



**Ginger adds spice to holiday time, 1B**

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## Police investigate beating death

By Keith Postler  
staff writer

A 32-year-old Westland man who was severely beaten six months ago died Oct. 30 as a result of the injuries — and Westland Police Sgt. Mike Terry is still searching for the man responsible.

"This is a real tragedy," Terry said Friday. "On television they always seem to catch the person responsible, but it may not happen this time."

The victim, described by police only as a resident and a white-collar worker employed

by one of the automobile companies, was traveling south on Ford Road near the Canton Township limit when the incident occurred about 6:40 a.m. May 1.

According to police reports, the victim was nearing the intersection of Ford Road and Hix when a Ford pickup truck passed him on the left. He reportedly honked his horn and the driver of the pickup made an obscene hand gesture.

Both vehicles came to a stop in the intersection and the driver of the pickup exited his

vehicle and began kicking the bumper of the victim's car.

A WITNESS said the victim began waving his hands to get the assailant to stop when he was punched in the face and knocked to the ground. The suspect then straddled the victim and punched him several more times in the face, Terry said.

"This was a situation where the witness said the victim took no offensive action whatsoever, he was just waving his hands to get the guy to stop."

The assailant reportedly fled north on Ford Road and then south on Lotz into Canton Township, the witness said.

He was described as a white male, approximately 32, 6-foot-1, clean-shaven with dark hair that came to the top of his ears. He was wearing Levis and a black leather jacket. He was driving a late 1970s-model, faded yellow Ford pickup truck, Terry said.

The assailant's license plate may have contained the letters "NS" or "FS" and possibly

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### places and faces

#### CHRISTMAS party news update:

The Westland Friendship Center's annual "Old Fashioned Christmas" bash has been expanded to two days to accommodate more people.

Area senior citizens may attend this year's luncheon program either Wednesday or Thursday at the center, Newburgh north of Marquette.

Festivities get under way at 12 noon and include lunch, refreshments, door prizes and dancing to the Tony Russo Orchestra.

Some tickets (\$4 for Westland residents, \$6 for non-residents) are still available. They must be bought in advance.

For information call, 722-7632.

Meanwhile, the Westland Historical Museum will host its second annual "Memories of Christmas Past" 9 a.m. to noon Saturday at the museum, 857 N. Wayne Road, south of Marquette.

The free party, designed for children and their parents, will feature magician Chris Moss and photos with Santa Claus (\$2 donation). Fresh evergreen wreath arrangements and handcrafted items will also be available.

The Dorsey Center will hold a Christmas party for children from underprivileged families in the Norwayne area Saturday, Dec. 23.

The party will feature food and gifts for all attendees. The annual event is being co-sponsored by the YWCA Child and Family Neighborhood Program and Malarkey's Little People.

For more information call Jay Gilbert, 595-0288.

THE WAYNE Memorial High School choir and symphony orchestra will perform at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Norman Stockmeyer Auditorium at the school, Glenwood at Fourth in the city of Wayne.

Admission is free.

A second free concert, by the high school concert band, is set for 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

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### Emotional note

Adams Collins, 8, gets a hug from his mother, Priscilla, following Wednesday afternoon's Burger Rainbow Choir concert at Westland Center. Adams is the youngest member of the choir from the Garden City-

based Burger Center for autistic students. For a story and more pictures from the concert, please turn to Page 3A in today's Observer.

## Veteran city worker plans retirement

By Keith Postler  
staff writer

The Mack Mayfield era in Westland is about to end, and the longtime superintendent of the Department of Public Service's water and sewer division will be sorely missed. "Mack is a person that you couldn't think of anything to say bad about. He's a hard worker, a very

knowledgeable man," said Bill Spradlin, a foreman in construction and maintenance. "He'll be missed dearly. Personally and professionally."

Mayfield, 62, hired by the city in 1966 and superintendent of Westland's water and sewer division since 1970, will retire at the end of the month after 23 years of service to the city.

### people

Wednesday, he looked at his impending retirement with fond memories, satisfaction and a slight tinge of regret.

"I'M GOING to miss the camaraderie the most," he said. "I have what I consider a lot of close friends here, and I'll also miss the workers, the road crews. I'll miss not being here every day, shooting the breeze."

Mayfield, soft-spoken and humble, spoke about his co-workers with great respect and admiration. With-

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Mack Mayfield stepping down

## Holidays bring glad sales tidings — and shoplifters

By Tedd Schneider  
staff writer

The holiday shopping season — now in full swing — is mostly good news for local retailers. But there is a down side to the larger crowds and increased sales.

December is the most profitable time of year for shoplifters, as well as shops.

In fact, much of that hard-earned holiday take is eaten up in losses to shoplifters and employee theft, a panel of experts told local merchants attending a recent Westland Chamber of Commerce program on deterring retail

crime. Those losses are eventually passed on to paying customers in the form of higher prices. "Retail crime, in all its phases, is going up, right along with your sales," said Mike Contvov, head of security for Westland Center.

OTHER SEMINAR speakers included Susan Shuerlein, who works in loss prevention for Dayton-Hudson Corp., Westland Police crime prevention officer Michael Terry, 18th District Court Judge Gall McKnight, and Gordon Wagner of Education Training Research Services,

a Dearborn company that conducts classes for convicted shoplifters as part of their sentencing requirements.

Not only is there a heavier concentration of shoplifters walking the malls and strip centers, Contvov said, but temporary employees hired to work during expanded holiday hours have been known to "steal you blind."

"Nobody wants to believe that a trusted employee wants to steal something, but they do it all the time," Contvov said.

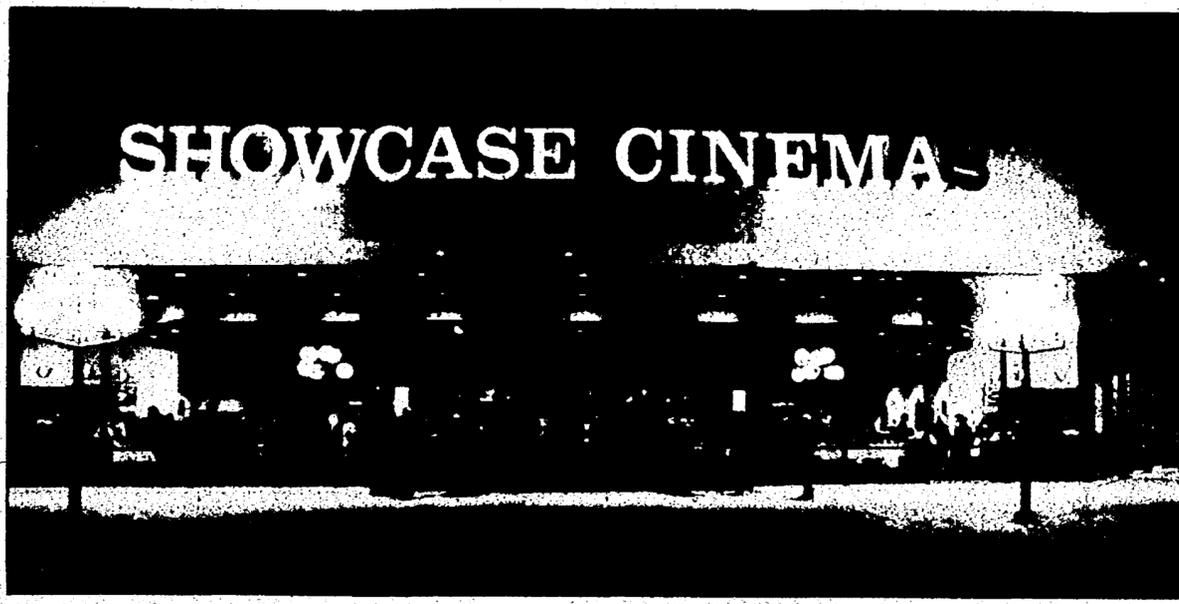
Contvov said common illicit practices by employees include not ringing up sales fully or

at all, removing merchandise along with personal belongings at the end of their shift, or leaving merchandise outside the store for an accomplice to pick up.

"They also use their employee discount to do all their relatives' Christmas shopping," he said.

Contvov gave the local merchants tips on how to prevent theft by employees. His advice included cash bonuses to workers who anonymously turn in dishonest colleagues and keep-

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GUY WARREN/staff photographer

## Gala premiere

Westland's first new movie house in 25 years, the Showcase Cinemas, played host to city officials and dignitaries at a special reception and showing of "She Devil" Thursday night before opening to the public last weekend. Above, the crowd files into the theater complex before Thursday's premiere while, at right, guests browse through the framed prints on display in the two-story lobby.



## Veteran city worker to step down

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out their help over the years, he said, he may not have risen to his current position.

"The greatest people in the world are the people I work with," he said. "I rely heavily on the people I'm surrounded by. I think the people that helped me the most are the girls out front, the office staff, they're the best people in the world."

Shirley Burns, a member of the front office staff in the DPS since 1969 and a close friend of Mayfield's for 25 years, had only words of praise for her "boss."

"We're just going to miss Mack, he's a super person. He's been an A-1 guy. He'll be missed, but we'll keep in touch all through the year," she said.

**WHAT MAKES** Mayfield's rise to his superintendent's position special is the way he made the move. His career is an inspiration to everyone who started on the bottom in any job. He started there and worked his way to the top.

"We'll miss him. I think Mack is one of the finest employees this city has ever had. An indication of the kind of job he's done is the way he's risen through the ranks from worker

to superintendent. Not too many people have done that," said Mayor Charles Griffin.

Under Mayfield's direction, the DPS water and sewer division budget has grown, more advanced equipment has been bought, more personnel have been added to the road crews and front office, and he has endeared himself to the community for his service.

Mayfield has served Westland in other capacities as well. He and his wife, Bertha, have been members of Lutheran Church of Our Savior since 1959. He has also been heavily involved with the Westland Host Lions Club, the Goodfellows, the Westland Breakfast Lions Club and his homeowners' association for many years.

"Mack's an extremely community-oriented person," said DPS superintendent Robert Matzo. "He's cares about the community beyond his job of being a city employee. He cares about Westland. He's a person who's willing to give back from the community instead of just taking from it."

**AFTER 50** many years of public service, Mayfield will miss the day-to-day involvement but is looking forward to retirement, he said. There are many hobbies that he

would like to devote more time to.

"Golf is my main hobby, but I like all sports. I'm out on the golf course whenever I can be there," he said.

Mayfield and his wife also plan to

travel extensively during the winter, especially since they recently bought a new van, he said.

The thought of retiring doesn't bother him, he said.

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## cop calls

**TWO MEN** suspected by police for previous shoplifting incidents at area TJ Maxx stores struck again Wednesday, this time at the Westland store.

A security guard at the store said he saw the men enter the store, walk over to the men's department, and quickly take approximately eight sweaters off the rack. The men put the sweaters into a plastic bag and started to leave the store, the guard told police.

The guard said he tried unsuccessfully to stop the thieves. He said he saw them leave the parking lot in a mid-'80s model Pontiac Grand Am.

He described one of the thieves as a white man with dark complexion, 6-foot 1-inch tall, 200 pounds, with short, curly black hair and wearing a maroon coat and tan pants. The other man was also white with a dark complexion, 5-foot 8-inches tall, 160 pounds, wearing a jean jacket and pants, with straight black hair

over his ears. The stolen sweaters were worth around \$50-100 each, the guard said.

**BIKES VANISH:** A 41-year-old Westland man told police Thursday that someone stole two boys bicycles from outside his home in the 9000 block of Denne in Livonia.

He said the theft took place around 10:30 p.m. Monday. The bikes were valued at \$250.

**RIFLE TAKEN:** A .30-caliber semiautomatic rifle worth \$400 was one of the items stolen from a Westland man's locked van Wednesday.

The man told police that a compound bow worth \$50 and an AM/FM stereo cassette player worth \$100 were also taken.

The man told police he traced the rifle to an Ypsilanti pawn shop.

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The free show features skaters performing routines to everybody's favorite holiday musical selections.

For more information call the arena, 729-4560.

## clarification

A story in Thursday's Observer incorrectly reported that Gene Reaves played Santa Claus at the city's annual Christmas Tree lighting ceremony. A replacement who asked not to be identified filled in for Reaves, who missed the ceremony due to an illness.

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## Burger concert delights all

Choir member Jim Brooks is spotlighted for a trumpet solo.



It was hard to tell who enjoyed Wednesday's concert more, the audience or the performers.

That's usually the way it is for the Burger Rainbow Choir.

The choir, made up of autistic and developmentally disabled students from the Garden City-based center, gets as much pleasure from performing the music as the audience does from listening to it.

Afternoon and evening performances of holiday music at Westland Center Wednesday were no exception.

The performances, which drew an audience of local shoppers as well as Burger teachers and parents, were held in part to mark National Autistic Children's Week and to show that Burger students "are giving back to the community in return for what others have done for them," said teacher Colleen Presley.

Selections included "The 12 Days



photos by ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Wednesday afternoon's audience included Burger teachers, parents and Westland Center shoppers.

of Christmas" and "Jingle Bells." Choir member Jim Brooks grabbed the spotlight midway through the concert with his trumpet solo on "Jolly Old St. Nick." Brooks first began playing the trumpet 1½ years ago, taking lessons from Stan Bialach, husband of choir director Micki Cardin-Bialach. The choir was formed two years ago by Cardin-Bialach. Members range in age from 8 to 20.

## Cops probe beating death

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had a "5" and a "9" in it, Terry said.

After the incident, the victim filed a report with the Westland Police Department then and was treated at the Canton branch of Oakwood Hospital, Terry said. A few days later, the victim and his wife went on vacation in Honolulu, Hawaii.

ON MAY 17, the victim suffered a seizure and was taken to Honolulu Hospital, where he fell into a coma, Terry said. He never regained consciousness and died Oct. 30 at an unidentified area hospital. The Wayne County Medical Examiner performed an autopsy and listed the death as a homicide due to a cerebral hemorrhage caused by severe head injuries suffered in the attack.

"The department is exploring the possibilities of obtaining some reward money for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person responsible," Terry said.

When the incident occurred, police treated it as a traffic altercation, but since the victim's death, a homicide investigation has been launched.

Terry said the police department has exhausted all of its leads in the case and has investigated "hundreds" of license plate numbers and several faded yellow Ford pickup trucks. A number of other tips have also been followed up with no positive results.

"We have also done periodic surveillances of that intersection at that time of day, but that has proved futile," he said.

Terry said he believes the assailant was on his way to or returning from work when the incident occurred.

HE WARNED motorists about the dangers of being involved in traffic altercations.

"There are a lot of (people) such as these out there, sometimes they have guns and sometimes they just assault you," he said. "You have to learn to just turn the cheek, take down a license plate number, and drive away. It's just not worth serious injury."

Terry encouraged people with information related to the incident to call the Westland Police Department detective bureau at 721-6311 during regular business hours, or 722-9600 after hours.

## Board to fill vacant seat

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the board must deal with is the Feb. 8 millage election, in which Wayne-Westland voters will be asked to approve a 2.75-mill renewal, a 4.9-mill increase and a Headlee override.

Wayne-Westland school board members maintain that each of the three proposals is vital if the district is to be kept from operating with a deficit next year.

But not all of the school board applicants agreed.

VICE PRESIDENT Sylvia Kozowski-Wlasek said she would like to see the school board continue and improve upon the goals it has established.

"I'd like to see the board stay within its budget constraints and look for what's good for our students," she said. "I'd also like us to be able to talk with one another and come up with the best solutions for the problems facing the schools."

The candidate selected to fill Johnson's seat will serve the remainder of her term, which expires with the June school board election. The board has to set a date for the election.

MOST OF the candidates said they would be willing to support the millage proposals if not appointed, and would run in the June election.

Candidates who filed for the vacant seat last Monday are: Jessie Barkett, Jan Carlson, Laurel Ralsanen, Lawrence Chastang, Edith Clayton, Mylin N. Drews, Katherine M. Ferrer, Al Gais, the Rev. Larry O. Hines, Donald W. Mullett, Roberta Paquet, Martha K. Pittsberger, Leonard D. Posey, Linda Pratt, Michael J. Reddy, Donald Ruark and Vicki L. Welty.

## Shoplifting's in season

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ing, employee purchases in a locked room until the employee's shift ends.

HE ALSO SHOWED off some of the tools used by shoplifters, including a hollowed out Bible used to store jewelry and other small items and a handmade hook on a long pole. That device is used after hours at shopping malls to extract clothing from behind locked gates, Controv said.

McKnight said that the shoplifters who come before her bench are a "very diverse group of people." The judge said they often fit into several categories though.

There are teens, substance abusers in their 20s or 30s, middle-aged people with clean records and "slicks," or professionals, McKnight said. "Most people we see are first offenders or close to it, but we're seeing an increasing number of crack and (other) drug addicts," she said.

The judge also said that illegal refunding is the "retail crime of the '80s" and will probably continue to increase into the next decade.

"We had one person who used to shoplift on Tuesday and refund (the stolen items) on Thursdays," McKnight said.

Liberal return policies put into place by many stores during the holi-

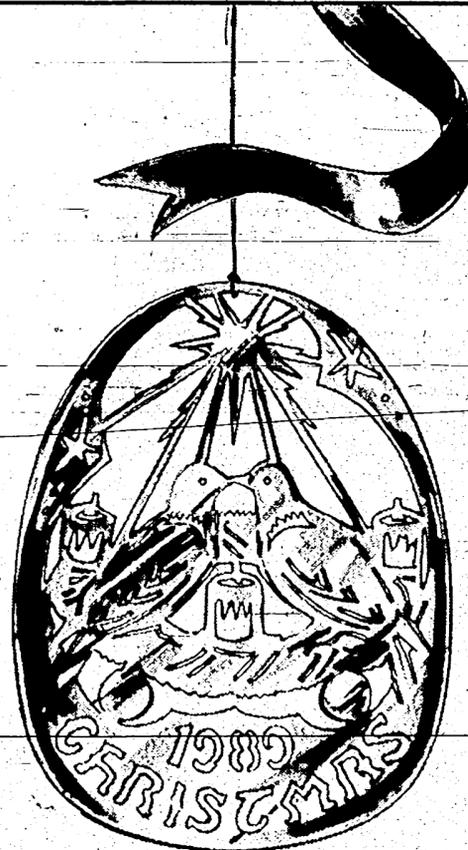
days are a boon for illegal refunders, the expert said.

Terry, the police department explained to state retail fraud law, which was amended in 1988 and makes it somewhat easier to prosecute shoplifters.

THE AMENDED law includes steps of civil action by merchants in order to help recover losses, according to Sherlein of Hudson's. The civil action can be taken against the convicted shoplifter or his parents, if he is a minor.

Sherlein said the Hudson's store at Westland Center has recovered about \$2,000 through civil actions against shoplifters to date in 1989.

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# 'Communication:' What are we talking about?

The more I hear about the need for more communication in schools, the more I wonder whether school administrators really know what they're talking about.

During the campaign to pass a tax and school board races in the Plymouth-Canton School District last spring, improved communication was an often-used phrase.

Most candidates running for the board said they wanted to improve communications, but when asked what that meant, few could say more than just that they wanted to improve communication with the public.

I agree that better communication is needed, but I don't think the problem is always at the school board level. I think it's at the school level.

THE SCHOOLS I've come into contact with don't do a very good job. Oh, sure there's usually a school newsletter and a school district newsletter, but about all they're good for is telling you what your kid will have for lunch on a given day. For my two sons that means they know what days to bring their lunch from home.

I think the problem lies with the parent-teacher conferences. That's when the school district could make the most contacts with parents. It's just too bad that most schools fumble the ball when it comes to those conferences.

I'm a veteran of the teacher conference wars in two school districts and can identify with parents who ask for better communication.

For most parents, communication means talking to their kid's teacher. They usually could care less about the slick self-promoting newsletters produced by the district or promises by school board candidates of more open communication.

I THINK parents want straight answers from teachers, but that rarely happens at the conferences where parents are often treated more like cattle on a Texas ranch than like adult humans interested in their kids.

Those are my impressions. However, I've heard similar sentiments from fellow workers about several school districts in western Wayne County.

The conferences at the Livonia high school attended by my son are one example of the cattle-like treatment of parents. The parents follow



Jeff Counts

their kids schedule, spending about 10 minutes in each classroom, listening to the teachers lecturing the parents as though they were students.

The whole set up discourages questions from parents. It's as though the teachers can't give up their role of authority figures to talk to parents. They need to retain control.

DURING ONE such conference, what I considered a brave parent asked why his child was in the class, noting that the child was an average kid who was in an advanced class. The teacher didn't give him an answer.

When my wife went to my younger

son's conference, she was told that he should be studying his spelling more. However, when my wife pointed out that he was receiving an A in spelling, the teacher changed her story a bit.

But those are just the horror stories. During such conferences I've met dedicated, hard-working teachers eager to explain teaching to parents. I've noticed that those are the teachers who my kids have done better under.

Also, I'm aware that most parents can scheduled conferences with teachers, if they call the school.

However, it seems to me that school districts that want to improve their image with parents and establish what they call better communication should take a look at the way schools handle conferences.

Conferences often are the only contact a parent has with his child's school. Treating people as if they were cattle or kids isn't the answer. Treating them like adults with valid questions is.

# Sad story with an uplifting ending

By Jerry Stanecki  
staff writer

SHE'S A woman into life. Ada Bandelene is a teacher, a giver, a survivor. She is so full of life that I recalled images of Aunt Mame when I met Ada. But it wasn't always that way. For a lot of years she had a heavy problem. As a child, her main goal was simply to survive.

"I came from an abusive family," said Ada, who lives in Southfield. "My mother abused us all. She used to beat us, stuff us in the closet. Boyfriends would come over to the house, you know, she'd stuff us away."

But Ada's nightmare didn't end there. Her mother's boyfriends would touch Ada, and her two sisters. Sexually abused, Ada also had another problem — a speech impediment. Unable to express herself, she was a lost child. She'd steal, and when her mother caught her she would put her hand into a flame to teach her a lesson. Life was unbearable. Finally, when she was 17, Ada said "No more!" I asked her what made her stand up and fight.

"Camp life, that probably saved

me. Camp life, and swimming. I learned that I had all of these things, inside me, that I just never had the opportunity to develop... that other children had. So I had to pursue them myself."

ADA THREW herself into swimming, and did well, winning second place in state competition. She pushed hard at everything because she wanted so desperately to be somebody. While dancing part-time, Ada scooped ice cream, where she met Cal, her future husband. Stong and self-assured, he seemed like the rock of Gibraltar to Ada. An educator, Cal fired up Ada's quest for quality in life even more.

Ada is now a woman in perpetual

# Paying a price

## Would 'bachelor tax' be effective?

"MY HUSBAND and read your column last week," said a colleague in the advertising department, "and we said, 'We're paying for all of that.'"

That was my column on "teen pregnancy." In the social workers' euphemism. Without legal fathers, kids start the game of life with 2.9 strikes. They are born sick, require expensive treatment, are raised on welfare, then get battered and killed far oftener than kids who start life with a father. Fatherless kids who survive have a far greater chance of going to prison, too.

And working folks pay for it. It wasn't always that way. There used to be a bachelor tax.

IN COLONIAL days, Connecticut fined bachelors one pound a week for living alone.

The bachelor couldn't choose the house where he wanted to dwell. A 1636 law said his choice of habitation had to be "by the allowance of the inhabitants of said town."

To encourage marriage and to discourage what folks today call "relationships," Massachusetts charged a five pound penalty for the first offense, 10 pounds for the second, "for young men irregular and disorderly to watch all advantage for their evil purposes, to insinuate by the affections of young maidens going to



Tim Richard

them in places and seasons unknown to their parents for such ends, whereby much evil hath grown among us."

I gleaned the foregoing from E.S. Turner's "A History of Courting." Somewhere else I read that bachelor tax revenues were used to support widows with children, of whom there were many because of farm accidents, work accidents, sunken ships and so on.

THE CLEAR message of colonial society was "get married."

And there were positive reasons for getting married, according to no less an authority than Adam Smith in "The Wealth of Nations."

"A young widow with four or five young children, who, among the middle or inferior ranks of people in Europe, would have so little chance for a second husband, is there (in North America) frequently courted as a source of fortune.

"The value of children is the greatest of all encouragements to marriage," said Smith, explaining the early marriage ages and growing population of the colonies that were soon to become free and independent states.

CONSIDER THE impact of a bachelor tax in modern Michigan.

Some 22 percent of kids today are born to a single mother, and that percentage has been rising steadily for 30 years. Among blacks the figure is 58 percent and rising; among whites, 12 percent and rising. Let us not indulge in the erroneous assumption that one race is responsible for the phenomenon.

The odds are that 90 percent of those families will be on welfare, many for the full 18 years the kids are around.

In our population of nine million, nearly one million people draw some kind of government grant. Some 210,000 mothers with kids are drawing AFDC alone.

Tax the male bachelors to pay for these social services, as Connecticut did. Without holding a shotgun to anyone's back, make it worth while for a man to wed a woman with children.

BEFORE ANYONE begins shouting about the evils of "child labor," let it be recalled that children were valued in the colonial era, as Smith points out, before the industrial revolution hit our shores, and indeed in a time when colonists weren't even allowed to own industrial equipment.

The colonists had to be doing something right in order to have such small welfare rolls, a growing population and so many remarrying widows.

Modern political liberals used to sneer that Barry Goldwater, the conservative senator from Arizona, had "the 20th century's best 18th century mind."

They sneered wrong. The 18th century — "the Age of Reason," the age that gave us the Bill of Rights and the Constitution — did a lot of things better than our age of computerized welfare checks.

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**WHY PHYSICIANS WON'T SAY 'STOP'**

With the development of artificial knees and hips you can keep using worn out joints until you need a replacement. But concern remains that such sustained exercise will wear out the other knee or hip. A study just published in the rheumatology literature investigated that possibility.

A group of 120 patients with osteo or rheumatoid arthritis were divided into 2 groups. One group of 60 people exercised by walking for 30 minutes three times a week to the point of raising their heart rates to 100 beats/minute. The other group of 60 did not take part in any such designated exercise.

After 12 weeks the investigators compared the two groups. The exercise group had less depression and anxiety and a higher level of general activity than the non-exercise group. There was no difference between the two groups in the extent of morning stiffness, involved arthritic joints, or grip strength.

Thus, there was no evidence, by a variety of criteria, to support the warning that exercise would deteriorate more joints. The study shows what many physicians have intuitively felt: that activity never hurts, it only helps.

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# 'Consent' splits local lawmakers

By Darrell Pressley  
staff writer

If the male state representatives had their way, the House would have a two-thirds majority to override Gov. James Blanchard's expected veto of a parental consent abortion control bill.

The bill passed Wednesday with 65 yes votes — seven short of a two-thirds majority.

Female representatives, however, gave the bill only 10 percent approval — two of 20 women voted yes.

Both parties were split. Exactly half of the 60 Democrats voted yes; 35 of the 49 Republicans (71 percent) voted yes.

The House has 89 male members; 63 voted yes, 24 no and two were absent.

Of the 20 female members, two voted yes, 15 no and three were absent.

"It's a personal issue," said Rep. Lyn Bankes, R-Livonia. "I hate having men decide."

**'Remember, we have to sell this both to the individual communities and to the county commission.'**

— Lyn Bankes  
R-Livonia

THE PARENTAL Consent Bill requires unmarried girls under the age of 18 to get written consent from a parent to get an abortion. They also may obtain permission from a probate court.

Observer & Eccentric area representatives voting yes were: John Bennett, D-Redford; Mat Dunaskiss, R-Lake Orion; David Honigman, R-West Bloomfield; William Keith, D-Garden City; James Kosteva, D-Canton; Gerald Law, R-Plymouth; and Rep. Wilfred Webb, D-Hazel Park.

Voting no were: Lyn Bankes, R-Livonia; Maxine Berman, D-South-

field; Jan Dolan, R-Farmington Hills; Judith Miller, R-Birmingham; and Gordon Sparks, R-Troy.

"This bill is one of the most mean-spirited pieces of legislation that has ever come before this legislature," said Berman, a spokesman for the opposition.

"How many parents would support this so-called parental consent law if they knew it placed children in abusive families at risk?"

"The truth is that this bill is meant to put the squeeze on teenagers with no regard for the horrible alternatives they may seek," Berman said.

THE FACT THAT this bill would bring legislation into the family structure is a concern of some of the representatives.

"This is not a bill that supports the family," said Dolan. "We should not inflict this law that allows minors and judges to close out parents from participating in this important decision that their children face."

The parental consent bill could destroy what it seeks to strengthen — family communication, said Rep. Miller. "This bill limits parents' rights."

"If this is not an anti-abortion bill, if this is really a 'pro family' bill, why is the word 'family' mentioned only once in the bill," said Rep. Berman. "While the word 'abortion' is mentioned 18 times?"

The House failed to get two-thirds approval to give the bill immediate effect. It goes now to the Senate, which passed a slightly different version.

Blanchard already has said he will veto it.

# Manager proposed for troubled schools

By A. Giralt Bedford  
staff writer

A state House panel is recommending a bill to give control of financially troubled schools to a state-appointed manager.

The state superintendent of public instruction would appoint the manager, under a bill reported out by the House Education Committee.

"The state of Michigan does not want to run the schools," said Rep. William R. Keith, D-Garden City, committee chairman. "But if they (the school districts) can't pay their bills, if they can't pay their teachers, somebody has to take responsibility to educate those children."

THE SENATE-PASSED bill was approved unanimously by the members of the panel. Local representatives voting yes were Keith, Justine Barns, D-Westland; and Lyn Bankes, R-Livonia.

Rep. James A. Kosteva, D-Canton, had an excused absence.

Keith said that when a local school board loses public confidence, voters will reject property tax proposals, worsening the fiscal situation.

"If there is no other way, we

have to find one and appoint a manager until the district gains their (residents') confidence back."

The bill now goes to the floor of the House, where it will be voted after Jan. 1.

Keith summarized the bill: "When a school district becomes no longer able to continue to run itself, the state superintendent of public instruction has to appoint a financial manager to take over and stabilize it so it's financially and educationally solvent. Then turn it over to the people for the election of a new superintendent."

The local school would have to pay the manager.

MORE THAN 100 school districts in Michigan have deficits, although under the state constitution they can't operate that way. To avoid getting a financial manager, districts must show they have a plan to work out their deficits.

Garden City is the only school district in the Observer & Eccentric circulation area operating with a deficit. Keith said his home district has a plan to get out of financial trouble.

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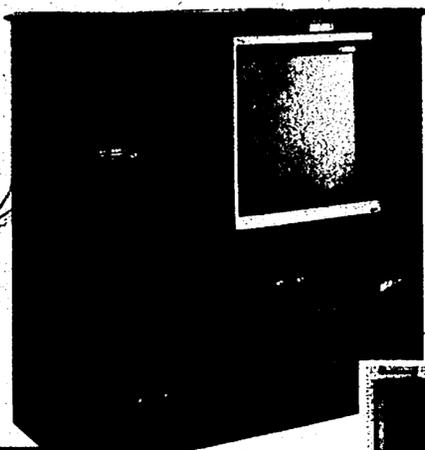


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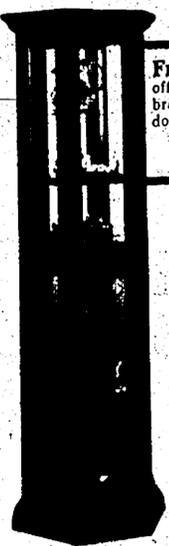


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## It's easy to build a house

The holidays just wouldn't be complete at the Janes Gang home without the construction of at least one gingerbread house.

Mention house construction to most culinary creators and their eyes make a quick roll, and immediately you hear phrases like, "I can't assemble an appetizer tray and you want me to make a house — out of gingerbread, yet?"

Contrary to popular belief, it's easier than you think. As a matter of fact, way back when I used to own and operate a gourmet shop and cooking school, the gingerbread-house-making classes were always the first to fill up and those involved never minded the actual construction of the house but were more taken back with how they should decorate it.

Do I want a snowy, frosting-covered roof? Or should I shingle it with fruit-striped gum? Should the sides be dotted with M&Ms or just judiciously adorned with red licorice and candy cane moldings?

To create a gingerbread house, the builder must first start with a basic recipe for a good gingerbread. Not the soft, pillable gingerbread, but one rolled smooth and thin so that after baking it will hold a crisp rigidity to the construction. After the gingerbread dough is made and refrigerated, you will need a basic pattern for the house.

**GINGERBREAD HOUSES** come in all shapes and sizes. Some small, some luxurious. For the beginner, I recommend the construction of a small, compact bungalow. You can freelance — draw a pattern, hoping for exact measurements on the sides, back and top — or you can do what I do: Find an old deck of cards. Using the cards for two sides, front and back, lay them out and trace the pattern on the rolled-out gingerbread dough before baking.

You can make cut-outs for a door and windows if desired or you can add them on during construction with sticks of gum, candied fruit slices or whatever.

After the baking and well-deserved cooling off, all the basic gingerbread home designer needs now is a little "royal" icing and some imagination. Royal icing is a pillable icing made of powdered egg whites and powdered sugar. It's soft and pillable when made fresh but upon drying turns into a rigid, hard substance that resembles white cement.

Assemble the house on a small piece of Styrofoam or cardboard. Allow it to "dry" and then begin creating a design with candies, gum, fruit, mints or anything edible. You can decorate the "ground" with snowmen made from the icing after hardening and make a walkway dotted with raisins or nuts.

Now if all of this seems a little mind boggling, and you want to give it the old college try with a minimum of fuss, you can use graham crackers for the house construction. Sheets of graham crackers can be carefully cut with sharp scissors and again, using the royal icing, assembled in no time with a minimum of bother.

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## Winner Dinners wanted

Columnist E. Brethen wants your recipe for a Winner Dinner Winner column.

She says, "As we move further into the month of December and closer to the coldest months of the year, I am looking for recipes for the following dinners and hope that you will take the time to send them in: dinners using left-over turkey, seafood dinners, hearty soups and casseroles and tasty chili."

See her column on Page 3 for more information.



# GINGER

## Spicing up the holidays

By Marty Figley  
special writer

**M**MMMM. Do you remember the wonderfully delicious aroma of gingerbread being baked around this time of year? Perhaps this will inspire you to experiment with some other ways to enjoy ginger.

One of the most important spices used in holiday cooking, ginger has a long history and has traveled far and wide to provide flavor for many foods. In ancient times, the spice was used to preserve meats. Records indicate that builders of the pyramids ate unleavened sweet ginger cakes.

There are more than 1,000 species in the botanical Zingiberaceae family. Some have beautiful foliage, some so not. Many have rich volatile oils that are used in condiments, dyes, perfumes and medicines. The species grown for culinary use is Zingiber officinale — true ginger.

This spice originated in India and tropical Asia. Its roots were first used by the Chinese and Indians as early as 1800 B.C. Arab traders took it to the Mediterranean regions, and the Greeks (who imported it from the Orient) introduced ginger to the Romans. They used it as a seasoning, much as we use black pepper today.

**THE ROMANS** then carried it to Great Britain, where, in the 13th century, English royalty regarded it so highly it was worth its weight in gold. Although, ginger was grown in Jamaica and exported back to Spain as early as 1524.

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## La Rotisserie food matches elegant decor

*Special Feature: Holiday visitors to La Rotisserie should check out the huge gingerbread house in the lobby. The Hyatt Regency's executive chef, Domenick Bufone, and his staff, designed "the world's largest Gingerbread Chalet." It's 22 feet tall and roomy enough for Santa — who will be there through Saturday, Dec. 23, from noon to 2 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. weekdays and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekends.*



The Dearborn Hyatt Regency's premier restaurant, La Rotisserie, is "putting on the Ritz." Not only has it undergone a complete transformation, but it is serving premier dishes that rival those served by its neighbor, the Ritz-Carlton.

Although the Hyatt's management denies that the \$450,000 renovation to La Rotisserie had anything to do with the opening of the Ritz, the restaurant was looking pretty tired and dated at the time its prestigious neighbor settled in.

But that's yesterday's news. Today La Rotisserie has a stunning new decor that architects from Catalo Associates describe as a contemporary interpretation of the old grand ballrooms.

Indeed it is elegant, from the 400-square-foot marble dance floor to the two 6½-foot dome-shaped chandeliers and the etched glass panels by Blair Reed that separate seating areas. The room also has beveled glass mirrors with marble insets and black carpeting with a beautiful feather-like border.

**THROUGHOUT** THE two-level room is artwork, which was commissioned for the restaurant and is set

off by special lighting. All this style and ambience could easily overshadow the food were it not for the talents of the energetic, 25-year-old chef, Paul Grosz, a native of Warren who trained under the noted Jean Banchet at Le Francals in Wheeling, Ill.

Not only is the food exquisite, but the restaurant offers a "classic dining experience" in which customers can select an appetizer, soup or salad, entree and dessert for \$25 per person. It is all part of Hyatt General Manager Klaus Peters' desire to make elegant dining affordable.

It certainly meets our approval on both counts. Our meals would have cost \$30 more if purchased a la carte.

Grosz's "American-French collaboration with a Midwestern accent" menu features many game dishes, light and intensely flavored sauces, an extensive use of mushrooms, salads that use five-eight different lettuces, and an obvious emphasis on quality. Each entree is meticulously arranged on the plate and is wheeled to the table on carts by the formally dressed wait staff.

Because he is fond of hunting and Please turn to Page 4



JIM JAGDELO/staff photographer

Paul Grosz, chef at the Hyatt Regency Dearborn's La Rotisserie restaurant, shows off some of the specialties: double apples with vanilla sauce (center); passion fruit moussé cake (from left), chocolate creme caramel with raspberry puree, strawberry-lingonberry flan, and darqueses.

# You can spice up the holidays with ginger

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The spice is now cultivated in such places as Africa, China, India, Taiwan, Haiti and Jamaica. The Jamaican ginger is the highest quality, being a very light buff color, free from corkiness and having a superlative flavor and aroma.

Ginger root, preserved in a syrup, and the fresh root, boiled and candied in a sweet sugar syrup and crystallized, is generally imported from Canton and Hong Kong.

**THE SPICE** can be bought as a fresh or dried root, but the product familiar to most people is ground ginger. When substituting dry ginger for fresh, use half as much.

All ginger roots are edible but, like peppers, have varying degrees

of hotness. In culinary jargon a root is called a hand, so from now on we will refer to this edible part as a hand. It is readily available in our markets and has become important in culinary endeavors.

A hand keeps for several weeks in the storage drawers of the refrigerator if you wrap first in a paper towel and then tightly in plastic. Or it can be frozen, and then a piece sliced off to be used when needed.

Or you can put it in a covered jar, pour dry sherry over it and refrigerate. This will keep it indefinitely. A few drops of the flavored sherry can spark up a marinade, a sauce or the like.

**IT ISN'T** necessary to peel the hand if it is to be grated or minced. To mince a large amount, use a food

processor. The ginger can be covered and refrigerated and kept for as long as a week.

While writing this, I have been drinking a cup of ginger tea, made by chopping 1 tablespoon fresh ginger root, slicing 1/4 of a lemon, and boiling them in two cups of water for 15-20 minutes. After draining the tea into a cup, I added honey for a sweetener.

The next time I may add a cinnamon stick, a few cardamom seeds or a few whole cloves.

If you don't have fresh ginger, powdered ginger can be added to a cup of regular tea, which seems to soothe an unsettled stomach. An 18th-century recipe says that ginger root tea is a healthy drink for those who have been imbibing too freely and eating too heavily.

Candied ginger, although strong, is sometimes offered to guests after a large meal.

Rum can be flavored with ginger. The whole root is used to give an oomph to ginger ale and ginger beer. It is often combined with other spices and mulled in white or red wine; sometimes other spirits and fruit are included to make a special drink to warm arriving guests.

To make a stimulating footbath, simmer five ounces of root stock in two quarts of water.

**WE ARE ALL** familiar with sauerbraten, the German dish that uses gingersnaps. After the Romans introduced ginger to the English, their gingerbread, "gingerblatt," was made from bread crumbs, honey and ginger.

The Germans improved upon this recipe by adding flour. In the 17th and 18th centuries, American added molasses and pearlash (a forerunner of baking soda), which made it lighter and cake-like.

Besides a soothing drink — Hippocrates prescribed it for colds and upset stomachs — and the much-loved gingerbread, ginger can be used in everything from confections and pastries to cheese and meat dishes.

For a taste treat, rub some ground ginger on a steak before broiling or sprinkle some on a beef roast, leg of lamb, or chicken before putting it in the oven.

Fresh or ground, it perks up the flavor of broiled or baked white fish. Try adding a bit of corned beef to a meat loaf mixture that has some ginger mixed into it.

Sift one teaspoon of the spice with sugar in a recipe for fruit or rice pudding for a dessert. Ice cream or puddings will be enhanced with a sauce containing preserved ginger root. Ginger, cinnamon and sugar sprinkled on toast will elicit childhood memories and taste good on a cold winter morning.

Ginger can also be used in applesauce, chutneys, stewed fruits, jellies and pickles. Just about any food will be improved by remarkable ginger.

Wild ginger, which I grow in my herb garden, can be used for cooking, but I have found the flavor less pungent than that bought in the market. It is unrelated botanically to the commercial ginger, but is an interesting plant in the garden, with its large heart-shaped leaves.

## CANDIED GINGER BISCUITS

Serve these biscuits with pork, ham, turkey or chicken. Great straight out of the oven with unsalted butter.

- 1/2 cup unsalted butter
- 1/2 cup packed brown sugar
- 2 tablespoons molasses
- 1/4 cup apple cider or juice
- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 tablespoon ground ginger
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 cup finely minced candied ginger

Cream butter and sugar in a mixing bowl. Beat in the molasses, then the apple cider. Combine the flour, ground ginger, baking soda and candied ginger. Stir into the butter mixture with a wooden spoon. Wrap in plastic wrap and refrigerate one hour. Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Lightly grease a cookie sheet. Roll out the dough 3/4 inch thick on a lightly floured surface. Cut into rounds with a 1-1/2-inch biscuit cutter and place on the prepared cookie sheet. Gather up the scraps, reroll and repeat, until dough is used up.

Bake until lightly browned, about 15 minutes. Makes 16-20 biscuits.

## SPICY PEARS IN TARTS

These tarts will ensure your reputation as a gourmet cook.

- 5 Bartlett pears
- 1 1/4 cups light brown sugar
- 1/4 cup vinegar
- 1 tablespoon flour
- 1/2 cup water
- 5 cloves
- 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon allspice
- 1 tablespoon diced candied ginger or 2 lemon slices

Pare fruit and cut in eighths. Bring all other ingredients to a boil. Add fruit and simmer 5 minutes. Remove cloves and fruit. Stir in slowly 1 tablespoon flour smoothed into a paste with a little water. Cook syrup until thickened. Arrange fruit in unbaked tart shells. Pour 1 tablespoon syrup over each tart. Cut strips of pastry and lay in a cross over each tart. Twist the strips and moisten ends to pinch firmly into crust. Bake at 425 degrees for 25 minutes. Makes 8-10 tarts.

## CELERY-GINGER CHEESE

This dressing is especially good on melons, but will taste wonderful on almost any combination of fruit.

- 6 ounces cream cheese, softened
- 1/4 cup mayonnaise
- 1 1/2 cups finely chopped celery salt to taste
- 2 tablespoons preserved or crystallized ginger
- 1/2 cup heavy cream, whipped

Combine softened cream cheese and mayonnaise. Add celery, salt and ginger. Mix well. Gently fold in whipped cream. Chill till ready to use. Makes about 3 cups.

## CRANBERRY GLAZED YAMS WITH GINGER AND PECANS

A perfect accompaniment to a holiday turkey or pork chops.

- 4 yams, peeled and cut in half lengthwise
- 1 cup fresh cranberries
- 1/4 cup water
- 1/4 cup honey
- 1 tablespoon grated orange rind
- 1 teaspoon grated peeled ginger root
- 3 tablespoons butter, melted
- 1/2 cup pecans, toasted

Steam yams for 15 minutes, or until tender. Don't overcook. Preheat oven to 350 degrees, and butter an ovenproof dish large enough to hold yams in a single layer. Mix together cranberries, water, honey, orange rind and ginger in a medium-size saucepan. Bring to boil, lower heat to medium and cook, stirring occasionally, for 5 minutes, or until cranberries pop. Put yams into baking dish. Spoon cranberry sauce over them. Drizzle melted butter over all. Bake for 15 minutes, basting with the glaze every 5 minutes. During the last 5 minutes, sprinkle with pecans. Serve at once. Serves 4.

## CORIANDER GINGERBREAD

Wrap loaves of this bread in shiny holiday paper and a gold or silver ribbon, or in calico fabric tied up with coordinated yarn.

- 1/2 cup butter or margarine
- 1/2 cup dark brown sugar, firmly packed
- 1 cup molasses
- 1 tablespoon ginger, ground
- 1 tablespoon coriander, ground
- 1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 3 eggs
- 3 cups flour
- 1/2 cup orange juice
- 2 tablespoons grated orange peel, or orange or lemon zest
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 2 tablespoons water
- 1 cup raisins — golden are good

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Cream butter and sugar. Add molasses and spices; beat in eggs. Add flour and orange juice, alternately, to creamed mixture. Add peel. Dissolve baking soda in water and stir into mixture. Add raisins and pour batter into a greased loaf pan or pans. Bake 1 hour. Cool on wire rack. If top is browning too quickly, place foil around edges and top of loaf. Do not cover loaf completely. Cool 10 minutes and remove. Makes 1 large and 1 small loaf.

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## GINGERED SWEET POTATOES

A new taste — ginger with vegetables.

- 3/4 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 1/2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1/4 cup cider vinegar
- 1 1/2 cups sliced cooked sweet potatoes
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1 tablespoon chopped parsley

Blend ginger, sugar and cornstarch in heavy saucepan, gradually add vinegar, stir until smooth. Place saucepan over medium heat. Cook 5 minutes, stirring constantly. Add potatoes and butter, reduce heat, simmer gently 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Serve piping hot garnished with chopped parsley. Serves 4.

Gingered Buttered Beets  
Follow above. Use 1 1/2 cups sliced cooked beets.

Gingered Buttered Carrots  
Follow above. Use half-cooked carrots.

## SHRIMP TOASTS

Perfect finger food, great for an open house. Can be made ahead and popped into the cooking oil right from the freezer, or cooked and flash frozen, then heated in the oven — 375 degrees for 10 minutes.

- 1 pound fresh shrimp, shelled and deveined
- 4 water chestnuts, finely chopped (optional)
- 1 green onion, finely chopped
- 1 tablespoon finely chopped ginger root
- 1 teaspoon dry sherry, or sake
- 1 teaspoon salt (optional)
- 1 teaspoon sesame oil
- 1 egg white, beaten until foamy
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch
- 1/4 cup cold water
- 12 slices sandwich bread with a firm texture, crusts trimmed

texture, crusts trimmed vegetable oil for frying

In food processor, or blender, combine shrimp, chestnuts, green onion, ginger and sesame oil. Add sherry and salt. Process with 4-5 on/off motions until finely chopped. Add egg white and blend. Dissolve cornstarch in water and blend into shrimp mixture. Spread mixture on bread slices. Cut each slice of bread into 4 triangles. Freeze or refrigerate until just before serving.

Or deep fry in fryer or deep skillet. Heat oil to 375 degrees, slip triangles into oil, shrimp side down. Cook 1-2 minutes and turn. Cook 1 minute more, until bread is golden. Remove from oil, drain on paper towel. Can freeze after frying and reheat as above. Makes about 52 triangles.

## GINGER BEEF BROTH

A nice beginning to an Oriental Feast.

- 1/2 pound lean boneless beef chuck, cut in 1-inch cubes
- 1 tablespoon rice wine or dry sherry
- 4 slices ginger root
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 4 cups water

In a soup kettle, combine ingredients and bring to a boil. Skim off any scum that rises to the surface. Lower heat, cover and simmer 1-1 1/2 hours. Variations: Last 10 minutes of cooking add 1/2 pound soybean sprouts or 1/2 pound Napa cabbage, cut into 1-inch pieces.

## HONEY SPICE DRESSING

This dressing is very good on fruit salad.

- 6 tablespoons honey
- 3 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger

Mix ginger with honey and add lemon juice. Pour over fruit just before serving.

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family-tested winner dinner

**Betsy Brethen**

# Chicken Skillet Dinner earns raves on first try

Recently, my husband and I were all set to take our children and their three cousins out for dinner when, at the last minute, one of the boys didn't feel well and preferred to stay home. Then, despite all our plans, the other boys decided that they would rather stay home, too.

Faced with the prospect of having to whip up something for the children to eat, I decided to test one of the Winner Dinners that had been submitted. A recipe for Chicken Skillet Dinner had instant appeal as it looked like it would be quick and easy to make.

Taking a few shortcuts, the chicken dish was prepared and ready to be served in 25 minutes. As the boys sat down to eat, I held my breath and, to my great delight, watched as they plowed into their dinners and came back asking for seconds. As imaginary fireworks burst over the kitchen table, I realized with great joy that another Winner Dinner had just been born unto our family. I am grateful to Barb Adams of Redford for sending her menu in, and it gives me great pleasure to be able to share it with you.

Adams was a single mom for 15 years. Trying to raise her three children and hold down a full-time job was a long struggle, as she put her children through college and continued to help put one through medical school. With little time to cook a complicated meal, Chicken Skillet Dinner was a family favorite that she relied on, as it was always well-received.

WHILE THE CHICKEN was simmering, she had time to make the Corn Bread and pop it in the oven. The Strawberry Mousse was a low-cal dessert that was easy to make ahead and offered a light ending to a tasty meal.

Today, Adams' three children are fully grown and she is thrilled to have four grandchildren. Happily remarried, Adams now devotes her



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Barb Adams of Redford serves Chicken Skillet Dinner, along with Tossed Salad, Corn Bread and Strawberry Mousse.

time doing volunteer work at her church. She is the coordinator of the shut-in program, an active participant in a Bible study class and hosts monthly pot-luck dinners at her home for her Sunday school group.

Adams and her family were reunited at Thanksgiving, and when she told her children that her chicken dish (which contains rice and vegetables) had won her the coveted title of Winner Dinner Winner, one of her sons piped up and confessed that if it hadn't been for the rice, he never would have eaten his vegetables.

Ah, the tricks we mothers have. I can't guarantee that this dinner will get your children to eat their vegetables, but I can guarantee that it worked for our family and hopefully it will work for yours as well.

Thanks again, Barb Adams, and congratulations on being our Winner Dinner Winner of the week.

Submit your recipes, to be considered for publication in this column or elsewhere, to: Winner Dinner, P.O. Box 3503, Birmingham 48012. All submissions become the property of the publisher.

Each week's recipes are printed the same size, so that you may clip and save them in a three-ring binder. Use a paper punch to make holes in the clipping or paste the clipping on a blank sheet of three-ring notebook paper. Another option is to simply file the clippings in a folder with pockets that will hold them.

## Observer & Eccentric Winner Dinner

### Recipes

#### CHICKEN SKILLET DINNER

This dish takes only minutes to assemble and is better when made just before serving. The recipe amply feeds 4 people.

- 4 boneless chicken breasts
- 1 1/2 cup Minute Rice or other instant rice
- one 16-ounce package frozen cauliflower, broccoli and carrots
- 1 can cream of chicken soup
- 1/2 teaspoon chicken bouillon (1/2 cube)
- 1 teaspoon onion salt or 4 teaspoons minced onion
- 1 1/2 cups water
- 2 tablespoons margarine salt pepper

Lightly season chicken with salt and pepper. Brown well in margarine in a large skillet. Add water, onion salt and bouillon and bring to a boil. Cover and reduce heat and simmer for 25 minutes. Remove the chicken. Add the soup and vegetables to the drippings in the skillet. Bring to a boil. Cover and reduce heat and simmer 5 minutes. Stir in rice and top with chicken. Cover and remove from heat and let stand for 10 minutes.

#### TOSSED SALAD

A crunchy salad filled with lots of different vegetables and lightly coated with your choice of dressing nicely complements the main course.

#### CORN BREAD

Barb Adams got this recipe from a restaurant in Boston many years ago. It is a longtime family favorite.

- 1/2 cup sugar
- 2 large eggs
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 cups flour
- 1 cup yellow cornmeal
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- 1 tablespoon melted butter
- 1 1/2 cup milk

Mix the sugar with the eggs. Sift the flour, cornmeal, baking powder and salt in a large bowl. Add the melted butter and milk. Beat up quickly and bake in a large buttered 13-by-9-inch pan in a very hot 425 degree oven for glass pans and 450 for metal pans for 20 minutes. The recipe may be cut in half and baked in an 8-inch square pan.

#### STRAWBERRY MOUSSE

This refreshing dessert requires at least 2 hours to chill in the refrigerator and makes 4 servings.

- one 12-ounce package frozen whole strawberries (thawed)
- 2 tablespoons plus 2 teaspoons ricotta cheese
- 6 packets low-cal sweetener or 1/4 cup sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon vanilla
- 1 envelope unflavored gelatin
- 4 tablespoons water
- 1/4 cup non-fat dry milk
- 1/4 cup ice water (remove the cubes)
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice

Reserve 4 whole strawberries for garnish

Puree the strawberries in a blender. Add the ricotta cheese, sweetener (or sugar) and vanilla. Blend until smooth. Sift gelatin in 6 tablespoons of water in a small saucepan. Heat to dissolve. Blend gelatin and water into mixture in the blender. Pour into a medium-sized bowl and chill until mixture mounds onto spoon. If short of time, place bowl in the freezer for 20 minutes. Combine dry-fat milk, 1/4 cup water and lemon juice in small mixing bowl. Beat on high speed until stiff peaks form, about 6 minutes. Fold into strawberry mixture. Spoon into dessert dishes or parfait glasses and chill until firm, about 2 hours. Garnish with whole strawberries.

## Shopping List

- 4 boneless chicken breasts
- Minute Rice or other instant rice
- one 16-ounce package frozen cauliflower, broccoli and carrots
- 1 can cream of chicken soup
- 1 onion
- salad greens of choice
- salad dressing of choice
- 1 lemon
- one 12-ounce package frozen strawberries
- ricotta cheese
- nonfat dry milk
- 2 eggs
- margarine
- butter
- sugar
- 6 low-cal sweetener packets
- cornmeal
- baking powder
- vanilla
- flour
- salt
- pepper
- onion salt
- chicken bouillon
- unflavored gelatin

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cooking game; and because there is a trend toward game dishes on menus, Grosz offers a variety of entrees that will intrigue most customers. Nearly half of the 13 entrees on a recent menu were game, including New Zealand venison, guinea hen fowl, Michigan pheasant, partridge and quail. Other selections included roasted veal chops; the popular salmon in phyllo dough; Dover sole; a grilled trio of tuna, swordfish and bass, and — perhaps best of all — sauteed North Atlantic sturgeon.

**THE SIX** appetizers were equally intriguing — from a salmon and chive crepe to warm lamb loin and rock shrimp salad and hot asparagus covered with a Madeira wine and cream sauce featuring an exciting array of mushrooms — morels, hedgehogs, shitaki and oysters.

Both the lamb and shrimp salad and the asparagus appetizers were delicious, particularly because Grosz doesn't skimp on the ingredients. Often when you order a dish with morels in it, you can find only specks of those jewels. Here, the morels were generously included where promised.

Again, the wild mushroom and asparagus soup was memorable because of the distinctive mushroom taste. The La Rotisserie salad with a two-mustard vinaigrette dressing was an interesting blend of sweet and strong tasting lettuces.

Sturgeon isn't something you find on many menus, but it is featured three to four evenings a week at La Rotisserie. A little heartier than most fish dishes, this entree was excellently flavored with a bordelaise sauce and — we love it — morel mushrooms.

To sample the game, we tried a combination of roasted pheasant and partridge and grilled quail. Each was tender, delicious and distinctive. We also heard rave reviews about the veal chops and the venison. Grosz said he is picky about where

he gets his game, preferring New Zealand venison to almost any other available.

**WHEN THE** restaurant was closed last summer for remodeling, Grosz was off taking an intensive course in dessert preparation at Le Cordon Bleu. It shows. With the "package" prices you are compelled to try a dessert — whether you feel there's room or not. We ordered the souffles before seeing the unbelievably wonderful pastry cart. Although the souffles were so light as to provide the perfect ending to a meal, we'll try one of Grosz's exquisite desserts — like the chocolate creme caramel with raspberries — next time.

Grosz is intent on adding his artistic flair to each entree. Nothing leaves his kitchen without passing his inspection.

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Your homemade gingerbread house can be a reflection of your creative ability and can be as simple or as ornate as you want. Better yet, get the family involved in the planning, baking and decoration. Prepare a batch of hot chocolate and get the family into the holiday spirit and create something that will be remembered and enjoyed throughout the entire holiday season.

Here are the recipes you will need to create a basic 9-inch gingerbread house:

**GINGERBREAD:**  
 ½ cup solid white vegetable shortening (i.e. Crisco)  
 1 cup molasses  
 4 cups flour, sifted  
 ½ cup sugar  
 ½ teaspoon baking soda  
 1 ½ teaspoons baking powder  
 1 ½ teaspoons ground ginger  
 ½ teaspoon salt

Melt the shortening and then add the molasses and ¼ cup warm water. Mix in the dry ingredients until smooth. Chill several hours. Roll out the dough in small amounts to ¼-inch thickness. Cut out the pattern you desire and transfer to a cookie sheet covered with parchment paper. Make sure the pattern pieces are straightened as you lay them on the parchment. Bake at 350 degrees for 10 minutes or until golden brown. Assemble using royal icing.

**ROYAL ICING**  
 3 tablespoons meringue powder (available at gourmet and bulk food shops)  
 1 pound powdered sugar (4 cups)  
 6 tablespoons warm water

In a heavy duty mixer, beat all ingredients at medium speed for 10 minutes or until icing forms stiff peaks. Keep icing stored in an airtight container. Needs no refrigeration. Whip it up before using it again. Fill into a pastry bag with icing tip and proceed to assemble the house.

# Scallions, bacon enliven squash recipe

Butternut squash with scallions and bacon is one of the recipes featured in a recent issue of Gourmet magazine.

**BUTTERNUT SQUASH WITH SCALLIONS AND BACON**  
 3 slices of lean bacon  
 3 ½ pounds butternut squash, peeled, halved lengthwise, seeds and strings discarded, and the flesh cut into ½ inch dice  
 ¼ cup fresh orange juice  
 1 teaspoon freshly grated orange zest  
 1 teaspoon sugar

1 teaspoon chili powder  
 2 scallions, sliced thin diagonally  
 2 tablespoons unsalted butter

In a 13-by-9-inch microwave-safe baking dish arrange the bacon in one layer between 2 double thicknesses of microwave-safe paper towels and microwave it at high power (100 percent) for 4 minutes, or until it is crisp. Transfer the bacon to a clean paper towel and crumble it.

In a 2 ½-quart microwave-safe casserole with a tight-fitting lid combine the squash, the orange juice, the zest, the sugar, the chili powder, and salt to taste and mi-

**Stir in the scallions and the butter and microwave the mixture, uncovered, for 1-2 minutes, or until the squash is just tender.**

cro-wave the mixture, covered, at high power (100 percent), stirring it after 5 minutes, for 10-12 minutes, or until the squash is almost tender. Stir in the scallions and the butter

and microwave the mixture, uncovered, for 1-2 minutes, or until the squash is just tender. Stir in the bacon, and salt and pepper to taste gently but thoroughly. Serves 8.

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# Local reps split on foreign aid appropriation

WASHINGTON — Here's how area members of Congress were recorded on major roll call votes in the week ending Nov. 22.

**FOREIGN AID BILL** — By a vote of 310 for and 107 against, the House passed a bill (HR 3743) appropriating \$14.8 billion in U.S. foreign aid in fiscal 1990, \$4.7 billion in military assistance, \$3.2 billion in economic aid and nearly \$7 billion for other programs designed to further American policies around the world.

The bill had been stripped of provisions that caused President Bush to veto an earlier version of it. For example, it no longer earmarked \$15 million for a U.N. population control fund said by critics to finance forced abortions and sterilizations in China. It retained a ban on foreign aid being used to induce recipient countries and persons to carry out illegal U.S. policies abroad. But this response to the Iran-Contra scandal had been softened enough to satisfy Bush's complaint that infringed on a presi-

dent's authority to conduct foreign policy.

Supporter Mickey Edwards, R-Okla., said the bill "reflects the priorities of the Bush Administration in providing assistance to our allies

Opponent Jim Moody, D-Wis., criticized Bush for blocking aid to U.N. population-control programs, saying the president was playing "a symbolic game of vetoing money that does not in fact go for any abortions."

Members voting yes supported the bill.

Michigan members voting yes were Carl Pursell, R-Plymouth; Dennis Hertel, D-Harper Woods; Sander Levin, D-Southfield; and William Broomfield, R-Birmingham.

Voting no was William Ford, D-Taylor.

**EL SALVADOR** — By a vote of 194 for and 215 against, the House refused to consider an amendment withholding aid to El Salvador because of the murder there in mid-November of six Jesuit priests, their housekeeper and her daughter. Some

## Roll Call Report

backers of the amendment blamed the massacre on "death squad" activities unchecked by the rightist government of Salvadoran President Alfredo Cristiani. But they acknowledged they could not prove their accusation.

This vote occurred during debate on HR 3743 (above). The amendment sought to delay until next April the release of 30 percent of \$85 million in military aid earmarked for El Salvador in fiscal 1990.

Supporter Joe Moakley, D-Mass., said the Salvadoran government must understand "that events like last week's barbaric killings will put U.S. military aid in question."

Opponent Bud Shuster, R-Pa., said there is absolutely no credible information to indicate who perpetrated those dastardly deeds of murdering these priests.

Members voting yes wanted the House to consider the amendment withholding military aid to El Salvador.

Michigan's members voting yes were Ford, Hertel, and Levin.

Voting no were Pursell and Broomfield.

**CATASTROPHIC CARE REPEAL** — By a vote of 55 for and 346 against, the House refused to salvage a new law designed to insure Medicare participants against potentially ruinous doctor and hospital bills and other runaway medical costs. The Senate by non-record vote went along with the House decision to scrap the catastrophic care program that was considered landmark legislation when enacted last year.

The program fell out of favor on Capitol Hill after the Medicare beneficiaries who were to pay for it objected to the cost. It was financed by higher premiums and an income tax surcharge paid by those with enough means to owe taxes. The repeal bill

(HR 3607) was sent to President Bush.

Members voting no wanted to repeal the 1988 Catastrophic Coverage Act.

Pursell, Hertel, Ford, Levin and Broomfield voted no.

**SENATE:**

**PAY & ETHICS BILL** — By a vote of 56 for and 43 against, the Senate amended a House-passed pay and ethics bill to provide senators with less of a pay hike than House members would get but the opportunity to continue receiving speech honoraria and unlimited "earned" outside income. The House accepted the Senate language on a voice vote. The bill (HR 3680) was headed for the White House.

Senators would get 9.9 percent in cost-of-living hikes in January 1990, pushing their salary to about \$98,400, and could receive honoraria of up to 27 percent of official pay or up to \$26,568 in such fees. Senators thus could receive up to \$115,968 in salary and honoraria in 1990. House members would get a 7.9 percent cost-of-living hike next January, plus an unspecified COLA adjustment and a 25 percent salary in-

crease in January 1991. Their salary would rise to about \$125,000 over the next 14 months.

The bill also raises the pay of top executive branch officials and Supreme Court, appellate and district court judges, and restricts post-employment lobbying by lawmakers, congressional staff and high officials of the executive branch.

Senators voting yes supported higher pay for senators.

Michigan Senator Carl Levin, D, voted no, and Senator Don Riegle, D, voted yes.

**AID TO EL SALVADOR** — By a vote of 58 for and 39 against, the Senate killed an amendment to curtail aid to El Salvador until authorities there bring to trial those who ordered and carried out the murder of six Jesuit priests and two others in San Salvador. Offered to a fiscal 1990 foreign aid bill (HR 3743; see House vote above), the amendment sought to hold back 30 percent of \$85 million in military aid earmarked for El Salvador.

Senators voting yes opposed the amendment withholding military aid to the Salvadoran government.

Both Michigan Senators Levin and Riegle voted no.

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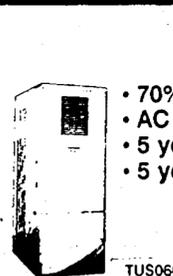


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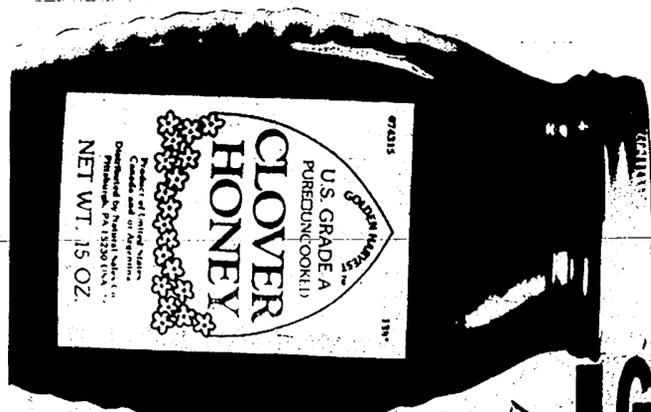
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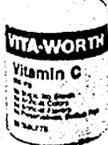
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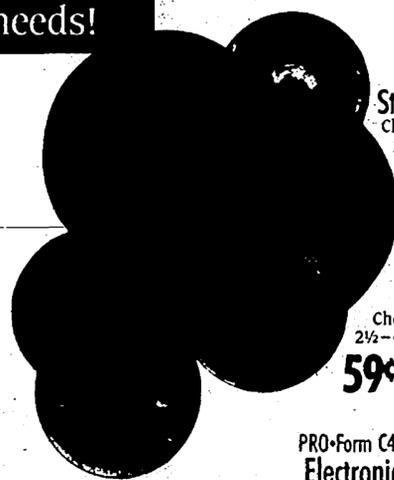
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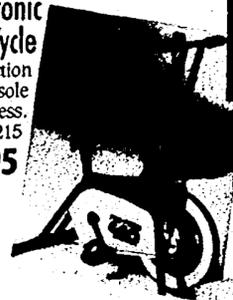
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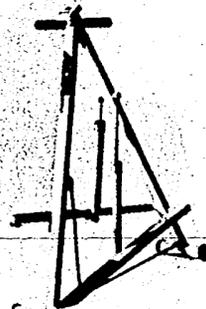
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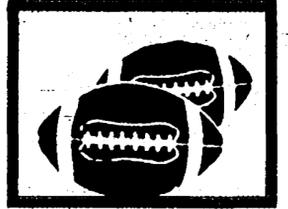
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## Churchill stops Pats

By Brad Emons  
Staff writer

The so-called "Battle of Joy Road" was no battle Friday night.

Livonia Churchill skated through and around city rival Franklin for a convincing 6-1 Suburban Prep Hockey League at Edgar Arena.

Churchill is now 3-0 in the SPHL and 3-1-1 overall. Franklin, meanwhile, is off to one of its roughest starts in the school's history. The Patriots are 0-4.

Despite the lopsided win, Churchill coach Rudy Varvari was not overjoyed.

"On a scale of one to 10, I'd say we were a 7.2 tonight. . . how does that sound?" he said. "I thought in the first period we played well and I thought our goaltending was good, but those are the only two things that come to mind."

### hockey

The Chargers seem to be getting solid goaltending from Jason Devlin, who was shaky at times last season. On this night he stopped 25 of 26 Franklin shots. Two nights earlier he blanked Bloomfield Hills Andover.

"Devlin is playing better, he's improving," said Franklin coach Terry Jobbitt. "We had some key shots tonight and he kicked them out."

VARVARI, a former goaltender himself from the University of Michigan, also sees Devlin making strides.

"Don't forget he's a four-year senior starter," Varvari said. "It's not an easy position. It takes a long

time. He had what it takes last year, but this year he's better because we play more together as a team.

"Our forechecking system has changed. It creates more situations and he's called upon to make more saves."

Churchill, which rifled 35 shots at Franklin netminder Greg Donnan, scored twice in the opening five minutes of play.

Larry Allen, taking a face off from Mike Johnson, made it 1-0 at 2:16.

At 4:50, Jeff King took a pass and zipped a shot into the Patriot net from Tony Schuer.

Franklin carried the play early in the second period, but came up empty, hitting the goal post twice.

At 4:37, Churchill's Dan O'Connor slid a shot past Donnan to make it 3-0, and Allen followed at 5:52 when he ripped a slap shot outside the blue

line on an assist from Troy Henderson.

CHURCHILL added two more before the period was over.

King scored on a wrist shot from Johnson at 11:24, and Mark Michels deflected in a shot from teammate Brian Findley at 13:42.

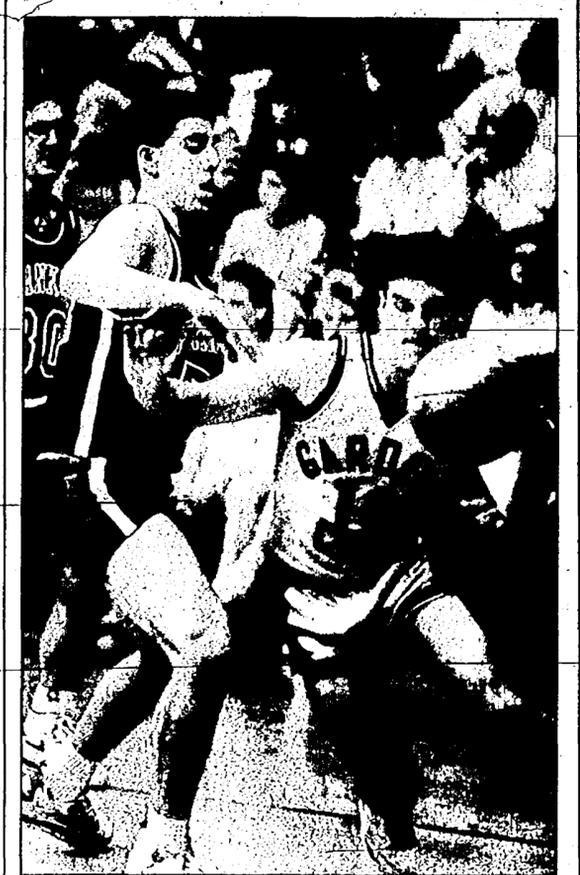
With a 6-0 lead after two periods, Churchill was able to coast the rest of the way.

Franklin's Brian Stover ruined Devlin's shutout bid on a dribbler from Matt Sharkey at 1:22 of the final period.

It was only Franklin's fourth goal of the season in four games.

"After we lost the first two periods our goal was to control the third period," said Jobbitt, whose team outshot the Chargers, 7-6. "We're young, but we're starting to develop. Winning the third period was a major step."

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SHARON LeMIEUX/staff photographer

### Slipping through

Jim Marszalek of Garden City (right) sneaks around Franklin defender John Santi during Friday's non-league basketball encounter. See roundup on page 3C.

## Brodhun helps Stevenson break losing streak

Livonia Stevenson snapped a three-game losing streak Wednesday, defeating Southfield-Lathrup in a Suburban Prep Hockey League encounter at Edgar Arena, 5-1.

The Spartans, now 1-3 overall, jumped out to a 2-1 first-period lead and never looked back.

Matt Cichy opened the scoring for Stevenson at the 39-second mark on assists from John Fenech and Mike Lindberg, but Lathrup's Tom Skores answered with a goal at 2:34 to tie it at 1-1.

John Brodhun then scored what proved to be the game-winner, power-play goal from Nick Mariani and Scott Johnson at 13:55.

The Spartans went on to score three unanswered goals.

Chris Rennie, from Brodhun and Josh Clark, made it 3-1 at 10:05, followed by Fenech's goal from Brodhun and Kevin Bush at 14:20.

Brodhun, who scored unassisted for the only goal in the final period, finished the night with two goals and two assists.

Dave Labadie was in the Stevenson nets.

REDFORD CC 9, A.A. HURON 2: Redford Catholic Central opened Michigan Metro High School Hockey League play Wednesday with a lopsided win against Ann Arbor Huron in a West Division battle at Veterans Arena.

Paul Pirronello notched the hat trick for CC.

Other big offensive contributors for the Shamrocks included: Joe Cyrek, one goal and four assists; Jesse Hubenschmidt, two goals and one assist; and Keith Bozyk, four assists.

Greg Oszust, Scott Johnson and Matt Keenan each added goals for the Shamrocks, now 2-1 overall.

CC, which outshot the River Rats 32-21, had only three available defensemen — Cyrek, Andy Plimmons and Matt Gorski. The others were out with injuries.

CHURCHILL 7, ANDOVER 0: The Chargers (2-1-1) made it two straight at the expense of Bloomfield Hills Andover in first game of an SPHL doubleheader played Wednesday at Livonia's Edgar Arena.

Seven different Livonia Churchill players scored. The other goal scorers included Larry Allen, Bill Sayed, Collin Gallagher, Mark Michels, Mike Johnson and Joe Sultana.

Bob Somerville and Gallagher each collected two assists, while Tony Schuer, Bill Durham, Ryan Lukiewski, Dan O'Connor, Mark Mycek, King and Johnson added one each.

Goalie Jason Devlin, who had to make only 10 saves, recorded the shutout.

WYANDOTTE 4, FRANKLIN 1: The goal drought continued Wednesday for visiting Livonia Franklin against the host Bears in a game played at Yack Arena.

The winless Patriots, who have found the net only three times in three games, averted the shutout when senior Brian Stover scored in the final period on assists from Bob Hayes and Matt Sharkey.

Franklin was outshot 30-18. Greg Donnan was in the nets for the Patriots.

## all-area swimming

### ALL-AREA SWIM TEAM

Carrie Worthen, N. Farmington-at-large  
Katie Westhoff, Farmington-at-large

#### Individual events

Becky Wyquist, Mercy, 200 freestyle  
Kerry Doran, N. Farmington, 200 IM  
Karen Neyer, Mercy, 50 freestyle  
Tonya Slicker, Farmington, diving  
Elizabeth DeMattia, Mercy 100 butterfly  
Ellen Lessig, Churchill, 100 freestyle  
Nicole Drake, Canton, 500 freestyle  
Cheri Vincent, Salem, 100 backstroke  
Jennifer Knapp, Stevenson 100 breast  
Katie Knipper, Mercy, at-large  
Karrle Kranz, N. Farmington, at-large  
Christie Duthie, N. Farmington at-large  
Anna Palmer, N. Farmington, at-large

#### Relays

200 medley relay — Farmington Hills Mercy (Katie Westhoff, Katie Knipper, Elizabeth DeMattia, Karen Neyer).  
400 free relay — Farmington Hills Mercy (Karen Neyer, Elizabeth DeMattia, Michelle McCaffrey, Becky Wyquist).  
200 medley relay at-large — North Farmington (Julianne Markey, Anna Palmer, Christie Duthie, Karrle Kranz).  
400 free relay at-large — North Farmington (Christie Duthie, Jennifer Wagner, Karrle Kranz, Kerry Doran).



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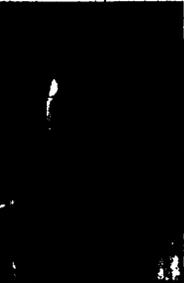
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## Mercy, North lead way

By Bill Parker  
Staff writer

THE FIRST thing that comes to mind when looking at the 1989 Observer all-area team is depth. Beginning with the Farmington Hills Mercy state champion 200 medley relay team and ending with eight at-large selections, the 1989 team is loaded with talent.

Mercy, which placed third at the Class A state meet, leads the team represented in three individual events, both relays and two at-large selections.

Mercy coach Chuck McClune was selected as the 1989 Coach of the Year. In his second season at the helm of the Marlins' program, McClune directed his team to their 23rd straight Catholic League title.

The following is a brief profile of each 1989 all-Observer swimmers as selected by a panel of area coaches:

Farmington Hills Mercy, 200-yard medley relay (Katie Westhoff, Katie Knipper, Elizabeth DeMattia, Karen Neyer): For the second year in a row this quartet graces the All-Observer first team — last year as the runner-up at the Class A state meet and this year as the undisputed state champion.

This relay opened the season with a bang, turning in a 1:54.75 to win the Brighton Relays. In the process they set a meet and pool record and qualified for the state meet, all in the first race of the year. They went through the season undefeated and capped a stellar season with an All-America clocking of 1:49.49 at the state meet, two seconds ahead of the second-place team.

"Four girls never worked harder for me over two years to become state champions," said Mercy coach Chuck McClune. "This relay has been the corner stone of the team. Three out of the four girls made all-state in their individual events and became Mercy's first state champion since Kara McGrath."

Becky Wyquist, Farmington Hills Mercy, 200 freestyle: Wyquist qualified for the Class A state meet in four events and earned All State recognition with eighth place finishes in both the 100 free (53.94) and the 200 free (1:54.08). The senior sprinter was the Catholic League champion in the 200 free. At the Oakland County meet she placed ninth in the 200 free and meet and third in the 100 free.

Wyquist turned in a 53.87 split on the final leg of the third-place free relay team at the state meet and was a member of the league record holding free relay team (3:44.28) which has earned All America honors for the last two years.

"No one on our team had a better season or state meet than Becky," said Mercy coach Chuck McClune. "She dropped 3.88 seconds in the 200 free and 1.77 in the 100 free in only four days. I believe she has not yet peaked. I'm very glad I had a chance to work with her these last two years. Every coach should have a swimmer like Becky."

Kerry Doran, North Farmington, 200 individual medley: After winning three events at both the Oakland County meet and the Western Lakes Activities Association meet Doran, a junior, culminated her efforts at the state meet with a second place finish in the 200 IM (2:08.25) and a fifth-place finish in the 100 butterfly (58.93).

Doran earned All America consideration as a freshman on the 400 free relay. All America consideration as a sophomore in the 200 IM, and broke two varsity records this year at North Farmington in both the 200 IM and the 100 butterfly.

Karen Neyer, Farmington Hills Mercy, 50 freestyle: The senior sprinter placed fourth at the Oakland County meet with a time of 25.93 and dropped her time to 24.39 at the state meet good enough for a fifth-place showing. All-America honors and a new Mercy school record.

She was the Catholic League champ in the 100 free (55.57) and swam a 23.72 split on the state champion medley relay team. Neyer also swam a 54.13 split on the first leg of Mercy's free relay team which finished third at the state meet.

"Karen is one girl I can always count on to pull out a great swim when the team needs it," said Mercy coach Chuck McClune. "Dropping from 17th to fifth at state in the 50 free was an incredible swim. She lives for the 50."

Tonya Slicker, Farmington, diving: Slicker was the team MVP for the second time and repeated as the WLA champion with a 363.70. She holds her Farmington varsity record at 253, the North Farmington pool record and finished the season with an 11-1 dual meet record.

Elizabeth DeMattia, Farmington Hills Mercy, 100 butterfly: DeMattia, a senior, enjoyed a fantastic career earning All-America honors on two relay events four years in a row.

This season, DeMattia placed third in the fly at the state meet (58.56) and finished second in the fly at the Oakland County. She finished second in the Catholic League meet in both the 100 free and the 500 free, swam the fly on Mercy's state champion medley relay (26.23) and swam a leg (58.56) on Mercy's free relay team which placed third at state.

"Liz is a natural athlete," said Mercy coach Chuck McClune. "Last year, when I came to Mercy, everyone told me how talented she was, all she needed was a little direction. Well, going from not making the (state) cut in her first two years to finishing third at state in the 100 fly just two years later seems incredible. Some names we've seen for years at state, but Liz is an unknown. She should be the find of the year for some college."

Ellen Lessig, Livonia Churchill, 100 freestyle: Lessig was a double winner at the WLA meet, winning the 100 free in 54.46 and the 50 free in 24.90.

Nicole Drake, Plymouth Canton, 500 freestyle: The senior distance swimmer capped her high school career with an eighth place finish this year at the Class A state meet (5:15.55).

Drako holds the Canton school record in the 200 free and the 500 free and was a



Farmington Hills Mercy's medley relay: from left, Katie Westhoff, Elizabeth DeMattia, Katie Knipper, Karen Neyer.



Farmington Hills Mercy's freestyle relay: from left, Becky Wyquist, Karen Neyer, Elizabeth DeMattia, Michelle McCaffrey.

member of the school record 400 free relay team. She has earned All-State honors two out of three years and has been a representative of the Observer team for three years in a row.

"Nicole has outstanding talent and has matured into a fine team leader," said Canton coach Hooker Wellman. "She helped lead her team to the division championship and placed at the state meet for the third straight year. She is an outstanding person and a pleasure to work with."

Cheri Vincent, Plymouth Salem, 100 back: The Salem senior finished seventh at the Class A state meet (1:00.98). She also qualified for state as a member of Salem's 200 medley relay and the 400 free relay teams. She was the WLA champion in the back (1:01.95) and helped the 200 medley relay team finish second in 1:55.51.

"Cheri Vincent proved to be an outstanding swimmer both in practice and in competition at the local or state level," said Salem coach Chuck Olson. "She is a fine student and is well respected by staff and students for the person she has become through this stage of her life."

Jennifer Knapp, Livonia Stevenson, 100 breaststroke: A sophomore, Knapp earned All State honors in the



Chuck McClune  
Mercy — Coach of the Year

breaststroke for the second straight year. She also qualified for the state meet in the 200 IM and was a member of Stevenson's medley relay team which placed 11th at state. Knapp earned All America consideration in the breaststroke and was voted team MVP by her teammates.

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# swimming rankings

## FINAL OBSERVER GIRLS SWIM/DIVING RANKINGS

In conjunction with the All-Area team, this is the final listing of the best swimming times and diving scores in Observant. The Observer sports staff would like to thank Plymouth Canton coach Hooker Webster for compiling the results this season.

200-YARD MEDLEY RELAY (state cut: 1:59.59)	
Farmington Hills Mercy	1:49.49
North Farmington	1:52.59
Lioua Stevenson	1:52.27
Plymouth Salem	1:55.51
Plymouth Canton	1:58.14

200 FREESTYLE (state cut: 2:01.59)	
Becky Wigust (Mercy)	1:56.06
Kerry Doran (N Farmington)	1:57.54
Karrie Kranz (N Farmington)	1:59.27
Jamie Anderson (Stevenson)	1:59.47
Christie Duthie (N Farmington)	1:59.77
Tara Ditchkoff (Church)	1:59.87
Nicole Drake (Canton)	2:00.53
Liz DeMatia (Mercy)	2:01.86
Poly Tenuta (Mercy)	2:01.89
Michelle McCaffrey (Mercy)	2:02.53

200 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY (state cut: 2:19.99)	
Kerry Doran (N Farmington)	2:08.24
Karrie Kranz (N Farmington)	2:14.73
Jennifer Knapp (Stevenson)	2:17.76
Elizabeth Sokolac (Church)	2:17.90
Cassie Cummins (N Farmington)	2:19.14
Becky Wigust (Mercy)	2:19.35
Liz DeMatia (Mercy)	2:19.38
Cheri Vengert (Salem)	2:19.61
Anna Palmer (N Farmington)	2:20.31
Kristin Stackpole (Salem)	2:20.53

50 FREESTYLE (state cut: 2:59.99)	
Karrie Kranz (N Farmington)	24.39
Elen Lessig (Church)	24.90
Kate Hohl (Farmington)	25.48
Christie Duthie (N Farmington)	25.48
Becky Wigust (Mercy)	25.54
Jenny Mason (Mercy)	25.88
Erka Smith (Mercy)	25.89
Kerry Doran (N Farmington)	26.09
Pam Frichard (Canton)	26.19
Amy Balog (Stevenson)	26.21

DIVING (state cut: 5 lists or top 5 in league)	
Tonya Sicker (Farmington)	252.45
Elara Trager (Salem)	240.80
Jennifer Ezzo (Salem)	217.60
Christie Duthie (N Farmington)	204.75
Anna Palmer (N Farmington)	196.05
Kristin Stackpole (N Farmington)	182.85
Natasha Kuberski (N Farmington)	175.05
Sarah Turner (Church)	174.28

100 BUTTERFLY (state cut: 1:02.99)	
Liz DeMatia (Mercy)	58.56
Kerry Doran (N Farmington)	58.93
Christie Duthie (N Farmington)	1:00.54
Kate Knipper (Mercy)	1:00.60
Holly Palmer (Stevenson)	1:02.66
Katie Hamann (Church)	1:02.91
Chris Lang (Canton)	1:03.42
Karrie Kranz (N Farmington)	1:03.62
Jennifer Beardie (Franklin)	1:04.00
Kate Scanlon (Mercy)	1:04.51

100 FREESTYLE (state cut: 56.29)	
Becky Wigust (Mercy)	53.94
Karrie Kranz (N Farmington)	54.13
Elen Lessig (Church)	54.46
Christie Duthie (N Farmington)	54.60
Kate Hohl (Farmington)	54.90
Kerry Doran (N Farmington)	55.38
Tara Ditchkoff (Church)	55.80
Erka Smith (Mercy)	56.80
Karrie Kranz (N Farmington)	57.77
Amy Balog (Stevenson)	58.03

500 FREESTYLE (state cut: 5:23.99)	
Nicole Drake (Canton)	5:15.23
Tara Ditchkoff (Church)	5:15.79
Kate Hohl (Farmington)	5:18.00
Karrie Kranz (N Farmington)	5:18.75
Jamie Anderson (Stevenson)	5:19.19
Christie Duthie (N Farmington)	5:19.58
Poly Tenuta (Mercy)	5:22.20
Becky Wigust (Mercy)	5:23.85
Kerry Doran (N Farmington)	5:27.77
Liz DeMatia (Mercy)	5:34.29

100 BACKSTROKE (state cut: 1:04.99)	
Cheri Vengert (Salem)	1:00.98
Jamie Anderson (N Farmington)	1:02.87
Kate Westhoff (Mercy)	1:02.99
Cassie Cummins (Canton)	1:03.43
Tara Ditchkoff (Church)	1:04.38
Stacey Kause (Harrison)	1:05.56
Cairi Vanderveele (Salem)	1:06.64
Gina Bennett (Stevenson)	1:06.66
Jenny McCann (Mercy)	1:06.70
Christie Duthie (N Farmington)	1:06.91

100 BREASTSTROKE (state cut: 1:11.89)	
Jennifer Knapp (Stevenson)	1:06.91
Kate Knipper (Mercy)	1:06.94
Anna Palmer (N Farmington)	1:09.14
Carrie Worthen (N Farmington)	1:10.76
Joan Huelmantel (Mercy)	1:10.91
Kerry Doran (N Farmington)	1:11.68
Kristin Stackpole (Salem)	1:12.18
Elizabeth Sokolac (Church)	1:13.20
Amy Austin (Salem)	1:13.81
Jenny Zober (Church)	1:14.41

400 FREESTYLE RELAY (state cut: 3:53.49)	
North Farmington	3:43.06
Farmington Hills Mercy	3:37.75
Lioua Stevenson	3:47.28
Farmington	3:47.32
Lioua Stevenson	3:49.00

# Mercy, North tankers power All-Area squad

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"Jennifer is a young girl with exceptional talent and the desire to become the best," said Stevenson coach Greg Phill. "With two years left in her high school career I expect to see some great things come her way."

Farmington Hills Mercy, 400 freestyle relay (Karen Neyer, Elizabeth DeMatia, Michelle McCaffrey, Becky Wigust). For the second year in a row this team has earned All America honors. They placed third at the Class A state meet with a time of 3:37.75, won the Brighton Relays, placed third at the Oakland County meet, won the Catholic League title with a new league record of 3:44.25.

"The key to placing in the top five at the state meet is getting your relays into the top six," said Mercy coach Chuck McClune. "Last year, Mercy's free relay finished 10th, so the girls worked very hard to make top six this year. The girls put together four lifetime best swims to swim the fastest free relay Mercy has ever had. A coach could not ask for more."

Katie Knipper, Farmington Hills Mercy, at-large: Only a sophomore, Knipper impressed many observers with a third place finish in the 100 breaststroke (1:06.94) at the Class A state meet. She also placed third in the breast at the Oakland County meet, won the 100 butterfly at the Catholic League meet and was a member of Mercy's state championship medley relay team. Knipper also earned All America honors in the breast and the medley relay.

"I used to worry about Katie's confidence in her own ability, but not anymore," admitted Mercy coach Chuck McClune. "The way she worked to improve her kick all season was tremendous. She has not yet shown how fast she is in the breast. She's only given us a small taste of her speed."

Karrie Kranz, North Farmington, at-large: With a WLAA championship in the

200 IM (2:14.97) and a fourth place finish at the league meet in the 500 free (5:18.75), a sophomore, appears headed for a splendid career with the Raiders.

Christie Duthie, North Farmington, at-large: The senior helped North's free relay team win the WLAA title in 3:44.02. She also swam personal bests in the 50 free (25.54), the 100 free (54.60) and the 500 free (5:19.58).

Anna Palmer, North Farmington, at-large: In her first year of varsity competition, Palmer, a freshman, went undefeated in the breaststroke in dual meets, placed second at the league meet (1:09.70) and 10th at the state meet (1:09.14). She was also a member of North's medley relay team which earned All America consideration.

Over the summer Palmer achieved a Junior National time standard in the 200 breaststroke.

Carrie Worthen, North Farmington, at-large: Only a freshman, Worthen placed 12th at the state meet in the 100 breaststroke. She was third in the breast at the WLAA meet and helped North's 400 free relay team win a WLAA title. Her best time in the breast was a 1:10.76 in the state meet preliminary heat.

Katie Westhoff, Farmington Hills Mercy, at-large: Westhoff swam a 29.34 split in the back on Mercy's state champion medley relay team and placed 11th at the state meet in the 100 back in 1:02.99. She won the back at the Catholic League meet and finished second at the Oakland County meet. She also placed fifth in the league in the 100 fly.

Westhoff has been the Catholic League champ in the backstroke two years in a row and has earned All-America honors in the 200 medley relay.

North Farmington, 200 medley relay: (Julianne Markey, Anna Palmer, Christie



North Farmington's at-large medley relay: from left, Karrie Kranz, Christie Duthie, Anna Palmer, Julianne Markey.



North Farmington's at-large freestyle relay: from left, Christie Duthie, Jennifer Wagner, Karrie Kranz, Kerry Doran.

Duthie-Karrie Kranz), at-large: This foursome set a North record and earned All America consideration at the state meet with a seventh place finish in 1:52.59.

North Farmington, 400 free relay: (Christie Duthie, Jennifer Wagner, Karrie

Kranz, Kerry Doran), at-large: After enjoying a strong season that included an Oakland County championship, the Raider team was disqualified at the state meet. North coach Pat Duthie feels his team would have placed no worse than fourth at state and most likely would have earned All America consideration.

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 Trenton at Liv. Church, 7:30 p.m.  
 Belleville at Liv. Stevenson, 7:30 p.m.  
 South Lyon at Westland Glenn, 7:30 p.m.  
 Ply. Canton at Brighton, 7:30 p.m.  
 Ply. Salem at Monroe, 7:30 p.m.  
 Waterford Mott at Farmington, 7:30 p.m.  
 N. Farmington at Birm. Seaholm, 7:30 p.m.  
 W.L. Western at Novt., 7:30 p.m.  
 Garden City at Southgate, 7:30 p.m.  
 Redford Union at Farm. Harrison, 7:30 p.m.  
 Red. Thurston at D.H. Annapolis, 7:30 p.m.  
 Ham. St. Florian at Clarenceville, 7:30 p.m.  
 Div. Divine Child at Bish. Borgess, 7:30 p.m.  
 Allen Pk. Cabrini at St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.  
 A.A. Greenhills at Luth. Westland, 7:30 p.m.  
 Red. Temple at M.H. Madison, 7:30 p.m.  
 Det. Caldwell Bapt. at Huron Valley, 8 p.m.  
 Thursday, Dec. 14  
 Harper Woods at Luth. Westland, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 15  
 Dearborn at Liv. Franklin, 7:30 p.m.  
 Don. Edsel Ford at Westland Glenn, 7:30 p.m.  
 Redford Union at N. Farmington, 7:30 p.m.  
 W.L. Central at W.L. Western, 7:30 p.m.  
 Wayne Memorial at Monroe, 7:30 p.m.  
 Taylor Truman at Red. Thurston, 7:30 p.m.  
 Bishop Borgess at Highland Park, 7:30 p.m.  
 St. Agatha at Wyan. Mt. Carmel, 7:30 p.m.  
 Evangel Christian at Red. Temple, 7:30 p.m.  
 Dbn. Fatlane Christ. at Huron Valley, 8 p.m.

**PREP HOCKEY**  
 Wednesday, Dec. 13  
 Liv. Franklin vs. St. Field Lathrup.  
 Liv. Church vs. Bloomfield Lathrup  
 at Livonia's Edgar Arena, 6 and 8 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 15  
 Liv. Franklin vs. Liv. Stevenson  
 at Livonia's Edgar Arena, 6 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 16  
 Redford CC vs. Windsor (Ont.) Heiman  
 at Redford Ice Arena, 8 p.m.

## OCC wins in big way

Oakland Community College broke the century mark Wednesday, soundly defeating St. Clair CC in men's basketball action, 114-98. The victory improves OCC to 6-1, while St. Clair falls to 1-6.

The Raiders, who trailed by one point at the half, 55-54, came on strong during the final 20 minutes, outscoring St. Clair, 60-43.

Michael Bailey, a Detroit Central High product paced OCC with 22 points and 15 rebounds.

Jerry Preiskorn, a 6-8 1/2 center from Waterford Mott, added 22 points, while Toine Murphy (Hamtramck St. Florian) contributed 18. Murphy also had eight rebounds and six assists.

Ed Pasque (Hazel Park) and Bobby Dinges (University of Detroit-Jesuit) each added 15 points. Pasque also dished out seven assists. All of Dinges' points came on three-pointers.

Lead Stager's 18 points paced St. Clair.

**OWENS TECH 117, SCHOOLCRAFT 80:** On Wednesday, host Owens Tech of Toledo, Ohio, thanks to 31 points by Roy Coleman, blitzed visiting Schoolcraft College for the second time this season.

Manny Durnen added 25 points for Owens Tech, making five of six three-pointers down the stretch.

Freshman guard Jeff Elliott of Plymouth Salem led Schoolcraft with 14 points. Sophomore center Al Hudson (Romulus) added 11 points, while Ken Fuster (River Rouge) and Ed Hudson (Royal Oak Shrine) contributed 10 apiece.

Owens Tech led by only seven at the half, 47-40, before pulling away in the second half.

The Ocelots record drops to 5-6.

## Franklin cagers top Garden City

A 30-point outburst in the second quarter carried Livonia Franklin to a 64-60 boys basketball win Friday at Garden City.

Franklin senior-center John Santi, who scored 12 during the uprising, led all scorers with 22 points. He also grabbed eight rebounds.

Steve McCool, a 6-foot-4 junior, added 18 points and seven rebounds.

Craig Overalls, the target of a box-and-one defense by the host Cougars, finished with nine points and five assists. (Mike Finneran also had five assists.)

"We responded well to the box-and-one," said Franklin coach Rod Hanna, whose team is 1-1 overall. "In the second quarter we went after them. We pushed the ball up, and if it wasn't there, we got it inside. We also made our free throws tonight (20 of 28)."

Senior guard Dan Emerson paced GC with 19. Senior forward Rick Morton added 17.

The Cougars (0-2), who pulled within two down the stretch, 59-57, were hurt by the loss of Bud Barnett. The senior center fouled out in the final period with six points.

**REDFORD UNION 66, FARMINGTON 65:** The Panthers won another thriller Friday after nearly blowing a 16-point third-quarter lead against the visiting Falcons.

Senior forward Steve Nowak tallied 10 of his game-high 25 points in the third quarter for RU, now 2-0 overall. Dan Lezotte chipped in with 19, hitting 11 of 15 from the free throw line.

P.J. Green and Greg Bjedov, both whom contributed to the fourth-quarter comeback, finished with 19 and 18, respectively. Brian Browne added 14.

Farmington (1-1) missed the game-winning shot at the buzzer.

"It was a Maalox moment, that's for sure," said RU coach Tip Smathers.

**THURSTON 68, TAYLOR CENTER 57:** Redford Thurston converted 20 of 26 free throws in the final quarter Friday to beat the host Rams in a Tri-River-League opener.

Thurston, now 2-0 overall, was led by junior guard Danny Pertula, who scored 13 of his team-high 17 points in the final eight minutes. (He was 10 of 12 at the line in the fourth.)

Three other Thurston players scored in double figures including Khari Spence (17), Jason Muller (15) and D.J. Kellogg (14). (Kellogg also grabbed 12 rebounds.)

Scott Blackledge paced Taylor Center (0-2) with 17 points.

**CLARENCEVILLE 74, TAYLOR BAPTIST 54:** Kendrick Harrington poured in 19 points and Derrick Herr added 17 Friday, propelling Livonia Clarenceville (2-0) to the

**REDFORD CC 66, DIVINE CHILD 58:** Irish luck had nothing to do with the Shamrocks' win over Dearborn, Divine Child — chalk this victory up to sweat and hard work.

Four Shamrocks scored in double digits: junior guard Steve Whitlow (14) points, sophomore center Bob Kummer (13), junior guard John Barbara (12), and senior guard Jeff Brown (11). The game's high scorer, however, was Divine Child junior guard Jim Solak, who racked up 18 points on the night.

**DEARBORN 50, CHURCHILL 46:** The Chargers lost a tight one in the second half Friday against the visiting Pioneers.

"We had a chance in the end, but we ran out of time," Charger coach Fred Price said later. "We didn't control the ball as well as we would like. We were probably a little too aggressive in the first half."

Senior forward Mike Juodawikis led the Chargers with 12 points and six rebounds, followed by junior forward Scott Bowser with eight points and five rebounds.

Junior forward Mike Thomas provided the lion's share for the Chargers' defense with nine rebounds.

Junior center Mohammed Abdrabbon paced Dearborn with 15 points.

**OAKLAND CATHOLIC 43, ST. AGATHA 41:** Some costly mistakes cost the Aggies their first win in a close matchup Friday against host Oakland Catholic.

Junior forward Brian Kutch had 13 points to lead the Agatha offensive attack, while senior forward Charles Cole paced the defense with eight rebounds.

Oakland Catholic's big man in the middle, Tony Brennen tossed in 19 points.

St. Agatha coach Jim Murphy said the deciding factor in the game was free throws line. The Aggies shot 25 percent (one for four), while Oakland Catholic converted nine for 16.

The Aggies fall to 0-2 on the year.

**GREATER LIFE 48, GC UNITED 40:** Garden City, shooting just 30 percent from the field (16 of 54) fell to 2-4 overall as Greater Life Academy of Pontiac posted the Michigan Association of Christian Schools League victory.

Yogi Lala tallied 10 points in a losing cause.

Jeff Lewis and Sam Berry netted 12 and 11, respectively, for the victors, now 3-1 overall and 2-0 in the league.

## Churchill icers romp

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"For some of our veterans who are used to winning it's hard when you get off to a slow start. We're improving each game, but not quite fast enough. Churchill is learning it faster. Most of our people have never played under a 'system' before. What it boils down to is people doing the things they're supposed to do."

CHURCHILL, despite the impressive win, is also going through grow-

ing pains according to its coach.

"Tonight we started fast and finished slow, but usually it's been the other way around," Varvari said. "When you get a lead like that you get cocky and get complacent with your effort instead of working hard, but that happens when you're a young team."

The Chargers, however, looked like the more experienced club in its first meeting of the season against Franklin.

## sports roundup

### YOUTH BASEBALL CLINIC

Westland Federation will stage a pair of free baseball clinics for youngsters (ages 9-12), 6-9 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 26 and Friday, Dec. 29 at the Bailey Recreation Center Gymnasium, 36651 Ford Road, Westland.

All participants must bring a glove and tennis shoes.

Three stations will be set up to work on hitting, bunting, fielding, throwing and catching.

For more information, call Gary Pierce at 328-8643.

### COACHES WANTED

Livonia Ladywood High is seeking a head track coach, along with a JV

and varsity cheerleading coach for the 1990 seasons.

Interested applicants should send a resume to: Kim Linenger, Athletic Director, Ladywood High School, 14680 Newburgh, Livonia, Mich. 48154.

### LIVE CRICKET ON TV

For the first time, cricket fans can get a rare chance to watch via satellite a live international cricket match (India vs. Pakistan) beginning at 10:30 p.m. Friday (to 7:30 a.m. Saturday) at Cobo Hall in Detroit.

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Notice is hereby given that the agreement between the University Convalescent and Nursing Home, 28550 Five Mile Road, Livonia, Michigan 48154 and the Secretary of Health and Human Services as a provider of services in the Health Insurance for the Aged and Disabled Program (Medicare) will remain in effect. This notice supersedes the prior notice of termination.

Based on a review of additional information, the Health Care Financing Administration has determined that the University Convalescent and Nursing Home is in compliance with the Medicare Conditions of Participation for skilled nursing facilities. Therefore the health insurance program will continue to make payment for skilled nursing services furnished to eligible patients.

ILLIA VILLANUEVA  
 Section Chief  
 Survey and Certification Operations Branch  
 Division of Health Standards and Quality

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# Memories of Christmas past come to life

**● AARP PARTY**  
 Wednesday, Dec. 13 — The Dearborn Heights-Westland Chapter 1642 of American Association for Retired Persons will hold its Christmas Party Meeting at 12:30 p.m. in Stefan's Restaurant, Warren and Telegraph roads. The Eton Senior Singers will provide entertainment. Admission is \$8/members and \$11.75/guests. For reservations, call Marion Hornyak at 562-3208.

**● BLOOD PRESSURE**  
 Wednesday, Dec. 13 — Blood pressure readings will be taken at noon in the Dyer Senior Center, 36745 Marquette, near Carlson.

**● CHRISTMAS PAST**  
 Saturday, Dec. 16 — Memories of Christmas Past will be from 9 a.m. to noon in the Westland Helen C. Brown Historical Museum, 857 N. Wayne Road. Magician Chris Moss will entertain the children. Photos with Santa will be available. There will be fresh evergreen wreaths, arrangements and hand-crafted items.

**● GED TESTS**  
 Monday-Tuesday, Dec. 18-19 — Livonia Public Schools will offer GED tests 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Bentley Center, 15100 Hubbard. For more information, call 523-9294.

**● JOBS FOR SENIORS**  
 Part-time jobs are available for

low-income men and women 55 and older through the Senior Community Service Employment Program. For more information, call Lynne at 722-2830.

**● HOST LIONS**  
 Thursdays — The Westland Host Lions Club meets at 6:30 p.m. the second and fourth Thursdays of the month, in the Red Lobster Restaurant on Wayne Road, north of Ford.

**● PURPLE HEART**  
 Wednesdays — The Military Order of Purple Heart meets on the third Wednesday of the month at 8 p.m. in the VFW Hall on Ford Road, west of Venoy. Meetings are open to combat-wounded vets.

**● PINOCCHLE**  
 Mondays and Tuesdays — Wayne Westland School District Senior Adults will hold Progressive pinocchle will be held in the Dyer Senior Center, 36745 Marquette, near Carlson. Mondays at 1:30 p.m. and Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.

**● CONCERT BAND**  
 Wednesdays — The Westland Concert Band meets every Wednesday at 7 p.m. in Marshall Junior High, 35100 Bayview, south of Cherry Hill east of Wayne Road. Musicians are sought for the newly formed band. Call Jim Frobe at 729-7386.

## community calendar

Non-profit groups should mail items for the calendar to the Observer, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150. The date, time and place of the event should be included, along with the name and phone number of someone who can be reached during business hours to clarify information.

### ● BASKETBALL

The Wayne-Westland YMCA is now taking basketball registrations for a league in which boys and girls in grades 3 through 6 will compete. Practice begins Dec. 4 at John Marshall Junior High. For more information, call the YMCA at 721-7044.

### ● SWIM CLASSES

Wayne-Westland schools leisure program will offer late fall swim classes including aquatic exercise, arthritis aquatic, family swim and tot swim. Also offered are two fitness classes and preschool art and story hour. Classes start in late November. For information, call 728-0100.

### ● OPEN SWIM

The Wayne-Westland YMCA has daily open swim available 7-8 p.m. Monday-Friday, and 1-3 p.m. Saturday. Family Swim is 8-8:45 p.m. Friday and 3-4 p.m. Saturday. The YMCA is at 827 South Wayne Road, Westland. For more information, call 721-7044.

### ● CO-OP

Little People's Co-op Nursery is accepting applications for the new school year for 3- and 4-year-olds. Classes will be in Cleveland Elementary School, 28030 Cathedral, west of Inkster and south of West Chicago. For information, call Lols at 937-3174 or Yvonne at 422-8939.

### ● CO-OP NURSERY

Suburban Children's Co-op Nursery is accepting applications for a 3-year-old morning class. The class is on Monday and Thursday 9:15-11:15 a.m. at Newburg United Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. For more information, call Donna Kuhn 981-0277.

### ● MORE CO-OP

Garden City Co-op Nursery is accepting applications for a 3-year-old morning class. The class is on Mondays and Thursdays 9:15-11:15 a.m. at Garden City Presbyterian Church, 1841 Middlebelt near Ford Road. For more information, call Sue Reed at 261-3732.

### ● KARATE

Karate classes Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Wayne-Westland Family YMCA, 827 S. Wayne Road, Westland. Bob Preville will teach children's classes 6:30-7:45 p.m. and adults 7:30-9 p.m. For more information, call the Y at 721-7044.

### ● ALZHEIMER'S

An Alzheimer's support group will meet at 2 p.m. at the Westland Convalescent Center, 36137 Warren, west of Wayne. The group meets the fourth Thursday of every month. For more information call Nancy Martindale, at 728-6100.

### ● ANAMILO CLUB

The Anamilo (which means "to speak again") Club meets on the third Wednesday of every month, 2-4 p.m. at the Garden City Education Center, 6701 Harrison. The club is a support group offering assistance, encouragement, companionship and mutual support to people who have lost their larynx to cancer and their families.

### ● DIABETES

A "Diabetes Support Group" for diabetics and their families meets 7-8 p.m. the first Wednesday of every month at the Garden City Hospital Health and Education Center, 6701 Harrison. The Diabetes Outpatient Education Department sponsors this program.

### ● FOOT CARE

Basic foot care clinic every Tuesday at the Friendship Center, Linden Conference Room, 1119 N. Newburgh. The service is free for people with Medicare coverage and \$15 for others. Transportation is available. For more information, call 722-7632.

### ● HYPERTENSION

Blood pressure tests are provided by Annapolis Hospital and Westland Medical Center Mondays 10 a.m. to noon and by Home Health Care on Thursdays 9-10 a.m. at the Westland Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh at Marquette.

## CITY OF GARDEN CITY REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING NOVEMBER 20, 1989 PUBLIC HEARING AT 7:15 P.M.

Present were Mayor Blake, Councilmembers Schillberg, Nuneley, Majka, Brown, McDowell and Keith. Absent were...

1. Resolution of Public Comments on amending the Planned Development Special Use Ordinance. Present were Mayor Blake, Councilmembers Schillberg, Nuneley, Majka, Brown, McDowell and Keith. Absent were City Manager Austin, City Clerk-Treasurer Showalter, City Attorney Mark, Community Development Director Carroll and Assistant to the City Manager Myers. **RESOLVED** To approve the Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held November 6, 1989, as presented. **YEAS** Unanimous.

2. Moved by McDowell, supported by Majka. **RESOLVED** To approve the Minutes of the Special Council Meeting held November 13, 1989, as presented. **YEAS** Unanimous.

3. Moved by Schillberg, supported by Brown. **RESOLVED** To approve the Accounts Payable, as listed. **YEAS** Unanimous.

4. Moved by Schillberg, supported by Keith. **RESOLVED** To approve the following Consent Agenda:

a. To approve the Mayoral Reappointments of Charles J. Bucagulupi and Helen Lucas to the Board of Commissioners, terms to expire December 31, 1991.

b. To approve the Mayoral Appointment of Raymond F. Boehringer to the Planning Commission, term to expire March 31, 1990.

c. To hold the Joint City Council/Recreation Commission Meeting on Tuesday, December 7, 1989. **YEAS** Unanimous.

5. Moved by Majka, supported by Schillberg. **RESOLVED** To approve amending City Code, Section 161.022 and 161.161 as it relates to the Planned Development and Special Use Regulations. **YEAS** Unanimous.

6. Moved by Majka, supported by Brown. **RESOLVED** To award the contract for Water Service Parts to S.L.C. Meter Service and Ema Supply, the lowest responsible bidder, as recommended by the Administration.

Water Service	\$29.34
Water Service	34.41
FINAN SUPPLY	
Parts	8.406
Other Equipment	1.405
	9.79

**YEAS** Unanimous.

7. Moved by Majka, supported by McDowell. **RESOLVED** To award the contract for traffic citations to Doubleday Brothers, the lowest responsible bidder, in the amount of \$2,810.00, as recommended by the Administration. **YEAS** Unanimous.

8. Moved by Brown, supported by McDowell. **RESOLVED** To cancel the contract with Gesteiner Corporation, for the purchase of a Library photocopy, as recommended by the Administration. **YEAS** Unanimous.

9. Moved by McDowell, supported by Majka. **RESOLVED** To award the contract for a non-operated photocopier to Albin Business Copiers, in the amount of \$3,034.00, as recommended by the Administration. **YEAS** Unanimous.

10. Moved by Schillberg, supported by Majka. **RESOLVED** To award the contract for the printing of the 1990 City Calendar to Rollif Printing Company, the lowest responsible bidder, in the amount of \$15,237.00 for 10,000 copies plus \$19.00 per half tone photo, as recommended by the Administration. **YEAS** Unanimous.

RONALD D. SHOWALTER  
 City Clerk-Treasurer  
 December 11, 1989

## \*SYNOPSIS OF MINUTES BOARD OF EDUCATION Livonia Public Schools 15125 Farmington Road November 20, 1989

\*The following is a summary, in synopsis form, of the Board of Education's regular meeting of November 20, 1989; the full text of the minutes is on file in the office of the Superintendent, 15125 Farmington Road, Livonia, and in the principal's office of each school, and is available on request.

President Tancill convened the meeting at 8:00 p.m., in the Board Room, 15125 Farmington Road, Livonia. Present: Joseph Laura, Marjorie Roach, Patricia Sari, Carol Strom, Pat Tancill, Richard Thorderson. Absent: Richard McKnight (Out of Town).

Communications: The Board acknowledged receipt of a letter from the Buchanan Elementary School staff, a memo from Lynn Bankes, and a memo from a parent in regard to negotiations.

Golden Apple Awards: Golden Apple Awards of Appreciation were presented to staff members Beverly Shafer and Trudith Hawker.

NJROTC Recognition Resolution: The Board presented a resolution of recognition to Franklin High School upon receiving Naval Honor School Status for the 1989-90 school year by the Department of Navy, NJROTC Program Support Division.

Audience Communications: Ms. Joan Kandt and Ms. Jane Sellers addressed the board relative to contract negotiations currently under way with the Livonia Secretarial Association, Livonia Paraprofessionals Association and the Supervisory Employees Association of Livonia Public Schools.

Minutes: The minutes of the regular meeting of November 6, 1989 were approved as written. The minutes of the closed session of November 6, 1989 were approved as written.

Presentation: Dr. Al Edwards presented an overview of the various tests administered by the district, including ACT, SAT, AP, CTBS and MEAP tests.

Recess: President Tancill recessed the meeting at 9:14 p.m. and reconvened at 9:25 p.m.

Athletic Trainers: Motion by Strom and Laura approving the expenditure of \$10,800 to contract with a sports and preventive medicine clinic to provide athletic trainers for the three high schools in a pilot program second semester of the 1989-90 school year. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

Bills for Payment: Motion by Roach and Sari approving General Fund Checks Nos. 158549-159282 in the amount of \$4,051,497.56 for payment. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

Board of Election Canvassers: Motion by Sari and Laura, appointing Mike McGee, Democrat, and Dorsey A. Hamrick, Republican, to the Board of Election Canvassers of the Livonia Public Schools District for four-year terms of office. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

Summer Tax Collection: Motion by Thorderson and Strom to adopt a resolution in regard to the 1990 summer property tax collection. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

1989-90 Amended General Fund Budget: Motion by Thorderson and Laura adopting an amended General Fund Budget for the 1989-90 school year. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

1989-90 Amended Half Mill Budget: Motion by Thorderson and Laura adopting an amended Half-Mill Budget for the 1989-90 school year. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

1989-90 Amended Health & Welfare Budget: Motion by Thorderson and Laura adopting an amended Health and Welfare Budget for the 1989-90 school year. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

1989-90 Amended Building & Site Budget: Motion by Thorderson and Laura adopting an amended Building & Site Budget for the 1989-90 school year. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

Approval of Teacher: Motion by Strom and Laura offering employment as a teacher for the 1989-90 school year to Jane L. O'Brien. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

Granting of Tenure: Motion by Laura and Roach granting tenure status to Kelly Graham effective 1/29/90. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

Retirements: Resolutions of appreciation were unanimously adopted for the following individuals who are retiring: Shirley Mullinix, Mary Janett, and Ruby Christianson.

Churchill Auditorium Dedication: The Board unanimously approved the recommendation of the Churchill High School Committee to rededicate the auditorium at Churchill as the James P. Carll Memorial Auditorium.

Reports from the Superintendent: Dr. Martineil reported on the following topics: Visit to the State Department of Education; MAISL meeting update; 20th Birthday at Taylor; MOPDA meeting update; Recent gifts to the district; MSPRA distinguished achievement awards; Visit to LPS preschool and SACC programs by Ted DeWolf from Child Care State License and Regulation Department.

Graduation Requirements: Motion by Roach and Sari adopting policy revisions for Board policy IHF - Instructional Programs/Graduation Requirements. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill. Nays: Thorderson.

First Reading - New Policy Adoptions: Proposed language for possible adoption at a later date for the following Board policy: Students/District Scholarship Fund was provided for Board Review.

Board Committee Reports: Reports were heard from the following Board committees: Policy, Finance, Building and Site, Curriculum, Livonia Liaison.

Hearing from Board Members: Board members commented/reported on the following topics: Taylor Elementary 20th Birthday Celebration; Livonia Optimist Club's Annual Student Appreciation; Art Camp; ALPHA Parent Night; NJROTC Inspection; SACC Newsletter; Geography presentation by Representative Barns at Hayes Elementary.

Recess to Closed Session: Motion by Thorderson and Laura to recess the meeting to closed session to discuss negotiations. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

President Tancill recessed the meeting to closed session at 10:30 p.m. and reconvened the regular meeting at 10:56 p.m.

Adjournment: Motion by Strom and Thorderson to adjourn the meeting. Ayes: Laura, Roach, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

President Tancill adjourned the meeting at 10:57 p.m.

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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
 PLANNING COMMISSION  
 CITY OF GARDEN CITY

This letter shall serve as your formal and official notification of a Public Hearing and Planning Commission Meeting to be held December 14, 1989, at 6:30 P.M., in the Council Chambers of the Civic Center, 6009 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan.

On soliciting Public Comments on proposed request by Michigan Bell Telephone Company for a Special Land Use, 29148 Rush, Lot 2250 and 1/4 of adjacent vacant alley, Folker's Green City Acres No. 15, Subdivision. This property is located on the North side of Rush between Middlebelt and Central.

RONALD D. SHOWALTER  
 City Clerk-Treasurer  
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## Post office delivers holiday mailing tips

With Christmas fast upon us, your local post office has some tips on ensuring the safe, prompt delivery of holiday presents to your loved ones outstate.

In Westland, postmaster Lloyd Wesley Jr. had the following words of advice: "Get your packages in as soon as possible, use Express Mail services for late minute mailings, and make sure breakable items are securely wrapped and cushioned."

Other words of advice from the post office:

- Purchase insurance for items mailed during the holidays.
- Allow one to two weeks for delivery, or more depending on when you mail your packages.
- Ship items in sturdy containers, such as paperboard boxes (acceptable for loads up to 10 pounds), metal lined paperboard boxes (for loads

up to 20 pounds) and solid and corrugated boxes for shipments of 20- to 70 pounds.

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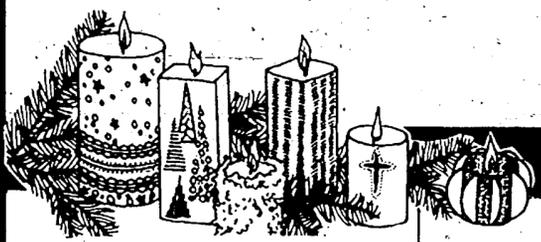
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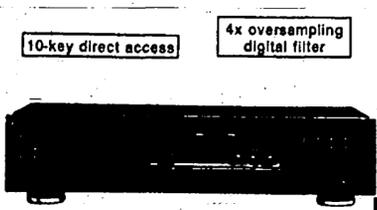
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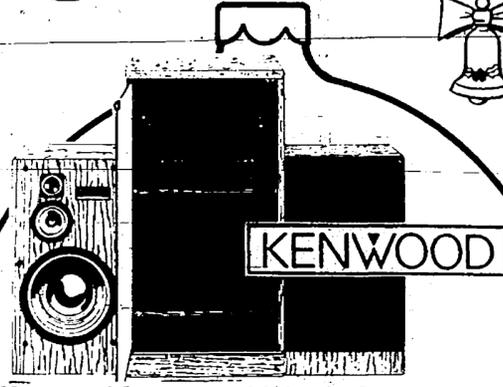
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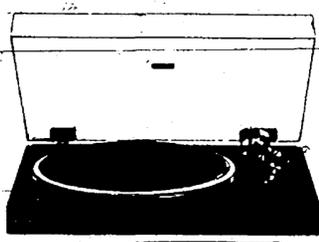
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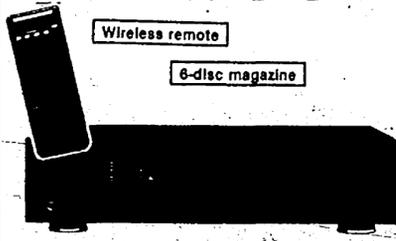
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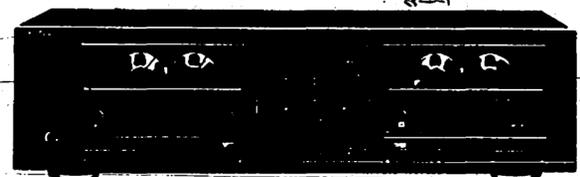
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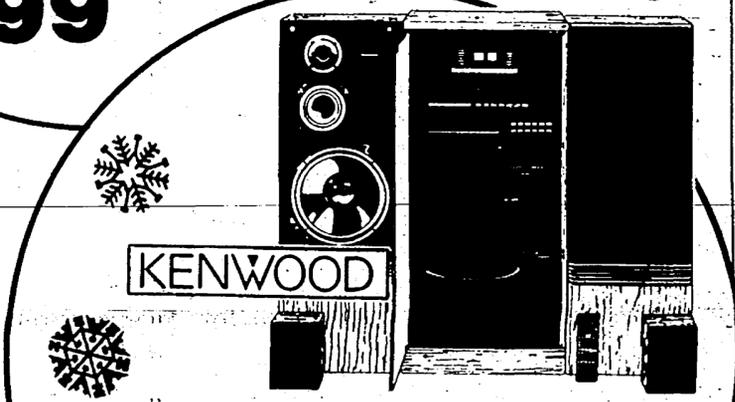
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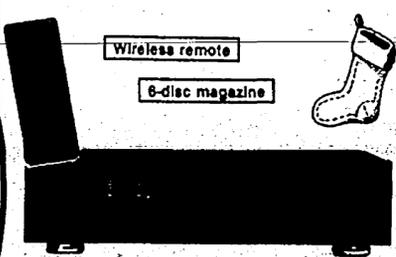


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# STREET SCENE

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## Video laughs

Already tired and grumpy from too much holiday shopping? Well just plop down on the couch and let us throw a tape into the VCR for you. Several comedians have released live performances on videocassette. For more information, please turn to Video Viewing on 2D.

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## Finding the road to Bhutan

By LeAnne Rogers  
staff writer

Nestled in the Himalayas, life in the kingdom of Bhutan continues as a quiet agrarian Buddhist society much as it has for hundreds of years.

Its ruler, King Jigme Singye Wangchuck intends to keep it that way by limiting contact with the outside world. Citizens can be fined for dressing in western style clothes.

The country was completely closed to outsiders until 1974. Two years ago tourists could visit Buddhist monasteries, but those have since been closed.

"The king wants to preserve the culture, so they only let 2,000 tourists in each year," said Fay Thompson, an Ann Arbor resident who recently led a group on her second trip to the country nestled between Tibet and Nepal.

Compare that number to the 150,000 visitors who trek through Tibet in a given year.

"In Tibet, things are trampled and trees are cut down," she said. "When I was looking at brochures, Bhutan was the least touched place and the least commercial. It was everything that I dreamed about. It was like stepping back into another century."

The population of Bhutan is pretty homogeneous, never having been ruled by a foreign power.

"The Tibetans tried to invade from the north but Bhutan is protected by mountain peaks," Thompson said. "To the south there are dense swamps and bushy areas."

THE BHUTANESE mountain passes are guarded by fortresses called dzongs which can often be visited by hiking tourists.

Bhutan has very little industry; most people farm. Things like wood carving and fabrics are done by hand, Thompson said.

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RANDY BORST/staff photographer

Co-partner Debbie Demers tries on a hair comb in the bride's dressing room of the Little Wedding Chapel in Farmington Hills.

By Charlene Mitchell  
special writer

Planning a wedding? Dreading the work and fuss that goes into having a beautiful ceremony?

There's a chapel in Oakland County that may have an answer and be just what you're looking for on your wedding day. On the outside, it doesn't look like a chapel, but it is a lot more romantic than a civil ceremony at city hall, yet less complicated than most church weddings.

The Little Wedding Chapel in Farmington Hills is a unique alternative to traditional locations. With just 24 hours notice, a bride and groom can have a wedding ceremony that looked like it took weeks, even months, to plan.

The reason is that the chapel is always decorated and ready, since it's used only for weddings unlike churches and synagogues.

The idea for the chapel came from Sharon Reed, owner and operator of Bloomies Face and Body in Farmington Hills.

After tossing the idea around in her own mind, she mentioned it to good friend Debbie Demers, who in turn decided it was something she'd consider.

When Demers mentioned it to her husband Jacques, coach of the Detroit Red Wings, he told her she should go for it.

So what started out as pretty vi-

sions of Victorian lace and romantic surroundings has turned into a solid business venture for four women — Reed, Demers, Irene Bruza and Shari Johnson.

BRUZA WAS IN management with Detroit Optometric Centers. She looks on the Little Wedding Chapel as not only a new career, but a chance to be her own boss.

"My background is with planning and details," she said. "Because we're offering a full scale wedding planning service along with use of the chapel, I'll get a chance to be an administrator again."

Johnson, a former sales account executive for Marketplace magazine, said the spiritual aspect of the new venture is what gets her excited.

"I am an ordained minister both for non-denominational or civil ceremonies," she said. "I expect to perform a lot of weddings when the couples don't bring their own minister."

Up to 50 guests can be seated comfortably in the chapel. For atmosphere, there's a fireplace, gleaming chandeliers or candlelight and pedestals lavished with flowers. The bride can choose to enter the chapel through a trellised arch, from a winding staircase or lace curtained French doors.

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# Goin' to the Chapel

"I really love what we're doing here. After all, all of our customers are happy"

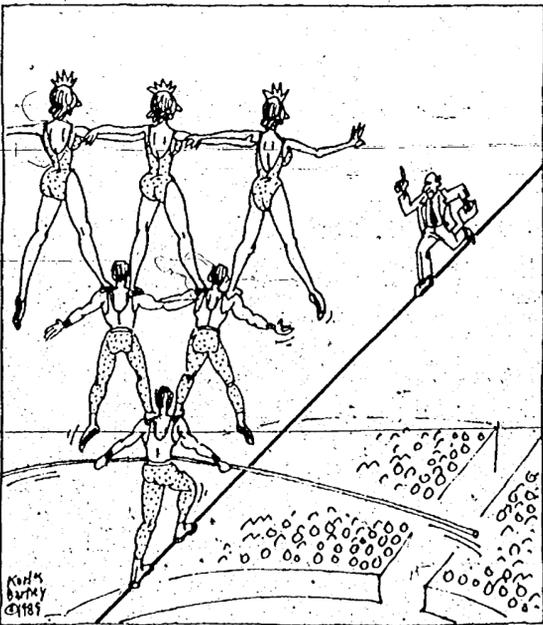
-Sharon Reed



Experienced traveler Fay Thompson poses in front of a tent in the Himalayas during a recent trek in the kingdom of Bhutan.

## Warp Factor

Karlos Barney



"I don't care if it's a temporary structure, you still need a building permit."

## Pancho Claus in San Antonio

By Iris Sanderson Jones  
staff writer

The lights are on in San Antonio. They light the way from Incarnate Word College at the headwaters of the San Antonio River. They gleam in the cypress trees high above the San Antonio River and in thousands of paper bags along the River Walk.

There are 200,000 lights glittering in Market Square, where Pancho Claus greets the children and watches over the blessing of the pets. Mary and Joseph have led their candlelit procession down the Paseo del Rio, searching for a place at the inn.

Christmas in San Antonio is not a season of evergreen trees and snowmen. This historic south Texas city has 300 days of sunshine a year; winter daytime temperatures range from 60 to 72 degrees.

Yuletide traditions grow out of the days of the old Spanish missions. Spanish missionaries carried the folklore of Spain to the New World, where the ancient rituals were used to explain Christianity to the Indians.

The missionaries would be

amazed, if they could see those Christmas festivities now, and so would you. If you've never celebrated a Spanish-American Christmas, you have missed one of the highlights of the yuletide season in North America.

The season began in San Antonio on Thanksgiving weekend when

they lit the 40-foot-high city Christmas tree on Alamo Plaza. They turned on the Christmas lights along the Paseo del Rio, the River Walk that follows the San Antonio River as it curves through the downtown.

A PARADE OF lighted Christ-



MICKY JONES

A visit to San Antonio even during the holiday season wouldn't be complete without a visit to Texas' most famous landmark, The Alamo.

mas barges carried the colors and the music down the river. River traffic is part of the pleasure and sport of daily life anytime of the year, but it has a special appeal when the barges are full of carolers.

The dinner barges, available to small groups year-round, always echo with mariachi music. The 75-cent river taxi, which allows you to get off and on at taxi stations scattered amid restaurants, bars and shops along the River Walk, are a treat at any time of year. Both have a special ambience when there are Christmas lights in the cypress trees high above your head.

A floating Christmas pageant, new this year, will become part of the annual festivities along the river. Five river barges, featuring vignettes of the Christmas story, float down the lagoon and surround Entertainment Island. The classic nativity scene unfolds aboard the barges on weekend evenings through Dec. 17.

The highlight of the season, at least for me, is Fiesta de las Lumin-

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# MOVING PICTURES



Roseanne Barr, Ed Begley Jr. and Meryl Streep team up for Orion Pictures' latest release, "She-Devil."

## DeVito is self-indulgent in his 'War of the Roses'

Success leads to self-indulgence and Danny DeVito's work as director and supporting lead in "War of the Roses" (D, R, 110 minutes) is a perfect example of that premise.

The Roses — Barbara (Kathleen Turner) and Oliver (Michael Douglas) — are a wealthy couple whose vicious divorce battle forms the central section of this unpleasant film about two obsessive (and obsessed), destructive characters. Their story is related by their friend, Gavin D'Amato (Danny DeVito), a divorce attorney and member of Oliver's prestigious law firm.

"The War of the Roses" exhibits self-indulgence at every turn. The trouble starts with the framing, pseudo-moralistic story in which Gavin lectures a prospective client using the Roses as an example of divorce and its destructive potential.

Throughout the film, this client sits in Gavin's office looking uncomfortable and embarrassed. That's the proper attitude for everyone associated with this production.

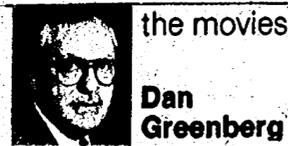
That amateurish structure is compounded by DeVito's sophomoric character as a \$450 an hour attorney and a fast man with the ladies, until the film's end when marriage overcomes him, why or to whom we never learn. There were several interesting possibilities but as it stands — unresolved — it's frustrating and distracting in a film that sets itself up as a definitive statement about marriage and divorce.

BARBARA FRYING onions after she's locked Oliver in the steam bath and her cat fighting with his dog also exemplify the simple-minded intelligence which infuses the "War of the Roses." Turner and Douglas as college kids is hard to believe and their falling in bed in a simple-minded love-at-first-sight routine doesn't wash well either.

That incredible opening leads to the greatest complaint, the film's lack of development. Suddenly, these two college kids — who strangely enough have no family or friends other than Oliver's law firm folks — are off and running in marriage with kids and Oliver's successful law career.

Then, quickly, the over-used justification for divorce — "he's too busy with work and she wants more than housewifery." Well, that hardly justifies the bitter divorce battle culminating in an unpleasant and demented conclusion.

While bizarre conclusions do arise from minor stimuli, a motion picture



the movies

**Dan Greenberg**

is obligated to make it all seem reasonable. "War of the Roses" fails miserably in that regard and, despite nice photography and good acting, is an annoying, malicious and distasteful film. However, given the perverse nature of contemporary society, the film probably will do well at the box office.

Meryl Streep has done it again even though she doesn't have the little role in "She-Devil" (B+, PG-13, 90 minutes). That honor goes to Roseanne Barr who, as Ruth Patchett, proves the old adage about a woman scorned.

HER HUSBAND, Bob (Ed Begley Jr.), does the dirty deed by deserting her and their children, Nicolette (Elisabeth Peters) and Andy (Bryan Larkin), to take up with Mary Fisher (Meryl Streep), noted author of 32 passionate, romantic best sellers.

Mary Fisher lives the books she writes in a glorious mansion by the sea. Streep's characterization (and satire) of the romantic novel writer/heroine is delightful, particularly when it turns out that she has an unsavory past and a pretty raunchy mother (Sylvia Miles).

Mary Fisher couldn't be as perfect as she pretends and those character flaws explain why she takes up with Bob who is a classic philanderer with a very unpleasant family.

There is a tendency, however, to bring on characters only when needed to advance the plot, particularly Nurse Hooper (Linda Hunt), and then discard them as if they weren't organically related to the story.

Hunt is missed, since she and Barr play particularly well together, making a fine statement about individuals who don't measure up to media standards for beauty and accomplishment.

**STILL PLAYING:**

"All Dogs Go To Heaven" (B+) (G) 90 minutes. Well-known voices back this animated story about Charlie the German Shepherd and Itchy the Dachshund.

"Back to the Future Part II" (B+) (PG) 90 minutes. All your favorite time-travelers are in other dimensions once again.

"The Bear" (B) (PG) 93 minutes. Excellent nature photography but film often lacks continuity and gets pretty sappy at times.

"Black Rain" (D-) (R) 120 minutes. Unpleasant, trite detective story stars Michael Douglas.

"Crimes and Misdemeanors" (A+) (PG-13) 100 minutes. Woody Allen at his best in this romantic comedy about family life with all its joy and sadness.

"Dad" (B) (PG) 119 minutes. Excellent acting by Jack Lemmon, Ted Danson, Zakes Mokae and Olympia Dukakis marred by cliches.

"Dragstore Cowboy" (Z) (R) 100 minutes. About as unpleasant as it gets. Four young folks steal and use drugs.

"The Fabulous Baker Boys" (R). Two brothers — Jeff and Beau Bridges — add Michelle Pfeiffer to their cocktail lounge piano playing act.

"Gross Anatomy" (C-) (PG-13) 105 minutes. Bland, slow, weakly structured romantic comedy about five, first-year med students.

"Harlem Nights" (D) (R) 110 minutes. Nice cars and nifty suits but, all that

Pryor, Red Foxx, Arsenio Hall and Della Reese — can't save this slow-paced 1930s Harlem gangster story.

"The Little Mermaid" (A) (G) 80 minutes. Disney animation of Hans Christian Andersen tale of mermaid in love with human.

"Look Who's Talking" (C+) (PG-13) 97 minutes. Contrived, poorly structured story of pregnant CPA (Kirstie Alley) and her search for a perfect father for her baby. Bruce Willis is the baby's voice.

"National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation" (B-) (PG-13) 90 minutes. Christmas vacation for the Griswold family is okay for National Lampoon's fans.

"Parenthood" (A-) (R) 120 minutes. Large, talented cast in complex but entertaining story about a family that includes Jason Robards, Steve Martin, Tom Hulce, Martha Plimpton and Diane West, among others.

"Prancer" (G). Delightful story of nine-year-old girl who finds an injured reindeer just before Christmas.

"Sea of Love" (C) (R) 110 minutes. Al Pacino as a burnt-out detective adds nothing to the cliché nor does a very weak script.

"Sex, Lies, and Videotape" (R). Everyone's talking about this romantic comedy with James Spader.

"Shocker" (R) 107 minutes. Wes Craven does it again, this time in the world of electronic video mayhem.

"Staying Together" (A) (R) 95 minutes. Warm, sensitive tale of three sons on their own when dad sells the family business.

"Steel Magnolias" (B-) (PG) 110 minutes. Talented cast led by Shirley MacLaine's performance falls short in depicting problems of six Southern women.

## ALTERNATIVE VIEWING

# Film remembers Monk

By John Monaghan special writer

Categories always elude Thelonious Monk. As a musician and a man, he was at least as hard to define as be-bop, the form of modern jazz which he helped originate.

Ironically, a new documentary, "Thelonious Monk: Straight, No Chaser," has no real creative aspirations. Directed by Charlotte Zwerin, this is a no frills look at the influential jazz pianist and composer, with narration on his early life, interviews with people who knew him and archival footage.

Recent jazz documentaries like "Dizzy Gillespie in Cuba" and "Let's Get Lost" were made on miniscule budget and released mostly at small art houses. "Thelonious Monk: Straight, No Chaser" has major names behind it.

Clint Eastwood, who proved himself a major jazz fan by directing "Bird" in 1987, fronted much of the money for the project. Distributed by Warner Brothers, the film opens for what will likely be a short run at the Maple Theatre in Birmingham.

In an early clip, Monk's road manager flips through a copy of "Who's Who" and reads the entry on Thelonious Monk. Characteristically, the musician seems uninterested. "Yeah, I'm famous; isn't that a bitch," he slurs in a raspy, usually indiscernible growl.



Thelonious Monk

documentary, which makes up a least half of the film's 90 minutes.

The contemporary interviews are sparse, comprised more of road managers and business associates than musicians. They tell of their constant concern for Monk, includ-

ing how he would react when drawn for a "Time" magazine cover.

Though never fully discussed in the film, Monk suffered from emotional problems, complicated by drugs (he died of a cerebral hemorrhage in 1982). He looks constantly dazed, as if someone just hit him over the head. Fellow musicians and managers are patient with him, as if he were a brilliant, crippled child.

Monk arrives in London with an all-star octet. He's skeptical that his sparse compositions will work with such a large group. Just hours before the performance, only Monk knows what music they will play.

During the concert, Monk stands up and walks over to a trumpeter mid-performance and the tune just kind of trails off. The audience applauds tentatively, then enthusiastically. This kind of unorthodox behavior became almost unexpected in a Monk concert.

PIANISTS BARRY Harris and Tommy Flanagan also show up, their memories of Monk told to the piano. They play dual piano versions of Monk compositions like "Well, You Needn't" and the haunting "Misterioso."

A reporter asks Monk if he would like the piano to have more keys than the standard 88. "It's hard enough work with those 88," he replies. It's the only question he answers that comes out halfway straight.

Actually, as far as shedding light on what's going on inside his head, Monk is of little help. As far as he's concerned, the music is everything and the film reflects this aesthetic.

## SCREEN SCENE

**DETROIT FILM THEATRE**, Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward Ave. Detroit. Call 832-2730 for information. (\$3)

"Cria," (Spain — 1977), 7 and 9:30 p.m. Dec. 15, 9:30 p.m. Dec. 16. A re-release of a unique and dream-like family portrait about a child confronting the adult world. With Geraldine Chaplin.

"High and Low" (Japan — 1963), 5 p.m. Dec. 17. Akira Kurosawa's breathtaking wide-screen thriller takes an Ed McBain crime novel and sets it in modern day Japan. Toshiro Mifune stars as a rich industrialist who goes to amazing lengths after his son is kidnapped.

**HENRY FORD CENTENNIAL LIBRARY**, 16301 Michigan Ave., Dearborn. Call 943-23300 for information. (Free)

"Way Out West" (USA — 1933), 7 p.m. Dec. 11. Laurel and Hardy's best feature film, with the boys entrusted to deliver a mine deed to a late prospector's daughter.

**LIVONIA MALL CINEMA**, 29415 Seven Mile, Livonia. Call 476-1166 for information. (Free)

"Irma La Douce" (USA — 1963), 10 a.m. Dec. 12. Billy Wilder directed this popular comedy about a

naive gendarme (Jack Lemmon) in love with a prostitute (Shirley MacLaine). Continuing a month-long tribute to Lemmon-Wilder films.

**MICHIGAN THEATRE**, 603 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Call 668-8397 for information. (\$4 regular, \$3.25 students and senior citizens)

"Fat City" (USA — 1972), 7 p.m. Dec. 12-13. John Huston directed this realistic tale of a small-time boxer (Stacy Keach) and his young protegee (Jeff Bridges). Perhaps Huston's most underrated feature.

"Split" (USA — 1989), Dec. 12-15 (call for show times). The struggle between good and evil played out with a sense of humor in an avant-garde sci-fi film. A film festival hit by first-time director Chris Shaw.

"When Harry Met Sally" (USA — 1989), 7:30 and 9:30 p.m. Dec. 14 and 9:15 p.m. Dec. 15. Rob Reiner directed this Woody Allen-style romantic comedy about the conflict between man and woman trying to remain "just friends." Winning performances by Meg Ryan and Billy Crystal.

"The Wizard of Oz" (USA — 1939), Dec. 16-23 (call for show times). The classic fantasy film returns in a sparkling new color print.

"Festival of Animation," Dec. 16-23 (call for show times). Seventeen

new titles from Canadian animators.

"Wuthering Heights" (USA — 1939), 7:30 p.m. Dec. 16-17. Laurence Olivier and Merle Oberon play the lovers of Emily Bronte's great Gothic romance.

**REDFORD THEATRE**, 17360 Lasher, Detroit. Call 537-2560 for information. (\$2)

"David Copperfield" (USA — 1935), 8 p.m. Dec. 15-16. Freddie Bartholomew plays the title character of Dickens's classic novel. With Lewis Stone, Arthur Treacher and W.C. Fields. Directed by George Cukor.

**TELE-ARTS**, 1540 Woodward, Detroit, 963-8690. (\$3.50, students-seniors \$2.50).

Davis-Bogart — "The Petrified Forest" (USA — 1936) and "Marked Woman" (USA — 1937), Dec. 13-17 (call for show times). Continuing a tribute to classic films. In the first, Bogle plays killer Duke Mantee, holding hostages in an Arizona diner. Davis is the wide-eyed waitress who longs to visit France, Leslie Howard the drifter-intellectual. "Marked Woman," meanwhile, stars Bogart as a crusading D.A. trying to get call-girl-Davis to testify against her gangster boss.

— John Monaghan

## VIDEO VIEWING

By Dan Greenberg special writer

The video cassette market continues to boom and, since almost anything sells, almost everything is produced. The seemingly insatiable video market generates capital for some pretty strange stuff.

You'll probably think I made this up as a joke to prove my point but I didn't. Next month's release schedule includes "Ferocious Female Freedom Fighters" and "Rabid Grannies." Those two are Troma releases and some of you may know what that means. It's a certain kind of joke that some enjoy.

What is unfathomable, however, is why a producer takes the trouble to gather a fairly talented cast in a production of more than modest proportions and give them a jumbled script devoid of any basic excitement. To compound the sin, they bill it as a "suspenseful crime thriller."

Whatever the reason, HBO Video has done just that in "The Helst" (1989, color, 97 minutes). When it hits the racks at your favorite video store next week, move on down the aisle unless insomnia is your problem. There's no suspense here and no thrills, only the crime of producing "The Helst" in the first place.

AFTER FOUR years in prison Neil Skinner (Pierce Brosnan — "Remington Steele") returns seeking vengeance against his ex-partner, Ebet Berens (Tom Skerritt — "Steel Magnolias," "Top Gun"). Berens framed Skinner and took over everything, the race track, the money, and the girl, Shiela (Wendy Hughes).

It took three minds to construct this poor story with "Teleplay by..." credit given to William Irish, Jr., David Fuller and Rick Watkins. Weak direction by Stuart Orme.

There's some pretty slick scenery, some fancy cars, race track footage

and, of course, we know Skinner's the good guy because all the likable old race track characters are his buddies and agree to help him get Berens who, of course, only has nasty heavies on his side.

Actually, those two clowns (Ben Middleman and Nino Sardo) are pretty funny in their "Mutt and Jeff" routines. The humor is probably accidental given "The Helst's" track record (pun intended).

It boggles the mind to contemplate, for example, how four years after Skinner's conviction, the emeralds used to frame him are still hidden in one of a matched set of green Jaguars Berens owns.

THIS IS particularly confusing

since a very sharp detective (Tom Atkins) is on top of the whole matter and wants to make sure Skinner doesn't cause trouble on the road to revenge.

Sure enough, Skinner pulls it off, as if there was any doubt. He manages to rob the race track, frame Berens and get away with the girl. Of course, Skinner's scam was so simple that it was confusing, but Berens was so stupid that he deserved to get caught in what has to be one of the least exciting conclusions ever filmed for a "suspenseful crime thriller."

I won't spoil the ending by giving it away — there's nothing to tell except that "The Helst" is a rip-off, if you're expecting to be entertained.

## Grading the movies

A+	Top marks - sure to please
A	Close behind - excellent
A-	Still in running for top honors
B+	Pretty good stuff, not perfect
B	Good
B-	Good but notable deficiencies
C+	Just a cut above average
C	Mediocre
C-	Not so hot and slipping fast
D+	The very best of the poor stuff
D	Poor
D-	It doesn't get much worse
F	Truly awful
Z	Reserved for the colossally bad
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# STREET BEATS



Performing with Doughboys are John Kastner (from left), Jon Cummins, Paul Newman and John Bondhead.

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- **TYPHOID MARY**  
Typhoid Mary will perform on Monday, Dec. 11, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.
- **EVAN JOHN**  
Evan John and the H-Bombs will perform on Monday, Dec. 11, at Rick's American Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-2747.
- **DOUGHBOYS**  
Doughboys will perform on Tuesday, Dec. 12, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.
- **BARRY MANILOW**  
Barry Manilow will make an in-store appearance at Harmony House in Oakland Mall, 14 Mile and I-75, Troy, at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 12, in advance of performances at the Fox Theatre Tuesday-Wednesday, Dec. 12-13.
- **TED WHITE**  
Ted White will perform on Tuesday, Dec. 12, at Rick's American Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-2747.
- **IODINE RAINCOATS**  
Iodine Raincoats will perform on Wednesday, Dec. 13, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.
- **MOYA**  
MOYA will perform along with Chill on Wednesday, Dec. 13, at Club Heidelberg, 215 N. Main, Ann Arbor. For more information, call 663-7758.
- **J.D. LAMB**  
J.D. Lamb will perform on Wednesday, Dec. 13, at Rick's American Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-2747.
- **R.H. FACTOR**  
R.H. Factor will perform along with Dave Edward Wednesday through Saturday, Dec. 13-16, at Jagers Nightclub, 3461 Elizabeth Lake Road, Waterford. For more information, call 681-1700.
- **JUICE**  
Juice will perform on Thursday, Dec. 14, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.
- **TOM CHAPIN**  
Tom Chapin will perform along with Matt Watroba on Thursday, Dec. 14, at Sully's, 4758 Greenfield, Dearborn. For more information, call 846-5377.
- **TRINIDAD TRIPOLI**  
Trinidad Tripoli Steel Drum Band will perform Thursday and Friday, Dec. 14-15, at Rick's American Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-2747.
- **BIG CHIEF**  
Big Chief will perform along with Anti-Fashion on Friday, Dec. 15, at Rock 'N Bowl, 4120 Woodward Ave., Detroit. For more information call 833-9659.
- **REDC**  
Red C will perform Thursday through Saturday, Dec. 14-16, at the Midtown Cafe, 139 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. For information, call 642-1133.
- **CIVILIANS**  
Civilians will perform on Friday, Dec. 15, at the Hamtramck Pub, 2048 Caniff, off I-75. For more information, call 365-9760.
- **MAP OF THE WORLD**  
Map of the World will perform on Friday, Dec. 15, at Griffs Grill, 49 N. Saginaw St., Pontiac. For more information, call 334-9292.
- **SILENT PARTNERS**  
Silent Partners will perform on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 15-16, at Sully's, 4758 Greenfield, Dearborn. For more information, call 846-5377.
- **IDENTITY**  
Identity will perform on Friday, Dec. 15, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.
- **DIFFERENCE**  
The Difference will perform on Saturday, Dec. 16, at Rick's American Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-2747.
- **HIPPODROME**  
Hippodrome will perform along with Static Alphabet on Saturday, Dec. 16, at Hamtramck Pub, 2048 Caniff, off I-75. For more information, call 365-9760.
- **BLUE FRONT PURSUADERS**  
Blue Front Pursuaders will perform on Saturday, Dec. 16, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.
- **SEDUCE**  
Seduce will perform on Saturday, Dec. 16, at Blondies, 21139 W. Seven Mile, east of Telegraph. For more information, call 535-8108.
- **JUST SAY NO**  
Just Say No will perform with Grievance Committee Saturday, Dec. 16, at Finney's Pub, 3965 Woodward, at Alexandrine, Detroit. For more information, call 831-8070.
- **PAN THE SIRENS**  
Pan the Sirens will perform on Saturday, Dec. 16, at Griffs Grill, 49 N. Saginaw St., Pontiac. For more information, call 334-9292.

## 'Back Home'

### Power pop punk Doughboys on the rise

By Larry O'Connor  
staff writer

John Kastner of the Doughboys doesn't pause. He doesn't apologize. He doesn't cower into the corner.

When asked who was his major musical influence, Kastner replies without hesitation: KISS.

Egad. But before one passes any hasty judgments on this four-man Canadian guitar-driven outfit, please take note. The Doughboys are not KISS.

Much like the '70s monsters of rock, though, the Doughboys are young (ages 22-25), hungry and bubbling over with energy. They don't, however, have a hankering to start wearing makeup.

"We actually met Ace Frehley three weeks ago in New York at a CMJ show," said Kastner, in a telephone interview from San Francisco, Calif. "He was such a... jerk. He's going on about, 'My solo album sold the best.'"

So much for hero worship. Besides the Doughboys have better things to do.

The band is in the midst of what seemingly has been a never-ending tour. The Doughboys performed a grueling 200-date tour of North America, recorded their second LP "Back Home" (Restless Records) and then headed off to Europe.

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— John Kastner  
The Doughboys

are on the continent again in support of "Back Home," an LP recorded in a mere 10 days in Los Angeles. The music is guitar-in-your-face rock'n'roll with no frills. A hint of a pop sound keeps this LP from being written off as strictly hardcore punk.

The Doughboys have always been something of a raw, raucous group since forming in 1986. Kastner performed in a hardcore outfit Asexuals and then met up with John Bondhead and John Cummins who were in a Toronto-based group Circus Lupus. Paul Newman (not the actor) joined this summer as the band's drummer.

In the beginning, the Doughboys didn't bother with the minor detail of playing any live shows. Instead, the group spent 10 months in the studio to record its first album, "Whatever."

Surprisingly, the indie LP sold well in Canada, the U.S. and Europe.

The latter helped bring about a recent tour overseas, which included the band playing several festivals, fawned over by the fickle British music press and in the middle of a riot in France.

"They were gate crashers who didn't have money to get in," Kastner said. "It got progressively worse and all of a sudden there was police in riot gear, windows were smashed and tear gas came into the club."

"It was weird."

**OTHER THAN** that, the trip was a success. The Doughboys had the critics on their side, playing energized shows night after night.

As a result, the Doughboys have been lumped into power pop/punk status that has been known to include the likes of the Clash, the Re-

placements and Stiff Little Fingers along with several newcomers to the arena. Kastner steers clear of such comparisons:

"I don't know what we are anymore," he said. "Especially in Europe where they try to categorize everything. I don't know what to call it: Hippie Gymnastics?"

Perhaps the group's latest album does seem to be something of a musical floor exercise on the power-pop mat. Scores from the judges appear to be mixed.

The LP was recorded on tour. A sense of urgency and rawness is prevalent. Most bands spend six months in the studio. The Doughboys had only 10 days, having the bomb dropped on them in Lawrence, Kan., (appropriately enough at the fictitious site of TV's "The Day After") seven days before they were to enter the studio.

"THERE WAS NO time to lay back and listen to what you've just done and to try and better it," Kastner said. "It was just rush, rush and get out of the studio."

Talk is already centering on the Doughboys' third album, an album which Kastner said they will have more time to write and record.

By then, perhaps the Doughboys can kiss "Back Home" good-bye.

The Doughboys will perform on Tuesday, Dec. 12, at the Blind Pig in Ann Arbor.



Tom Chapin will perform Thursday, Dec. 14, at Sully's in Dearborn.

## COUNTRY

Here are the top 10 singles on WWW.FM:

1. "The Jukebox Played Along," Gene Watson.
2. "It's Just a Matter of Time," Randy Travis.
3. "I've Been Loved by the Best," Don Williams.
4. "An American Family," Oak Ridge Boys.
5. "Two Dozen Roses," Shenandoah.
6. "A Woman in Love," Ronnie Milsap.
7. "The Vows Go Unbroken," Kenny Rogers.
8. "Til Love Comes Again," Reba McEntire.
9. "Yellow Roses," Dolly Parton.
10. "The Race Is On," Sawyer Brown.

## TOP HITS

The best-selling records of the week are:

1. "Blame It on the Rain," Milli Vanilli.
2. "Angelia," Richard Marx.
3. "The Way That You Love Me," Paula Abdul.
4. "Love Shack," B-52's.
5. "When I See You Smile," Bad English.
6. "We Didn't Start the Fire," Billy Joel.
7. "Listen to Your Heart," Roxette.
8. "Polkø," Alice Cooper.
9. "Get on Your Feet," Gloria Estefan.
10. "Back to Life," Soul II Soul.  
(Source: Cashbox magazine)

## REVIEWS

### LAUGHTER — The Mighty Lemon Drops

The Mighty Lemon Drops have always suffered from comparisons to Echo and the Bunnymen and, in all honesty, they've been well-deserved criticisms.

They come along here with their new release "Laughter" (Sire), and have placed the Echo ghost well behind them. They have an extremely solid "Mighty Lemon Drops" record.

Their guitar-based sound has been augmented by backing vocals which are so strong, it sounds almost like a second lead vocal.

The LP starts off with "At Midnight," a jaunty number which rides on the rumbling drums and has a guitar riff suspiciously reminiscent of Blondie's "Heart of Glass."

There follows "My Decision," the single, a foot tapper sing-along that rocks along on a righteous guitar riff.

The pace is changed with the acoustic guitar based "Where Do We Go from Heaven." This melody laden gem has touches of the Church's classic "Under the Milky Way."

Later, they introduce a brass section to color the sound in an attempt to avoid a certain sameness, which can befall the sound of a band with



one central songwriter.

This attempt is not entirely successful as by the end of the album, the excitement level has diminished somewhat, despite their presentation of some marvelously catchy choruses.

The album is certainly not a classic pop album but it is indeed good enough to re-establish the Mighty Lemon Drops with their own identity.

— Cormac Wright

### OUTER DRIVE — Outer Drive

Outer Drive is one of those local groups who you don't hear much about. The four-member band doesn't overdo it on the club circuit, appearing instead to concentrate its efforts on writing some solid songs.

Perhaps more groups should follow suit. What we have here is a rather well-done, if not something of a sleeper of a cassette tape. All eight songs are radio friendly, chock full of simple and enjoyable progressive-pop melodies that never tire (We listened to this tape six consecutive times during one sitting).

The refreshing aspect of this project is that most of these numbers are keyboard dominated yet devoid of the cheery sound one often associates with Top-40 lounge lizards or the Goth dirge of so many of today's "new" music buffs.

First, and foremost in the Outer Drive sound is the vocal work of Jeff Sudakin. Undeniably, there is more than a hint of Peter Gabriel and/or Phil Collins in his voice. But as long as Sudakin doesn't try "Red Rain," hey, we're satisfied.

Especially when Outer Drive lets loose like it does on "And He Did," which infuses jazz and a buzzing rock guitar and explodes for more than eight minutes of pure musical



enjoyment.

The progressive nature isn't limited to the sound of music. Lyrically, Outer Drive shows some bite. Without harping on traditional themes, numbers are geared more to personal politics where dreams and love are the House and Senate.

The only criticism here might be that Outer Drive's new sound isn't really break any new ground. But, judging by this cassette, the band more than stands firm where it's already at.

— Larry O'Connor

### THE FORCE OF NATURE

#### — The Jungle Brothers

In the voluminous thank-you's on this record's inner sleeve, the Jungle Brothers refer to De La Soul as "our parallel and somehow related." The comparison is apt.

Like De La Soul, the Jungle Brothers are a tight, but playful rap trio capable of producing dense and dizzy mixes. But in place of De La Soul's neo-hippy flower power politics, the Jungle Brothers lace their latest record with a more tough minded approach.

"Acknowledge Your History" is a critique of black acceptance of white-written history in the tradition of Boogie Down Productions' "You Must Learn." The song opens with a Brother singing, "My forefather was a king/He wore fat gold chains and fat ruby rings/Nobody believes this to be true/Maybe it's because my eyes ain't blue." It goes on to deride history as "his story."

But while much of "The Force of Nature" contains messages of similar weight, the Jungle Brothers manage to keep the record from becoming didactic. Their sound is too



playful and giddy for that.

At their darkest, the Jungle Brothers can recall the spare, beat-driven rapping of Eric B and Rakim. But at their lightest, the Jungle Brothers actually get away with lyrics like "So if you wanna be a little Dush-Ducker I came here tonight to tear the roof off the Muthafucka."

The quoted lyric is one of several nods to George Clinton's Parliament-Koolhaedlicious Thing, who are well represented in the album's rich library of sampled materials. Other samples range from early disco to South African township jive to hoary rock guitar riffs.

Comparisons to De La Soul are inevitable, but "Doin' Our Own Dang," a duet between the Jungle Brothers and De La Soul, shows that the two groups are each singular enough to co-exist in the same song without blending into one another. The same also is true of their LPs.

— John Lytle

**STREET SEEN**

**Denise Susan Lucas**

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**Don't get pushed around**

Dear Barbara,  
I recently began a new job as a secretary in a small company. The pay is good and the office is close to my home. I think one of the salesmen is making passes at me. He stands close to me and sometimes touches me. I believe he is married, but I'm not sure. I feel confused about the whole situation. I don't believe that I have encouraged him, but I don't want to make one of my bosses angry because I like my job. What might be the best way to handle this?

"Julie"

Dear "Julie,"  
There are more women in the work place everyday and problems of this nature are becoming increasingly apparent. There are two ways to focus on sexual intimidation — one is legal and the other psychological.

In order to fully understand the legal implications, I discussed your

letter with Sue Ellen Eisenberg, a Birmingham attorney, who helped draft the federal guidelines for sexual harassment. She said that legally sexual harassment is defined as unwelcomed sexual conduct. The "unwelcomed" is stressed.

She went on to say that there are two ways in which sexual harassment can be demonstrated. The first is "quid pro quo," or "this for that." The second is in the creating of a demeaning atmosphere. Your situation is undefined.

Her legal advice is for you to confront the situation immediately. When another incident arises say, "You're making me feel uncomfortable. I'd like you to stop." Any delay in action will be construed by your boss as acceptance of his behavior and may be seen that way in a court of law as well.

Other important defenses are to keep a diary, documenting all that

happens and to arrange for a witness, if it is possible. If you follow these strategies and are fired, you will have a good case.

Now that I have given you a legal understanding of your problem, I want to address the situation psychologically. You don't sound very sure of who you are and that is a worry.

You don't state your age, but my guess is that you are young. Possibly, that is the reason that between the lines I hear a neediness of your boss's approval regardless of the cost.

This is a dangerous position for any woman but possibly even more so for a woman in the business world. In your career, you could have many bosses. With an attitude like the one, I fear in you that could mean a career more of being pushed around than one in business.  
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Barbara Schiff

If you have a question or comment for Barbara Schiff, a trained therapist and experienced counselor, send it to Street Sense, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

**FEAR & LOAFING**

**Stronger than dirt**

I'm not famous but I've been around a lot of famous people. Well, not actually around the people themselves but around their dirt.

Let me explain: Last December, I was wandering around Birmingham in my usual last minute Christmas shopping daze when I discovered a great new gift idea — celebrity dirt.

Running out of time, I glanced in a jewelry store window. There, next to the rhinestone flip-flops was a row of glass vials filled with soil scooped from the yards of Hollywood's brightest stars. Each beaker of choice Beverly Hills real estate bore the name of a different actor.

Crossing the movie buffs off my gift list, I began to ponder our culture's weird fascination with celebrities. After all, famous people aren't so different from us mere mortals. Except that everything they own becomes hopelessly valuable. That's why Clark Gable's suspenders are worth more than Rhode Island. And that's why Liz Taylor's turf cost me 20 bucks a gram.

There are two basic differences between a genuine historical artifact like the Hope Diamond and what I call a modern icon, like Mick Jagger's lipsling.

Number one, the icons of today have no beauty or innate value in themselves. Their mystique relies entirely on their owner's notoriety. For instance, while visiting Memphis

I waited in line two hours to see, not priceless gems, but an ordinary plastic comb used by Elvis.

It's one thing to be mesmerized by an art treasure like the Crown Jewels. It's altogether different to come unglued over nail clippers.

NUMBER TWO, since modern icons have no distinguishing characteristics, they are ripe for counterfeiting. If Graceland's janitor swapped his toothbrush for Presley's, unsuspecting visitors would still kneel down and blubber all over the glass just like before.

But don't despair. This interchangeability makes these items even better for holiday gift giving. Like faux pearls, faux relics can be bought for a fraction of the real thing. Plus, knowing your Wonder Woman tiara is only a replica gives you the security to take it out of the safe deposit box and wear it at parties.

By now you're probably thinking if a sample of earth from a movie star's yard makes such an impact, how much more exciting it would be to give a bottle of dirt from inside their house.

Fortunately, business has kept pace with a host of ultrapersonal Tinsel Town souvenirs. Imagine the thrill when your wife unwraps a jar of dust balls from under Bruce Willis' bed. Imagine grandma's delight when she opens tin of Wilfred Brim-

ley's whiskers.

With big profits to be made dozens of scouts are sneaking around Bel Air, scouring sinks and sifting through wastebaskets. Posing as maids, some have even slipped into the stars' closets to scrape the nerds off their sweaters. Now you can actually transplant these celebrity fuzzies onto your own cheap cardigan for the ultimate fashion statement.

FOR THE MOST part, the good natured stars have put up with this free cleaning service, but one entrepreneur bent the law a bit too far. Police busted him for possession of two vacuum cleaner bags with intent to sell. The cops figure once he cut the celebrity dirt with play sand, the street value would've been a quarter million or more.

In less than a year, the cottage industry that started with dirt has expanded into cast-offs of all kinds. Movie studios are selling used paper cups from the backlot cafeteria. The owner of a Malibu gas station sold a necklace made from Ali McGraw's sparkplugs and retired.

Experts in the field predict the next hot collectible will be celebrity table scraps. Already, bus boys at the Beverly Hilton are driving Porsches paid for by food speculators. Insiders claim a slab of spare-ribs picked clean by Roseanne Barr is a safer investment than anything Wall Street can offer.



Karl Nilsson

The only drawback to giving star-studded leftovers as gifts is the potential for jealousy between family members. This Christmas, to prevent squabbling over who gets Michael Jackson's surgical mask, I'm giving everybody lumber. Think about it, Plywood is practical, easy to wrap and never goes out of style. Anyway, if they don't seem suitably impressed, I'll tell them it's celebrity lumber used by Bob Villa on "This Old House."



**Games people play**

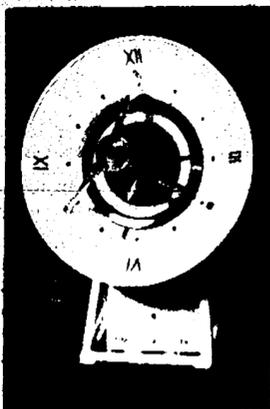
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Irene Bruza (seated) and Sharon Reed show off the main chapel. Its decor is the work of Reed.

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**Quartet plays 'Marryin' Sam'**

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"We've designed the chapel so that it is very practical, yet every wedding doesn't have to look the same," said Reed, whose excitement level over her latest business venture rises by the minute. "I really do love what we're doing here. After all, all of our customers are happy."

The chapel's decor is the work of Reed. The partners agree she has excellent taste and a knack for doing things inexpensively.

Many of the chapel's furnishings were found in second-hand stores. The chandelier, the only overhead lighting in the chapel, came from a friend's basement. The original brass finished was covered with white paint and the crystals polished to a tee.

THE WALLS ARE painted a pale blue-gray, with soft pastel striped wallpaper accenting upholstered chairs done in floral and striped chintzes. The white pews are decorated with delicate white flowers and ribbons.

Mirrored windows, arched and framed with white woodwork, add to the setting, as does the white piano.

The bride's dressing room has a kidney-shaped dressing table with a mirrored top and pastel chintz skirting. The opposite wall is completely mirrored, allowing the bride to see herself from head to toe before entering the chapel.

During its first month, the chapel has played host to five weddings and one vow renewal ceremony.

Several more have been booked for next year.

"We're moving faster than we anticipated," Reed said.

One of the things that has come as a surprise is the number of clients opting for the full package — complete photographic services, arrangements for the reception, limousine service and even tuxedo rental.

"We do it all or just what you want us to do," Reed said.

The Little Wedding Chapel is in the Orchard Twelve Plaza, 2775 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. Office hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday or call 489-1144 for an appointment.



Shari Johnson, a former sales account executive for Marketplace magazine, is an ordained minister.

# STREET CRACKS

# Perfect fit

## Norm Stulz blends comedy and family life



Norm Stulz has the best of both worlds — performing in the best comedy clubs and having a family life.

By Loraine McClish  
staff writer

Michigan born and bred, Norm Stulz says being a professional comedian is the best of two worlds.

"I can really write my own life," said the father of three teenagers. "If I was going to have to miss the birthday party or the Halloween play, it didn't matter if I was two miles away or in Los Angeles — or if I was working as a pharmacist or on stage."

"Now, as a full time comedian, I have turned down shows to talk to the kids' drama class and I have been able to book shows at times and places to dovetail into our family life."

His folks live in Traverse City now, so six months ago Stulz booked himself a stint in Traverse City Comedy Club over the Thanksgiving holiday weekend. A sister in Farmington Hills, a sister in Plymouth, a sister in Traverse City and his own family from Holly all were able to celebrate the holiday together and he didn't have to take the weekend off.

"Many, many times my work in Florida has been planned around the kids' vacations, so they can enjoy the beach," said Stulz, who comes to Chaplin's West for five days of humorous storytelling Tuesday through Saturday, Dec. 12-16. Showtime is 8:30 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, and 8 and 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

"He won in the contest sponsored by Johnny Walker last year and he's been moving through the ranks at a pretty fast pace ever since," said Bob Hargus of Chaplin's West.

"I take you out of your world and bring you into mine, so of course, there is a lot about my family and my teenagers in the material," he said. "There are no one liners and no put downs."

"I have a one hour show — standard is 45 minutes — and the mate-

rial doesn't change so much as it just keeps growing. The material is proven and the show consistently gets a good response."

Stulz' penchant for comedy started when he was in the second grade in Lodge Elementary School in Detroit.

That was when he wrote his first comedy skit and that was when "I fell in love with the laughter."

"My first skit was a success," he said.

In the fifth grade he adopted Dickens' "Christmas Carol" into a comedy and the faculty liked it so much, it was incorporated into the school's holiday program that season.

"I was never the class clown — the class clown interrupts the class," he said. "I was the class comedian. I embellished whatever it was with laughter, and I was always liked by the teachers."

His love for entertaining, comedy, music, playing the guitar, never stopped.

tion from Redford High School, he married his childhood sweetheart.

IT WAS AT that time, Stulz entered Wayne State University's College of Pharmacy, a profession he has never entirely given up.

"I still have a good working relationship with Perry Drugs," he said. "I can call them up any time any where I am and ask if they need me. More often than not they say yes. It sure is a heck of a lot better than sitting in a hotel for three or four days not doing a thing."

"Or if I wanted to stay home altogether for a while I can go to work for Perry's — I told you I had it all, didn't I?"

During the transition period from full-time pharmacist to full-time comedian, there was "a lot of moonlighting and a lot of 15-minute shows for \$20," he said.

Now he is booked solid into July 1990 and consistently plays the A clubs — Dangerfield's in New York, A Comedy Store in Los Angeles, Punchline in New Orleans and Chaplain's in Detroit.

## COMEDY CLUBS

Here are some listings of comedy clubs in our area. To let us know who is appearing at your club, send the information to: *Comedy Listings, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.*

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Tim Butterfield, Tim Lilly and Downtown Tony Brown will perform Friday and Saturday, Dec. 15-16, at Bea's Comedy Kitchen, 541 Larned, Detroit. Show times are 8:30 and 11 p.m. For information, call 961-2581.

**CHAPLAIN'S EAST**  
T.C. Hatter will perform along with Tim Pryor and Jim Villanucci Wednesday through Saturday, Dec. 13-16, at Chaplain's East, 34244 Groesbeck, Fraser. Show times are 8:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday and 8:30 and 10:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday. For information, call 792-1902.

**CHAPLAIN'S WEST**  
Norm Stulz will perform with Randy O'Brien Tuesday through Saturday, Dec. 12-16, at Chaplain's West, 16890 Telegraph, south of Six Mile, Detroit. For information, call 533-8866.

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Carl Strong will perform with Steve Iott and Stavey Duford at Chaplain's Plymouth in the Plym-

outh Radisson, 14707 Northville Road, Plymouth. For information, call 454-4680.

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Jeff Nease will perform Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 13-14 and Jerry Elliott Friday and Saturday, Dec. 15-16, at Mainstreet Comedy Showcase, 314 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Show times are 8:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, 8:30 and 11 p.m. Friday and 7, 9 and 11 p.m. Saturday. For information, call 996-9080.

**JOEY'S LIVONIA**  
Gary Hardwick along with Ruben Ruden and Danny Gray will perform Wednesday through Saturday, Dec. 13-16, at Joey's Comedy Club, 36071 Plymouth, east of Levan, Livonia. Show times are 9 p.m. Thursday and Friday and 8:30 and 10:30 p.m. Saturday. For reservations, call 261-0555.

**HOLLY HOTEL**  
Shella Kaye will perform with Jeff Heffron and Harry Artin Thursday through Saturday, Dec. 14-16, at Holly Hotel, 110 Battle Alley, Holly. Show times are 8:30 p.m. Thursday and 8:30 and 10:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday. For information, call 634-1891.

**JOEY'S ALLEN PARK**

Tim Allen will appear Wednesday through Saturday, Dec. 13-16, at Joey's Allen Park, Southfield Road. Show times are 8:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday and 8 and 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday. For information, call 382-7041.

**MISS KITTY'S**  
Van Gunther and Dan Dillon will perform Thursday-Saturday, Dec.

14-16, at Miss Kitty's Comedy Club, Long Branch Restaurant, 595 N. Lapeer Road, Oxford. Show times are 8 p.m. Thursday, 8 and 10:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday. For information, call 628-6500.

**LOONEY BIN**

Kirk Noland with special guests Ken Brown and Karl Anthony will perform Thursday-Saturday, Dec. 14-16, at the Wolverine and Looney Bin Restaurant and Comedy Club, 1655 Glangary, Walled Lake. Show times are 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday and 8 and 10:15 p.m. Saturdays.

For more information, call 669-9374.

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# Exploring Bhutan: Costly, worthwhile



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A cash poor country, Bhutan is self-sufficient in producing plenty of food for its population, and everyone has a place to live. Unlike some neighboring countries, tipping isn't permitted and street begging is forbidden.

"The walls of the hotels are hand done and the outside of the houses are intricately painted," she said. "Everything has religious meaning and symbolism."

The name Bhutan is actually a Tibetan word meaning end of Tibet. The Bhutanese name for their country is Druk-yul, Land of the Thunder Dragon.

The beautiful terrain, ranging from subtropical to high mountain peaks is a major attraction, along with its rhinoceros, blue sheep tigers and yaks, Thompson said.

"With the food and the treatment, the people make you so welcome. The villagers come out and sing, kids will give you an apple," Thompson said. "They love to be photographed."

Stepping back into another time isn't for everyone, admits Thompson, who will lead her second group to Bhutan next September.

While there are some nice hotels in Bhutan, she said guests shouldn't expect plumbing to be up to western standards.

Most Bhutan trekkers are in their late 30s to 50s, they are fit, and are "pretty experienced travelers," she said. They have a higher income because the trip is expensive, about \$200 a day. They also are used to backpacking and camping.

**FITNESS IS** important for treks in Bhutan. Members of Thompson's first group hiked 15 miles per day in high altitudes going up steep mountain slopes.

"This was a grade C trek which is next to the most difficult," she said. "You could also go on A or B treks which have limited hiking. If you aren't an experienced trekker, they will drive you to see some cultural sites."

The trekkers are well taken care of during their journey, Thompson said, noting that the nine people in her group were tended to by 6 people including a guide, cooks and helpers.



Dancers, wearing traditional costumes dating to the 16th century, perform as part of a Buddhist festival in Bhutan.



Ann Arbor resident Fay Thompson shows off a scarf and wall hanging she brought back from a trek she led to the small Himalayan country of Bhutan.

GUY WARREN/staff photographer

## Treks can put dent in wallet

Treks to Bhutan or Nepal aren't cheap, but in most cases, the cost covers everything except liquor, laundry, tips and possibly a few meals in the base city.

Ann Arbor resident Fay Thompson is putting together a group for a trek to Bhutan next year, working through Bhutan Travel in New York.

"For three weeks in Bhutan, it will cost about \$5,000," she said. "That will be for all your food and everything. You meet the main guide at the airport and then you will have camp cooks, organizers and helpers."

Journeys International of Ann Arbor is an adventure travel service, according to operating director Kathy O'Neal.

"We offer natural history and cultural oriented tours," she said. "We offer non-conventional travel. That's to say we don't handle cruises or European bus tours."

The firm publishes a list of departure dates for various trips so that travelers may join up, O'Neal said. Trips to Nepal may have a limit of 12 people, while other trips might be set up for two or five people, she said.

"WE MIGHT HAVE a whole family schedule a trip," O'Neal said. "We have custom arrangements for other trips. We are tour operators, not just contractors."

Journeys International started out offering trips to Nepal about 14 years ago and has offered treks to Ladakh for the past nine years.

The costs for Journeys International adventure trips run from about \$60 per day to \$130 per day, depending on the location.

"We have a new Japan trip which has strong cross cultural emphasis," she said, adding that other trips are offered to India, Thailand, Africa, Latin American and the most recent additions, Alaska and Hawaii.

Trips can be arranged for special interest groups, such as medical practitioners who might visit local medical facilities, O'Neal said.

And pretty much everything is included on these types of trips, except laundry, liquor, taxes or possibly a few meals in base cities, which allow some dining flexibility.

"The lead time for trips varies; some we book seven or eight months in advance," O'Neal said. "Some we can do in a week, but that can be hard on us and the client."

"THERE ARE ALSO different visa or medical requirements depending on the country."

Journeys International provides a list for clothing and equipment needs, a lot based on first hand knowledge about the trips.

"We can also provide some personal experience about the extensive immunizations that may be needed," O'Neal said, adding that recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control are also utilized.

For more information on trips to Bhutan, call Thompson at 662-4232. Information about other trips can be obtained by calling Journeys International at (800) 255-8735.

# San Antonio goes all out for a 'Feliz Navidad'

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narias, which echoes a 16th century Spanish tradition of lighting the Holy Family's way to Bethlehem. Thousands of candles, each set in a white paper bag, glow along both sides of the Paseo del Rio. They will remain through the season.

Yesterday (Dec. 10), the Holy Family followed the lighted way in a ritual called Las Posadas. Children dressed as Joseph and Mary carry a clay figure of the Infant Jesus along the riverside path.

THOUSANDS OF local and out-of-town celebrants follow behind with lighted candles in their hands. The mariachi singers strum their guitars and fill the night with music.

Los Posadas ends at La Villita, the restored old city where San Antonions eat, play and are festive year-round. The plaza is full of pinata parties — children swing their sticks at gaily decorated papier mache figures filled with candies.

Meantime, back at El Mercado, the Spanish-flavored city market, Pancho Claus entertains the children, who wait all week for the Blessing of the Pets. You will never

have enough film to photograph that scene — a convent sister leading two silver-grey Weimaraner dogs, a housewife with a parrot perched on her arm, children carrying puppies, cats, and other pets. Each waits pa-

tiently in line for their animals to be blessed by the church.

These are a few of the community-sponsored events, on a calendar complete with shopping and browsing at the Merry Mart Bazaar and

the annual Christmas Pilgrimage at the San Antonio Garden Center.

But it doesn't end there. Private homes glow with traditional southern decorations. Arts and crafts are sold from River Walk booths. The

Madrigal Singers raise their voices at the university. A candlelit Christmas service, Die Deutsche Weihnachtsfeier, is held entirely in German.

Bear Claus presides, in a glow of twinkling yuletide lights, at the children's section of the San Antonio Zoo.

THERE IS HOLIDAY dancing, food and drink at the Institute of Texan Cultures, a spectacle of holiday blooms at the botanical gardens, Christmas programs at Sea World.

Ask around and you may find families who still celebrate Acostado del Nino, the laying of the child in the local church. In the old days, grandmother would light candles from stubs saved from the previous year, and the children would carry the candles to the "laying of the child," when the major religious service of the year begins "at cock's crow."

During an old-fashioned Christmas, the children moved the Wise Men, day by day to their place beside the manger, everything timed to arrive on the first weekend in January, when Los Pastores begins.

Los Pastores, the shepherds, is a medieval miracle play brought to the missions more than 400 years

ago so that the missionaries could teach the Christmas story to the Indians. It is given public expression Jan. 6 at dusk on the grounds of the historic San Jose Mission.

San Antonions really know how to throw a party. For example, thousands gather downtown beside the river for free entertainment and a giant midnight fireworks display on New Year's Eve.

The city is spectacular during the yuletide season, but it is a traveler's delight most of the year. From your river taxi you can watch, and later join, the people who crowd the shops, restaurants and clubs that line the River Walk.

IT IS ONLY A few steps from the river to the Alamo. You can visit the five Spanish missions established by Franciscan monks during the 17th century. Go to San Jose Mission for the regular Sunday mariachi mass and join the informal music strummed behind the mission after the service.

For information, call your travel agent or the San Antonio Convention and Visitors Bureau, P.O. Box 1277, San Antonio, Texas 78209, or call toll-free (800) 44-SEE-SA.



The Paseo del Rio in San Antonio is well lit for the Fiesta de Las Luminarias each December.

Micky Jones

# Creative Living



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## exhibitions

### ● BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP LIBRARY

Tuesday, Dec. 12 — Photo exhibit featuring activities and events in nine Oakland County Parks, sponsored by Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission continues through Jan. 2. Open during regular library hours, Lone Pine at Telegraph, Bloomfield Township.

### ● DETROIT REPERTORY THEATRE

Tuesday, Dec. 12 — Paintings by Linda Mendelson are on display through December. Reception for the artist 7-9 p.m. Tuesday. Open during the run of the show, "Blood Relations," 8:30 p.m. Thursday-Saturday and 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, 13103 Woodrow Wilson, Detroit.

### ● BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART ASSOCIATION

Thursday, Dec. 14 — Christmas Pottery Sale includes the work of 30 student potters and instructor Jan Sadowski. Once a student, always a student — many of these potters are at a professional level. Hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday and Friday, until 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, 14 Mile and Cranbrook, Birmingham.

### ● LAWRENCE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

"Architecture in Perspective IV," award winning architectural delineations from North America, continues through Dec. 21, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the architectural gallery, 21000 W. 10 Mile, Southfield.

### ● CANTOR/LEMBERG GALLERY

Seven new large scale screen-prints by Frank Stella are featured during December. These incorporate lithographic and linoleum block prints, hand-coloring, marbling and collage. They were started in 1985 and completed this fall. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 538 N. Woodward, Birmingham.

### ● BELIAN ART CENTER

Objets d'art as well as art and ready to wear jewelry are on display to Jan. 14. Hours are noon to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 5980 Rochester Road, Troy.

### ● RUBINER GALLERY

Holiday show features works by Burkert, Shaler, Summers, Thayer, Jerzy and Milton. Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 7001 Orchard Lake, West Bloomfield.

### ● WILLIS GALLERY

"Face the '90s," an exhibit of ultra media work continues through Dec. 16. The artists, from California, New York and Michigan, represent a diverse approach toward post-modern sculpture. Hours are 2-6 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 422 Willis, Detroit.

### ● TOUCH OF LIGHT

Handblown glass by John Fitzpatrick continues through Dec. 23 and includes plates, vases, paperweights, lamps et al. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, until 9 p.m. Thursday, and 4 p.m. Saturday, 23426 Woodward, Ferndale.

### ● DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS

"Furniture by Wendell Castle" continues through Feb. 4. The DIA is originating this spectacular show which will travel to five museums in the United States. Open free of charge 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday, 5200 Woodward, Detroit.

### ● COUNTY GALLERIA

The Surface Designers of Michigan, 21 in all, have an exhibit of dimensional art through Jan. 12. Open to the public. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, Executive Office Building, 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac.

### ● DONALD MORRIS GALLERY

Paintings by Clement Meadmore are on display through January. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 105 Townsend, Birmingham.

### ● HOMESTEAD GALLERY

Holiday show featured works by more than 100 artists, 136 S. Pontiac Trail, Walled Lake.

### ● ARTSPACE

Art by early 20th century American artists such as Soyer, Sloan, Gropper, Goodnough, Benton, Wood and Rosen are on display. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 674 N. Woodward, Birmingham.

### ● PIERCE STREET GALLERY

"Post-Object Series by Bill Rauhauser" is on display through January. He teaches photography at Center for Creative Studies and is known for refining everyday things to their purist form. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 217 Pierce, Birmingham.

### ● SUSANNE HILBERRY GALLERY

Sculpture by Richard Rezac is on display through January. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 555 S. Woodward, Birmingham.

### ● FEIGENSON/PRESTON GALLERY

New work by more than a dozen artists affiliated with the gallery are on display through Jan. 6. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 786 N. Woodward, Birmingham.

### ● YANOVER CREATIVE LIAISON

Small works exhibit features engraving, painting, photography and sculpture by some outstanding area artists. Continues through December. Hours are noon to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 30927 Schoolcraft, Livonia.

### ● HABATAT GALLERIES

Works by two outstanding glass artists, David Jokinen and Ginny Ruffner are on display through December. She's one of the most innovative to be found anywhere. The gallery is at 32255 Northwestern, Farmington Hills.

### ● SUMMIT PLACE MALL

Arts and craft sale by Pontiac Oakland Society of Artists continues through Dec. 24. Open during regular mall hours, South Mall, Elizabeth Lake Road entrance, Telegraph and Elizabeth Lake, Pontiac.

### ● FOUR WINDS GALLERY

"Dimensions in Silver," jewelry by Sam Lovato of Santo Domingo pueblo is in the gallery through December, 340 E. Maple, Birmingham.

### ● GALLERY BIRMINGHAM

"The Fusion of Art and Rock 'n Roll," an exhibit of portraits by Ron Wood continues through Dec. 15. The legends of rock 'n roll are his subjects. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday, until 8 p.m. Thursday, 223 S. Woodward, Birmingham.

### ● ALICE SIMSAR GALLERY

"Fiber On & Off The Wall," features works by Gerhardt Knodel, head of Cranbrook Academy of Art fiber department and six other artists. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 301 N. Main, Ann Arbor.

### ● DOS MANOS

Nativity displays of 12 Latin American countries are on display to Jan. 6. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Tuesday, until 9 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday through Dec. 24, 210 W. Sixth, Royal Oak.

### ● XOCHIPILLI GALLERY

"Functionalisms" from Propeller Studio, a group of Detroit artists who are doing some highly unusual work are on display through December. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 568 N. Woodward, Birmingham.

### ● LINDA HAYMAN GALLERY

Works of art by Neil Loeb are on display through Dec. 15. Hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday, until 9 p.m. Thursday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 32500 Northwestern, The Courtyard, Farmington Hills.

### ● ROBERT KIDD GALLERY

Clay sculptures by Thomas Lollar are really his impressions of modern architecture and new paintings by Bob Nugent refer to Brazilian travels along the Amazon. Continues through Jan. 13. Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 107 Townsend, Birmingham.

### ● LINBURG/BROSE STUDIO

Duo retrospective by these two outstanding sculptors continues through Dec. 15. They are being forced to vacate and what started as a sale has become a choice exhibition. Open daily by appointment, 965-1335, 1437 Randolph, Detroit.

## Slenczynska benefit to aid quake victims

Concert pianist Ruth Slenczynska will perform works by Frederic Chopin in a benefit concert for the earthquake victims in California. The concert will be presented at 8 p.m. Wednesday in Pease Auditorium at Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti.

Tickets are \$10 (\$5 for seniors and students). They can be obtained by calling Quirk Theater box office at 487-1221.

Dr. Slenczynska is the first American woman pianist to celebrate 50 years of professional concertizing. She gave her first concert at age 4 in California; she made her debut in Berlin at age 5, and her Paris debut at age 7. Following her New York debut in Town Hall at the age of 8, Olin Downes of the New York Times praised her as the "greatest child

prodigy of the 20th century and the greatest keyboard genius since Mozart."

She has been called the "greatest among women pianists today" by the London Times. Slenczynska has performed more than 3,000 recitals and has appeared with most of the world's great orchestras. She studied with Egon Petri, Arthur Schnabel, Alfred Cortot and Sergel Ramaninoff.

Slenczynska was awarded the Polish Golden Cross of merit and is a fellow in the International Academy of Arts and Letters at Geneva, Switzerland. Her dramatic life story has been featured on many television programs, including the "Today Show," and "20/20."

She has also been featured in na-

tional magazines such as Reader's Digest, McCall's, and Life. Her discography includes a dozen records for Decca Gold Label and three for Musical Heritage Society. She has written two books, "Forbidden Children" (Doubleday) and "Music at Your Fingertips," (DeCapo Press.) Her articles appear regularly in Clavier, Piano Quarterly, and Music Journal. She is also a monthly columnist for Keyboard magazine and is currently artist-in-residence at Southern Illinois University (Edwardsville campus).

The concert at Pease Auditorium is being sponsored by Eastern Michigan University, the Steinway Society of Michigan, Hammell Music, Inc. and Littlefield Presbyterian Church, Dearborn.



Dr. Ruth Slenczynska in benefit concert

## Sometimes disregard thorn among roses

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Perhaps you have a critical nature. While this aptitude, (called Inductive Reasoning) is a talent for certain things, you must learn to



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Dorothy Lehmkuhl

control your negativity and be careful not to always find the thorn amid the roses.

Build up your own self-confidence before you shop. Tell yourself that this time will be different, think positive and then follow through. Use catalogs and discuss possibilities with friends or relatives. Stay attuned to others' complaints about what they don't have, write down the idea immediately, and use it when needed.

Keep lists of thoughtful gifts you have received, and then purchase similar items for others. Sometimes

you must tune in to the tastes of the recipient and ignore your own likes and dislikes. Even though he may think it's great, the wife of a fisherman may not appreciate a rod and reel.

If practical, take your recipient along shopping. Although the surprise element is lost, you might both feel better in the end. Don't be too hung up on price, thinking you must spend a certain amount. Set a maximum and then shop all the price ranges below. One woman took her little grandchildren shopping, deciding ahead of time to spend up to \$35 on whatever each child wanted. The boy chose a \$17 item and the girl a \$3 toy. Although she offered them more, the children were delighted and completely satisfied with their gifts.

Gifts of edibles are almost always welcome. Fruit baskets, cheeses, jams and jellies, nuts, etc. make

great gifts. Don't forget tickets to plays, amusement parks or sporting events or gift certificates for dinners or merchandise. Some larger stores offer gift catalogs within certain price ranges. No prices are listed in the catalogs and the recipients merely make their selections at their leisure. Baby-sitting, doing chores or driving a person where they could not go alone might also be welcome.

Don't attach too much importance to your gift selections. With the infinite choices available, it's almost impossible to please everyone. Make the best decision you can and get on with your life. It really is the thought that counts.

Dorothy Lehmkuhl is owner of Organizing Techniques in Birmingham. She does In-House Seminars, speaking and consulting on all aspects of time management and organizing.

## Artist Gloub at Cranbrook

New York artist Leon Gloub will talk about his work at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the deSalle Auditorium of Cranbrook Art Museum. This lecture is in conjunction with the Cranbrook exhibition, "Leon Gloub: The Aesthetics of Power," which is on view at the museum through Jan. 7.

Dealing with issues of aesthetics, politics and the media, this exhibition of six large-scale canvases reveals Gloub at his most provocative.

The artist lives in New York city and holds the John C. Van Dyck Professor of Visual Art position at Rutgers University. He has shown extensively in both the U.S. and Europe. He is represented in major museum collections, including MOMA, the Hirshhorn, the Art Institute of Chicago, the L. A. County Museum as well as collections in Australia and Canada.

The lecture is free with museum admission. Adults, \$2.50; students and senior citizens, \$1.50. For more information, call 645-3323.

## Musicales to give Christmas concert

Birmingham Musicales will present its annual Christmas Concert at 1 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 14 at Holy Name Church, 645 Woodland, Birmingham. The public is cordially invited to attend the program and the tea after.

The Birmingham Musicales Choral Ensemble under the direction of Mary Pardee, accompanied by Eleanor Whelan, piano, will open the program with a procession, "The Wexford Carol."

The program will include Christmas music by Emma Lou Diemer, Eugene Butler, Randall Thompson, Jean Britton, and others.

John F. Callaghan, organist and minister of music at Holy Name Church since 1957, will perform.

Callaghan, born in Oswego, N.Y., received both bachelor's and master's degrees in organ from Grouse College of Fine Arts at Syracuse University. He came to Detroit in 1942 and he has taught at Marygrove College and earned the associate degree of the American Guild of Organists.

Nadine Deleury, cellist, accompanied by Fontaine Laing, piano, will perform three movements from the "Sonata No. 2" by Bohuslav Martinu. Deleury, was born in France, studied

at the Paris Conservatory and the Yale School of Music. She is presently principal cellist with the Michigan Opera Theatre orchestra, a member of the Tuesday, Royal Oak and Birmingham Musicales.

Laing has performed as soloist with Pontiac Oakland and Oakway symphonies and was harpsichord soloist with the Troy Symphony recently.

She recently toured in Germany, and performed in Toyota, Japan, Detroit's sister city. Patricia Mills is chairman of the day.

## 'Nutcracker' set

The Plymouth Symphony and the Ann Arbor Ballet Theater will team up next weekend to present the "Nutcracker Ballet," at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday in Plymouth-Salem High School auditorium, 46181 Joy Road, Canton.

Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students.

Symphony conductor is Russell Reed. Ballet director is Gail Eiter. For more information, call 451-2112.

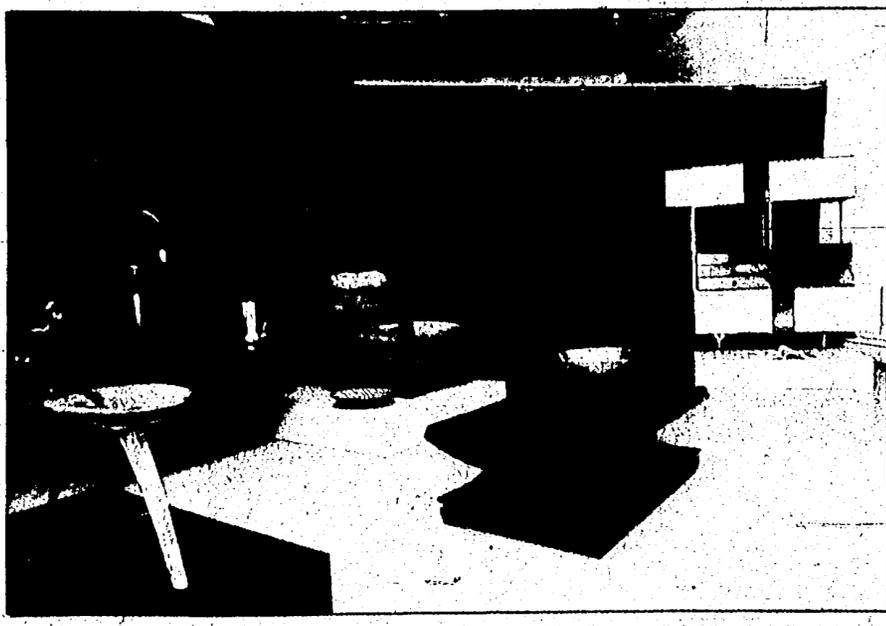
## Woodwinds in noon concert

Noontime concerts in the atrium of Civic Center Library in Livonia continue Thursday with the Opus V Woodwind Quintet playing seasonal music and other favorites.

Featured are Lois Swanson, clarinet; Marilyn Van Giesen, flute; Pat VanDommelen, oboe; Janice

Rasmussen, bassoon; and Isabel Metry, French horn.

There is no charge for the concert that runs 12:15-1 p.m. Coffee will be available. Brown-bag lunches are welcome. Co-sponsors of the concert series is the Livonia Arts Commission. The library is at 32777 Five Mile Road.



## Artpack offering

Pictured at the Wetman Collection holiday show "Objects d'Art" are: a Noguchi chair (left), a Sarahn chair, a Charles Crowley silver pitcher, an Ernest Race chair, a Beth Forer dish platter, a Gilbert Rhode chair, a pair of C. Logan Scottish chairs, a Charles Eames storage unit for Herman Miller, a Thomas Hucker coffee table with a Ronald Kent wood-turned bowl. The show runs through Dec. 23 at Artpack Services in Farmington. For additional information and gallery hours, call 478-8946.

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 • Smoke detectors  
 FROM \$435  
 1-75 and 14 Mile  
 across from Oakland Mall  
 685-4010

**NORTHVILLE**  
**HEAT INCLUDED**  
 ASK ABOUT OUR HOLIDAY SPECIAL  
 Natural beauty surrounds these apartments with view of the woods. Take the foot bridge across the rolling brook to the open park area or just enjoy the tranquility of the adjacent woods. EHO.  
 1 Bedroom \$485  
 2 Bedroom \$525  
 Open Daily 10am-6pm  
 Sat. 10-5 Sun. 12-5  
 Located on Novl Rd. Just N. of 8 Mile  
 BENECKE & KRUE  
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**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**NORTHVILLE GREEN**  
 On Randolph at 8 Mile, 1/4 mile W. of Sheldon Rd. Walk to downtown Northville. Spacious 1 bedroom with balcony porch overlooking running brook.  
 Rent \$490  
 Security deposit, \$200  
 Includes carpet, plush carpeting, appliances.  
 349-7743

Northville  
**TREE TOP LOFTS**  
 ASK ABOUT OUR HOLIDAY SPECIAL  
 These newer 1 bedroom apartments are located in the cozy village of Northville on Novl Rd. Just N. of 8 Mile. It has a scenic, natural setting, complete with stream & park. No pets. EHO. \$485/month on 1 year lease  
 Open Daily 10am-6pm  
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Novl  
**TREE TOP MEADOWS**  
 ASK ABOUT OUR HOLIDAY SPECIAL  
 Quiet, convenient living comes with these newer luxury apartments in desirable Novl. Features include:  
 • Open rooms & balcony  
 • Deluxe kitchens  
 • Air conditioning  
 • Covered parking  
 • Walking distance to shopping, restaurants & Houses of Worship  
 • Easy access to 3 expressways  
 • Hot water  
 These units are freshly painted, clean as a whistle and offer old fashioned "good value" at these prices. EHO.  
 1 Bedroom \$525  
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 Open Daily 10-6  
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**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**LIVONIA**  
**Canterbury Park**  
 Livonia's newest apartment complex featuring large deluxe 2 bedroom - 2 bath units. Includes balcony or patio, vertical blinds, carpeting, washer & dryer in each unit, air, deluxe appliances, pool, tennis courts, community room.  
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**MERRIMAN WOODS**  
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 Large 1 & 2 bedroom deluxe units  
 From \$560 per month  
 (Ask about our special limited time offer)  
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 • Pool  
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**Apartments 1 & 2 Bedrooms**  
 From \$487  
**AVAILABLE NOW!**  
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**PLYMOUTH APARTMENT/CONDO**  
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**NORTHVILLE AREA**  
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**ACROSS**

- Church bench
- Pastime
- Sound of music
- Mature
- Uncanny
- River island
- Tough, silver-white metal
- Také for granted
- The Colton
- Tantalum symbol
- Spnd forth
- Young boy
- Parcel of land
- Ecnormium
- Latin conjunction
- Vast age
- Equality

**DOWN**

- Moccasin
- The egg
- Spider's trap
- Trade for money
- Temporary peevishness
- Alternative
- Brother of Odin
- Found guilty
- Malos
- Loyal
- Sea eagle
- Nuisance
- Sun god
- Mental image
- Cloak
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- Bo in debt
- Young shrub
- Wheel track
- Fondle
- Strike
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- Prohibit
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- Hanging down
- Chaldean city
- Donates
- Aroma
- Hawaiian
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- Mountains of Europe
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- Freddy Kruger's street
- Pension fund: abbr.
- Handicraft: fault
- Airline info.
- Three-toed sloth

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

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# Building Scene

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Fireplaces and facades come in a variety of styles from the very simple to the fancy. This model, a pre-fab fireplace surrounded by masonry, is on display at Atlas Veneers & Fireplaces in Troy. The price — about \$3,600 installed.

## Masonry or pre-fab, fireplaces standard feature in new homes

By Doug Funke  
staff writer

Fire once served as the primary cooking, heating and lighting source in caves of prehistoric times.

The harnessing of electricity and natural gas, plus the evolution of appliances like furnaces and ranges have considerably lessened our dependence on fire. Yet, the fascination continues.

Fireplaces, even those which don't necessarily have energy-efficient features, apparently have become standard equipment in new houses and condominiums in metro Detroit.

"In all six of our projects going on now and two starting the first of the year, I believe every single home at every single level — from \$150,000 to \$400,000 — every home has a fireplace," said Ellen Whitefield, director of sales and marketing for The Selective Group of Farmington Hills.

Deen Hyde, marketing director for Pulte Homes of Michigan in Royal Oak, told a similar story.

"WE HAVE a fireplace as a standard feature in all of our houses and condos and in several plans we have a second fireplace in the master bedroom as an option," Hyde said. "It's just something our customers totally expect."

Kathy Reid, marketing director for the Holtzman & Silverman Cos. of Farmington Hills, sang the same basic tune.

"In condominium communities, a fireplace is standard. People have come to expect it," she said. Upwards of 90 percent of buyers at the builder's Ford Lake Heights in Ypsilanti have selected a fireplace as an option, Reid said.

Rob Matlyow, manager of Atlas Veneers & Fireplaces in Troy, leaves no doubt about their popularity.

"EVERYBODY who builds today puts a fireplace in," he said. Warmth or use as a secondary heating source isn't the major reason people crave fireplaces nowadays.

At best, the most energy efficient fireplaces, provide a light heat supplement, said Steven Brown, vice president of Federal Fireplace & Barbecue of Southfield.

"Most customers could care less about efficiency," he said. "They care about aesthetics. It's the focal point of the room."

"People in the modern age don't have fires for heat. Most will only use it six times a year. People have fires for aesthetics, coziness and romance," Brown said. "Newer houses are so efficient as it is, newer efficiencies you might get from a fireplace aren't worth the effort," he said.

Knowing that, builders generally don't bother with things like blowers as standard equipment, Brown added.

THE TREND is toward pre-fabricated rather than masonry fireplaces. The metal chamber of a pre-fab fireplace doesn't need a foundation. A brick fireplace does.

Installation of a pre-fab is less expensive than masonry by about 50 percent, Brown said.

"Pre-fabs are getting cheaper and masons are getting more expensive," he said.

A pre-fab, engineered for precision fit, is more efficient by its very nature.

Fireplace options like a damper control, an outside air source, blowers, and glass doors — which

don't necessarily cost an arm and a leg — can save energy dollars, Matlyow said.

He pegged the total cost of an energy-saving package at about \$600.

But many buyers believe that features like air ducts, blowers and doors detract from appearance, Brown said.

AND BECAUSE the fireplace is one of the last items people building their own homes deal with and they're usually over budget by then, that's where they scrimp, Matlyow said.

Pulte installs pre-fab fireplaces manufactured by Heatllator and Majestic in its developments. Holtzman and Silverman uses brands made by Superior.

The Selective Group puts in pre-fab fireplaces manufactured by Superior but also some masonry fireplaces. The pre-fabs are more likely to be found in condos, masonries in pricier detached houses, Whitefield said.

Design factors considered by architects for the masonry layouts include basic floor plan, window placement and possible furniture layout, she said.

MORE CONSUMERS are starting to use gas rather than wood as a fuel in their fireplaces, retailers say, although wood still has the edge.

Gas not only burns cleaner, but it's

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Pulte Homes

easier to deal with than wood and it's cheaper. Fuel in a gas fireplace generally costs about 23 cents per hour, Brown said. Wood costs two or three times as much.

There's also a concern that burning wood could be limited by federal clean air laws in the future, he added.

Pre-fab fireplaces also allow more decorative options for the facade than brick.

Brown said he's seen all kinds of wild designs on modern fireplace facades including mirrors and neon lights. "The sky's the limit," he said.

But traditional styles seem to be the norm for most people.

That means marble and a wood mantle for a formal living room or a great room and some other kind of stone or veneer for a rec room.

## Manufactured home sales rise

By Doug Funke  
staff writer

Shipment of manufactured homes to Michigan continues to increase, according to industry figures, and that suits Steven Adler just fine.

Adler, 39, of West Bloomfield, is director of operations for Uniprop, a Birmingham real estate equity investment firm, and a member of the Michigan Mobile Home Commission.

"What the industry has become is affordable housing," Adler said. "Ninety-five percent of all (manufactured) homes sold in the country are under \$40,000."

People who buy manufactured housing — units which are produced in factories then assembled at building sites — pay monthly rent on the land in residential parks where their houses are set up.

Some 7,900 manufactured homes were shipped to Michigan through September compared to 7,600 for the same nine-month period last year, reported the Manufactured Housing Institute.

Shipments in state totaled 10,334 in 1988, 9,915 in 1987. Mobile homes are classified as manufactured housing.

AS A BUSINESSMAN, Adler is interested in profits. As an appointed member to a state monitoring commission, he's concerned about construction standards and management of manufactured housing communities.

Both roles serve a similar end, Adler said. "We recognize the customer, people who live in our communities, makes our business go," he said. Uniprop manages 40 residential communities in 12 states containing some 15,000 units. Only one, Old Dutch Farms in Novi, is in suburban Detroit.



Steven Adler promotes manufactured houses

The manufactured housing industry has come a long way, and buyers, especially in Michigan, are looking at that option, Adler said.

Economics is a big reason.

Manufactured homes can be built for about \$20 per square foot, Adler said, compared to \$75-100 for custom-built, on-site construction.

PROPERTY TAXES, except for a \$3 monthly fee, aren't assessed on manufactured housing in residential parks designed for such housing.

And because the cost of a lot isn't factored into the downpayment — remember, most buyers of manufactured housing rent their land — the downpayment and closing costs aren't as high as for site-built buyers.

Monthly rents at Old Dutch Farms range from \$250 to \$260 per month, Adler said.

Quality construction and conditions in residential parks also are on the upswing, Adler said.

"Homes built now are built to building code," he said. "They're built to conventional design. The evolutionary process from trailer to manufactured home sometimes gets obscured."

"COMMUNITIES originally were placed on dirt roads," Adler continued. They weren't very elaborate. There were no amenities.

"Our streets are all paved with curbs and gutters, recreation facilities, all underground utilities, landscaped with playgrounds," he said. "The quality of community we put these homes in have all changed."

Adler was appointed to the Mobile Home Commission in 1988 to represent operators of manufactured housing communities with 100 or more sites. He replaced Paul Zlotoff, Uniprop's chief executive officer.

"We look at licensing of dealerships . . . regulation of the mobile home Act as it affects residents," Adler said.

"What I see the commission doing is serving as a sounding board for the consumer/resident-operator relationship. We're looking after that industry. If the consumer isn't happy with the industry, it won't grow and flourish," he said.

THE COMMISSION also monitors construction standards and reviews site plans.

The gap between site-built homes and manufactured housing is narrowing.

In 1977, 41,940 site-built homes were constructed throughout the state and 8,066 manufactured homes were shipped here, according to the Michigan Manufactured Housing Association.

Corresponding figures for 1987 were 25,205 site-built houses, 9,915 manufactured homes.

## Joint venture would blend approaches

By Doug Funke  
staff writer

Uniprop of Birmingham and The Selective Group, a Farmington Hills developer/builder of residential housing, are talking about a joint venture constructing new houses priced at less than \$100,000 in the Detroit area.

Steven Adler, operations director at Uniprop, said he believes that a joint venture between developers of manufactured housing, like his company, and on-site construction, like The Selective Group, would be a first for metro Detroit.

Both sides were mum about

specifics. No formal agreement has been reached, and no plans have been finalized, he said.

Talks apparently have been under way for a couple of months; an announcement on a specific project is expected in January.

Uniprop also has talked with three other developers/builders, including Nosan/Cohen Associates of West Bloomfield, about the possibility of a joint venture, Adler said.

Those builders are still in the picture, he added.

"It's not done until it's done in this business," Adler said.

ADLER ENVISIONS an all-manufactured housing communi-

ty — houses built in a factory then assembled at building sites — of at least a couple of hundred units.

Unlike traditional manufactured housing communities, people who buy into the joint venture project would own the land as well as their house, Adler said.

Several builders have cited a need for affordable new housing for a young generation of buyers.

"We really believe that starter housing affordability is going to be a crisis in the 1990s," said Michael Horowitz, president of The Selective Group. "What we're doing is looking at ways to address the issue."

UNIPROP, founded in 1971, buys existing manufactured housing communities rather than develop from scratch.

The Selective Group, founded in 1983, builds houses and condominiums priced from \$170,000-400,000.

Obtaining the right piece of property is the key to a successful joint venture, said Terry Nosan, a vice president for Nosan/Cohen.

Nosan identified that kind of parcel as "a property in a city or township that has some commitment to affordable housing, that's zoned for multiple or high-density, single-family usage."

## Proceed cautiously with 'site' condos

Our family attorney has told us that there is something new called a site condominium that allows us to build single-family detached units without having to get approval from various governmental agencies and otherwise complying with the Subdivision Control Act.

Site condominiums are the hot thing. The Attorney General has, in essence, sanctioned their continued use and development. But the attorney general's opinion is not akin to a court decision. This matter may well be brought to a test in the near future. Various municipalities are in the process of adopting site condominium ordinances that, in some cases, place tight limitations on the type of condominium development that can be developed.

You should obviously attempt to comply with all incidents of the condominium statute in developing your condominium, notwithstanding the fact that some of the attributes of the project may make it appear as if it is a typical subdivision. You should also try to get a legal opinion as to the propriety of the site condominium before you start, and try to ascertain whether there will be any problems with the municipality in question.

I recently discovered that the control timer and shut-off valves for the sprinkler system were in the basement of my condominium.

condo queries  
**Robert M. Meisner**

um and connected to my electricity. The owner of the complex and the condominium association refuse to remove it or pay me for the electricity. Could you advise me of my rights?

Check the master deed and disclosure statement to see if there was any disclosure concerning the location of the valves and timer. Also check the subdivision plan to see if the utility plan has any reference to the sprinkler system and shut-off valves in your unit. Assuming there is not representation that such valves or connection would be in your unit, I believe you have recourse against the association or the developer for the damages sustained by you.

Robert M. Meisner is a Birmingham attorney specializing in condominiums, real estate and corporate law. You are invited to submit topics for this column by writing Robert M. Meisner, 30200 Telegraph Road, Suite 467, Birmingham 48010. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.

## Kammerman involved in hair salon project

When Kennice Hoffman and Bashar Kallabat set about realizing their dream hair salon in Farmington Hills, they drew on the design expertise of Rachel Kamerman of R. Kamerman Design of Southfield to actualize their concept.

Kammerman's participation in the project was inadvertently left out of last week's story on Salon Kennice Bashar.

Kammerman, a Michigan native who has worked for the international design firm, American Designers in New York City and locally for Peterhansra of Birmingham and John Greenberg and Associates in Berkley, cites her specialty in retail and hospitality decor for the shop.

"The overall ambience is quite dramatic, but it's the small details that make it complete,"

Kammerman said. Directing Guiding craftsman in the installation of faux marble and other finishes, Kamerman also guided the selections for wall drapery and paint color and textures to produce both the classical and the ultra-modern displayed in the shop.

A sticker for detail, Kamerman donned old clothes to sponge paint bathroom walls with paint mixed by her and Hoffman. The pair also hunted antique sales for the right decorating touches including a mirror sporting a castle in its frame.

Yet to come are frosted glass and black metal entry doors and custom metal signs with matte brass, oxidized metals and matte relief lettering. Such touches are part of Kamerman's "completed look" she chooses for her jobs.

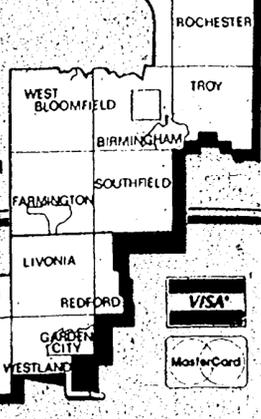
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SECRETARY - FULL TIME for a Livonia office. General office duties, minimum 50 wpm, 40 hr per week. For appointment call 425-9233

SECRETARY Full time - temporary, 45 wpm - word processing. Call 425-6228 EDT Temporary Service

SECRETARY Full time entry level position available. Southfield location. Excellent typing skills are required. Short-term helpful. Must be able to work independently. Excellent opportunity for the right individual. Salary to commensurate with experience. Send resume including salary requirements to: P.O. Box 5091, Southfield, MI 48086

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SECRETARY - National investment company headquartered in Ann Arbor is seeking an individual with strong administrative and secretarial skills to assist the CEO. Qualified candidates must take a shorthand, have good word processing skills, be able to set priorities, organize tasks, work independently, communicate effectively, and have the flexibility in working hours. The office hours are 8am-5pm. If you are interested in a challenging position, send your resume to: Personnel Director, MCKINLEY ASSOCIATES, Sec'y, P.O. Box 8649, Ann Arbor, MI 48107-8649

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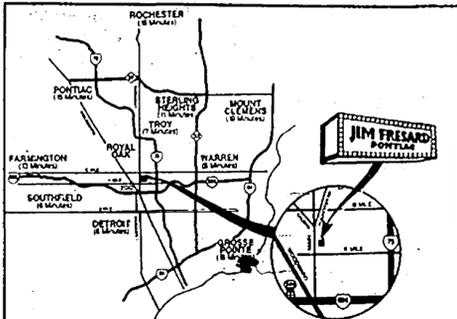
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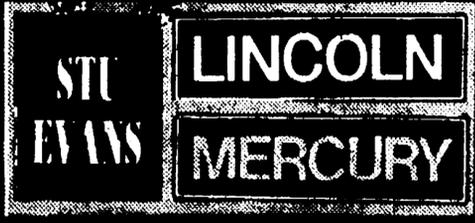
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