.M.  
Celebration of Praise - 6:30 P.M.  
7:30 P.M. Wed. Adult, Youth & Children  
11:00 A.M. Worship Service "Live"  
ON WLGTV 1500 AM  
Franklin Road Christian School K-Grade 7

Church: 352-0200  
Nursery provided at all services

Need Prayer? 352-6305  
CALVIN C. RATZ, PASTOR

**FAIRLANE ASSEMBLY WEST**  
(Assembly of God)  
41355 Six Mile Rd., Northville  
Sunday Worship  
8:30 and 11:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.  
Fairlane West Christian School  
Preschool & K-8  
348-9031

**TRI-CITY ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
2100 Hannan Rd., Canton  
326-0330

Btw. Michigan Ave. & Palmer  
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Morning Worship 8:30 and 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.  
Wed. Family Night 7:00 P.M.

**Worship Together**



# Leading the way

## Minister: Churches have a vital role in social change

By Shirlee Rose Iden  
staff writer

A gaunt Catholic monk in rope-tied robe, a small figure of Buddha, and a Jewish eight-branched Menorah are part of the decor in the office of the Rev. Ann Reeves Buehler.

The art objects communicate her ecumenical views and her warmth and conviviality say she is happy to be where she is.

A century and a half ago, Olympia Brown became the first woman ordained as a minister. Now Buehler is the first woman minister in the pulpit at Northwest Universalist Unitarian Church in Southfield.

For Buehler, ordained more than two years ago, it is her second church, but not her first career. Prior to her ordination, she was employed in community development and public relations for non-profit organizations and also in advertising.

"I'm an interim minister at Northwest and will be here either one or two years," she said. "The church is searching for someone permanent."

Buehler explained that the Universalist Unitarian denomination rule is that interim ministers may not be candidates for the permanent position.

Buehler, who has three grown children, decided to go to the seminary after dwelling on the idea for a long time. "I wanted to do this for several years, it seemed," she said. "I had a busy community life, but seemed always to look forward to Sunday. While I was mulling over my decision, my youngest son said to me:

"MOM, YOU SHOULD be a minister."

Buehler said she had always harbored uncommon ambitions for herself. "I wanted terribly to be a doctor. But my family, especially my father who was old-time in his opinions, said 'No!'"

Now her three daughters seem to approve of Buehler's calling and her career. "One of them asked me, 'Now do we have to call you Reverend Mother?'" she said.

Her daughter, a recent graduate from the University of Buffalo law school, told her mother: "If you can do it, I can too."

The minister recalled that after her mother died, leaving her a bequest, she had the chance to do something for herself.

"I tried out brain surgery and almost everything else," she said. "I found that everything I wanted to do 15 years before just wasn't important anymore."

Buehler was born in Dayton, Ohio, to a military family that traveled a great deal. Her first position was with a department store where she did advertising.

"After that I worked in a small advertising agency, for non-profit organizations, and lately with a community health agency. When my two eldest went to school, I went to work. I was divorced years ago."

"While I was deciding about the ministry, I came into contact with a small, fundamentalist church. The con-

gregation voted to mortgage their church in order to help the homeless.

"I came to the conclusion then that change in society would only come from the churches."

Buehler was graduated from the seminary at Bangor, Maine, more than two years ago and served a small church in Montreal before accepting the interim position in Southfield.



JERRY ZOLYNSKY/staff photographer

The Rev. Ann Reeves Buehler served at a church in Montreal before coming to the Northwest Universalist Unitarian Church in Southfield.

DEFINING her religious philosophy, she explained the Unitarian Church is a non-doctrinal body with principles and purposes that focus on the human condition, the value of reason in religion, and the inner connectedness of all creation.

"We take a holistic approach," she added. "Each person is responsible for his own theological condition."

Buehler believes that in churches there are powerful people who could accomplish a great deal of good if they used their knowledge and power.

"The homeless are everywhere. This congregation is assisting St. Leo's soup kitchen with four dinners a year," she said.

Her new congregation with about 160 members has many founding members still active.

"I really enjoy the founding members," she said.

Buehler enjoys the worshipers of all ages and is pleased that the church sponsors a ceremony for 13 year olds as a rite of passage. "We will have a special service for them," she said.

NWUU also has a sermon almost every Sunday and sometimes a panel discussion.

Buehler's intent is to give the youth of the church a great deal of instruction about other religions presented as they are, not in a comparative way.

"We are getting more Islamic people in this congregation," she pointed out.

BUEHLER SAID Unitarian children seem able to resist the cults. "We don't teach children that they are sinful, we try to build self-esteem. And we were the first denomination to have a resolution on the ordination of homosexuals."

The NWUU Church of Southfield evolved in the 1950s when 20 families broke from their original church to form a society for the northwest part of Detroit ultimately settling into the tan brick, one-story church on Northwestern.

Buehler has been preceded by two ministers, Frank Gentile and Michael Boblett. Gentile, NWUU's first religious leader, served the church for 30 years.

Better than "reverend mother," Buehler is enchanted with being the grandmother of six, soon to be seven.

As for the church: "Northwest Church hasn't had many ministers and they wanted a woman to see if they can hire a woman permanently," she said. "I'm enjoying the action and the challenge, but we're still on a honeymoon."

### religion calendar

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday the week prior to publication.

#### SOVIET MUSIC

Ecclesiastes, the first Soviet Christian musical group to tour the U.S., will appear during worship services 8, 9:15 and 10:45 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 17, at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, at Six Mile in Livonia. The tour is under the sponsorship of Living Bibles International. Its goal is to increase awareness of ministry opportunities available in the Soviet Union.

#### SQUARE DANCE

Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod) of Canton will sponsor a square dance 7-10 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, at the Canton Recreation Center. There will be a free will offering to pay for the caller. Those attending should bring a snack to share and their own soft drinks. For information, call 981-0286.

#### RECORDING ARTIST

Songwriter and recording artist David Meece will appear in concert 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 23, at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, near Six Mile in Livonia. The event is designed for young adults, married and single. It is sponsored by Single Spirit and New Horizons ministries of Ward Church. Admission is free. Doors will open 7 p.m. For information, call 422-1836.

#### CONCERT CHORALE

St. Aidan Cultural Society will host the Wayne State University Choral Union and the Concert Choral, along with the WSU Women's Choral, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 6, at the church, 17500 Farmington Road, Livonia. Donation will be \$7.50 for adults, \$6.50 for seniors and stu-

dents. A wine and cheese reception will be included. The Choral Union and Concert Chorale are directed by Dennis Tini. The Women's Chorale is directed by Deborah Smith. For information, call 471-5158 or 427-1457.

#### TURKEY DINNER

The Methodist Youth Fellowship of Clarenceville Church will sponsor the annual Thanksgiving dinner 5:30-7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 15. Reservations may be made by calling 474-3444 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Suggested donations for dinner are \$4 for adults, \$3 for children in first through sixth grades, \$2 for kindergartners and younger children.

#### OFFICERS ELECTED

Officers were elected recently during a congregational meeting at St. Paul Presbyterian Church in Livonia. Elected as elders of the session were: James Atkinson; Jane Cameron; David Keck; Jerry Kmiecik; Lari Korpela; and JoAnn Moser. Elected to the board of deacons were: David Culler; Charlotte Day; Marge Flowers; Linda Polancih; Patricia Smith; and Robert Schmeichel. Barbara Herman was elected to a two-year term to fill a vacancy. New officers will be installed during worship on Sunday, Jan. 19.

#### RENEWAL MISSION

The Rev. Adrian Staehler will conduct a Christian renewal mission Sunday through Friday, Dec. 1-6, at St. Hilary Parish, 23901 Elmira, Redford. Staehler will preach at Masses Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 30 and Dec. 1, to outline the schedule and purpose of the mission. The Capuchin priest will conduct special renewal mission services 7 p.m. Sunday through Friday. He will offer Eucharist and a homily each morning and conduct a renewal service.

The Rev. Ron Babich, pastor of St. Hilary Church, has urged parishion-

ers to set aside other activities to take part in as much of the mission services as possible. Staehler's preaching will focus on a different topic each day.

#### WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The Women's Fellowship of Single Point Ministries meets 8:30 a.m. the third Saturday of the month at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington, at Six Mile in Livonia. The Saturday, Nov. 16, meeting will feature a speaker, refreshments and fellowship time. There is no charge. For information, call 422-1854.

#### MISSION PROJECT

The Missions Committee/World Outreach of Ward Presbyterian Church is sponsoring its fifth annual Project Angel Tree. All of the congregation is involved in the project which mobilizes volunteers to discover and fill the Christmas wishes of children in the area whose parents are in prison. Ward Church members work in conjunction with Prison Fellowship, the ministry founded by Chuck Colson. Last year, members of the Livonia church gave Christmas gifts to 1,000 children. This year's goal has also been set at 1,000. For information, call 422-1851.

#### TEEN CHOIR

The Teen Choir of Ward Presbyterian Church will present the premiere of Steven B. Taylor's production "America, I Love You" 7 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 24, at the church, 17000 Farmington Road, near Six Mile in Livonia. The choir is among those selected by the composer to present the production on the same opening night. The Teen Choir is directed by Lisa Ramage. Admission is free. For information, call 422-1150.

#### CONCERT

Congregation Belt Kodesh, 31840 W. Seven Mile, Livonia, will host an ecumenically sponsored art show/

concert 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16. The theme will be "Creativity as Prayer." Local artists, musicians and composers are donating their time and talents. Many area churches will co-sponsor the benefit event. Various types of art work will be sold at a silent auction with proceeds to be given to Funds in Service to Humanity (F.I.S.H.). The event was conceived by Rabbi Craig Allen of Belt Kodesh who will perform a variety of his musical works with other musicians. Refreshments will be served. Donation is \$5. For information, call 477-8974.

#### HARVEST HOME

Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, at Six Mile in Livonia, is collecting money and non-perishable food for the annual Harvest Home ministry. Collections are made each Sunday and Wednesday, continuing through Nov. 17. The gifts are distributed to needy families within the Ward congregation and mission agencies throughout Detroit. For information, call 422-1826.

#### LAS VEGAS PARTY

A Las Vegas party will take place 5 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday and Saturday, Nov. 15-16, at The Red Fawn, 6588 Allen, near Southfield Road in Allen Park. Proceeds will benefit Society of St. Paul, Alba House. For information, call 582-2033.

#### NEW BEGINNINGS

New Beginnings, a support group for those who have lost a loved one, meets 7-9 p.m. Thursdays at St. Matthew United Methodist Church, 30900 W. Six Mile, east of Merriman, Livonia. For information, call 476-1842 or 422-0957.

#### BIBLE CLASS

Margaret Hess teaches a Bible study 9:30 a.m. Tuesdays at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. Small groups

meet 9:30 a.m. with a 10 a.m. lecture. The remaining lesson schedule is: Nov. 19, Jeremiah 46-52, "Lord of History"; Nov. 26, Lamentations, "Is There Any Sorrow Like My Sorrow?" There is a curriculum of Bible stories and handicrafts for toddlers and preschoolers. A nursery is provided for infants. For information, call 422-1150.

#### DOBSON SERIES

Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 42690 Cherry Hill in Canton, will sponsor a "Turn Your Heart Toward Home" Dobson series. It meets 7 p.m. Sundays and features a different discussion each week following the video. The series is designed for adults and senior high school students. For information, call 981-0286.

#### MEDIATION WORKSHOP

Christian Conciliation Service will offer a workshop in developing mediation skills Friday and Saturday, Nov. 15-16. The workshop will be 7-9:30 p.m. Friday and 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Saturday at William Tyndale College, 12 Mile and Drake in Farmington Hills.

The workshop is designed to teach skills for intervening as a reconciler and peacemaker. Instructors will be David Bayne, who is a pastor, counselors LuAnn Adams, JoAnne Turshnik and Judith Darlington and training consultant Dorris Reed. Attorney Kaye Hill will provide legal consultation on the mediation process.

Advance registration price is \$35. Registration also can be completed at the door for \$45. For information, call Christian Conciliation Service, 533-9140.

#### CATHOLIC ALUMNI

Catholic Alumni Club of Detroit will host a dance 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, at the Radisson Hotel Pontchartrain. Proceeds will

benefit the Coalition on Temporary Shelter (COTS), an agency that provides shelter for the homeless. The public may attend. Admission is by either securing \$25 or more in pledges or by donating \$10 at the door. For information, call 563-4243 or 259-0829.

#### EMPLOYMENT HELP

A.C.T.I.O.N. Ministry provides support and practical help for people who are unemployed or changing careers. Meetings are 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. For information, call 422-1826.

#### ST. MATTHEW THANKSGIVING

St. Matthew Evangelical Lutheran Church, 5885 Venoy, Westland, will have a service of Thanksgiving 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 27. For information, call 425-0260.

#### SENIOR FELLOWSHIP

Bethel Baptist Temple, 29475 W. Six Mile, Livonia, sponsors meetings for senior citizens and retirees the first and third Tuesday of the month. For information, call 525-3664.

#### TOUGHLOVE

Toughlove is a group for parents who have troubled teenagers. It meets 7:30 p.m. Thursdays at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 21915 Beech, at Monroe in Dearborn. For information, call 285-0823 or 295-0080.

#### BUDDHISM

The Detroit Area Karma Kagyu Study Group offers meditation and discussion of the Buddha's teaching. Free meditation instruction can be arranged by appointment. Weekly meditation and discussion takes place Thursdays in Redford. For information, call 538-1559.

### bazaars

#### DELTA KAPPA GAMMA

Delta Kappa Gamma will sponsor an arts and crafts show 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, at Plymouth Canton High School, 8415 Canton Center, at Joy in Canton. Proceeds will support the service organization's scholarship program. Admission is free. For information, call 455-9624.

#### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

The Women's Association of the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 Church, will hold a holiday bazaar 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16. Proceeds will support local and worldwide mission projects. The free event will feature a used toy sale, bake sale, craft items and consignment tables. For information, call the church office, 453-6464.

#### APOSTOLIC FAITH

Greater Grace Temple of the Apostolic Faith, Schaefer and Seven Mile in Detroit, will have a Christmas bazaar 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Nov. 15-16. For information, call 342-8045 or 342-2300.

#### SS. PETER & PAUL

The Ladies Auxiliary of St. Peter & Paul Romanian

Orthodox Church will have an arts and crafts show 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, at the church, 750 N. Beech Daly, Dearborn Heights. Admission price is \$1. For information, call 336-4373.

#### MILL RACE

The Mill Race Weavers Guild will hold a fiber arts show/sale noon to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 16-17, at the gothic cottage at Mill Race Historical Village, on Griswold in Northville. Members will sell a variety of handwoven and handcrafted items. Admission is free. For information, call Liz Cowdery, membership chairwoman, 453-6123.

#### RICE MEMORIAL

Rice Memorial United Methodist Church, 20601 Beech Daly, south of Eight Mile, will have a Christmas bazaar 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16. Baked goods will be on sale as well as crafts and lunch. For information, call 534-4907.

#### ST. CLEMENT'S

St. Clement's Orthodox Church annual arts and crafts show will be 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, at the church, 19600 Ford, Dearborn. Ethnic foods will be served. There will be a raffle.

#### SCOUT TROOP 1810

Home demonstration companies, a Santa shop, silent auction, holiday bake sale and crafts will be featured 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, at the Canfield Center, 1801 Beech Daly, Dearborn Heights. Proceeds will benefit Girl Scout Troop No. 1810 whose members are trying to raise money for a trip to space camp in June. For information, call 525-8717.

#### CONGREGATION BEIT KODESH

The sisterhood of Congregation Beit Kodesh will sponsor a combination art/show bazaar 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 17, at the synagogue, 31840 W. Seven Mile. Available for sale will be art work by students from the Center for Creative Studies and children's portraits done on site by local artists.

#### COLLECTIBLE CRAFTS

Collectible Crafts will have an arts and crafts show 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 17, at Laurel Manor, Schoolcraft Road, west of Newburgh, Livonia. More than 80 handcrafters will participate. Admission price is \$1.50. For information, call 227-4860.

#### STOTTLEMYER SCHOOL

Stottlemeyer Christmas boutique will take place 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, at the school, 34801 Marquette, east of Wayne Road in Westland. For information, call 595-2630.

#### APOSTOLIC FAITH

Grace Temple of the Apostolic Faith, Schaefer and West Seven Mile in Detroit, will have a Christmas bazaar 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday, Nov. 15, and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16. For information, call 342-8045 or 342-2300.

#### SUNFLOWER SHOW

The annual Sunflower craft show will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, in the Sunflower Clubhouse, on Hanford in Canton. Handmade items, baked goods, wood items, Christmas ornaments, sweatshirts, clothing for kids, wreaths and other items will be featured.

#### PRCUA

The PRCUA Syrena Parents Club is seeking crafters for its annual holiday craft bazaar Saturday, Nov. 23, at the Canfield Recreation Center, Dearborn Heights. For information, call 561-6760 or 565-9865.



## clubs in action

### CONSERVATORY TOURS

Conservatory tours will be held 2 and 3 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays at the Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro, Ann Arbor. Remaining tour dates are Nov. 16-17 and 23-24. Tours will focus on different plant reproductive strategies. Registration will be limited to 30 people per hour. Participants should register with the receptionist upon arrival, and phone reservations won't be accepted. Admission price is \$1. For more information, call 998-7061.

### SKI CLUB

Registration for the Plymouth-Canton Ski Club will be 4-9 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 14, in the cafeteria of Plymouth Canton High School, 8415 Canton Center, south of Joy in Canton. The club, sponsored by the Plymouth-Canton Community Education Department, is for sixth through 12th graders who live in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools district. Registration price is \$60. All students who register Nov. 14 will be guaranteed a club membership, and there's no need for all who are interested to show up 4 p.m. Club members go to Mt. Brighton Friday and Saturday evenings. For more information, call 451-6660.

### NEWCOMERS TEA

The Canton Newcomers Club will hold a tea 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 14. Those attending don't need to be newcomers to the Canton community. For more information, call 981-9882 or 397-8514.

### SCHOOL LECTURE

Gibson School for the Gifted is presenting a 20th anniversary lecture/discussion series. A presentation on "The Challenge of the Middle School Years" will be held 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 14, at the school, 12925 Fenton, Redford. Social worker Elizabeth Parravano will speak. Admission is free. For more information, call 537-8688.

### WESTSIDE SINGLES

Westside Singles will hold a dance/party 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Nov. 15, at Roma's of Livonia, on Schoolcraft west of Inkster. The dance/party is for singles age 21 and older. Dressy attire should be worn (no jeans). There will be snacks and a budget bar. For more information, call 562-3160.

### SINGLE PROFESSIONALS

The Single Professionals will meet for "A Night at the Races" 7 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, at Northville Downs. Reservations are required. For reservations or more information, call 478-9181. Members meet 6:45 p.m. Tuesdays for wallyball at Racquetball Farmington, 34200 Nine Mile, west of Farmington Road. The group is for singles ages 25-40.

### TRI-COUNTY SINGLES

Tri-County Singles will hold a dance/party 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 16, at Roma's of Livonia, on Schoolcraft west of Inkster. The dance/party is for singles age 21 and older. Admission price is \$4 for men, \$2 for women. Casual/dressy attire should be worn (no jeans). There will be a cash bar. For more information, call 842-7422.

### NEWBURG SINGLES

The Newburg Singles will meet 7 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 17, at Newburg United Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. The program on "Aspects of Hypnosis" will be presented by Gayle Buchan-Blyshak. For more information, call 397-2067.

### PLYMOUTH BPW

The Plymouth Business and Professional Women will meet Monday, Nov. 18, at the Mayflower Hotel, Main and Ann Arbor Trail in downtown Plymouth. Dinner will be 6 p.m., the program 7 p.m. The presentation will be on Project D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education), a program designed to help young people resist peer pressure and avoid drug abuse. For reservations or more information, call 437-0317.

### PLYMOUTH NURSES

The Plymouth Registered Nurses Association will meet 7:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 18, in the community room of the Arbor Health Building/McAuley Urgent Care Center, 990 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth. The general meeting will include a program on financial planning for women. Annual dues are \$15 for registered nurses, \$10 for licensed practical nurses, \$5 for students and retirees. For more information, call 522-5723 or 522-5845.

### THEATRE GROUP

The Plymouth Theatre Guild will meet 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 19, at the Water Tower Theatre, on the campus of Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile, between Haggerty and Northville roads in Northville Township. Those attending the general membership meeting will learn about the next PTG production, "Camelot." For more information, call 349-7110.

### SINGLE PLACE

Single Place will present a program with Linda Limber Mitchell 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 20, at the First Presbyterian Church in Northville, 200 E. Main. Mitchell, a professional speaker and trainer, will discuss ways to deal with anger. Donation is \$3. For more information, call 349-0911.

### PLYMOUTH AAUW

The Plymouth Branch, American Association of University Women, will hold its fall dinner meeting 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 21, at Ernesto's, 41661 Plymouth Road in Plymouth. The speakers, Nester Pangillinan and Renee Laya Boving, will discuss diversity awareness and its effects on women in the community. Guests may attend. For dinner reservations or more information, call 455-1457.

### CLUB COFFEE

The Plymouth Newcomers Club will hold a membership coffee 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 21. Those attending will learn about the club's interest groups, including golf, bowling, bridge, mah jongg and others. The club also holds monthly luncheons at area restaurants. It is for Plymouth or Plymouth Township residents who have lived in the community two years or less. For more information, call 459-2212.

### PWP CHAPTER

The Wayne/Westland Chapter No.

340 of Parents Without Partners will meet Friday, Nov. 22, at the Wayne Amvets Post, 1217 Merriman, between Cherry Hill and Palmer. The evening will include: 8 p.m. general meeting; 8:30 p.m. program on relationships with speaker Bob Perowski; 9 p.m. to midnight, a Thanksgiving dance. A turkey raffle will be included. Price is \$4 before 9 p.m., \$5 after 9 p.m. The public may attend. For more information, call 721-3691 or 595-7806.

### COAST GUARD

The Plymouth-Canton Flotilla 11-11, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary, will meet 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 26, in the counseling office of Plymouth Salem High School, on Joy west of Canton Center in Canton. For more information, call 455-2676. John Mulligan, Plymouth's postmaster, was recently elected flotilla captain. Jerry Rudzewicz was elected vice captain.

### THANKSGIVING DINNER

Single Place will meet for a Thanksgiving eve buffet dinner 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 27, at the First Presbyterian Church in Northville, 200 E. Main. Single Place won't hold a regular meeting that

day, but has scheduled the dinner and a worship service. Dinner price is \$5.50 per person. For more information, call 349-0911.

### CHRISTMAS BALL

The Plymouth Symphony League's Christmas ball will be Saturday, Dec. 7, at the Mayflower Meeting House in downtown Plymouth. Hors d'oeuvres will be served 6:30 p.m., dinner 7:30 p.m., followed by dancing to the music of Breakaway until 1 a.m. The "Putting on the Glitz" event is sponsored by the league's Prelude group. Ticket price is \$65 per couple, \$32.50 for a single. Tickets are available at Me and Mr. Jones, 924 W. Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth.

### CIVITAN CLUB

The Plymouth-Canton Civitan Club is a community service organization for men and women. It meets 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of the month for a business meeting at the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce office. The club meets 6:30 p.m. the third Thursday of the month at the Italian Cucina, 39500 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth Township, for a dinner meeting and program. For more information, call 464-1129 or 455-9720.

### MALA WISLA

The Mala Wisla Dance Ensemble is accepting registrations for classes. Children and teenagers ages 3-18 will learn Polish ethnic dances and folk songs. Classes will be held in the Plymouth area. The group will hold its fifth annual dinner theater in the spring. For more information, call 459-5896.

### JAYCEES

The Plymouth-Canton Jaycees meet 8 p.m. the fourth Thursday of each month at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. The non-profit organization is dedicated to community service and individual development. For more information, call Cam Miller, 453-1915, or Ronnita Kreiling, 455-8676.

### CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION

The Livonia Childbirth Education Association offers a variety of classes. Participants learn about pregnancy, labor, delivery and other topics. There are six-week classes for new parents, two- and four-week refresher classes, and a monthly breast-feeding class. Weekday classes are 7-9:30 p.m., Saturday classes 9-11:30 a.m. For more information, call the registrar, 937-0665.

### MUSEUM FUN

The Plymouth Historical Museum is at 155 S. Main, Plymouth. It is open to the public 1-4 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 2-5 p.m. Sunday.

The current main exhibit on "The American Country School" will continue through late November. Its photos and artifacts tell the story of the Plymouth-Canton community's educational history.

Museum admission price is \$1.50 for adults, 50 cents for students ages 5-17, free for children under 5. Family rate is \$4. For more information, call 455-8940.

### CANTON HISTORY

The Canton Historical Museum, corner of Canton Center and Proctor in Canton, is open 1-3 p.m. Tuesday and 1-4 p.m. Saturday. The Canton Historical Society operates the museum. For more information, call 397-0088.

### BRIDGE GROUP

The Party Bridge Group meets 1-4 p.m. every Thursday at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. Singles and couples who enjoy playing bridge may attend. For more information, call Boyd or Dorothy Shaffer, 459-2206.

## new voices

Todd and Karen Palgut of Plymouth announce the birth of a daughter, Rachel Elizabeth, Oct. 5 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Lambert of Plymouth and Mrs. Grace Palgut of Lincoln Park. Rachel Elizabeth has two brothers, John and Alan.

Joseph B. White and Laurie Mayers of Plymouth announce the birth of a daughter, Anna Mary White, Oct. 11 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Grandparents are Larry and Janeen Mayers of Fort Wayne, Ind., Mary White of Callicoon, N.Y., and Tom and Leah White of Odessa, Texas. Great-grandparents are Catherine Powell of Fort Wayne and Marie White of Winchester, Mass. Anna Mary has a sister, Katy, 3 1/2.

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## military news

**PVT. JAY E. ARINGTON** has completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. He is the son of Michele M. Arington of Plymouth. The private is a 1990 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School.

**NAVY LT. JOSEPH R. BLAYLOCK**, son of Richard W. and Margaret T. Blaylock of Canton, recently reported for duty with Naval Reserve Readiness Command, Great Lakes, Ill. The 1983 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, and 1987 graduate of the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, joined the Navy in Aug. 1987.

**TIMOTHY R. BLOMBERG** has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of staff sergeant. Blomberg is an information management specialist at Hanscom Air Force Base, Boston. He is the son of Janice L. Diehl of Plymouth and Richard R. Blomberg of Livonia. The sergeant is a 1982 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School.

**PVT 1ST CLASS THOMAS BURY**, son of William and Janet Bury of Canton, is in Fulda, Germany for two years. Bury is a 1990 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. He joined the U.S. Army in January 1990, went to North Carolina for ba-

sic training, then to Fort Gordon, Ga.

**ARMY PVT. MICHAEL A. HAACK**, a communications circuit controller, has arrived for duty at Camp Hialeah, Pusan, South Korea. Haack is the son of Sandee L. Haack of Canton and Michael Haack of Canton. He graduated from Catholic Central High School in 1987.

**MASTER SGT. WILTON KELLEY** has re-enlisted in the U.S. Air Force after 20 years military service. The sergeant is first sergeant of the 1003rd Mission Support Squadron at Peterson Air Force Base, Colorado Springs, Colo. Kelley is the son of Donald A. and Anne E. Sellers of Plymouth. His wife, Betty, is the daughter of Joe D. and Lorene Buckner of Westland. He graduated from Garden City West Senior High School in 1969.

**PVT. BRIAN S. KIMBLE** has completed the electronic warfare signal intelligence noncommunications interceptor course at Fort Devens, Ayer, Mass. Kimble is the son of Betty L. Kimble of Canton. He is a 1989 graduate of John Glenn High School in Westland.

**JACK J. MASSARELLO** has entered the United States Air Force.

Massarello, a 1991 graduate of Catholic Central High School, is the son of Jack and Cecilia Massarello of Canton.

**NAVY LT. STEPHEN T. McNERNEY**, whose wife, Heidi McNERNEY, is the daughter of James D. Hoeschele of Canton, recently completed the Officer Indoctrination School. A graduate of Ferris State University in Big Rapids, and a graduate of the University of Michigan, School of Dentistry, Ann Arbor, joined the Navy in April 1990.

**MARINE PFC. DAVID I. OSTROM**, son of George E. Ostrum of Canton, recently completed recruit training and was promoted to his present rank. The 1986 graduate of Stevenson High School joined the

Marine Corps in April 1991.

**KEITH D. PAWENSKI**, son of Michael and Audrey Pawenski of Canton, has enlisted in the Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program. Pawenski, a 1992 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the Regular Air Force on Aug. 21, 1992. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course near San Antonio, Texas.

**NAVY FIREMAN LISA R. THEECK**, daughter of Elmer F. and Donna R. Theeck of Canton recently reported for duty aboard the submarine tender USS Frank Cable, homeported in Charleston, S.C. She is a 1988 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School.

### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH PUBLIC HEARING TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1991

#### REQUEST FOR TRANSFER OF TWO COMMERCIAL FACILITIES EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth has received a request from Mackinac Realty, Inc., for the transfer of two commercial tax abatements to them which were granted Eugene A. LeBlanc in 1983, and transferred to the Michael Company in 1986. The tax abatements are on two buildings at 42171-42333 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Wayne County, Michigan.

The request of Mackinac Realty, Inc., is on file with the Clerk for public examination. Any Township resident or member of the legislative body of a taxing authority levying taxes within the Township shall have the right to appear and be heard. Written comments directed to the Clerk will be considered. Following the public hearing the Board of Trustees will consider the request.

This public hearing will be held on Tuesday, November 26, in the Meeting room of the Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170, at 7:30 p.m. The telephone number is 453-3840.

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The credit union program is a result of the business-education partnership between Field and the Community Federal Credit Union, ac-

ording to Betty Bloch, PCCS Business-Education partnership coordinator.

"This program will give students an opportunity to learn the value of saving money, while teaching them practical job skills," Bloch said.

In the program, students will open savings accounts and will learn how to deposit money. They will receive account statements and will earn dividends. At the end of the school year, students will receive checks for the money they have saved in their accounts.

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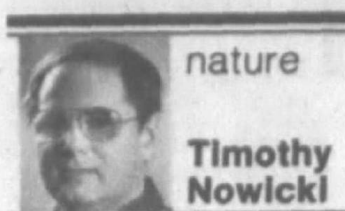
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# Horsetail is plant of many names

Scrubgrass, mare's-tail, cat's tail, colt's-tail, foxtail, pine-top, pine-grass, meadow-pine, bottle-brush, jointed-rush, snake-grass, snake-pipes, frog-pipes, toad-pipes are all common names used to describe what people in southeastern Michigan commonly call horsetail or scouring rush.



In scientific terms it's called *Equisetum arvense*. This name never changes no matter what part of the country it is found.

Though common names may vary from region to region, or from habitat to habitat, they do help to describe the plant. It may not look like it, but horsetail is a primitive member of the non-flowering plants known as ferns. They do not produce a showy flower to attract insects, in fact one phase of its life cycle is sterile and looks like a bottle brush or a baby pine tree.

This time of year when most green vegetation is gone, those plants that remain green become conspicuous. A walk along a sandy river bank will probably lead to large green patches of horsetail. These large patches are due to the underground rhizomes that spread and sprout new plants.

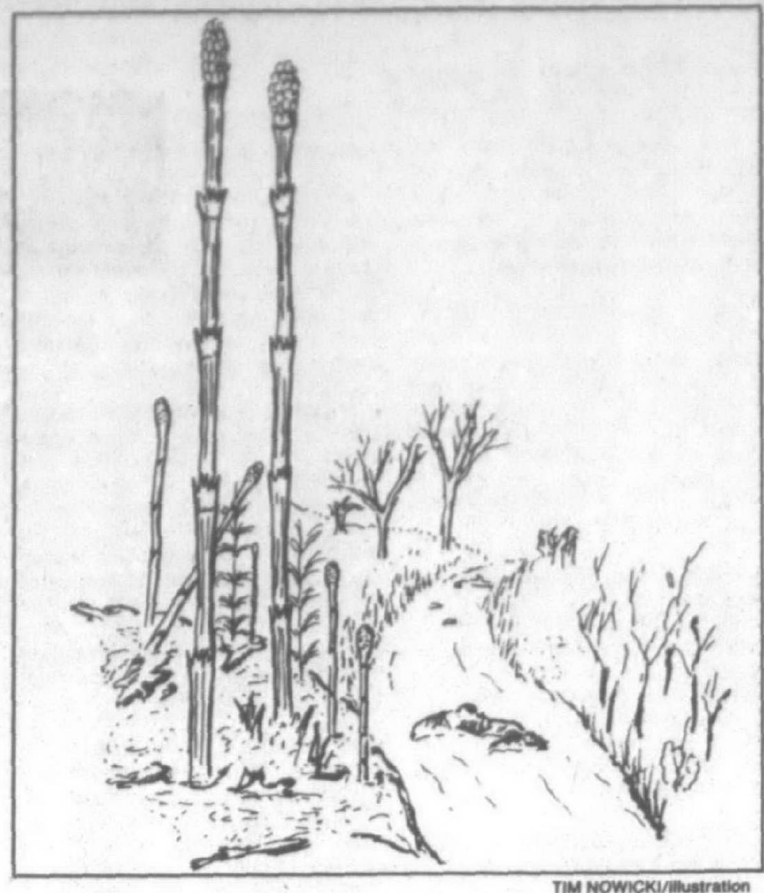
DENSE GREEN patches of horsetail are made up of tall slender tubular plants with rounded tip resembling a pine cone.

If you examine one of the stalks carefully, you will note some dark pointed tips encircling the plant at junctures along its entire length. These are actually modified leaves.

In summer when the plant is succulent with water it can be pulled apart at the junctures where the dark leaves are found. It can be pulled apart into as many sections as there are junctures. Some people call it the Tinker Toy plant because it can be pulled apart and then put back together.

During the days of the pioneers, this plant was used to scour their pots and pans. Horsetail has a high concentration of silica in its stem. Its durability and scouring action was like using fine sand.


Tim Nowicki is a naturalist at Independence Oaks County Park in Oakland County. He lives in Livonia.



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Many regional names are used to describe what people in southeastern Michigan commonly call horsetail or scouring rush. In scientific terms it's called *Equisetum arvense*. This name never changes, no matter what part of the country it is found.

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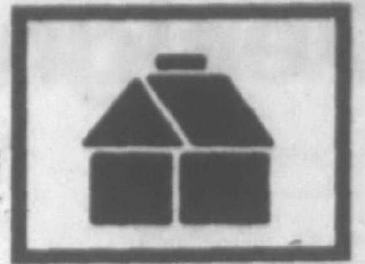
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## Art Beat

Artbeat spotlights vignettes from the suburban arts scene. Send news leads to: Artbeat, Creative Living, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

It was a rousing success. The third annual Laurel Park Benefit on behalf of the Livonia Symphony Orchestra raised about \$12,000 through ticket sales and a silent auction at Laurel Park Place Mall Oct. 27.

"That's just absolutely terrific," said Ken Kelsey, Livonia Symphony Society president. "Last year, we cleared about \$6,300 and the year before, about \$5,000."

The silent auction generated \$4,500. Kelsey singled out Livonia Marriott Hotel, Northwest Airlines and Laurel Park Place Mall for special recognition in supporting the fund-raiser, now one of the LSO's top moneymakers. The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers was among the co-sponsors. About 500 people from Oakland and Wayne counties attended the event, which included music by the LSO, food from 25 restaurants and bakeries, and a fashion show by local clothier Ann Taylor. Proceeds will help support the LSO's \$100,000 operating budget. "We're looking to continue all of our concerts, unlike some other orchestras around," Kelsey said. "We'll find a way to raise more money. We're trying to be positive. We've got a lot of talent not only in our orchestra but also on our board. We're particularly inviting more corporate involvement — inviting corporations to sponsor concerts."

It's runnerup. The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers' 1990 Holiday Gift Guide, which came out last Thanksgiving Day, took second place for special sections among weekly/biweekly newspapers in the Michigan Press Association 1990-91 Better Newspaper Contest. The announcement came during National Newspaper Week Oct. 6-12. "It's very well done," said the judges.

Do you know someone worthy of honor in the arts world? The Arts Foundation of Michigan is now accepting nominations for its 17th annual Michigan Arts and Patrons Awards. Artists receive cash awards of \$5,000. The awards are given annually to Michigan artists in recognition of outstanding achievement in varying fields. Patron awards are bestowed upon individuals for outstanding service in support of the arts. Winners are recognized at a ceremony in May in Detroit. The deadline to submit nominations is Jan. 6. For nomination forms, call the foundation offices in Detroit: 964-2244. The arts foundation is an independent funding organization that encourages investment and excellence in the arts.



photos by BILL HANSEN

Charles and Kitty Talcott enjoy the spacious sun room furnished with 100-year-old wicker furniture painted mauve for an updated look.

## Dream house

### Plymouth decorator designs way into magazine

By Janice Tiger-Kramer  
special writer

WHEN CHARLES and Kitty Talcott decided to build their 4,200-square-foot, Cape Cod-style house near downtown Northville, they knew they'd need the help of a skilled interior designer.

The couple already knew they liked the casual charm of Country French furniture and planned to reuse some of their classic contemporary pieces in the den. What they wanted to find was a decorator to help them combine their older pieces with new ones.

They needed a decorator to help humanize the house's 11 rooms with furniture and window treatments that enhance the expansive windows and doorways overlooking the wooded one-acre lot. Their only request: Plenty of color.

That's where Dawn McAllister Buda, a Plymouth-based interior designer came in. Her decorating background goes back almost 35 years when she began working at McAllister's House of Decorating, a paint and wallcovering store her parents owned in downtown Northville.

In 1984, Buda opened a full-service interior design studio called Designer's Choice in her Northville home. Her second store opened 2½ years ago in Plymouth's Old Village.

KITTY TALCOTT talked with several decorators before finding

Buda, but each one told her to look through magazines for ideas. "I knew what I liked," Kitty said. "But I wanted a decorator to work with me in the house, not through pictures."

Buda, who likes being a "hands-on" decorator, first worked with the Talcotts from blueprints, then

inside the house while drywall was being installed. Buda was still helping the Talcotts select accessories in 1989, a year after they moved in.

The result is a house glamorous enough to appear in an eight-page color spread in the current edition of House Beautiful's Home

Building Magazine.

"It was a thrill to learn that we were going to be included in the magazine," Buda said. "I read House Beautiful every month so I was excited to hear they were thinking about us."

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Dawn McAllister Buda, interior designer and owner of Designer's Choice in Plymouth's Old Village, began working with the Talcotts from blueprints.

## Timberlake furniture line simple but bold

Exhibitions, 5D

By Helen Diane Vicent  
special writer

Some people will do almost anything to hide their past, especially if it lacks snob appeal. But not Bob Timberlake, designer for Lexington Furniture of North Carolina.

His latest collection, now being featured in the Classic Interiors showrooms in Livonia, revels in the simple, bold traditions of the rural South, particularly North Carolina, where Timberlake was raised.

It was here Timberlake was deeply influenced by artisans who hand-carve furniture and utensils, weave textiles and sew quilts. "Without their expertise," he said, "this collection may have stayed in my imagination."

Timberlake's country background first found expression in a highly realistic style of painting long before he became involved with home furnishings.

Through major art exhibits and TV appearances, he gained attention and admiration of the rich and famous, such as the late Dr. Armand Hammer, collector and CEO of Occidental Petroleum, and former presidents Gerald Ford and Jimmy Carter, who had designated Timberlake the Official Artist of the "Keep America Beautiful" program.

TIMBERLAKE IS also a "household word among the North Carolinians," said Mike Nichols, Classic Interiors vice-president and general manager.

Nichols, who rightfully claims to have "the largest collection of Timberlake's furnishings on display in this area," takes pride in the line and what he feels it represents to the local consumer.

"The world of Bob Timberlake," as the line is called, introduces the

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JIM JAGDFELD/staff photographer

A handpainted chest designed by Bob Timberlake for Lexington Furniture Industries and priced at \$2,269. At Classic Interiors, Livonia.

## Symphony helps young artists stoke competitive fires

THINK MUSIC. And enter a worthy young musician in the Livonia Symphony Orchestra Young Artist Competition. Call the LSO hotline for an application: 458-6575.

It's one of the few such competitions left, but it has lost none of its luster. Despite the economy, prize money will match last year's total of \$3,000. And one of the 1990 winners, budding opera singer Terese Fedea, was invited to sing with the Sante Fe Opera Company last summer.

Now in its 14th year, the competition is designed to help talented music students develop into full-time professionals.

Last year, it drew a record 45 contestants to Madonna University in Livonia. Contestants came from such renowned music hotbeds as Juilliard, Curtis, Oberlin, even Leningrad. Past winners represent keynotes

in classical music: Susan Synnesvedt, now in the Chicago Symphony first violin section; Cynthia Phelps, now Minnesota Symphony first chair violinist; and both Tomoko Mack-Brzozowski and Howard Watkins, both accomplished pianists who've performed overseas. Mack-Brzozowski is on the piano faculty at Schoolcraft College in Livonia.

THE COMPETITION is open to all young Michigan instrumental, piano and vocal residents or students oriented toward a classical music career but who aren't generally considered seasoned soloists.

As they perform compositions from a symphonic program, contestants are judged on musicianship, technique and stature as a possible performing artist.

Vocalists typically sing two or three arias or a light classical score.



Bob Sklar

Instrumentalists often play a movement or two of a concerto.

This year's judges are first-rate: international pianist Flavio Varani; Livonia Symphony's acclaimed concertmaster Victoria Haltom; and LSO music director-conductor Francesco DiBlasi, a professional musician for 45 years.

Prize money — \$1,000 to each first-place winner and \$500 to each second-place winner in the instrumental and vocal categories — must

Now in its 14th year, the competition is designed to help talented music students develop into full-time professionals.

be used for music study.

But it doesn't have to be used for the obvious, like lessons, sheet music or tuition. One winner used it for gas to drive to Oberlin in Ohio for weekend study. Another applied it toward plane fare for weekend study at Juilliard in New York.

AS A judge, DiBlasi looks for style: "You can tell when a person really has something to offer. Competitors can't go from this competition to the solo spotlight, but it does

give them confidence in playing." And it helps them hone their competitive edge.

Winners, DiBlasi said, find it a "lot different playing with accompaniment of a symphony orchestra when they're used to that of a pianist. It's a whole new ballgame."

Chairmanship of the competition has changed. LSO board member Nancy Richard relinquished the reins last year after doing a phenomenal job in chairing eight of the 13 competitions.

But because of its stellar tradition, there's no reason the Young Artist Competition shouldn't be a rousing success again under the chairmanship of Marcy Trudeau.

MY TOP complaint last year was that Fedea wasn't scheduled to perform with the LSO. That oversight deprived folks who support the sym-

phony and the competition a chance to hear Fedea, whose accomplished voice earned her a role in the summer opera festival production of "La Traviata" in Sante Fe.

Competition rules clearly give the impression that winners will appear as LSO soloists during the season.

To its credit, the LSO did feature first-place instrumental winner Michael Molnau, a violinist and regular Michigan symphony performer.

Despite the crisis in state arts funding and the struggle to lure new local sources of funding, the Livonia Symphony is committed to keeping the Young Artist Competition.

By any standard, aspiring young artists hooked on the classics are richer because of that rock-hard commitment.

Bob Sklar is assistant managing editor for special projects.



# Designer earns spotlight in magazine

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The whole construction project started five years ago when Charles Talcott, owner and chairman of Home Planners, a company that publishes books of home plans to order, did the rough drawing for his house, designed for "empty nesters" whose children are grown.

THE TALCOTTS drew from Charles' Boston roots, designing a sprawling Cape Cod with a large master suite on the first floor and two bedrooms and a lounge upstairs that could be closed off until their four children and grandchildren visit.

While Anderson-Reinke, AIA, of Farmington Hills, finished blueprints, Kitty Talcott and Buda began selecting wall and floor coverings for each room.

They settled on bold florals and background wallpapers mostly in combinations of mauve, seafoam and blue. Off-white tile with mauve diamond accents was selected for the spacious entry; oak plank flooring for the dining room.

The living room's rich teal carpeting is highlighted with a black and rose-colored oriental area rug that matches draperies and a pair of upholstered occasional chairs. Colors complement the living room's wall-to-wall fieldstone fireplace.

The master suite has rose-colored carpeting to match floral wallcoverings and draperies on the bay doorwall (one of two bay windows in the room).

The master suite, tucked to one

**'I read House Beautiful every month so I was excited to hear they were thinking about us.'**

— Dawn McAllister Buda, interior designer

side of the house for privacy, opens to an outdoor sitting area. The adjoining bath includes a large jetted tub, a skylight, a shower, a generous dressing area and vanities.

BESIDES RECESSED lighting, there's a skylight and colorful stained glass window over the tub in mauve and blue. Buda helped the Talcotts select textured floor tile in gray and mauve to complement the window and accent the Euro-style vanity. A large, tufted ottoman in a colorful print fills the center of the bath.

The powder room on the first floor is decorated with a large floral wallpaper and a crystal chandelier brought from the Talcotts' previous house in Livonia. (Buda offset the sink to accommodate the lighting).

"This is a very 'up' house," Kitty said. "There's a quiet feeling here. It's decorated so cozy and serene. It's very easy to live in."

Though the Talcotts bought new furniture for the living and dining rooms, several chairs and sofas throughout the house were recovered. All the pieces in the den were used in their previous home. The cozy room includes classic contemporary pieces like a Knoll

sofa and chair, a Warren Platner glasstop table and a Saarinen womb chair. The den is lined with shelves holding the Talcotts' favorite architectural books and novels. Wood plantation blinds cover French doors that open to a wrap-around deck.

THOUGH THE Talcotts have plenty of living space, most family activity and entertaining ends up in the spacious country kitchen, which includes a generous work area, a two-way fireplace (whitewashed to bring out mauve tones in the red brick) a sitting area and a sunny dining area with a bay doorwall opening to the deck.

Kitty Talcott selected burgundy cherry cabinets (some with glass fronts) for the kitchen and worked with a planner in Ohio to design the room. Her large plate collection is displayed around the room over the cabinets. Buda selected a rose-colored country wallpaper and mauve and navy pin dot carpeting throughout the room. The beamed ceiling reinforces the country feeling.

The kitchen leads to the "clutter room" (laundry) on one side and a bright sun room on the other (296 square feet not included in the total square footage).



The Talcotts' spacious master bath includes a jetted tub, a skylight, a dressing area and vanities. The focal point is a mauve-colored stained glass window over the tub.

Buda and Kitty Talcott shopped around before furnishing the sun room with a 100-year-old wicker set. The decorator painted the four-piece set mauve and chose colorful, floral cushions and matching balloon shades. A whimsical glasstop table with a cement monkey base finishes the room.

The bright room has a sloped ceiling and expansive windows to view the yard.

THOUGH THE Talcotts reserve the second floor for guests, it, too, is tastefully decorated with a country flair. Charles Talcott has converted one of two bedrooms into a spacious home office.

The charming house with a Colonial-inspired white brick exterior has a cupola and mullioned windows. A white picket fence opens to a brick patio with a garden supplying year-round color.

"The project was a process of elimination," Buda said. "We worked together to find exactly what the Talcotts wanted to live with. The result is a house with a lot of personality. It's colorful, comfortable and inviting."

"A well-decorated home is the product of a client who's open to ideas," Buda added. "The best projects, like the Talcotts, are the homes of people who are fun to work with."



JIM JAGDFELD/staff photographer

From The World of Bob Timberlake by Lexington Furniture Industries: wing back chair, \$828; hassock in a drum motif, \$319; chest cocktail table, \$1,359. At Classic Interiors, Livonia.

## Timberlake line shown

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lodge look, which is an evolution of the well-established Early American and country styles," Nichols said.

"Classic Interiors had, in fact, built its good reputation on these styles. To this day, after 57 years in business, we continue to carry some very fine examples through lines such as Harden, Knob Creek and Pennsylvania House, some of the nine major lines in our showroom."

Nichols added, "The lodge look evokes genuine, down-to-earth feelings that contribute to a friendly atmosphere. The collection accommodates many styles, wood finishes, sturdy textile patterns, including trapunto design in leather, and a variety of quilt options for bedding."

"Timberlake's own artistic background and special interest in the Civil War also comes through in the hand-painted panels of farm scenes and other decorative motifs. The furniture seems to acquire the character of art itself."

"FOR ALL the hand-crafted artistry, this line is adapted to modern circumstances," Nichols said. "It may be used in Great Rooms, dining and bedrooms. Cabinets and chests are also designed to include television sets and VCRs."

The coordinated displays at Classic Interiors are a must-see. They are approximations of the original settings in Timberlake's log cabin studio in North Carolina. Each is a representation of a particular aspect of an era largely ignored or reduced to factory reproductions of spinning wheels and dry sinks.

At last we can enjoy a creative artist's vision of his real world that has its roots in the past, but continues in the present. It may be the best antidote to our fast-paced, high-pressure world and provide the opportunity of acquiring our own heirlooms.

Helen Diane Vincent is a Troy-based home furnishings and color consultant.

## Focus turns to shutterbugs

Photographers of all description — shutterbugs, snapshooters, camera collectors, professionals and beginners — all with a common interest in photography, will meet Sunday, Nov. 17, for the Detroit Super Camera Show and Model Shoot at the Northfield Hilton, 5500 Crooks Road and I-75 at Exit 72 in Troy.

A camera show will be open to the public 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is \$4. For more information, call the Photorama USA hot line at 894-2243.

More than 60 dealers will display new and used photo equipment, including cameras and lenses, as well as antique and collectable photogra-

phia. Most of the dealers will be prepared to buy, sell or trade equipment.

Workshops on model photography will take place Sunday. The times will be announced at the show. Admission to the workshops are free with admission to the show.

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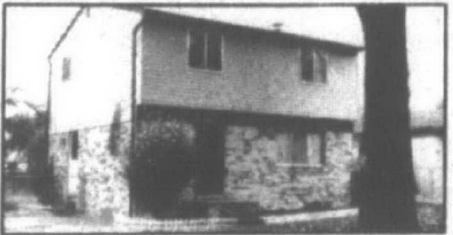
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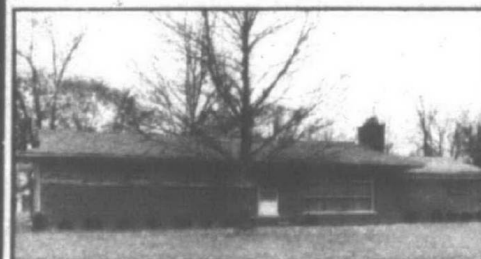
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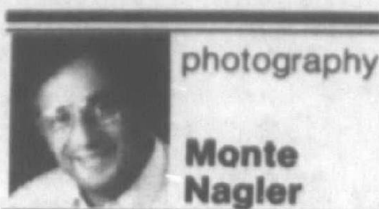
"To err is human . . . to forgive divine." This saying has been around for ages, and how true it is.

We could expand its interpretation in our photography pursuits to say that making a mistake is OK as long as we learn from the experience.

There are common errors that photographers make, and all too often they're repeated. But learning from a mistake will result in photographic growth that will, in turn, lead to better pictures.

**HERE ARE** some common mistakes photographers make, along with suggestions to correct and learn from them:

● **Film didn't advance through the camera?** This has probably happened to everyone, and how disappointing it can be when you have no shots of that special event.



photography  
**Monte Nagler**

The problem is simple to correct. Just make sure the sprockets are engaged when loading the film and keep an eye on the rewind knob. If the knob turns in reverse as you advance the film, everything will come out okay.

● **Subject blurred in your shot?** You didn't use a fast enough shutter speed.

A speed of 1/125 will stop minimal motion, but will not freeze the action in sporting events. Using a

speed of 1/500 or 1/1000 second will do the trick.

● **Only getting partial pictures with flash?** Don't blame your flash. You simply didn't set the shutter speed dial at the correct synchronization speed, usually 1/60 second.

A mistakenly set speed of 1/125 or 1/250 second will produce a partial black band over your finished print.

● **Composition not right?** Is your subject too centered, is there a distracting background, or is there a tree growing out of your subject's head?

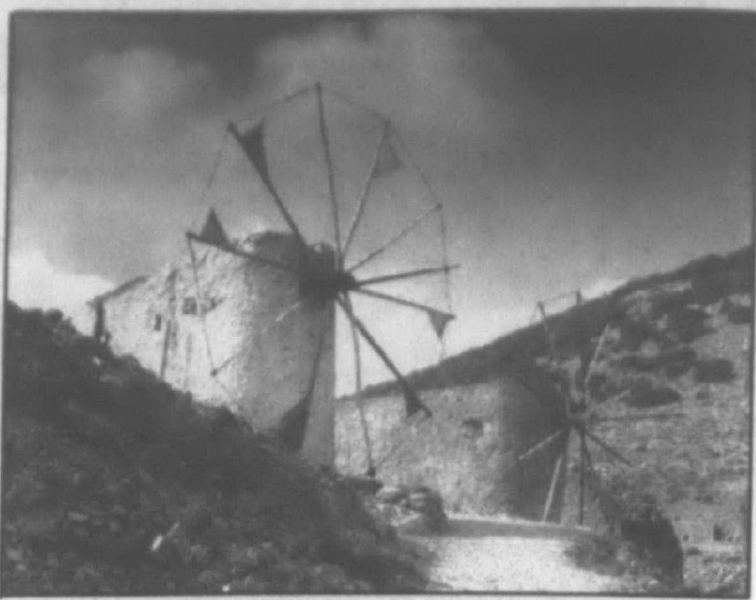
The solution is to take a few extra seconds for a careful look through the viewfinder before taking your shot. Often, a slight adjustment in camera angle or position is all it takes to vastly improve your composition. Placing the subject off center will help improve composition, too.

● **Foreground subject too dark against a bright sky?** Solution: Move in close to the subject, take a meter reading, and use this setting when you snap the shutter. Or you can use a meter reading of the palm of your hand to neutralize the effects of light extremes.

● **Shoot a roll at the wrong ASA?** With black and white film, overdevelop if you've underexposed the film and underdeveloped if you've overexposed. With color negative film, tell your photo dealer of the error. With his or her special instructions to the processing lab, you should get satisfactory pictures.

From now on, tape the end of the film box to the back of your camera as a constant reminder of the film you're shooting.

Remember, to err in our photography is human, but to learn from the experience is wise.



No mistakes here in this photograph of the Windmills of Lathi, taken on Monte Nagler's recent trip to Crete, Greece.

Monte Nagler is a professional photographer based in Farmington Hills.

## creative impressions

Send creative arts-related calendar items to: *Creative Impressions, Creative Living, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers*, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Allow at least three weeks for publication.

### ● HAITIAN ART

Espeir of Detroit and Eye Care Inc. of Washington, both nonprofit groups, will co-sponsor the third annual art show of authentic Haitian art, metal sculptures, ceremonial flags and papier mache Friday-Sunday, Nov. 15-17, at the International Institute, 111 E. Kirby, Detroit.

Hours are 5-9 p.m. Friday and noon to 5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday. Proceeds will help fund three health clinics in Haiti devoted to saving and restoring the sight of the island nation's six-million residents.

### ● HOLIDAY WALK

Northville's historical Mill Race Village will be decorated for the third Christmas Walk noon to 5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Nov. 16-17.

Once the site of a grist mill, the village homes, school, church, blacksmith shop and general store will be trimmed for a Victorian holiday by local Questers.

Admission is \$1. Proceeds will be used to maintain and restore the village.

Crafts will be for sale. Artisans will demonstrate their crafts. Mill Race Village is on Griswold, just north of Main.

### ● YOUTH SYMPHONY

As part of its 10th anniversary

season, the Metropolitan Youth Symphony will perform a classical concert at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 17 at Livonia Churchill High School, on Newburgh Road, north of Joy.

The 260 young musicians range in grades from 5-12. They play in three orchestras led by music educators Alan McNair (Symphony Orchestra), Richard Piippo (Concert Orchestra) and Jacqueline Coleman (String Orchestra).

The concert will include works by Hanson, Kabalevsky, Frescobaldi, Beethoven, Scarlatti and Mozart.

Concert tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3.50 for students. They will be sold at the door.

### ● DANCE CONCERT

Wayne State University Dance Company, featuring Jennifer White of Livonia, will present its annual children's dance concert series Nov. 18-23 at the Community Arts Auditorium, Cass and Kirby.

"On Stage" has scheduled Tuesday-Friday performances for Detroit area school groups at 9:45 and 11 a.m. Reservations are a must.

Saturday performances at 3 and 5:30 p.m. are open to the public. Friday and Saturday performances include a signer, who will enhance the enjoyment for the hearing impaired.

This year's theme features folk tales from around the world. A favorite character of children, Freda Frump, will be danced by Portia Fields of Detroit.

Jennifer White is a sophomore majoring in dance. She began her dance training in Livonia Public Schools and attended Joanne's Dance

Extension and the Academy of Dance Arts.

She recently won first place for ballet and lyrical dance in a national competition. She teaches gymnastics at the Farmington Gymnastics Center.

Tickets for weekday performances are \$2; Saturday, tickets for children are \$4 and for adults, \$5.

For reservations, call 577-4273.

### ● HOLIDAY CRAFTS

Seven Observerland residents will take part in the Craft Gallery Christmas Show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 24 at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill.

Admission, \$2; children younger than 12 free. Lunches and refreshments available.

Sixty displays will feature country folk art, Victorian crafts, early Americana, French country look and southwest crafts.

Local exhibitors will be:

● Redford — Kay Vincent, country and Victorian counted cross stitch.

● Livonia — Donna Squire, basketweavings, Cheryl Young, fabric heart decor.

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# Ladies kissed by fantasy mark his work

By Linda Ann Chomin  
special writer

The Art Gallery of Garden City, and director Norma McQueen, will host an artist's reception for Evelio Garrido 2-6 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 17. The gallery is in Sheridan Square, 30116 Ford Road.

The artist, too ill to attend, will be represented by his friend of three decades, Bill Dean Heimerdinger.

Eleven pieces from Garrido's limited-edition prints will be displayed and available for purchase through November and December. They include Garrido's five-piece Nostalgia series, Leisure Moods series and Fantasy series. All were originally rendered in colored pencil, pen and ink, and graphite pencil.

"As soon as I saw the work, I could tell the quality was there," McQueen said. "Having struggled with colored pencil, I know the challenge."

**Garrido drawing's portray ladies, kissed by moonlight, in quiet moments of reflection.'**

Also on display, but not for sale, will be oil paintings from the late '80s, and childhood pen and ink drawings from 1949.

BORN IN Spain in 1935, Garrido's works feature a lone, female figure reminiscent of Art Nouveau with fantasy elements similar to Aubrey Beardsley.

Garrido's drawings portray ladies, kissed by moonlight, in quiet moments of reflection.

Even as a child, Garrido had

drawn, spending his last pesetas on watercolors, oils, pencils and paper. As his parents did not approve of the desire to spend his life creating art, Garrido left home at 18, headed for Munich, Germany.

In 1964, a lifelong dream to visit the United States came true. Once here, he decided to stay and fought the system to become a citizen, of which he is very proud.

In 1989, after 35 years as a hair stylist, Garrido was forced to retire due to failing health. He looked forward to spending the rest of his life

creating art, which he refers to as his mistress. But that was not to be.

In July 1990, he was rushed to the hospital by Heimerdinger. After a spinal tap, doctors diagnosed Garrido as suffering from an infection that had lodged itself in the brain, cryptococcal meningitis. After a 24-day battle, he went home to Clinton, where he remains ill and weak.

"I HAVE a feeling he's not going to be painting or drawing any more," McQueen said.

A strong female figure lurks in "Memories," a print created in sepia tones with black, yellow and red accenting the long, evening dress, hat and shoes. There is minimal background, merely a full, white moon. The unframed print is \$150; framed, \$250.

"Elizabeth the Dreamer" by Garrido features a sparse background

and the repeated theme of a lady in evening dress. His use of light on folds of the gown, white roses and doves is reminiscent of the American luminist movement in the mid to late 1800s.

McQueen gracefully pointed to Garrido's use of light in "Elizabeth the Dreamer": "This gives you such a personal feeling the moon highlighting the water, her gown and the roses."

In 1989, four of Garrido's works were shown at the Scarab Club in Detroit.

A drawing for a signed print of your choice by Garrido will be at 4 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 17 in The Art Gallery. You must be present to win.

Regular gallery hours are noon to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday. Call the gallery for special holiday hours, 261-0379.



"Reflections," a print by Evelio Garrido, uses overall sepia tones, black accents, and highlighting on white flowers and beads to create serenity and mystery.

## exhibitions

Send calendar items about Oakland County art gallery exhibitions to *The Eccentric*, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham 48009. Send items about Wayne County exhibitions to *The Observer*, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Attention: Creative Living editor.

### DETROIT FOCUS

Friday, Nov. 15 — "No Bigger Than, No More Than," a seasonal show and sale, will run to Dec. 20. Works of art are no bigger than 12-by-12-by-12 inches, two- or three-dimensional, and are priced no more than \$250. Opening reception 5:30-8:30 p.m. Friday. Hours noon to 6 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 743 Beaubien, third floor, Detroit, 962-9025. Closed Thanksgiving weekend Nov. 28-30. Hours extended to 10 p.m. for gallery crawl Friday, Dec. 6.

### IMPRESSIONS 91

Through Nov. 15 — The South Oakland Art Association hosts its annual fall art show, "Impressions 91," 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the American Center, 2777 Franklin Road, Southfield. Call 549-0856.

### GALLERY IV

To Nov. 15 — Works by Andy Warhol on display, including original works from "The Bottom of My Garden" series, "SHOES" and "A Cat Named Sam," an ink and watercolor of "Mickey Mouse" and a Marilyn Monroe silkscreen. Starting Nov. 16: show dedicated to transportation, featuring vintage posters depicting all types of transportation — horse, bicycle, train, automobile, airplane. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 6447 Inkster Road, one block north of Maple in Bloomfield Hills, 932-1888.

### CHAMELEON GALLERIES

To Nov. 15 — "Two Funny," featuring the humorous works of wood artist George Landino and syndicated cartoonist John Long. 370 S. Main, Plymouth. Gallery hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday; 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Thursday; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday; 1-5 p.m. Sunday.

### BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART ASSOCIATION

To Nov. 16 — Recent works by BBAA faculty are exhibited. The show includes drawings, paintings, pastels, fiber, ceramics, glass, sculpture and jewelry. Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 1516 S. Cranbrook Road, north of 14 Mile in Birmingham, 644-0866.

### DONNA JACOBS GALLERY

To Nov. 16 — "Description de l'Egypte," engravings published under order of Napoleon in the early 1800s after the French expedition into Egypt, now on display. Ancient Egyptian objects are exhibited along with these master prints. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 574 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 540-1600.

### ROBERT KIDD GALLERY

To Nov. 16 — Exhibition by glass artist Robert Palusky and painter Oscar Lakeman continues at 107 Townsend, Birmingham. Palusky has combined new technical directions with personal expressionistic content. Lakeman paints large, realistic still lifes with tools of the artist's trade as subjects. Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 642-3908.

### GALLERIE 454

Through Nov. 16 — Landscapes by Jamie Young, representing the new breed of American impressionists, are exhibited. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday; 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 176 S. Woodward, Birmingham, 646-4454.

### SWIDLER GALLERY

To Nov. 16 — Ceramic sculptures

## Pewabic preview to help needy

Pewabic Pottery hosts its annual holiday invitation exhibition Nov. 16 to Jan. 18.

More than 100 artists will show their contemporary pottery, sculptural vessels, wall pieces and tile. Pewabic's own gift tile, vessels, candlesticks and ornaments will be available for purchase. Most pieces are priced between \$30 and \$100.

A members-only preview party is set for 5:30-9:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 15. Memberships can be bought that evening at the door for \$35 or more.

This year's preview party will start a new practice for the holidays at Pewabic: a canned food drive for the needy. Admission to the preview party will be one or more items of non-perishable foodstuffs. The general drive will continue throughout the holidays, with all donated goods to be given to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen.

and mixed media paintings by Canadian artist Jean-Pierre Larocque are featured. Larocque's exhibit is in conjunction with the group show, "The Brooch," with ornamental pins by 16 artists. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and by appointment, 308 W. Fourth, Royal Oak, 542-4880.

### MATRIX GALLERY

Through Nov. 16 — "Food for Thought," an exhibit of work by Anne Cousino, at the gallery, 212 Miller, 1 1/2 blocks west of Main, Ann Arbor. Hours: 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday-Saturday or by appointment, 663-7775. Parking available in the Ann and Ashley structure. The gallery specializes in new, emerging and experimental art.

Membership in the Pewabic Society supports the pottery's educational, exhibition, outreach and historical programming.

PEWABIC'S GALLERY will be open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday; until 8 p.m. Thursday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday for the holiday season.

It will be closed Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day and after 4 p.m. Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve. After Jan. 1, gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday.

Pewabic Pottery, founded in 1903, is a center for education in the ceramic arts, a gallery and a museum. It's owned and operated by the Pewabic Society Inc., a non-profit, tax-exempt organization.

The pottery is at 10125 East Jefferson, across from Waterworks Park, Detroit.

### JUDY FRANKEL & ASSOCIATES

Through Nov. 17 — Exhibit and sale of antique decorative arts including folk art, quilts, Americana and Niagara Indian art continues at the gallery in Bloomfield Village Square, 877 West Long Lake at Telegraph, Bloomfield Hills. Hours are: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday-Sunday and 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday. 851-8026.

### MEADOW BROOK ART GALLERY

Through Nov. 17 — The 38-artist exhibit, "Expressive Visions and Exquisite Images: Two Aspects of Art of the '80s from the Richard Brown Baker Collection," continues. Hours are 1-5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 2-7 p.m. weekends, 370-3180.

### O.K. HARRIS WORKS OF ART

Sunday, Nov. 17 — The gallery will present a group show in the Bobbitt Visual Arts Center at Albion College through Dec. 12. The exhibit will include the work of Eugene Brodsky, James Del Grosso, Mariano Del Rosario, Susan Holcomb, Sook-Jin Jo, Aris Koutroulis, Nicholas Maravell, Jack Mendenhall, Joseph Richards and Albion graduate Tom Terry. Public reception 2-5 p.m. Sunday. Call 433-3700.

### DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS

To Nov. 18 — "The Challenge of the Chair," the 15th exhibition in the Michigan Artists Program series, runs in the Michigan Artists Gallery at the DIA. The exhibit is free with museum admission, 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday.

### SISSON GALLERY

Wednesday, Nov. 20 — "Women Printmakers," a collection of works from the Print Consortium, will run

through Dec. 13. Reception 6-8 p.m. Wednesday. Gallery hours 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday, until 8 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, at MacKenzie Fine Arts Center, Henry Ford Community College, 5101 Evergreen, Dearborn, 845-9634.


### PARK WEST GALLERY

Through Nov. 21 — Itzhak Tarkay, Israel's most important figurative painter, is featured with a major exhibition of his work. It is the first time in eight years that all 12 galleries at Park West show the works of only one artist. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, 29469 Northwestern, Southfield, 354-2343.

### LIVONIA CITY HALL


Through Nov. 22 — Visual Art Association of Livonia annual fall art show with 93 works in watercolor, oil and mixed media. Through Nov. 22. City hall lobby, Farmington Road and Five Mile.

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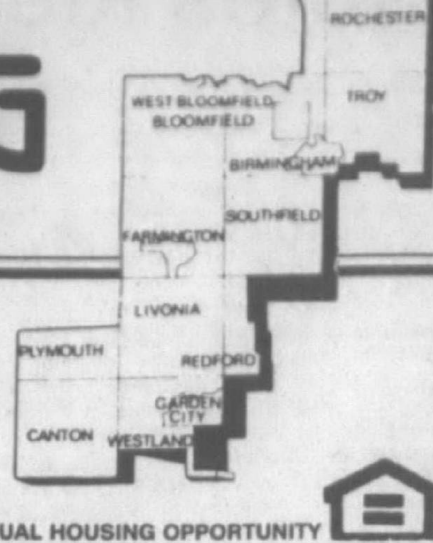
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**Bloomfield Hills**  
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**FANTASTIC**  
 3 bedroom brick ranch with 4th bedroom in finished basement. 1 1/2 bath on main floor. 2 car detached garage. \$229,900.  
 CALL MAURE ZDUNOWSKI  
 HOME MASTER REALTY 425-8830

**FIRST TIME OFFER**  
 Custom built 5 bedroom colonial on a breathtaking park-like lot. Custom deck off back. Extra large family room, laundry room and garage. First floor den or bedroom. Quality throughout. Decorated to perfection. \$199,900.  
 CALL JOE BAILEY  
**MAYFAIR 522-8000**

**Bright Beginnings**  
 Central Livonia prime location 3 bedroom starter ranch. Roomy lot, paved street, family room and attached garage. \$72,900.

**A-1 Ranch**  
 Livonia's historic Roseade Gardens 3 bedroom ranch with family room, family room, brick fireplace, 2 car attached garage, aluminum trim, new furnace and central air plus a 2 car garage. \$89,900

**2 1/2 Baths**  
 and 4 roomy bedrooms in this Northwest Livonia traditional brick Colonial. With a formal dining room, brick fireplace, 2 car attached garage, aluminum trim, and central air, your family will say "yes!" \$152,900

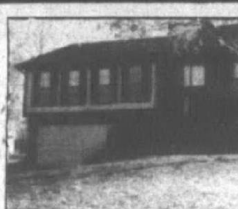
**The Prudential Harry S. Wolfe, REALTORS 421-5660**  
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**IMAGINE THIS!**  
 Caring Gardens \$67,900! Spacious 3 bedroom brick ranch offers large gourmet kitchen, entertaining screen porch and finished basement plus central air & 2 car garage. Price: \$67,900.  
**CENTURY 21 Today 261-2000**

**LIVONIA NW**  
 LARGE PREMIUM LOT backing to nature preserve. 2250 sq. ft. 4 bedrooms, living room, dining room, family room, kitchen with nook. Updates include wood doorwork, central air, carpeting, ceramic tile, professionally finished basement with walk out. \$178,900.  
 Call for app. 474-1495

**LIVONIA - \$109,900**  
 4 bedroom ranch boasting screened-in porch, central air, ceramic tile baths, large family room with wet bar in lower level. Beautiful built-in pool with heater, privacy fence & sprinkling system. Home Warranty. Great house at a great price! (B39)  
**CENTURY 21 WEST, INC. 348-8800**

**the MICHIGAN GROUP REALTORS**  
 199 N. Main St. Plymouth - THE SIGN OF SUCCESS



**NOVI - Best buy in town!** 1,800 square foot Contemporary with 3 to 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, 2 fireplaces, 2 car garage. Quiet court, backs to commons. Energy efficient. \$130,000 #501



**NORTHVILLE - Gorgeous home w/fantastic view of 1 acre lot, built w/quality by Frank Baus. Great Room w/full wall fieldstone fireplace, garden room, fabulous deck. \$399,900 #337**



**PLYMOUTH - Lovely all brick 3 bedroom, split-level on a superb wooded lot. Within walking distance to schools, library, shops, etc. Updates, new playroom, roof, kitchen cabinets, counters & floor! \$145,000 #493**



**CANTON - Charming colonial. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room w/fireplace, basement, 2 car garage, central air, newer kitchen, windows & roof. Canton's Sunflower Village. Super Sharp! \$143,500 #494**



**NORTHVILLE - Stately colonial in Colony Estates sub. Features 4 bedrooms, den, 2 1/2 baths, family room, finished basement, 2 1/2 car garage, professionally landscaped, central air. \$187,900 #504**

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 Contemporary Colonial in Northwest Livonia is only 3 years old and has all the extras. It has the 1st floor laundry, formal dining room, master bath, and family room with marble fireplace. Beautiful decor throughout. \$158,900

**Open Sunday 1-4**  
 Dramatic reduction on this 3 bedroom ranch on a large lot in this prime section of Livonia. This older home has lots of charm, has been totally redecorated, and even has a basement and attached garage. \$84,900. E. of Farmington & N. of 7 Mile to 1264 Westmore.

**The Prudential Harry S. Wolfe, REALTORS 474-5700**  
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**KIMBERLY OAKS - Warm spacious brick ranch 3 bedroom, 3 bath, finished basement with wet bar, private yard. \$105,000. By Owner. 425-3257**

**LIVONIA OPEN SUN 1-4**  
 18650 Meriv, S. of 7 Mile Rd. W. of Middlebelt. REDUCED, PRICED BELOW MARKET... All completely remodeled through out, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 2 1/2 car attached garage. Enjoy Christmas. Just have to move in. Come see Doris. She'll be there you be there!  
 CALL DON OR DORIS  
**MAYFAIR 522-8000**

**LIVONIA - 18439 Middlebelt.**  
 3 bedroom Colonial, new construction, full basement, 2 1/2 baths, 2 car attached garage. Minimum bid \$110,000. For information call Steve Smith. 953-3904

**Open Sun. 1-5, 18644 Edgewood.**  
 4 bedroom Colonial, 2 1/2 baths, family room, finished basement. \$192,500.

**FREE - Weekly list of properties For Sale "By Owner" with prices, descriptions, addresses, etc.**  
**HELP-U-SELL of NWWC 425-8881**

**OPEN SUN. 1-5**  
 3 bedroom brick ranch, large lot, finished basement, new flooring thru out, extras. Great condition. \$87,900. 19820 Angling. 474-7363

**PRICED TO PLEASE**  
 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath ranch with finished basement, 2 1/2 car garage and Florida room. New carpeting and flooring throughout. Freshly painted. Totally neutral. Priced at \$89,900. Call Alice Head, Coldwell Banker Schwitzer. 458-9000

**SELL - SELL - SELL**  
 Say the sellers of this great 2,133 sq ft home knock-out open floor plan with great view of the out of town! Spacious family room with fireplace plus 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, and attached 2 car garage. Will negotiate - bring us a deal. This is a great home for a family - make it yours!  
**ROSEMARY FIRESTONE REMAX FOREMOST, INC. 473-6200**

**YOU WOULD LOVE THIS!**  
 Located in Francaville Sub, this 1900 sq. ft. ranch has outstanding woodwork, oak cabinetry, crown molding, 6-panel doors. Huge master bed suite, 2 1/2 baths and central air. Reasonably priced. Call for more information.  
**RE/MAX WEST 261-1400 JOE DURSO 380-7777**

**CANTON CUTIE**  
 Ranch with family room, wet-in kitchen, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, mechanics dream garage, backs to wildlife area. Will sell fast at \$24,900.  
**RICHARD B. HANES II 453-8700 961-7727 RE/MAX CROSSROADS**

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 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace in family room, hot tub in den, first floor laundry, crown moldings everywhere, extremely nice home with fenced yard. \$147,900.

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 Move right into the spacious 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial. Well maintained with updated windows, carpet & kitchen flooring. Family room with fireplace has Andersen door/master suite with first floor laundry, dining room and finished basement. \$124,900.

**RIVALING FALLS COLORS**  
 Bright interior of this 5 year new colonial adds warmth all year long. Impmaculate home, 2 1/2 baths, first floor laundry, side entrance garage. \$138,900.

**LARGE LOT & LOTS OF TREES**  
 With this 3 bedroom ranch, tastefully updated kitchen and baths. Large family room with fireplace, Florida room, central air, 2 car garage. Home warranty. \$129,700.

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 LIVONIA - 3 bedroom, brick ranch 2 fireplaces, 2 baths, air, sprinklers, finished basement. 2 1/2 car garage. \$104,900. 425-8553

**NEW CONTEMPORARY RANCH**  
 Cathedral ceilings with skylights throughout, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, great room with fireplace, master bedroom with bath & walk-in closet. Spacious kitchen with island & Jenn-air appliances, 1st floor laundry, 2 1/2 car garage.  
**CARY SIMON CONSTRUCTION 666-5670**

**N.W. LIVONIA - Custom brick ranch**  
 features 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, open floor plan, updated oak kitchen, neutral decor, 1st floor laundry, central air. \$174,900. Owner: 476-4767

**OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY 1-4**  
 19253 Gary Lane, Biscornial Estates 4 bedroom tudor withpark in backyard. Largest model in sub.  
**CHRISTA LAMON Century 21 Chateau 477-1800**

**SHARP RANCH**  
 Updated throughout, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, finished basement. Gorgeous hardwood floors, immaculate - mint condition. \$105,900.  
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**THE ULTIMATE**  
 Enticing contemporary shows beautifully 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, this house has it all. Marble in foyer, halls, baths, great room with natural fireplace, carpeting throughout, central vac, extra large attached garage, 2 car attached garage, plus much more. \$264,900.

**KIMBERLY OAKS**  
 This sharp 3 bedroom 2 full bath house has newer shingles, furnace, and central air. Two covered patios, family room with natural fireplace, 2 car attached garage. Must be sold. \$264,900.

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 In Livonia is this 3 bedroom ranch with 2 full baths, formal dining, small den, attached garage for only \$88,900.

**RED CARPET KEIM SUBURBAN 261-1800**

**TOWERING TREES**  
 surround this lovely 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial in excellent location. Family room, 1st floor laundry and more. Only \$189,900.

**CENTURY 21 SUBURBAN 349-1212 261-1823**

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**RANCH, 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, 2,900 sq. ft., Florida & family room, deck, hot tub, formal dining. \$219,900. Even 349-0402. Days 741-3700**

**VERY HOT BUY!**  
 3 bedroom ranch w/finished basement, vinyl windows. \$85,500.  
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**ZERO CLOSING COSTS!**  
 Come see - all the home you get for \$80,900 in Livonia. Huge lot, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage, large kitchen. Call for more information.

**REAL ESTATE TODAY INC. 427-6600**

**313 Canton**  
 ABSOLUTELY AMAZING BUILDER'S MODEL AVAILABLE Two 3 bedroom ranch with fireplace, family room, 237 sq. ft. lot, upgraded cabinets in solid-wood kitchen, 2 1/2 baths, \$125,825. Call Model 1-5pm Mon-Sun. 981-2234

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**DAVID JAMES Remerica HOMETOWN REALTORS 459-6222**

**BACKS TO COMMONS AREA**  
 1,500 sq. ft. 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 1/2 baths, 2 car garage. \$92,900.  
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**BEST BUY, MUST SEE!** 454-9535  
 3 bedrooms, new windows, large lot, large garage. \$92,900.  
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**BY OWNER - Beautiful 4 bedroom brick ranch, 3 baths, family room w/fireplace, remodeled kitchen, central air, finished basement, new windows, 2 car garage. Large lot. Asking \$121,900. 459-5460**

**BY OWNER - 3 bedroom Colonial, 1 1/2 baths, formal dining, family room, large basement. \$137,000. Prestigious Sunflower sub. 459-9539**

**CANTON - THREE BEDROOM - basement, air, brick, 2 car garage. Land contract terms. VanRensselaer Realty 588-4700**

**CUL-DE-SAC PRIME LOCATION**  
 Large colonial, clean, updated. Seller motivated. \$123,000.  
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**DESIGN FEATURES**  
 All found in this 1600 sq. ft. colonial. Full brick fireplace, oak flooring, master suite with lighted walk-in closet. Asking \$103,900.

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 Bright interior of this 5 year new colonial adds warmth all year long. Impmaculate home, 2 1/2 baths, first floor laundry, side entrance garage. \$138,900.

**LARGE LOT & LOTS OF TREES**  
 With this 3 bedroom ranch, tastefully updated kitchen and baths. Large family room with fireplace, Florida room, central air, 2 car garage. Home warranty. \$129,700.

**IMMACULATE**  
 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths in Canton's finest sub. Finished basement, deck with gazebo. Priced right! \$184,900.

**BEAUTIFUL 1985 BUILT COLONIAL**  
 Many upgrades. Move-in condition. Seller to pay \$1500 towards closing costs. \$99,900

**CENTURY 21 SUBURBAN 455-5880 464-0205**

**WOODS OF CANTON**  
 PLYMOUTH CANTON SCHOOLS

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 PRICED FROM \$91,240 - \$125,000  
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**NOVI - Beautifully decorated 2 bedroom townhouse featuring fantastic finished basement, new parquet floor in kitchen, brick patio. \$102,900 #440**

**313 Canton**  
 CANTON 981 STONEHENGE - discover the warmth of this pleasant quad-level brick transitional Cherry fireplace, central air, new carpeting, family room, wet-in kitchen, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, finished basement \$129,900. Call 348-4550

**ERA RYMAL SYMES**  
 LIKE NEW - 1985 built Colonial. Finished basement, 65 x 120 lot, deck. \$99,500  
**HELP-U-SELL of NWWC 454-9535**

**MOVE IN CONDITION**  
 Beautifully decorated, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath ranch with family room & partially finished basement. Former model home. \$137,900. (W30VA5)

**737-9000 COLDWELL BANKER Schwitzer Real Estate**

**ONE ACRE**  
 Beautiful lot, fantastic house for the money. Three bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 1 1/2 car garage. \$219,900. Call: 459-5460

**OPEN SUNDAY 12-5**  
 Charming 4 bedroom, formal dining, many features. \$114,900.  
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**OPEN SUN. 1-5**  
 Beautifully updated 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 2 1/2 car attached garage. N. Canton. \$110,900. Call: 454-0128

**OPEN SUN. 2 TO 5**  
 8514 Carriage Hills, S. of Warren, W. of Lilley, 6 bedrooms, 2700 sq. ft. colonial in N. Canton, only \$119,900.  
**Realty World Robert Olson Realtors 981-4444**

**PRICE REDUCED!** 3 bedrooms, 1st floor laundry, family room, basement, new windows. \$115,000.  
**HELP-U-SELL of NWWC 454-9535**

**PRICE REDUCED \$79,000!** Don't miss seeing this huge 4 bedroom, fully carpeted, maintenance free, 2 1/2 baths, cozy FAMILY ROOM, NATURAL FIREPLACE, huge country kitchen, full basement & an attached 2 car garage! A real steal at only \$107,000!

**Remerica COUNTRY PLACE 981-2900**

**PRICE SLASHED!** on this beautiful 3 bedroom w/stone carpeted brick ranch on a premium well landscaped lot in a prime newer N. Canton sub. Natural fireplace in spacious GREAT ROOM, dream country kitchen, custom cabinets, full finished carpeted basement, attached 2 car garage & much more! Won't last at only \$119,600!

**Remerica COUNTRY PLACE 981-2900**

**PRIVATE WOODED YARD**  
 Colonial 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, formal dining room, family room, custom fireplace, ceramic foyer & kitchen. Brick patio, many extras. \$115,900. By owner. 981-2175

**Seller Motivated**  
 Says bring all offers on this spacious 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath in prime location that backs to a private common area. Sub. has many extras, open floor plan w/large living room and French door entry to den w/built-in bookshelves, country kitchen, full finished carpeted basement, attached 2 car garage & much more! You believe only \$115,000!

**The Prudential Harry S. Wolfe, REALTORS 462-1660**  
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**WESTLAND - \$59,950**  
 Lovely 3 bedroom Ranch. Perfect starter home. Newer carpet throughout, unfinished basement, nicely landscaped. \$59,950.  
**CENTURY WEST, INC. 349-6800**

**4 BEDROOM, 2 1/2 baths, updated kitchen, N. Canton location. 2,500 sq. ft. of living space. \$125,900.**

**FREE - Weekly list of properties For Sale "By Owner" with prices, descriptions, addresses, owner's phone numbers, etc.**  
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 IDEAL DOWNTOWN LOCATION 3 bedroom, master bath, wood floors, fireplace, 2 car garage. \$114,900.  
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 A 4 bedroom colonial, 2 1/2 baths, wet-in family room, finished basement, aluminum trim, formal dining room, living room, library, intercom-auxiliary system, many extras. 2600 sq. ft. By owner. \$190,900. 453-1798



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**LIVONIA**

**READY TO MOVE IN.** Custom built, quality updated ranch on wooded 1.3 acres. Newer roof, windows, furnace, kitchen, bathrooms and carpeting. Four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 2,918 sq. ft., formal dining, garage. **\$139,900** 261-0700



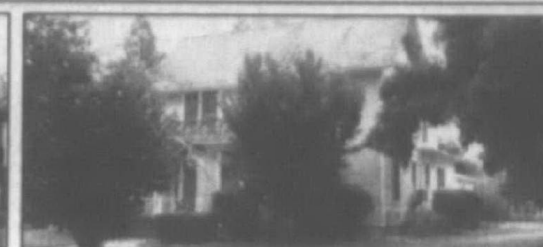
**INKSTER**

**MADE IN THE SHADE.** Sharp bungalow in a GREAT AREA. Corner lot, partially finished basement, huge garage with extra door. Family room, basement bathroom, immediate occupancy. 10K. **\$55,900** 326-2000



**REDFORD**

**VERY MOTIVATED SELLERS** offer brick Ranch on large, scenic, privacy lot. Newer furnace, carpet, water heater. Living room has natural fireplace, dining room, 3 bedrooms, basement and garage. Ready to move into! **\$62,900** 261-0700



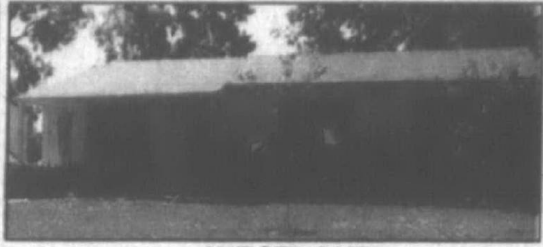
**COMMERCE**

**CHARMING HISTORICAL HOME** with mature trees on a splittable acre with 4 bedrooms, family room, parlor, den, basement, and attached garage. Memories of yesteryear in this 1983 beauty now offered at **\$215,000** (SLE) 348-6430



**REDFORD**

**BRICK BEAUTY.** Immaculate describes this South Redford bungalow, located in one of the finest areas. 1200 sq. ft., totally updated. Two car garage, walk to schools and church. FHA & VA terms offered. **\$68,900** 261-0700



**WESTLAND**

**A REAL GEM OF A HOME!** Enjoy this gorgeous 4 bedroom home with finished basement and 2 full baths. Built in 1988, this ranch is perfect and cozy for you. **\$86,900** 326-2000



**REDFORD**

**SUPER SOUTH REDFORD.** Four bedroom Cape Cod style home with huge backyard. Finished basement, dining room, family room, two car garage, plus updates! **\$75,500** 261-0700



**NOVI**

**A+ CONTEMPORARY.** Stunning two-story entry, cathedral ceiling with skylights, 2500 sq. ft. of elegance, 1st floor master and a dream kitchen. Too many amenities to list here! **\$254,900** (REI) 348-6430



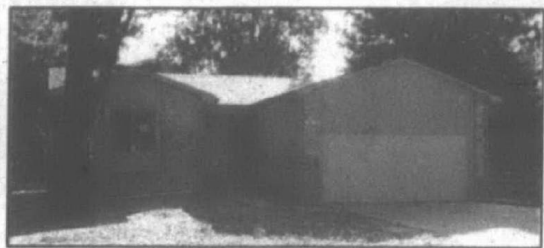
**LIVONIA**

**THIS CONDO IS SPECIAL.** Move right in! All the work is done! Beautiful two bedroom Townhouse, spacious rooms, new windows, doors, carpet, a finished basement, great location, and Home Warranty. **\$50,900** 261-0700



**CANTON**

**SO MUCH TO OFFER.** Wonderful 3 bedroom, 2 bath, ranch style home. This perfect family home features a great room with gas log fireplace, first floor laundry room, large kitchen and much, much more!!! **\$113,000** (R45570) 455-7000



**LIVONIA**

**1991 QUALITY CUSTOM HOME.** Brick ranch, cathedral ceilings, great room with fireplace open to dining area. Two full baths, 3 bedrooms, 1st floor laundry, basement, huge lot, circular drive, 2 car attached garage. **\$138,500** 261-0700



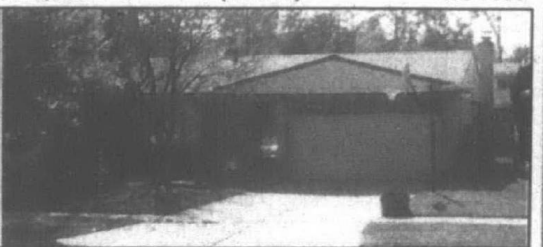
**CANTON**

**A MOVE IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.** Well updated 4 bedroom farm house. Spread out and enjoy the wooded 4.25 acres in Canton. 2 car garage, horses allowed. Call now. **\$115,900** (C-03330) 455-7000



**NOVI**

**COUNTRY IN THE CITY.** Beautiful contemporary home. Decking around half the house - 2 level, finished walk-out basement, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, quality construction, low heating and cooling bills. **\$129,000** 261-0700



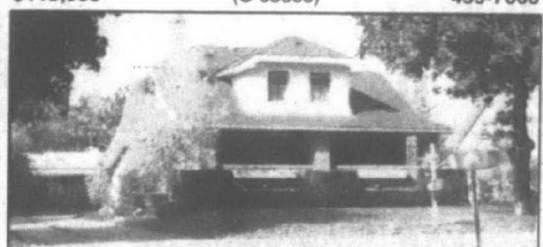
**CANTON**

**COME MAKE YOUR MOVE TO THIS LOVELY RANCH.** Nicely maintained featuring newer roof (5 years), hot water heater (2 1/2 years). Remodeled main bath with oak vanity, newer carpet in family room with natural fireplace. **\$93,900** (J-39881) 455-7000



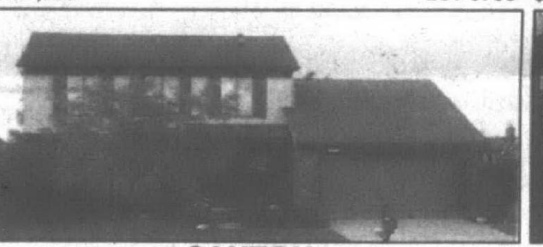
**LIVONIA**

**BURTON HOLLOW BEAUTY.** Charming is the only way to describe this 4 bedroom Colonial. 23x18 family room with fireplace is the heart of this home. Decorated to perfection. Finished basement. Numerous new features! **\$159,900** 261-0700



**PLYMOUTH**

**UNIQUE ARCHITECTURAL DETAILS.** Large size rooms, oak moldings and oak flooring throughout. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, large walk-in closets. Fireplace in living room plus many extras truly make this an outstanding buy at **\$175,000** (SM-9267) 455-7000



**CANTON**

**THE MOST DOMINANT HOME ON THE STREET.** Captivating 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath Colonial with formal living and dining rooms. Large country kitchen, family room with fireplace, 1st floor laundry and central air. **\$135,900** (S-45677) 455-7000



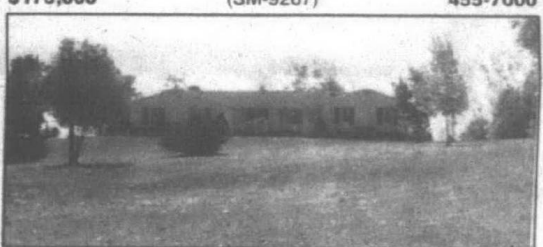
**PLYMOUTH**

**NESTLED IN A WARM FRIENDLY NEIGHBORHOOD.** Walk to town location, Plymouth city park at end of street. Hardwood floors, newer vinyl windows, large kitchen with plenty of room for dining. **\$89,900** (A-00601) 455-7000



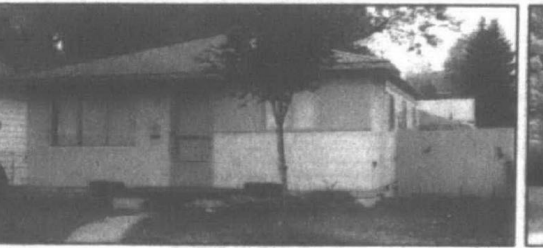
**REDFORD**

**3 BEDROOM CHARMER.** Well kept Cape on larger fenced lot. Extra added dining room, finished rec room, 2 car garage and appliances. FHA-VA terms available. Move-in condition. **\$69,900** (CEN) 851-1900



**CANTON**

**COUNTRY LIVING AT ITS BEST** with close to town convenience. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, formal dining room, family room with fireplace, 1st floor laundry. All this on 3 picturesque acres in Canton. **\$224,900** (G-48655) 455-7000



**REDFORD**

**LOW DOWN PAYMENT FOR** this clean and neat ranch with full basement, one full bath and 2 car garage all on a tidy lot. Central air and country kitchen. **\$62,500** 326-2000



**PLYMOUTH**

**A MOVE IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.** Pampered 3 bedroom ranch charms the eye and lifts your spirit. Includes 2 car garage. Have a private dip in your pool. Located on over 1 acre in Plymouth. **\$94,900** (C-09070) 455-7000



**LIVONIA**

**NORTH LIVONIA RANCH!** Excellent family home. full basement, large lot, close to shopping, schools, expressways, room for garage, motivated sellers, neutral decor. Built in 1985. **\$89,900** (STM) 477-1111



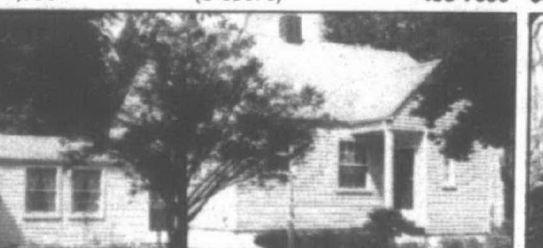
**CANTON**

**CONTEMPORARY LOFT UNIT.** Enjoy this super end unit with newer carpet, no-wax kitchen and bath floor. Spacious upper bedroom overlooks living room. Appliances included. Blinds throughout. A great place to start! **\$48,900** (N-44432) 455-7000



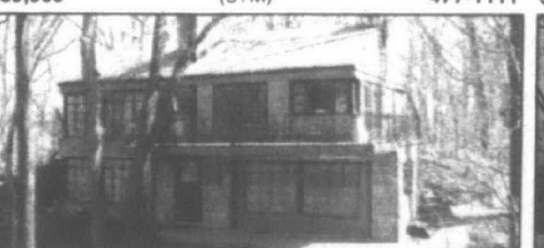
**WESTLAND**

**BRAND NEW RANCH.** Pick your own colors, and some options. Features 3 bedrooms, great room with ceiling fan, Cathedral cabinets, air conditioning, 80" furnace, prepped for bath in basement. **\$79,900** 326-2000



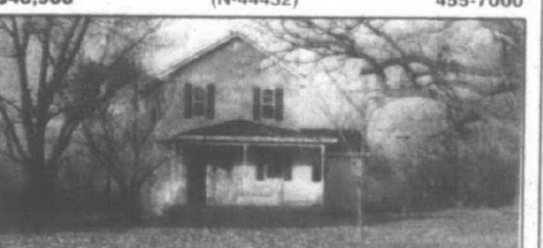
**PLYMOUTH**

**PLYMOUTH COUNTRY LOT LIST OF "NEWS"** include oak kitchen, windows, siding, roof and remodeled breezeway (could easily be a family room). 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, finished basement and 2 car attached garage. **\$113,900** (GA-11409) 455-7000



**PLYMOUTH**

**SECLUDED WOODED AREA.** Park-like setting on 1.66 acres in Plymouth Township. Home built of stone, concrete and steel. To be sold - AS IS - **\$85,900** (CLE) 477-1111



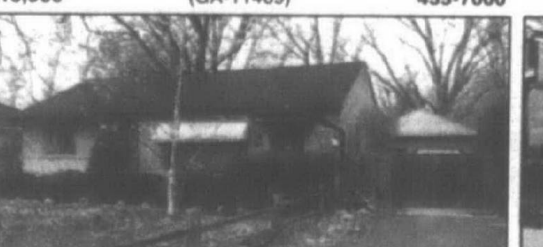
**PLYMOUTH**

**TREES AND PRIVACY** surround this charming 3 bedroom, 2 full bath farm house. Completely renovated with all new windows, floors, walls, carpet, kitchen, furnace and more. Very nice starter home on a country lot. **\$89,900** (G-14695) 455-7000



**WESTLAND**

**COMFORTABLE CONDO** living in this 2 bedroom Townhouse unit. Beautifully kept. Backs to woods. End unit with lots of privacy. New carpeting and oak accents in kitchen and bath. Full basement. Attached garage with opener. **\$87,500** 326-2000



**REDFORD**

**GARAGE HOLDS FOUR CARS!** Maintenance-free brick ranch. Natural brick fireplace with mantle, huge 70x235 wooded yard, plaster walls, new roof, marble sills, Florida room, central air - come see! **\$79,900** 261-0700



**REDFORD TOWNSHIP**

**REDFORD BRICK RANCH!** 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, hardwood floors, Florida room basement, garage. Good access to expressways, central air, spacious lot with trees, Home Warranty, 10K. **\$85,000.** (FEN) 477-1111



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# CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE

**316 Westland Garden City**  
**Brick Delight**  
 Garden City family subdivision. All brick 3 bedroom ranch features a full basement, central air, and newer vinyl windows. \$74,900

**Livonia Schools**  
 Best buy in this high demand area. Brick 3 bedroom ranch with a finished basement and 2 car garage. Great 1st home investment. \$81,500

**The Prudential Harry S. Wolfe, REALTORS 421-5660**  
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**AFFORDABLE NEW CONSTRUCTION**  
 Why rent when you can purchase the brand new home. 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, cathedral ceiling with skylight and family room. Hurry on this one. \$70,000 (L-22PEF)

**462-1811 COLDWELL BANKER**  
 Schweitzer Real Estate

**ALL BRICK COLONIAL** Huge 60' by 150' lot, natural fireplace, updated cabinets and more. \$82,000  
 HELP-U-SELL of NWCC 454-9335

**BARGAIN HUNTERS**  
 Newly listed 3 bedroom ranch with basement & 2 car garage, updated appliances, solid as-is for \$55,900

**PRICE SLASHED \$2000 - 4 bedroom Cape Cod on large lot, newer furnace, stoves, more, brick & garage. Spacious clean - now only \$66,900**

**Century 21 - Dynamic 728-8000**  
 BUYER BE WISE!  
 Maintenance free bedroom, 2 bath aluminum sided ranch home. Large living room with dining-L. Newer windows in '91. Basement nicely finished with bath & bar area. Priced to sell at \$68,900.

**ERA ACCENT 421-7040**  
 BY OWNER - 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 bath, 2 kitchen, 2 1/2 car garage, \$80,000. Wildwood & Marquette area. Call evenings 328-7926

**CALL TODAY on the best buy in Westland. Lovely 3 bedroom brick, aluminum home on 1/4 acre of country living. Newer furnace and vinyl windows. Freshly decorated. 1 1/2 car garage. \$68,000 Century 21 A-Team 284-7278 382-7862**

**CREAM-PUFF** customized brick ranch with upgrades & modifications. Super nice near FAMILY ROOM/NATURAL FIREPLACE. 1 1/2 baths, new thermal windows, finished basement, gigantic 20' garage & much more! Won't last at only \$88,900.

**Remerica COUNTRY PLACE 981-2900**

**316 Westland Garden City**  
 COME ON IN and look at what is inside. Over 1200 sq. ft. 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, large kitchen and family room, carpeting, neutral colors, appliances, newer furnace, hot water heater and roof, plus a new jacuzzi. Reduced to \$80,500. For appt. call

**Sue Reaume REAL ESTATE ONE 477-1111**

**Cozy Brick Ranch**  
 with 3 bedrooms and a large dining offers a full tiled basement and 2 car garage for a lot of storage room. Priced to sell at \$83,900.

**The Prudential Harry S. Wolfe, REALTORS 474-5700**  
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**Current Renter or Investor**  
 Check out this 3 bedroom ranch with new vinyl windows, marble bath w/waterfall tub, 1 1/2 car garage. Nice backyard with patio & gas BBQ. All for only \$37,888. Call...

**DAVID JAMES Remerica HOMETOWN REALTORS 459-6222**

**GREAT HOME**  
 for the family. New shingles & windows, large kitchen, formal dining room, family room with woodburning fireplace, 2 car attached garage. 1,468 sq. ft. \$69,900.

**Remerica PICKERING & ASSOC. 458-4900**

**HUGE LOT, large 3 bedroom brick ranch, new kitchen, near schools. \$79,900**  
 HELP-U-SELL of NWCC 425-8881

**LARGEST HOME IN AREA, 3 bedroom, family room, basement, 2 car garage. \$80,900**  
 HELP-U-SELL of NWCC 425-8881

**OPEN HOUSE SUN. 1-5. 7550 Gary, Hayes Elementary School. Family room, price reduced to \$87,500**  
 HELP-U-SELL of NWCC 454-9335

**OPEN SUN 1-4 8338 Ingram N. of Ann Arbor Trail, E. of Farmington, Livonia Schools. Beautiful 3 bedroom tri-level in mint condition. Large living room with natural fireplace, 2 car garage. Excellent location. Just move-in. \$85,500.**

**Century 21 SUBURBAN 455-5880 464-0205**

**PLENTY OF UPDATES**  
 Nice 3 bedroom home in Garden City, outside of home & garage recently painted. \$81,900. Must see to appreciate. ASK FOR PAT KOZAK  
 Century 21 - Dynamic 728-8000

**A REAL VALUE PLUS**  
 This N. Garden City 3 bedroom brick ranch is priced to sell. 2 baths, basement, garage, a neat pool. Move-in condition. Hurry! \$73,000.  
 RED CARPET KEIM 427-5010

**MILLPOINTE 595-1010**

**316 Westland Garden City**  
 GARDEN CITY REMODELED 4 bedroom Bungalow. Professionally decorated, great location on dead end street. Close to all services and schools. New air and many extras. Move right in. \$82,900.

**RED CARPET KEIM MAPLE INC 851-8010 553-5888**

**Open House Extravaganza SAT. NOV. 16, 1-4**

**GARDEN CITY 33372 Ana \$72,500**  
 (3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick ranch)  
 6665 Carwell \$78,900  
 (3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick/aluminum ranch)

**28451 Avondale \$35,000**  
 (3 bedroom aluminum ranch)

**CANTON 41144 Northwind Dr. \$73,900**  
 (2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath finished basement, brick condo)

**DEARBORN 6653 Reuter \$54,500**  
 (2 bedroom, brick/vinyl ranch)

**DEARBORN HGTS. 8912 Mayburn \$79,900**  
 (3 bedroom brick/aluminum bungalow)  
 28106 Keith \$83,900  
 (3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, brick ranch)

**GARDEN CITY 28725 Rosalyn \$81,900**  
 (family room with fireplace)  
 29660 Book \$86,500  
 (2 bedroom, 2 1/2 car garage ranch on half acre)

**30875 Casson \$74,900**  
 (2 bedroom aluminum bungalow)

**WESTLAND 373 Randolph \$85,900**  
 (3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick/aluminum ranch)  
 35007 John Healy \$65,900  
 (3 bedroom brick ranch with 2 car garage)

**Century 21 J. Scott, Inc. 522-3200**

**POSSIBLE IN-LAW SUITE**  
 3 bedroom ranch, large kitchen, garage, basement. \$72,900  
 HELP-U-SELL of NWCC 454-9335

**WESTLAND A NEW COMMUNITY SINGLE FAMILY HOMES \$75,990**  
 \$4200 MOVES YOU IN

**Preview 5 new exciting models, full basement, 2 car attached garage, large master bedroom suite and more. Get in on the ground floor.**

**MILLPOINTE 595-1010**

**316 Westland Garden City**  
 GARDEN CITY Absolutely the best buy. 3 bedroom, family room open to kitchen. New air and many extras. Move right in. \$82,900.

**NETWORK REAL ESTATE 476-1600**

**OPEN SUNDAY 1-4 IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY**  
 V.A./P.H.A. easy terms. 3 bedroom bungalow, 1 1/2 car garage, on large lot. Call for details.  
 Century 21 Chaiet Ann Honeycutt 525-1797

**SUPER STARTER** country ranch on a large premium double lot, newer carpeting, enclosed summer porch, attached garage & a fun-filled above ground pool. A wonderful buy at only \$41,000.  
 Century 21 Chaiet Ann Honeycutt 525-1797

**Remerica COUNTRY PLACE 981-2900**

**Surprise Package**  
 You have to see this 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath Cape Cod bungalow. Handy homeowner has completely updated this lovely home w/newer windows, freshly painted, bathroom vanity, front door, huge master bedroom w/white and her's walk-in closets, and a 3rd study. Finished basement and 2 car garage w/landscaped yard is the best buy in Westland for \$61,500.

**Room to Expand**  
 In this 1,800 sq. ft. 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath Colonial in Surrey Heights Sub. This newer home has lots of recent updates to include newer vinyl windows, furnace and central air in 1991. Basement is partially finished, 2 car attached garage, family room w/ fireplace, country kitchen w/ eating space. Motivated seller says bring all offers. \$95,000

**WHAT A BARGAIN! MUST SELL!**  
 4 bedroom w/family room, below market at \$65,000.  
 Century 21 Chaiet Ann Honeycutt 525-1797

**317 Redford**  
 3 bedroom, basement, dining room, all on 1 floor in this narrow front aluminum ranch. Take advantage of the recession & buy the lowest priced 3 bedroom/basement on the market Only...

**BARGAIN! \$46,500**  
**TEPEE REALTY 454-3610**

**BRICK BEAUTIES 3 BEDROOM BUNGALOW, 1 1/2 baths, finished basement w/family room, carpet thru-out, garage & more. \$68,700.**

**IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY. 3 bedroom brick bungalow, new windows & furnace, full basement & 1 year home warranty. \$61,900.**

**Century 21 COLE REALTORS 937-2300 455-8430**

**BRICK TUDOR - only \$59,900!**  
 Very clean/well maintained, 3 bedroom colonial w/beautiful wood moldings & window sills, pleather, central air, formal dining room, basement, double lot w/qualified garden & more. Sellers relocating. Must sell 6-7.9% interest if qualified or Veterans 5-0-down or FHA \$1,800 down.

**One Way Realty 473-5500 or 522-6000**

**316 Westland Garden City**  
 WESTLAND Beautiful 4 bedroom home, 1 1/2 baths, family room, newer furnace, central air, windows & carpet. 2 1/2 car garage. A real Cream Puff. \$74,900.

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 1 Month Free Rent  
 With 13 Month Lease  
 (new tenants only)

**STONERIDGE MANOR**  
 Freedom Rd. W. of Orchard Lake  
 478-1437 775-8206

**Ask About Our 1 and 2 Bedroom Special**

## WOODCREST VILLA

APARTMENTS & ATHLETIC CLUB

Spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apartments, each with a fireplace, mini-blinds and balcony or patio. Private athletic club featuring year-round indoor-outdoor pool, sauna, steam bath, whirlpool and exercise room. Secluded setting amidst woods and duck ponds. Pets welcome. Senior citizen discount.

**261-8010**  
 CONVENIENTLY LOCATED OFF WAYNE RD.  
 BETWEEN WARREN & JOY, NEAR THE WESTLAND SHOPPING MALL.  
 RENTAL OFFICE AND MODEL, OPEN 10 A.M. - 6 P.M.  
**IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY**

FARMINGTON

## CHATHAM HILLS

Luxury Living

- Attached Garages
- Extra Large Apartments
- Indoor Pool
- Microwaves
- Dishwashers

**ONE BEDROOM SPECIAL**  
 From **\$520** \$499

**476-8080**  
 On Old Grand River between Drake & Halstead  
 Mon.-Fri. 9-7 Sat. 11-5 Sun. 11-4

WESTLAND

## WILDERNESS PARK

APARTMENTS

Warren Ave. 1/2 mile E. of Newburgh. Minutes from Westland Mall & other major shopping centers.

Spacious 1,000 sq. ft., 2 bedroom apartments with 1 or 2 baths, private laundry room, vertical blinds, dishwasher, balconies or patios. Cats allowed.

**ASK ABOUT OUR SPECIALS!**  
 Senior Citizen Discount Available  
 Mon.-Sat. 10-6  
 Sun. 12-6 **425-5731**

## BIG AS A HOUSE

### 3 Bedroom Townhomes

THE CHOICE IS YOURS!  
 1 MONTHS FREE RENT -OR-  
**\$695 PER MONTH**

Mon.-Fri. 10-6 **455-2424** Saturday 10-5 Sunday 12-5

**INCLUDES:**  
 • FREE GAS HEAT (Most Units)  
 • DENS  
 • FIREPLACES  
 • CATHEDRAL CEILINGS  
 • SPIRAL STAIRCASE  
 • CARPORTS  
 • SMALL PETS WELCOMED  
 • FITNESS CENTER  
 • OLYMPIC INDOOR HEATED POOL  
 • SAUNAS  
 • CLUB ROOM

**ALSO AVAILABLE 1 & 2 BEDROOM APTS.**

A charming rental community just 20 minutes from Ann Arbor and downtown Detroit, yet comfortably away from it all. From I-275, exit Ann Arbor Rd., west to Haggerty Rd., follow south to Joy Rd. then east to The Crossings.

# The CROSSINGS

AT CANTON

\*New Residents Only  
 Certain Conditions Apply

Professionally Managed by Dolben

## LOOK NO FURTHER

THIS IS WHAT YOU'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR!

We're more than just another apartment community. Our landscaped grounds are beautiful and exquisitely manicured. Our apartments are some of the most spacious in the area, each with its own private entrance. Many of the kitchens offer garden views from the windows and every unit includes a carport and washer/dryer at no extra charge. So look no further than Pilgrim Village.

From \$565

Located on Lilly Rd just North of Warren Rd.

**PILGRIM VILLAGE**  
 CANTON/PLYMOUTH  
 459-3530

Open: Mon-Fri 9-5  
 Sat. & Sun. 12-5

Life's A Breeze

**HARBOR COVE**  
 APARTMENTS & BEACH CLUB

## On Whitmore Lake

NEW 2 BEDROOM • 2 BATH HOMES  
 from **\$659**  
 Ideal for Roommates, Couples & Guests

**PRIVATE BEACH CLUB**  
 Beach House, Gazebo, Sun Deck, Docking  
 Large Lakeside Patio & Balconies  
 Inland Lined Homes - 5 Kitchens

**449-5520**  
 9321 Harbor Cove Circle • Whitmore Lake



# APARTMENTS

## 400 Apts. For Rent

DETROIT-7 Miles. New, nice 1 & 2 bedroom apts. Newly decorated, carpeted, heat and air. \$325/mo. & up. Call 537-9214

## BEST APARTMENT VALUE

### FARMINGTON HILLS

#### TIMBERIDGE

**DELUXE 2 BEDROOM UNITS \$565**  
FALL SPECIAL  
1 month free rent with 13 month lease. New tenants only. Limited time offer.

Includes appliances, vertical blinds, carpeting, pool, close to Farmington Hills location.

Enter East off Orchard Lake Rd. on Folsom S. of Grand River. Model Open Daily 9-5 Except Wednesday

478-1487 775-8206

## FARMINGTON DOWNTOWN

3 bedrooms, 2 car garage, appliances \$850 per month. Lease message. 478-1420

## FARMINGTON HILLS

**\$899 Moves You In (ON SELECTED UNITS)**

New 1500 sq.ft. 2 & 3 bedroom townhouses, 2 1/2 baths, spacious master bedroom suite, washer, dryer, blinds & covered parking.

### Foxpoint Townhouses

473-1127  
Managed by Kafan Enterprises

## FARMINGTON HILLS

**\$865 Moves You In (ON SELECTED UNITS)**

1600 sq.ft. 2 bedroom garden apartments, 2 bedroom townhouses with full basements, 2 bath walk-in closets, covered parking, washer/dryer, vertical blinds, attended gatehouse, and a 24 hour monitored intrusion and fire alarm.

### SUMMIT APTS.

NORTHWESTERN & MIDDLEBELT 626-4396  
Managed by Kafan Enterprises, Inc.

## FARMINGTON HILLS

2 bedroom private estate on 3 acres. Spa, dog run, many extras, \$700/mo. 426-7227

## FARMINGTON/LIVONIA

Senior Citizen Specials

### DELUXE LARGE 1 & 2 BEDROOM APTS.

#### HEAT INCLUDED

• New white formica kitchen & vanity  
• Vertical Blinds  
• Intercom  
• Dishwasher, Self-cleaning Oven & Range, Frost-free Refrigerator, Microwave  
• Swimming Pool - Clubhouse

Merriman Rd. (Orchard Lake Rd.) Just 1 blk. S. of 8 Mile Rd.

### MERRIMAN PARK APTS.

477-5755

## 400 Apts. For Rent

FARMINGTON HILLS - Beautiful 1,000 sq. ft. 2 bedroom apartment. Private entrance, laundry room, small complex. \$799/month. Full-time Apartments 338-6226

## FARMINGTON HILLS

One bedroom, unique space on 3 acre private estate. Stone fireplace, wood floors, spa, one of a kind, must see. \$750/mo. 473-7227

## FARMINGTON HILLS-Newly decorated

1 bedroom at \$445. 1 month's free rent. Includes heat, appliances, carpeting and air. Cable available. No security deposit. 473-3064

## FARMINGTON MANOR

Newly decorated studio & 1 bedroom apartments starting at \$390 now available. Carpeted, vertical blinds, central air, appliances. No pets. Carport free for 1 year. Call. 474-2552

## FARMINGTON PLAZA APTS

31825 Shiveshew, 2 bedrooms, new kitchen & appliances. Heat furnished, pool, \$545/mo. 478-8727

## FARMINGTON - Sublet 2 bedrooms

garage, near X-rays. \$555 per month. Days. 737-7656

## VILLAGE OAKS APARTMENTS

474-1305  
Managed by Kafan Enterprises, Inc.

## FARMINGTON. Spacious furnished

basement apt. includes appliances. Private entrance, \$95 weekly includes utilities. Off street parking. Includes utilities after 6:30 478-1055

## FERNDALE - One bedroom, newly

remodeled, carpet, appliances, separate utilities. Off street parking. \$375 mo. \$375 security. 541-7487

## 400 Apts. For Rent

Farmington Hills  
**THE HOUSE OF BOTSFORD**  
1 & 2 BEDROOMS PLUS TOWNHOUSES FROM \$475 FREE HEAT

Spacious apartments with air conditioning, locked foyer entry, fully equipped kitchen and basement storage. Lighted parking and carports. Pool.

20810 BOTSFORD DRIVE Grand River

Directly behind Botstford Inn. Adjacent to Botstford Hospital  
477-4797

## FERNDALE

One bedroom, heat, hot water included, air, near shopping & transportation \$400/mo. 544-1829

## GARDEN CITY

1 bedroom. Carpet, appliances, no pets. 1 year lease. \$385 a month. 422-4030 455-3039

## Ford/Middlebelt Area

Spacious 1 bedroom apartments. Amenities include:  
• Owner Paid Heat & Water  
• Central Air  
• Intercom System  
• Garbage Disposal  
• Laundry Facilities  
• Window Treatments/Mini Blinds

From \$410 monthly  
CALL ABOUT OUR FALL SPECIAL. GARDEN CITY TERRACE 522-0480

## LAVILLA & MARGO CAPRI Apts.

28408 Warren, spacious 1 bedroom, carpet, appliances, heat, cable. 425-9330 or 464-6042

## 400 Apts. For Rent

FARMINGTON HILLS  
**ORCHARD CREEK APARTMENTS**  
1300 sq. ft. 2 bedroom/2 bath with individual entrance, gas fireplace, GE appliances, including washer/dryer, monitored fire & intrusion alarm, plus much more  
\$780 MOVE IN

855-1250  
Located on Orchard Lake Rd. 1/2 mile South of 14 Mile

## LIVONIA'S FINEST LOCATION

Merriman corner 7 mile

Large deluxe 1 bedroom unit

All Appliances  
Vertical blinds  
Pool  
Nearby shopping

\$570/mo.  
MERRIMAN WOODS  
477-9377 Office: 775-8206

## 400 Apts. For Rent

Livonia  
**ONE-DERFUL!**  
If you've been searching for a terrific one bedroom apt. your search is over! We have the perfect place to call home. Only \$495 and wait until you see what comes with it.

• Vertical Blinds  
• Fully equipped kitchen  
• Covered Parking  
• Small pets welcome  
• \$200 security deposit  
• Limited time offer, call now while they last!

477-6448  
WOODRIDGE  
On Middlebelt, between 6 & 7 Mile 2 Bedroom, 2 full baths also available

## LIVONIA - 7 MILE RD.

1 & 2 Bedroom Starting at \$575

Includes washer & dryer in each apartment. Carpeting, vertical blinds, deluxe appliances, balcony, patio, swimming pool, tennis courts, community room. Near shopping.

## CANTERBURY PARK

7 mile rd., corner Mayfield between Farmington & Merriman Rds. 473-3983 775-8206  
Model open daily 9-5 except Wednesday

## 400 Apts. For Rent

GARDEN CITY, 1 bedroom, includes heat, water, carpet, deck. Paid the parking. Available immediately. \$400 mo. plus security. 420-3439

GARDEN CITY - 1 bedroom, freshly decorated kitchen appliances, heat included \$420/mo. 1 security deposit. 565-3677

GARDEN CITY - 1 & 2 bedrooms, newly decorated. No pets. \$415 - \$445 includes heat & water. 464-3817 421-2146

## LIVONIA

HEAT INCLUDED • RENT FROM \$485 SECURITY DEPOSIT \$150

Spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apts. with plush carpet, vertical blinds, self cleaning oven, frostfree refrigerator, dishwasher, ample storage, intercom, carport, club house, sauna, exercise room, tennis courts, heated pools.

On Joy Rd. W. of Newburgh  
459-6600  
On selected units only

## 400 Apts. For Rent

LIVONIA/REDFORD - 1 bedroom condo. New carpet, drapes, appliances. Heat & water furnished. 464-0865 or 421-8573

## FALL SPECIAL CONCORD TOWERS

1 & 2 BEDROOM APARTMENTS includes

• Stove & refrigerator  
• Carport  
• Intercom  
• Newly decorated  
• Smoke detectors  
• Sprinkler system  
• FROM \$405

1-75 and 14 Mile  
Next to Abbey Theater  
589-3355

## MID-FIVE APTS.

In Livonia on 5 Mile Rd. Spacious 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath unit available for immediate occupancy. Includes dishwasher, garbage disposal, laundry hook-up, private entrance, central air, cable ready, vertical blinds & balcony.

By Appointment Only: 851-9755

## 400 Apts. For Rent

Lincoln Park  
**1 Bedroom Special!**  
Spacious 1 bedroom apartment. Hard new carpeting, new blinds, sparkling pool & laundry facilities on-site. Easy access to downtown. Southfield & on the busline. Hurry only 3 available at \$410 per month. \$50 security deposit. Fort St. E. of Southfield. Call Sully at:

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## MADISON HEIGHTS

**\$450 Moves You In**  
• Clean, Quiet 1 Bedroom  
CHATSFOUR VILLAGE  
John R & 13 Mile  
585-1486  
Managed by Kafan Enterprises

## NORTHVILLE - Cady, Downtown, 1

bedroom, all appliances, large living room, ceramic bath, basement. No pets. \$475 + security. 349-7482

## NORTHVILLE - Large 1 bedroom

overlooking stream. Walk to downtown. \$495/mo. heat included. Immediate occupancy. 347-6565

## 400 Apts. For Rent

LIVONIA  
Suburban Luxury Apartments  
2 Bedroom - \$550  
ONE MONTH FREE RENT!  
Carpeted throughout, appliances, disposal, air conditioning. Heat & water included. Parking.  
14950 FAIRFIELD  
728-4800

LIVONIA  
4 bedroom apt. unique, many extras. Convenient to expressways.  
425-7227

## NORTHVILLE - Cady, Downtown, 1

bedroom, all appliances, large living room, ceramic bath, basement. No pets. \$475 + security. 349-7482

## NORTHVILLE - Large 1 bedroom

overlooking stream. Walk to downtown. \$495/mo. heat included. Immediate occupancy. 347-6565

## A BEAUTIFUL PLACE...TO LIVE

### CENTRALLY LOCATED IN WESTLAND

- 1 & 2 Bedroom • Fireplaces Available
- Pool • Tennis Court • Clubhouse
- Central Air • Dishwasher • Disposal
- Laundry Facilities
- Beautifully Landscaped
- Minutes from Westland Shopping Mall & All Major Highways

Come Home for the Holidays and pay no rent until Jan. 1, 1992!

## VENOY PINES APARTMENTS

261-7394

A YORK PROPERTIES COMMUNITY

## Now Leasing Phase III Lakefront Units

### On The Water

No Security Deposit Starting at \$610

## Park Place OF NORTHVILLE

### LAVISH 1 and 2 BEDROOM APARTMENT HOMES

- 16 Contemporary floor plans
- Euro-style cabinetry
- Ceramic tile bath and tub enclosures
- Cathedral ceilings
- Individual washer and dryers
- Microwave ovens
- In unit storage
- Private covered parking

- Fully equipped clubhouse work-out room
- Aerobic classes
- Walking/jogging trail
- Sauna & jacuzzi
- Pool with lap markers
- Tennis courts
- Volleyball pit

Directly accessible to I-275, I-96, M-14

### EXPERIENCE THE ELEGANCE OF...

An exquisitely panoramic 105 acre community perfected on the shores of Lake Success, nestled into scenic timbered views. Park Place of Northville establishes a tradition of unsurpassed excellence in apartment home living.

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Mon.-Fri. 9-6  
Saturday 9-5  
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### IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY

## Westland

Newburgh near Glenwood Limited Time

1 Bedroom - \$390\*\*

2 Bedroom - \$420\*\*

ONE MONTH FREE\*

\$200.00 Security Deposit  
Vertical Blinds • Pool • Carport  
Monday-Friday 8:30-5:30

729-5090  
\*Subject to change without notice. New tenants only.

## Glenwood Orchards

## FRANKLIN SQUARE APARTMENTS

### Immediate Occupancy

#### UNBELIEVABLE!

A quaint & quiet apartment community in Livonia, close to great shopping, restaurants, I-96 access & Metro Airport.

### Reduced Security Deposit!

Attractive 1 and 2 Bedroom Apartments

from \$315-\$415\* \$385-\$485\*

HEAT AND VERTICAL BLINDS INCLUDED

Located on 5 Mile Rd. Just East of Middlebelt in Livonia.

OPEN 7 DAYS 427-6970

\*100 off 1 & 2 bedrooms for 1st 6 months of 1 yr lease - new residents only

## THE GATE TO GREAT LIVING!

### Golden Gate APARTMENTS

FROM \$380

- Great Location
- Spacious Apartments
- Swimming Pool
- Central Air
- Conditioning
- All this and More... Come and See for Yourself!

On Pontiac Trail just West of Beck Road Mon. - Fri. 9 - 6 • Sat. 10 - 5 • Sun. 11 - 5

624-1388

\*Rental Office at Bristol Square Apartments on Beck Road just North of Pontiac Trail

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

## Living at it's Finest!

### Bristol Square APARTMENTS

ATTRACTIVE ONE & TWO BEDROOM APTS. from \$405

SWIMMING POOL CENTRAL AIR

CONVENIENTLY LOCATED NEAR EXPRESSWAYS & TWELVE OAKS MALL

On Beck Rd., Just North of Pontiac Trail in Wixom

624-1388

OPEN MON. - FRI. 9-6 • SAT. 10-5 • SUN. 11-5

Equal Housing Opportunity

## Windemere Apartments

### LIVING YOU CAN AFFORD TO ENJOY

- Central Air Conditioning
- Convenient to Shopping And Expressways
- Cable TV Available
- Private Balcony / Patio
- Kitchen With Open Bar Counter
- Dents Available
- 1 1/2 Baths Available
- And More... Visit Us And See For Yourself!

On Halsted 1/2 Mile North of Grand River in Farmington Hills

FROM \$475

OPEN Mon. - Fri. 9 - 6; Sat. 10 - 5; Sun. 12 - 5

471-3625

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

## FREE HEAT MICROWAVE

1 Bedroom "Ranch House" \$440

2 Bedroom "Townhouse" \$520

3 Bedroom "Townhouse" \$595

Pool • Spacious Rooms • Clubhouse  
Air Conditioning • 1 1/2 Baths

WEST OF PERRY AT WALTON NEAR I-75 ADJACENT TO ALDRIN HILLS

373-0100

Mon.-Fri. 8-5  
Sat. 9-5; Sun. 12-5

## GRANDVILLE TOWNHOUSES

## In Farmington Hills... FIRST CHOICE. FOR SO MANY REASONS!

- 24-Hour Manned Gatehouse Entry
- Attached Covered Parking
- Kitchens With Windows, Breakfast Area
- Loads Of Storage, Private Laundry
- Spectacular Grounds, With Hills, Ponds, And Even Nature Trails
- Indoor And Outdoor Pools And Jacuzzis
- Special Thermal Wave Pool For Therapy And Exercise
- 3 Lighted Tennis Courts
- Planned Social Activities With Active Senior Participation

Ideal Location For Everything! At The Corner Of Grand River And Drake, Just Seconds To I-96 And I-275. Direct Routes To Airport, Downtown, Birmingham, Southfield And Ann Arbor.

### SPECIALS This Weekend Only!

Call Us For Even More Reasons That Muirwood Should Be Your First Choice!

478-5533

## The Village APARTMENTS

### LIVING YOU CAN AFFORD TO ENJOY!

1 & 2 BEDROOM APARTMENTS FROM \$360 HEAT INCLUDED

Beautiful Setting in a Great Location!

- Swimming Pool
- Air Conditioning
- Social Activities

Models Open • Mon. - Sat. 9-6 • Sun. 11-5

624-6464

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY







# APARTMENTS

## 400 Apts. For Rent

**EXTRA, EXTRA LARGE APARTMENT**

Luxurious 1 bedroom apartment in a premier Southfield location. Carpet included in rent. Pool, sauna, weight room, clubhouse facilities.

**WALDEN WOOD APARTMENTS**  
1 1/2 mile E. of Telegraph on 10 Mile  
353-1372  
Come See Us Today!

## FREE APARTMENT LOCATOR

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Save Time & Money  
Open 7 Days  
Color Videos  
All Areas & Prices  
Turn 30 days into 30 minutes  
Over 100,000 Choices

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29296 Northwestern Hwy.  
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**NOVI** 348-0540  
Across from 12 Oaks Mall  
**CLINTON TWP.** 791-8444  
36870 Garfield  
**ANN ARBOR** 677-3710  
2877 Carpenter

**APARTMENTS UNLIMITED**  
- The Easiest Way to Find a GREAT PLACE!

Southfield  
**LAUREL WOODS APARTMENTS**  
Corner of 12 Mile & Lahser. Upper 2 bedroom, 2 bath, utility room & storage off kitchen, very spacious, clubhouse, pool, carpet. Stop by at 22200 Laurel Woods Dr. or call for information. 357-3174

**SOUTHFIELD NORTHAMPTON APARTMENTS**  
Lahser Road/Civic Center Drive. Low 3 Move-in.  
Southfield - 12 Mile/Evergreen. 2 bedroom, 2 bath, luxury apartment. Pool, carpet, large storage. \$250 security deposit, small pet accepted. 559-8720  
Guardian Property Management Corp.

**SOUTHFIELD** - 13 Mile area, 1 bedroom, kitchen appliances, central air, carpet, pool, good location. \$495 + security deposit. 988-3556

**SOUTHFIELD** - 3 mi. suburbs, with option to stay 2 bedroom, 2 bath, security, pool & conveniences. \$695 mo. Northwestern/12 Mile. 354-5282

**SOUTH LYON** - brand new luxury 1 & 2 bedroom apartments from \$425. Call Oxford Manor Apts. 486-1736  
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## Brookdale Apartments

Freshly decorated 1 & 2 bedrooms FROM \$429

- 6 MONTH LEASE AVAILABLE
- Spacious Rooms
- Central Air
- Covered Parking
- Sundeck
- Clubhouse
- Laundry Facilities

Corner of 9 Mile & Pontiac Trail  
Open House Sat. Nov. 16 & Sun. Nov. 17. Rental Specials  
437-1223

## TROY SUNNYMEDE APTS.

GREAT LOCATION  
1-75 AT BIG BEAVER

**FREE RENT**  
(1 mo's. free rent on selected units based on a 13 mo. lease)

## 1 BEDROOM From \$499

**2 BEDROOM From \$585**

**WINTER HEAT SPECIAL**

**LARGE DELUXE APTS**  
1 1/2 Baths in 2 Bed Unit  
- FREE CARPORT  
- Washer-dryer/room units  
- 24 Hr. Maintenance  
- Green Storage space  
- Large walk-in closets  
- Private Balconies  
- Deluxe Carpeting  
- Individual Central Air/Heat  
- Deluxe Appliances including dishwasher & disposal  
- Swimming Pool  
- Senior Citizens Discount

## SUNNYMEDE APTS.

561 KIRTS  
(1 1/2 mi. S. of Big Beaver, between Livernois & Crooks)

Open Noon-6, 7 Days  
362-0290

**TROY AREA**  
Beautiful Buckingham Square now has a 1 bedroom & 2 bedroom, 2 bath apartment available for December. Please call:  
649-5660

**TROY AREA** - 510 N. Rochester, 1 bedroom, carpeting, blinds, appliances, heat included. Storage. Lease \$435 per mo. 647-7079

**TROY: FREE HEAT**  
\$200 Moves You In + 1 mo. Free! Large 1-2 bedroom apartments and 3 bedroom townhouses. GE Kitchen, large deck house for resident use. Minutes from I-75. Starting at \$510. Call 689-5070  
**CHARTER SQUARE APARTMENTS**

**TROY/CLAWSON**  
New England Place Apartments. Special Offer - 1st month rent 50% off. Office building at 4000 Crooks, Royal Oak or call for information. 280-1700

## 400 Apts. For Rent

**PONTRAIL APARTMENTS**  
\$100 Move-in Special  
1 Month FREE & FREE HEAT  
1 Bedroom.....\$390  
2 Bedroom.....\$465

Ask about our Senior Program on Pontiac Trail in S. Lyon  
Between 10 & 11 Mile Rds.  
437-3303

## TROY/CLAWSON WALDEN GREEN APTS.

1 & 2 bedroom apartments from \$480 per month. Near downtown Birmingham & shopping malls. Quiet neighborhood setting.  
N. of 14 Mile, E. of Crooks  
Ask about our rental incentives. 435-0450

## TROY CROOKS & WATTLES NEAR I-75

RENT FROM \$530  
SECURITY DEPOSIT \$150  
ASK ABOUT OUR SPECIAL

Luxury 1 & 2 bedroom apartments with plush carpet, vertical blinds, gourmet kitchen, stainless steel, in-lay entry, refrigerator, range, dishwasher, garbage disposal, central heat and air conditioning, carpet, tennis courts, swimming pool, cable TV available, laundry facilities. \* ON SELECT UNITS.

**362-4088**

**TROY - LARGE** 1100 sq. ft. luxury 1 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath apartment available immediately. 647-0303

**TROY - large 1 & 2 bedrooms.** Great location. Heat water & blinds included. \$250 security. 544-3516

**TROY SOMERSET AREA NICEST 1 BEDROOM**  
Includes full sized washer & dryer in each, central air, vertical blinds, carpet, carpet & pool. All for \$595, \$300 security, 13th mo. free to include utilities. 398-0960

**TROY, 17 MILE/CROOKS**  
Sublet 1 bedroom plus den, Dec. 15-May 31. Patio, covered parking. \$550 mo. Leave message. 444-2057

**WALLED LAKE**  
Affordable lakefront living. Heat included. Only \$395. Hurry! Only 1 left. Call After 6pm 255-7221

**WALLED LAKE AREA**  
Hawk Lake Apartments, 1 & 2 bedrooms. Lake privileges, fishing, balconies, central air, rec room, exercise room, sauna, tennis court, free storage, cable TV.  
Call About Our Monthly Special! 624-5999

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**WAYNE - Columbus Apts.**  
1 & 2 bedroom apartments. Freshly painted, with appliances. \$375/\$425 plus deposit. 328-5207

**WAYNE - Efficiency & studio apts.**  
\$75-\$90 weekly. Utilities included. Call for location. 522-7006

**CADILLAC COURT APTS:** 328-4110

**WAYNE-Fourth & Glenwood** 1 bedroom apartment, kitchen appliance, \$270 per month, water included. 522-7006

**WAYNE/NORWAYNE** 1 bedroom. Includes stove, refrigerator, water, no pets. \$275 & \$300 month + deposit. Available now. 721-7389

**WAYNE - 1 & 2 bedrooms.** From \$340. Special, no security, great location. Call between 9:30am-4:30pm, Mon-Fri. 728-0699

**WAYNE - 1 & 2 bedroom, stove, refrigerator.** Includes heat. \$350 & \$400/mo. + security deposit. Call Agent 563-9665

**WELCOME HOME...**  
To Ridgewood Apts. 1 bedroom, studios and 1 bedroom furnished, ranch style, private entrance, pets welcomed. Starting at \$278/mo. \$200 security deposit. 728-8969

**WESTLAND FORD/WAYNE RD. AREA**  
Spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apartments located close to shopping & expressway. Other amenities include:  
- Carpeting  
- Dishwasher  
- Park-Like Setting  
- Owner Paid Heat  
- Air Conditioning  
- New Countertops  
- Garbage Disposals  
- Private Entrances  
- From \$405 monthly

**SECOND MONTH RENT FREE**  
COUNTRY VILLAGE APARTMENTS  
328-3280

**WESTLAND HAMPTON COURT APARTMENTS**  
1 & 2 BEDROOM APTS.  
Starting at \$395  
(1 bedroom apt. 760 sq. ft., 2 bedroom apt. over 1000 sq. ft., plus large walk-in storage room)  
Balconies - Carpets

**SR. CITIZEN SPECIAL**  
Limited time, new residents only, 2 year lease available, discount on rent. Call for details.

Beautifully landscaped with picnic grounds and pool.  
Conveniently located off Ford Rd., 1 block East of Wayne.

729-4020

**Westland Park Apts.**  
Across from City Park  
(Cherry Hill)  
(between Middlebelt & Merriman)

1 bedroom only \$455  
2 bedroom from \$505

\$200 DEPOSIT  
(1 year lease with credit)  
HEAT INCLUDED

Clean, spacious 1 & 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, walk-in closets, dishwasher, vertical blinds, central air, intercom, secure & locked hallway, cable hook-up, laundry each building, swimming pool, excellent maintenance. No fees. No pets.

Open 7 days  
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## 400 Apts. For Rent

**WESTLAND** - attractive 1 bedroom apt. (Glenwood - Venoy) new stove, refrigerator, carpet. Low move-in cost. \$375/mo. 274-6202

**WESTLAND**, beautiful 2 bedroom open in brand new Victorian home. Den, bay window, dishwasher, carpet, etc. Only \$550. Also 1 bedroom & efficiencies. \$350-\$400. 326-7668

## FOREST LANE APARTMENTS

8200 North Wayne Rd.  
Holiday Special  
FIRST MONTH RENT ON STUDIO - \$295  
1 BEDROOM - \$345  
2 BEDROOM - \$370  
ONE MONTH FREE RENT SENIOR DISCOUNT!

Amenities include:  
- Heat & Water  
- Carpeting & blinds  
- Landscaping  
- Pool & air conditioner  
- Walk-in closet  
- Cable available  
- Between Ford Rd. & Hunter

722-5155

## Manager's Special 1 & 2 Bedroom Apts.

Starting at \$399 Mo.

Plus FREE  
Gas Heating  
Hot & Cold Water  
Vertical Blinds  
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REAL ESTATE NEWS

# When in doubt, test for formaldehyde problems

By R.J. King  
special writer

While most of us recall using formaldehyde to dissect frogs during biology class, its presence in foam insulation and other building materials offers the potential for both concern and misconception.

While formaldehyde as an adhesive agent is safe in products such as plywood, carpeting, furniture and particleboard, it can become mildly acidic when molecules work free and escape in the air. If the colorless gas builds up in a house, especially one that is weathertight, at concentrations of 0.1 parts per million and above, it may cause some discomfort in the way of a slight burning sensation, watery eyes or a runny nose.

According to the American Lung Association, an estimated one million houses have formaldehyde concentrations at or above levels con-

sidered safe. Likely candidates are those houses with extensive plywood, particleboard and foam insulation improperly installed.

"We test between 150 and 250 houses a year for formaldehyde, and I would say of those, less than 5 percent are above the 0.1 level. We're talking about a very low number," said Scott Chandler, a certified industrial hygienist with Testing Engineers & Consultants in Troy.

Chandler added even at concentrations of 0.3 to 0.4 parts per million, formaldehyde levels can be safely reduced by increasing the flow of fresh air in a hose or adding special filters to air conditioners and furnaces.

"If you think you have a problem with formaldehyde vapors, whether through insulation or carpeting or whatever, have it checked out," Chandler said. "There are a variety of commercial testing kits available or hire a testing lab."

**FEES FOR COMMERCIAL** kits range from \$30 to \$70, while Testing Engineers charges \$250 for houses in metropolitan Detroit. Real estate agents recommend houses with urea-formaldehyde foam insulation be tested before being placed on the market.

The professional test requires that home owners seal their homes 24 hours before a technician arrives. By allowing inside air to build up, the house is tested in a worse-case environment. Chandler said many mobile homes that contain an abundance of plywood, wood cabinets and carpeting with formaldehyde as an adhesive agent, should be tested if conditions warrant or health concerns arise. Used primarily during the energy crisis of the '70s, urea-formaldehyde foam insulation (UFFI) was banned by the federal Consumer Product Safety Commission in 1982.

A year later, the U.S. Fifth Circuit

Court of Appeals overturned the decision. The product's availability is limited today. Meanwhile, area real estate agents who have sold homes with UFFI say they sometimes have trouble alleviating concerns among prospective buyers.

Some agents argue the issue has been sensationalized by over-ambitious headlines and television reports short on research.

"IN THE LAST two years, I've sold four homes with UFFI, and when they were tested, the formaldehyde levels were the same as outside air," said LuAnn Fardell, a real estate agent of six years with Century 21 Town and Country in Birmingham. "But I have had one or two prospective buyers pass on a house because of UFFI. In those cases, the couples were heeding concerns raised by relatives and friends, and not the experts."

Chandler said he would live in a home with UFFI after having it test-

ed. "When problems with the foam insulation do arise, it's often because the product was improperly installed," he said. "But the problem can be corrected."

In addition, Chandler said most formaldehyde dissipates during the first few years after installation and should be gone after eight to 10 years. Houses that have been renovated using formaldehyde-based products may also require a test. In almost all instances, sellers, to the best of their knowledge, are required to reveal in disclosure agreements whether a house has UFFI.

If it turns out UFFI is present in the house, a buyer could open up a lawsuit if a seller fails to disclose the presence of the foam insulation. If sellers are unsure of what lies behind outside walls, they can hire a professional home inspector, or the buyer and seller can mutually agree on an inspector and split the cost.

"One of the big problems with

foam insulation is that it has to be installed after the drywall is up," said James Bonadeo, president of the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan in Farmington Hills. "So consequently, a builder had to bore holes every 16 inches between support beams, put in the insulation, and then patch the holes back up. It just wasn't practical."

**IN SOME CASES**, real estate agents working with UFFI houses which have been tested for formaldehyde vapors have found levels lower than homes with other insulation products.

For more information about formaldehyde, two free booklets are available by writing to Indoor Air Quality Research Laboratory, Ball State University, Muncie, Ind., 47306. Include a stamped, self-addressed, business-size envelope for each report.

# Board must investigate construction defects or risk lawsuit

There is a debate among our condominium board members as to whether we have a duty to investigate alleged defects and to pursue a claim for construction defects. Some board members think that we should not upset the apple cart and create problems, particularly because they don't want to have to spend the money.

The board of directors of a condominium association has a duty to investigate alleged defects and to pursue claims for construction de-

fects. As was indicated at a recent seminar conducted by the Community Associations Institute, if they do not undertake this duty they can and will be sued. The fact that the cost of litigation will be potentially expensive does not preclude the board from determining the scope and magnitude of the problems at the condominium and making a proper and reasoned business decision as to whether and in what form it should pursue the developer.

Recently you had an answer to a

question regarding a specific warranty obligation to be given by a developer. Is there a law implying warranties to a developer?

Yes. Michigan law implies warranties of habitability in connection with new construction of residential houses, notwithstanding the absence of a specific express warranty. The law implies that the developer of a condominium project, by way of example, will build a condominium that is free from defects in workmanship and materials as they re-

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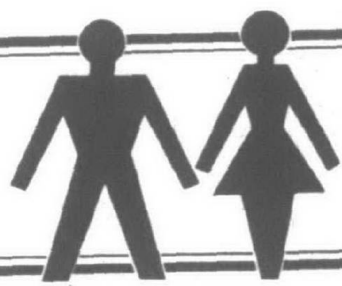


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extend beyond the time period set in any specific warranty provided by the developer under certain circumstances. You must look at the particular facts of each case before making a final determination as to the extent and applicability of any express or implied warranty. Keep in mind that there are several implied warranties that may be imputed to the builder/developer such as fitness for a particular purpose and compliance with the plans and specifications of the project or unit.

Robert M. Meisner is a Birmingham attorney concentrating his practice in the areas of condominiums, real estate and corporate law. You are invited to submit topics you would like to see discussed in this column by writing Robert M. Meisner at 36200 Telegraph Road, Suite 487, Birmingham Farms 48025. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.



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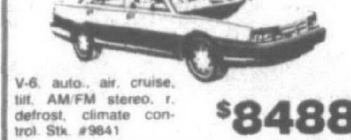


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**'88 OMNI**

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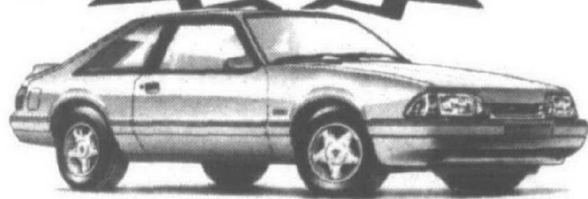
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WAS \$16,132  
**NOW \$11,882\***

**NEW 1992 CROWN VICTORIA 4 DOOR SEDAN \$1750 REBATE**



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WAS \$21,350  
**NOW \$16,122\***

**NEW 1991 AEROSTAR XL WAGON \$1400 REBATE**



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**NOW \$13,640\***

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WAS \$11,827  
**NOW \$8992\***

**NEW 1991 THUNDERBIRD \$900 REBATE**



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Jon Greenberg and Associates wanted to design an atmosphere at Children's Hospital where kids could act like kids.

## Changing patient needs, technology force boom in hospital construction

By Brian Lysaght  
staff writer

Jerry Collins, project manager at Rochester's Crittendon Hospital, recalled a time not so long ago when hospital rooms were painted green or white.

Crittendon in January opened a 40,000-square-foot ambulatory care center. The new building's color scheme is teal and purple.

"Hospitals are trying to create a more up-to-date image," Collins said.

Health care facilities are no longer waiting for patients to check themselves in. Health care consumers are shopping around. Mar-

keting is important. Hospitals are competing to draw customers, just like other businesses.

They need modern facilities, and they need to build where their customer base is. In recent years, hospitals, the strong ones at least, have continued to build as the health care industry changed.

"Most hospitals, those that are still healthy, are still building," said David Ferguson, director of design and construction at Botsford Hospital.

"I'm building as fast as they ask me to," said Charles Bisel, Providence Hospital's director of facilities planning and construction.

AMONG THE NEW construction projects under way, planned or recently completed:

• Royal Oak's Beaumont Hospital is in the midst of a \$200-million addition, the latest of several major building projects.

• Children's Hospital of Michigan in Detroit unveiled in January a three-story, \$12-million ambulatory care center, and is renovating other facilities.

• Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills is building a 45,000-square-foot outpatient surgery clinic at a cost of \$10 million, to be completed next year. Botsford is soon to break

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## Retail designers switch gears

The new outpatient center at Children's Hospital of Michigan marked a first for the Southfield-based design firm of Jon Greenberg and Associates.

The company was hired to design common areas in the building, but Greenberg had never worked on a hospital project. Its specialty is retail design.

Greenberg partner Mike Crosson said a six-member team applied a "freewheeling, thinking process" to the job, which both parties are calling a success.

Children's new William Carls Ambulatory Care Center opened last January, and the hospital is in the midst of renovating other buildings, which are about 20 years old.

Crosson said the Children's work provided a lot of satisfaction and more than a few challenges.

"When you get involved in a project like Children's Hospital, your trade, craft, profession has the ability to be put to use to help people when they are in a difficult time," he said.

GREENBURG IS best known for work in malls. The company designed the new Warner Bros. entertainment merchandise stores and several new Ringling Bros. Barnum and Bailey stores. Locally, they've designed Winkelman's stores and renovated the Birmingham clothing store Maxwell's.

Crosson said the six-person team led by Paul Calderon and Michelle Martines was concerned with designing a space to satisfy the needs of

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## Gavel to sound on models, lots

By Gerald Frawley  
staff writer

Next up, lot number 15. We'll start the bidding at \$35,000.

Do-I-hear-\$35,000?-\$35,000?-\$35,000?-'C'mon-folks-this-prime-piece-of-West-Bloomfield-real-estate-originally-priced-to-sell-at-\$150,000-combines-the-breathtaking-beauty-of-landscape-and-prestige-you-can-only-get-in-a-Oakbrook-of-West-Bloomfield home. — \$35,000? — Thank you sir.

Parcel-number-15-in-Oakbrooke-of-West-Bloomfield-sits-on-one-of-46-homes-sites-on-40-acres-of-ponds-streams-and-natural-areas-overlooking-Simspon-Lake.Do-I-hear-\$37,000?-\$37,000?-\$37,000? Thank you, madam in the yellow hat.

Is-that-all-I-am-bid-for-this-priemere-piece-of-West-Bloomfield-real-estate-in-the-Birmingham-Public-Schools-in-a-brand-new-community-of-warm-contemporary-architecture? \$40,000?-\$40,000?-\$40,000?-\$40,000? Thank you sir

Well, here's a novel idea. House sales are down and economic conditions aren't likely to improve in the next couple of months, so builders are faced with coming up with a way of generating interest.

Mel Kaftan, president of Kaftan Enterprises Inc. in Southfield, decided to hold an auction. "It was strictly a business decision," Kaftan said.

The project, Oakbrooke of West Bloomfield, is nearly three years old and about half sold out, but in the current market, new home sales have ground to a near standstill.

KAFTAN SAID his options were to either continue selling homes in the traditional way — with an expensive marketing program that includes advertising and a sales staff, or he could opt for a quick sell option of an auction.

Typically, a developer/builder will prepare the property, build a model house or two, and then sell lots and build the houses with desired changes for the buyer. "The carrying costs can be very high."

For a 40-acre development like Oakbrooke, it might take an expensive marketing program and several years before a project is sold out. An auction speeds up the project tremendously.

"With the auction, I'll sell everything in an hour and a half," he said, adding sometimes businesses hold auctions because creditors are banging at the doors, but in this instance, he made the decision to save money. "I won't make any money, but I will finish off this project." Which isn't to say he regards Oakbrooke as a failure, he said. Nearly half of the houses in the upscale development have been sold and more probably would have been sold if the economy hadn't nosedived. Selling off the project — even in an auction — should actually be considered a success, he said.

This isn't the first time Kaftan has tried an auction. In 1981, Kaftan sold out his Southfield condominium project, Providence Towers, by an auction.

"It seems I need an auction every 10 years or so.

KELLY FRANK, vice president and Michigan broker with the Chicago-based Sheldon Good & Company, said although his company has handled several upscale property auctions around the country this is the first in Michigan.

"This is probably the most desirable project we've done up in Detroit," he said. Earlier this year, the firm held an auction for Orchard Place condominiums in Farmington Hills.

Even though housing sales were down even then, Sheldon Good & Company auctioned 61 units in a single afternoon, he said, adding he expects similar success at Oakbrooke.

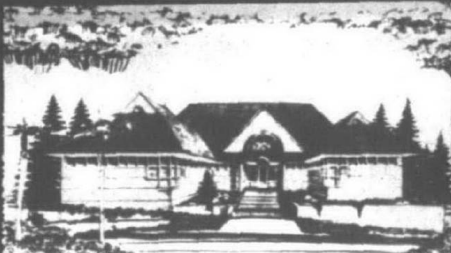
"It's hard for us to determine who will be there (and) how successful the auction may be," he said. But similar upscale auctions in Rochester Hills, Chicago and the Southeast have done well.

An auction in Chicago earlier this year sold 40 townhomes for a total of \$8.6 million and a second auction of a single house netted \$2.1 million, he said. Despite the economy and slow housing sales nationwide, other auctions have succeeded equally as well.

"Our (Sheldon Good) niche is handling quality real estate — we don't handle the board-ups and HUD (housing and urban development) homes," Frank said.



New construction property auctions are more like art auctions, then bankruptcy or tax sale auctions.

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# Trim elected to consulting engineering group

Donald R. Trim, president of the Wade-Trim Group, Plymouth, was recently elected a fellow of the American Consulting Engineers Council for his contribution to the consulting engineering profession through administrative leadership, design, science, literature and education.

He has been involved in ACEC for 26 years and has served as vice president of the quality/assurance procurement and governmental affairs divisions.

Todd Cecil was promoted to vice president of the consulting and appraisal division of Trerice Tosto, Birmingham.

He will be responsible for consultation on acquisition, disposition, leasing and appraisal of rights of way, the appraisal of industrial,



Donald R. Trim

commercial and special use property and employee training. He joined Trerice Tosto in 1990 as a consultant.



Todd Cecil

Jon M. Fox, executive vice president of the Bloomfield Hills mortgage banking company McCoppin & Koss, and J. Christopher Meyer III, vice president of asset management of Copley Real Estate Advisors, Boston, will speak on real estate financing in the '90s at a luncheon meeting of the Michigan chapter of the National Association of Industrial and Office Parks from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 21, at the Engineering Society of Detroit. Call 255-2540 for information.

George Amber, builder and author, will lead a discussion on where to build rental housing and minimizing builder's non-construction burdens at a meeting of the Apartment Association of Michigan from 8:30-10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 26, at the Kingsley Inn, Bloomfield Hills.

## building news

Real estate and how it affects the building industry will be addressed by attorney William Schlecte in a class that fulfills the six-credit requirement for continuing education from 7:30 to 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 10. For information, call 737-4477.

A 16-hour evening seminar for those preparing to take the Michigan state builders' licensing examination will be offered by the Michigan Builders Institute in cooperation

with Livonia Community Education. The seminar will be held Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning Dec. 3 at the Bentley Center, 15100 Hubbard, Livonia. Cost is \$140. Registration is required by Dec. 2 by calling 523-0287.

Metro Detroit Air Conditioning Contractors of America will offer a seminar on refrigerant recovery. Victoria Kamm, national sales manager for Thermal Engineering, Toledo, will speak on Tuesday, Dec. 10, at the Michigan State University Management Center, 811 W. Square Lake Road, Troy. Exhibits will be open 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.; sandwich lunch at 12:30, seminar from 1:30-3:30. For information, call 566-9210.

# Changing demands trigger building boom

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ground on a new 75,000-square-foot emergency room, surgery and laboratory services building.

St. Mary Hospital in Livonia

unveiled in 1988 two additions totaling 178,000 square feet.

Providence Hospital is building a 130,000-square-foot satellite building in Novi to open early next year,

and including outpatient facilities, doctor offices and an emergency room.

Another large-scale hospital project is the planned Veteran's Administration hospital in Detroit.

## From retail to hospital

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young patients, anxious family members and visitors, and hard-working staff.

Greenburg was hired to design common areas — including corridors, waiting rooms, lobby areas, nurses' stations — in the 104,000-square-foot outpatient care center. The firm entered the project as floors were being poured and steel installed.

"The design is very, very unusual for a hospital. It doesn't look like a hospital," said Children's Hospital of Michigan spokeswoman Cheryl Yurkovich.

"It's very much geared for kids," she said.

Especially popular among youngsters is a seating area in the entrance lobby that is shaped like a train, and a brightly-colored play-

house on the third floor.

"We wanted an environment where kids could touch, run or do anything they wanted, and that parents would feel O.K. while the kids did that," Crosson said.

Not surprisingly, the firm's retail expertise showed in the redesigned lobby store, which Crosson said has rung up sales far in excess of its predecessor and won a design award from Gifts and Decorative Accessories Magazine.

Asked if the firm would take on another hospital job, Crosson said: "Oh, in a minute."

LONG-TERM hospital stays are in the past like the green and white decor, and this too has changed hospital space needs. Crittendon, like most hospitals, now performs more outpatient than inpatient surgery. Many of the new buildings are outpatient facilities.

Inpatient structures are not being built because the state, which regulates the industry, believes there are too many hospital beds locally.

Nancy Fielder, a spokeswoman for the Michigan Hospital Association, said many hospitals found themselves with buildings dating

from the post-World War II construction boom. Also in 1980s great technological changes, which are likely to continue, necessitated redesigned space.



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# Builders avoid boom-bust cycle

By Doug Funke  
staff writer

Conservatism in residential construction activity during good times makes life less painful for developers and builders when the economic climate changes.

Builders here — who tend to follow that philosophy — are faring somewhat better now than counterparts around the country, according to U.S. Housing Markets, a research publication of Lomas Mortgage USA, which has an office in Livonia.

Demand nationally for residential building sites is generally low, the report said. Builders are putting up fewer models, and some are even selling out of trailers in subdivisions. Project phases have become smaller.

"In Detroit, a tight-knit developer community is closely attuned to the local economy," said Wayne D. Ferguson, president of Lomas Realty USA.

"Because of the sharply cyclical nature of the auto industry, they've learned to smell trouble well in advance of a slowdown. Thus, the supply of lots in Detroit-Ann Arbor has stayed in balance."

Lot prices have skidded in Philadelphia, Dallas-Fort Worth and Tampa Bay, according to the report.

CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY in southern California has collapsed, the report continues. California has lost nearly a quarter million jobs in the last year. Work on some houses has stopped in the middle of construction.

As for the metro Detroit-Ann Arbor area, the report found:

- No wide fluctuations in lot and land prices — no boom and bust syndrome.

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Lomas Realty USA

- The inventory of houses, completed or under construction, is moderate and manageable.

- The normally tight-knit, conservative development community has become even more so.

- Projects, which rarely exceeded 300 acres even in good times, generally are less than 100 acres now.

- Building permits through the first eight months of the year were down 13 percent.

Conversations with several builders here bear out many findings of the report.

"Builders have been burned here historically so many times that they're very cautious," said Sheldon Rose, president of Edward Rose Building Co. in Southfield. "Lenders here are extremely cautious. Lenders in this area are sound, and the reason is they have adopted prudent lending practices."

"I THINK we're a little more conservative," said Gary Shapiro, president of Ivanhoe Building Co. in West Bloomfield. "Developers keep close



photo by ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

**Builders and developers are cautiously approaching new projects thanks in part to a slowed demand and a tight lending atmosphere.**

tabs on what market needs are and bring lots on in accordance with demand.

"Developers and builders have not been greedy or experienced wild inflation. We've kept prices reasonable, profit margins low and fair. In Michigan, we have a very astute buyer."

"I would tell you supply and demand are very much in balance," said Gerald Brody, vice president of The Brody Group in Bloomfield Hills. "We have slow but steady absorption. People are getting good value for money. There's no steals."

Many major builders in the metro area build on lots they develop. Few build spec houses. Both situations are good for profit margins.

"We generally build after we sell,"

Rose said. "I don't really attempt to plan too far ahead. If demand is there, we build. If it isn't, we don't. We don't do too much forecasting."

Rose, who described business as "a little on the soft side," is building houses in the \$80,000-\$90,000 range on 160 lots in Ypsilanti and houses for \$100,000-\$105,000 on 400 lots in Brownstown Township.

NEITHER SHAPIRO nor Rose intends to build fewer models due to a sagging economy.

But Shapiro said he will take a more cautious approach on potential building sites he's considering in Farmington Hills, West Bloomfield, Novi and Commerce Township. "We'll watch the marketplace and

determine how large phases we'll do," Shapiro said. "We have done 80-85 (lots) in the past. We may split phases."

About 18 of 132 lots remain available in Mission Springs in West Bloomfield, where houses average \$250,000.

Nearly 70 percent of the 86 lots have been sold in Woodland Ridge, a joint venture with Biltmore, Shapiro said. Houses in that West Bloomfield subdivision average \$275,000.

"We've had good absorption. It's been steady," he said.

Brody said he would build fewer models today — "you're talking a tremendous amount of working capital" — and probably would bring

fewer units on line in initial phases unless demand would warrant more.

"What we're looking at (in the immediate future) is more off-site construction on individual lots. I still have lots in inventory I'm willing to sell off on the assumption the market isn't going to return in any great boom any time soon."

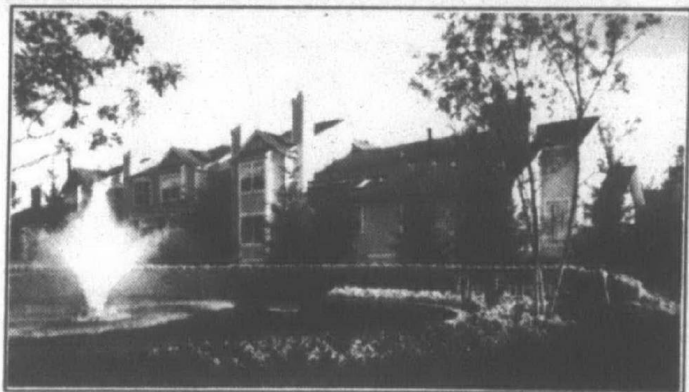
Brody has 10 of 45 sites left in Troy's Hartford Square, where his houses average \$179,000, and four of 23 left at Royal Pointe in West Bloomfield, where his models sell from \$350,000 to \$450,000.

Brody also is one-third built at Lochmoor, a 48-unit condominium development in Orion Township where units start at \$132,000.



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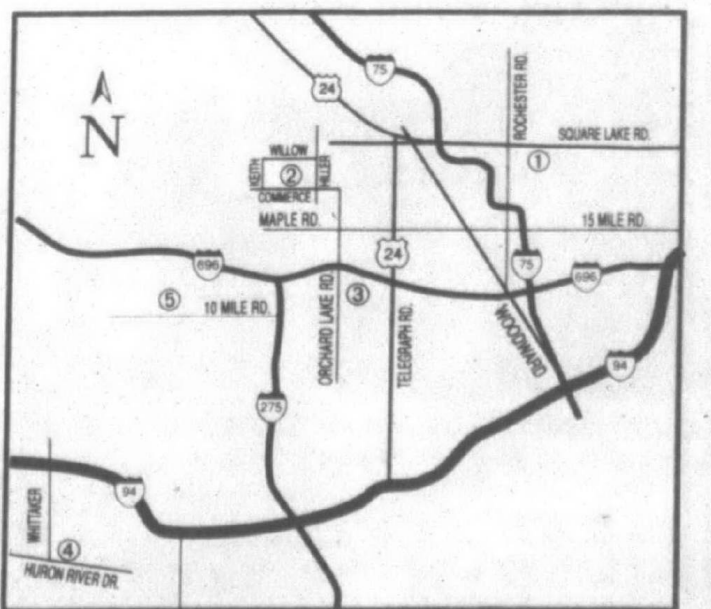
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# Sound advice for kitchens

(AP) — While open plans enable families to spend more time together and provide ample room for entertaining, many designs overlook acoustics. According to the Environmental Protection Agency, the kitchen is the noisiest room in the house.

Humming appliances, clanging dishware, exhaust fans, and running water are just a few of the sounds frequently reverberating from the kitchen. When the kitchen is combined with other living spaces, these noises can make even a well-designed floor plan inhospitable.

Reduce the noise level in the home by choosing appliances, cabinets, flooring and ceiling materials, and even furniture with their noise level and/or sound reduction factors in mind.

Before purchasing an appliance, ask to hear it running. Some kitchen equipment — such as exhaust fans — have a sone rating. The lower the number, the quieter the blower.

Noise from major appliances can also be minimized by installing them

with some foresight: Wrap built-in dishwashers in fiberglass to reduce noise. Trash compactors and disposals should be installed with a perimeter strip-type gasket or with rubber spacers to isolate vibrations. Flexible plastic and rubber hoses also minimize the transfer of vibrations to walls.

Mount exhaust fans outside the house and secure the ductwork by boxing it in tightly with plywood. Use rubber mounts to install the fan to reduce noise generated from vibrations.

Large, heavy appliances — such as refrigerators, washing machines, and dryers — transfer their vibrations to the supporting floor, creating additional noise. These vibrations can be isolated from the floor by placing pads of rubber underneath the appliance's legs or corners.

To prevent wall vibrations, allow at least 2 inches of space between the appliance and the wall. The noise of countertop appliances, such as a food processor or a blender, can be quieted by rubber or cloth pads placed beneath them.

Hard cabinet surfaces, such as plastic laminate, metal, and wood, all reflect kitchen sounds. Minimize the noise of clanging dishware by installing rubber or cork tile on the shelves and back faces of cabinets.

Soft rubber bumpers on the inside edges of doors make the closing of cabinet doors quieter. If the kitchen is open to an adjacent room, select sound-absorbing furnishings to help quiet kitchen noise — padded furniture and carpet instead of spare chairs and hardwood floors.

# Models, lots on auction

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Frank said. He doesn't expect property auctions of this caliber to become the norm, although if the economy fails to improve there may be more.

"We do maybe two to three auctions a year in the Detroit area (but) we have been asked about more in the past three months than in previous years."

Whether inquiries will materialize as auctions is difficult to guess, he added.

Auctions benefit sellers because they create a sense of urgency for the buyer — a sense of urgency that doesn't exist in the current market.

Someone considering buying a house is apt to put off buying because in the current market they have all the time in the world.

An auction, with its promise of low prices — which is also a big reason for an auction's success — takes away the option of procrastination. "Anybody who has an interest in the property ought to be there because on Nov. 25, it won't be there anymore."

Kaftan Enterprises will auction the remaining 24 homes sites and the three existing single family homes (models) at 1 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 24, in the Radisson Plaza Hotel at the Prudential Town

Center in Southfield. Bids for lots originally priced from \$105,000 to \$150,000 will begin at \$35,000. Seven homesites will be sold "absolute," meaning regardless of price; the remaining 17 will be sold "with reserve," meaning the seller will have 48 hours to accept or reject the bid. Bids for houses originally priced from \$429,000 to \$465,000 will begin at \$175,000. One will be sold absolute; the remaining two will be sold with reserve.

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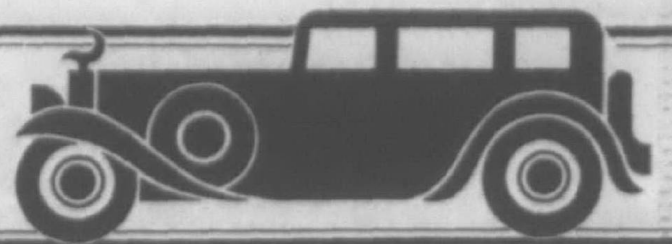








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