

Voters tell schools to read their lips

By SHARON CONDRON
Staff Writer

Northville voters sent a resounding message: No new taxes.

By more than a 3-1 margin they rejected the 25.41-mill request — combining a 2.78-mill increase with a 22.63-mill renewal — which the Northville School District sought in Tuesday's special election.

The silence in the board of education room Tuesday night was deafening.

"No way, folks," was all Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski had to say after hearing the first three of six pre-

cincts report heavy opposition to the district's request for 25.41 mills.

Of the total 4,889 votes cast, the vast majority — 3,793, or 77.6 percent — opposed it. Yes votes totaled 1,096, or 22.4 percent. Turnout was 24 percent of the 20,940 registered voters in the Northville School District.

"Clearly it's a disappointment," Rezmierski told the audience of teachers, principals, and school board officials who had gathered in the board room to hear the results. The defeat came on the heels of an 11-year winning streak of successful millage campaigns for the district.

"I think it reflects an anger with government or an issue against raising taxes," he said. "Maybe it's because

the city had to raise taxes or a misunderstanding of what the state is going to support in education. It's a variety of things and people are upset."

In all six precincts voters gave the issue a thumbs down by wide margins. Precinct five, comprised largely of township residents, was the first to report in with 338 no votes and 97 yes votes. Moraine voters in the sixth precinct added momentum to the snowball with their 813-222 no vote. The other precincts followed suit: Silver Springs, 407-163; Amerman, 655-281; Winchester, 907-287; and city hall, 424-153.

"It was a big surprise," Rezmierski said. "Throughout the entire 47 millage campaign meetings, not once did I

hear anyone say they were opposed to it."

School Board President Jean Hansen echoed Rezmierski's thoughts about the outcome of the election, but admitted heavy voter turnout had her concerned earlier in the day.

"I'm surprised by the percentages," she said after seeing the results. "People really believe we can provide the same quality of programs without an increase. We can't."

But Citizens for a Better Northville, the activist group which opposed the request, says different.

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Clogged line forces sewage spill into creek

By MIKE TYREE
Staff Writer

A clogged sewer line overflowed and allowed an undetermined amount of raw sewage to escape into the Johnson Drain near Fish Hatchery Park in Northville last week.

Raw sewage escaped from a manhole cover Friday and poured directly into the stretch of the Johnson Drain that parallels Fish Hatchery Park.

Sewage flowed into the drain for as long as 24 hours before Wayne County workers cleared and restored the sewer line.

The overflow was discovered the afternoon of April 24, and county

workers unplugged the line and stopped the spillage the following afternoon, said Charles Truskolaski, department manager of sewer maintenance for the county Division of Public Works.

Truskolaski blamed the spill on a clogged, aged, 18-inch sewer line that connects Western Wayne Correctional Facility and Maybury State Park.

The line was blocked with debris, most of it likely originating from the Five Mile Road Western Wayne prison, Truskolaski said.

"There was a lot of stuff from the

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Northville's Finest

Sunday afternoon saw Northville Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4012 host its annual banquet honoring police officers and firefighters of the year from Northville township and city and from the local Michigan State Police Post. Dignitaries gathered to salute the honorees in the ninth annual ceremony. From left are Commander Bob Baber of the VFW Post 4012, Trooper Mark Tinney of the Michigan State Police

Northville Post, Assistant Chief William Zhmendak of the Northville Township Fire Department, Officer Larry Demeter of the Northville Township Police Department, Officer Glenn Stewart of the City of Northville Police Department, Lt. Thomas Westfall of the City of Northville Fire Department, and VFW Ladies Auxiliary President Betty Burkacki.

Gravel pit plans up for discussion at township hall

By MIKE TYREE
Staff Writer

Northville Township's official responses to Holloway Sand & Gravel Co.'s gravel mining and asphalt plant applications are due this evening.

The township board will meet tonight (April 30) to review planning commission recommendations on separate applications for sand and gravel mining and asphalt plant operations.

A public hearing is set for 7 p.m. at township hall, 41600 Six Mile, regarding a mining and quarrying special land use permit for a 77-acre parcel on the southwest corner of Ridge and Six Mile roads.

A public hearing on the asphalt plant permit follows at approximately 7:30, and township board study of both plans immediately follows that.

The board will be acting upon the planning commission's recommendation that the board reject Holloway's applications.

Commissioners in March said portions of both applications did not conform with township zoning ordinance standards.

The commission's stance was based on several questions, including noise and dust issues, water quality, post-mining site development and property values.

Options available to the board include siding with its planning commission and rejecting the site plans, approving one or both site plans, and approving one or both site plans with conditions.

The board also could remand the matter back to the planning commission, if it feels further study is needed.

Holloway officials hold out hope — however slight — that the township board will approve its applications with conditions.

If the board approves the applications, Holloway would likely mine sand and gravel from the site for about 10 years, creating a 50-acre lake as the materials are mined.

In addition, Holloway wants to move an asphalt plant it currently operates on nearby landfill property to the Six and Ridge site.

Holloway officials already have hinted that the next battle will be fought in circuit court, if the board rejects their applications.

Planning commission meetings over the past year generally were well-attended by residents opposed to the sand and gravel and asphalt plans. Many of the residents voiced concerns about possible declining property values and unwanted by-products of Holloway's developments, including noise, smell, and increased truck traffic.

Engineer says board was in the dark

Edward J. McNeely, formerly of the engineering firm McNeely & Lincoln Associates, was the architect of an engineering study that eventually evolved into the Western Townships Utilities Authority sewer line plan. McNeely, a former Northville Township engineering consultant, has been an outspoken critic of portions of the WTUA project, and last week discussed the project with Record reporter Mike Tyree.

This is part two of the interview. Topics discussed in Monday's edition included McNeely's thoughts on the routing of the sewer line and his belief that a secrecy clause in his original WTUA contract prevents him from sharing vital information on the \$100-million project.

For more WTUA coverage, see pages 10-A and 11-A.



RECORD: You had mentioned that you were terminated by the Northville Township board in 1987. What is your perception of why that occurred?

McNEELY: In hindsight, I think it's pretty clear why it occurred. At

the time, I had no idea; it was like a shot right out of the blue. I was called into Georgina Goss' office and she said, "We're terminating your services," which the board has every right to do, because you serve at the pleasure of the board.

At the time that we had that meeting, she requested that I wait a month, that we both ponder this for about a month, to come up with the reasons why we were terminated. I didn't see any reason why not, so I said, "okay, I'll go along with you" because we had certain work we had to wind down, a lot of engineering work in progress.

RECORD: She wanted a month to come up with reasons?

McNEELY: Yeah, I asked her

why, and she said, "well, gosh, I don't know, maybe it was your rates, or your prices, or something" and I said, "Everything is agreed to by contract. We've got an agreement with the township, a fee agreement, and we haven't exceeded it. Nobody in the township has raised a question about it."

RECORD: She didn't give you specific reasons?

McNEELY: No specific reasons. No. A month later, I went back to another meeting, and this time Ernie Essad (township attorney, partner in Law, Hemming, Essad & Polaczky) ... had a form ... I signed an agreement saying whatever I had

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Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Weighing in

Northville Township recently instituted a "weighmaster" program of enforcing load limits and other restrictions on large trucks driving through the township. Already the program has seen lots of activity. For a look at how it works, see page 8-A.

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Community Calendar

FRIDAY, MAY 1

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: A non-denominational Bible Study Group, sponsored by the Michigan Fellowship of Christian Athletes, will meet at 6 a.m. at the Northville Crossing Restaurant, located on Northville Road south of Seven Mile. For more information call Clayton Graham at 349-5515.

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED: Church Women United invites women of faith to celebrate May Fellowship Day with a breakfast at 9:15 a.m. \$3 per person at First United Methodist Church of Northville, Eight Mile at Taft. Theme: "Call for a Compassionate Community" with Sr. Elizabeth Harris of Sojourner House in Detroit. Child care provided.

OES: The Orient Chapter, No. 77, Order of the Eastern Star, meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

BRIGHTON BEACH MEMOIRS: The Plymouth Theatre Guild presents Neil Simon's *Brighton Beach Memoirs* at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$7 at the door or \$6 in advance; \$1 discount for playgoers 62 and over and 18 and under. Performance is in Northville at the Water Tower Theatre on the campus of Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital, 41001 Seven Mile. For more information call 349-7110.

SATURDAY, MAY 2

EARTH DAY: Earth Day observances at Maybury State Park include a fun run and walk; a family concert at noon; face painting and Willy the Clown from noon to 2 p.m.; a kite show at 1 p.m. and contest at 1:30; nature walks from 1 to 2 p.m.; and booth displays from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information call Peg Campbell at 936-9538.

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SUNDAY, MAY 3

RAISING KIDS ALONE: This support group for single parents meets at 11 a.m. in room 10 of the First United Methodist Church of Northville. Public welcome. The facilitator is Carol Haveranek, MALLP, educator and psychologist.

SINGLE PLACE BRUNCH: Single Place will meet at 12:30 p.m. for brunch at Northville Crossing, Northville Road south of Seven Mile. The group is organized for the purpose of providing friendship, caring and sharing for all single adults. Everyone is welcome; just come in and ask for Single Place.

MONTESSORI OPEN HOUSE: Northville Montessori Center, 15709 Haggerty, holds an open house today for interested members of the community. For more information call Lynn Gall at 420-0924.

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MONDAY, MAY 4

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING: Family Home Care, in conjunction with Northville Pharmacy, offers free blood-pressure screening the first Monday of each month. Screening from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. today at Northville Pharmacy, 134 E. Main.

SENIOR PINOCHLE: Area seniors are invited to play pinochle today and Thursday from 12:30-4:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, located at 215 W. Cady St. in the Scout Building.

SENIOR BRIDGE GROUP: Area seniors are invited to play bridge today and Wednesday from 12:15-3:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, located at 215 W. Cady St. in the Scout Building.

KIWANIS: Northville Kiwanis meets at 6:30 p.m. at VFW Post 4012, 438 S. Main St.

MOTOR CITY SPEAK EASY TOASTMASTERS CLUB: The Motor City Speak Easy Toastmasters Club of Northville meets from 7 to 9 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church, 777 W. Eight Mile. For more information call Jerry Delancy at 349-8791. Visitors are welcome.

GRIEF RECOVERY CLASS: Ross B. Northrop & Son Funeral Home and Psychotherapy and Counseling Services continue the free class on grieving and recovery from 7-8 p.m. tonight at the funeral home, Northville Road at Seven Mile. Tonight's topic is attorney Alan Ferrara. RSVP at 348-1233; drop-ins welcome.

NORTHVILLE MASONIC ORGANIZATION: Northville Masons meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

NORTHVILLE CITY COUNCIL: Northville City Council meets at 8 p.m. at City Hall, 215 W. Main.

TUESDAY, MAY 5

NYA ADVISORY COUNCIL: The Northville Youth Assistance Advisory Council meets at 8:30 a.m. in Cooke Middle School, Room 2.

AMERMAN PTA: The Amerman Elementary PTA meets at 9:30 a.m. today.

SENIOR VOLLEYBALL: Area seniors are invited to play volleyball and other indoor sports at 9:30 a.m. at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main St. For more information call the center at 349-0203 or Karl Peters at 349-4140.

GARDEN CLUB: The Country Girls Branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association meets at the home of Zo Chisnell. Chisnell and Pat Nixon are hostesses. The board meets at 11:30 a.m.; general membership meeting at 12:30 p.m. Speaker is Diane Dirado of Brickscape, arranged by Katherine Alexander.

NORTHVILLE ROTARY: The Northville Rotary Club meets at noon in the Boll Fellowship Hall at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville. Today's program "Dyslexia: The Hidden Handicap," presented by Ron Weger, board member of the Michigan Dyslexia Institute. Kay Howel, International executive director of the institute, will also be on hand.

KING'S DAUGHTERS AND SONS: The King's Daughters and Sons, Mizpah Circle, meets at noon for a spread and business meeting. The meeting is at the First United Methodist Church, Eight Mile at Taft.

MIDWEST RADIO CONTROL SOCIETY: The Midwest Radio Control Society meets from 7-9 p.m. at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main. A youth program is also available. For more information, stop by a meeting.

VFW: Veterans of Foreign Wars Northville Post 4012 meets at 8 p.m. at the post home, 438 S. Main St.

CITY PLANNERS: The Northville City Planning Commission meets at 8 p.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main St.

EAGLES AUXILIARY: The auxiliary of Fraternal Order of Eagles No. 2504 meets at 8 p.m. at 113 S. Center St.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 6

KIWANIS-EARLY BIRDS: The Kiwanis Club of Northville-Early Birds meets at 7 a.m. at the Northville Senior Citizens Center, 215 W. Cady.

WEIGHT WATCHERS: Weight Watchers meet at 9:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main. Doors open 45 minutes before scheduled meeting time. For more information call 1-800-487-4777.

SENIOR BRIDGE GROUP: Area seniors are invited to play bridge today from 12:15-3:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, located at 215 W. Cady St. in the Scout Building.

CIVIL AIR PATROL: Civil Air Patrol, Mustang Cadet Squadron, meets at 7 p.m. at the Northville VFW Post 4012, located at 438 S. Main St. Everyone over the age of 13 is encouraged to view the activities.

SINGLE PLACE: Single Place meets at 7:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main. Donation \$4. For more information call 349-0911.

NORTH-WEST LIONESSE CLUB: The North-West Lioness Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at the VFW Hall, 438 S. Main St. New members welcome.

CITY BZA: The Board of Zoning Appeals of the City of Northville meets at 8 p.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main.

UP-TICK WOMEN'S INVESTMENT CLUB: The Up-Tick Women's Investment Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Northville Public Schools Administration Building, 501 W. Main St. If interested in attending, call Jeanne Harris, 455-5836.

THURSDAY, MAY 7

TOPS: Take Off Pounds Sensibly for all ages meets at 9 a.m. at the Northville Area Senior Citizens Center, 215 W. Cady. For more information call 420-0569.

NEW LIFE BIBLE STUDY: A neighborhood non-denominational Bible study offers two different classes this year, "Discovering New Life" and "Healing Joy and Hope." Classes run from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Northville on Eight Mile at Taft. Baby-sitting provided. For more information call Sybil at 349-0006 or Pam at 349-8699.

HIGHLAND LAKES WOMEN'S CLUB: The Highland Lakes Women's Club will meet at noon for a salad luncheon. Bring your favorite dish.

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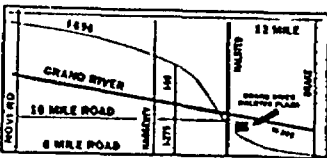
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News Briefs

LOST IN THE MAIL: Owners of the Center Street shop Traditions by Bartley and Boyd are scrambling to cover for up for a mistake by an employee in the Milford Post Office—a mistake they fear will damage a promotion slated this weekend.

To promote a trunk sale of watches, pendants and fobs, Traditions sent out about 1,000 postcards with the wrong postage, acting on information from a postal employee in Milford. The store's co-owner discovered the mistake after attempting to send a second, smaller batch with the lower postage at the Northville Post Office.

Earlier this week Traditions staff were trying to track down the mis-stamped cards, with no luck. "I've dealt with some very frustrating things, but this is one of the best," said co-owner Karen Bartley Slack. They couldn't even find out whether the cards will be returned or sent to customers with 10 cents postage due.

To be on the safe side, the store plans to stock up on dimes for those who did get a card. "Bring your card in and we'll give you a dime," Slack said.

The show runs from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, with a preview from 5 to 8 p.m. Friday. Refreshments and free balloons are planned along with the replica pieces from the 1928 Watch Co.

DOG LICENSES ON SALE: Northville Township dog licenses currently are on sale at township hall. Owners must provide proof of rabies vaccination, and all township dogs must be registered by June 1. Cost of the license is \$5.

BLOOD NEEDED: The American Red Cross is facing another severe shortage of blood and continues to seek blood donors.

The Livonia Donor Center offers an ongoing opportunity to donate. Located at 29691 W. Six Mile (just west of Middlebelt), Suite 100C, in the rear of Bell Creek Office Plaza, the center is open from 2-8 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday; from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday and Friday; and from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. To schedule an appointment at the donor center call 1-800-582-4383.

FOR RENT: Got some office space for rent? The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce wants to hear from you.

The chamber maintains a list of available office space in Northville as a service to anyone interested in renting. The chamber can function as a referral service, connecting landlords with space to potential tenants.

Chamber Executive Director Laurie Marrs said the chamber regularly receives phone calls from people looking for office space in Northville. Anyone with space available should call 349-7640 to get on the list.

FOSTER FAMILIES NEEDED: Wayne Community Living Services is looking for families residing in Wayne County interested in becoming a foster family to a child who has autism and some challenging behaviors.

Wayne Community Living Services will train families, provide support and pay a daily rate. For more information, call Jan Myers, 455-8880, ext. 297.

FESTIVAL PHOTOS WANTED: The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce is seeking photos of the Northville Victorian Festival to compile a scrapbook.

The chamber asks anyone interested to donate copies of any photos they have. Drop them off at the chamber office, 195 S. Main next to the well.

Faults found on tennis courts

By MIKE TYREE
Staff Writer

At first glance, the tennis courts at Northville's Fish Hatchery Park appear to have been victimized by some freak midwestern earthquake.

Cracks circle the net posts and snake across the uneven five-court surface. Paint is peeling in most areas. Some spots are completely devoid of paint.

And the western-most court is in such bad shape that Northville Parks and Recreation officials refused to hang a net there.

One professional estimate places tennis court repairs at \$35,000. That figure is about \$35,000 more than the recreation department has budgeted to fix the problems.

What's worse, officials say the court surface supposedly was repaired in 1989 and 1990. An economy-minded repair plan now threatens to uproot the 400 or so local league and other tennis enthusiasts who use Fish Hatchery Park's courts, officials said.

In the fall of 1989, former recreation Director John Anderson elected to let an Eagle Scout and his friends handle court repair chores at Fish Hatchery. The scout used the project for a merit badge, and was supposed to fill court cracks with an asphalt sealant, according to new parks Director Traci Gottschalk.

The sealant was to set up over the winter, and the recreation department would follow up with a fresh coat of paint in the spring of 1990. But the plan apparently was about as effective as a weak backhand to an opponent's strength.

"In the spring of 1990, when we went out to get things ready, we found out the material didn't hold," Gottschalk said last week. "We had to scrape everything off and re-do it."



Photo by HAL GOULD

Cracks snake across the courts at Fish Hatchery Park.

Anderson rounded up a group of part-time maintenance workers and re-sealed and painted the courts. In the meantime, the courts were out of service until June.

But even the second efforts failed. Gottschalk said court cracks had reappeared "by the fall of 1990 or spring of 1991."

Court deterioration was so pro-

nounced that Anderson pushed the Tennessee-based company that supplied the sealant and paint to take responsibility.

The firm declined, but did offer to send extra paint up north. Gottschalk said.

Gottschalk was asked if the company rejected liability because the sealant and paint were not professionally applied.

"Basically," she replied. Recreation officials attribute some of the tennis court problems to location. The site is a former fish hatchery with a questionable stable under-base, and is in a low-lying area that is bordered by steep hills on the west and north.

Storm run-off rapidly collects at the base of those hills and does not drain quickly, Gottschalk said. Any new resurfacing plans likely must include extensive re-engineering, as well as the replacement of all court posts and a new layer of asphalt, she said.

Two contractors have offered estimates for court repairs; one firm said the task could be completed for \$35,000, the other contractor estimated \$15,000, Gottschalk said.

Regular funds are not available, however, because the Northville Recreation Commission has obligated all available monies to development of the Beck Road park.

A newly formed Friends of Northville Recreation group may be asked to hold fundraisers to help pay for court repairs, Gottschalk said.

With the courts noticeably crumbling, the alternative is not promising.

"We'll keep monitoring the courts weekly, and if I find the cracks are getting bigger, I'll pull the nets," Gottschalk said.

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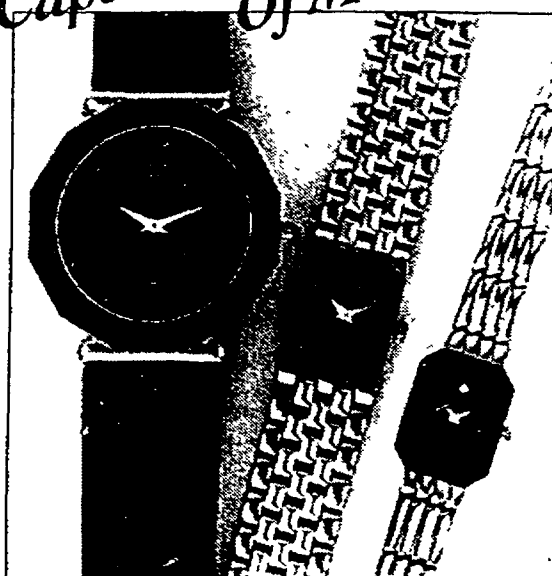
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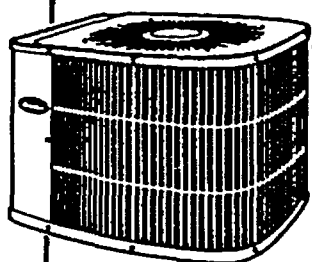
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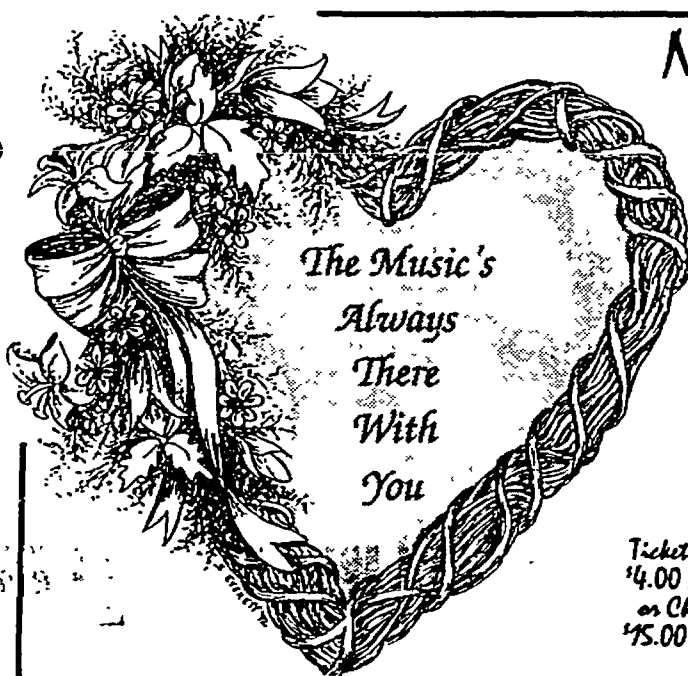
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Cost for the garden plots are \$10 per person and are available for reservation at the Northville Senior Center, 215 W. Cady, Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

SENIOR POWER DAY: The Northville Area Senior Citizens Advisory Council is sponsoring a trip to Senior Power Day in Lansing, free to all seniors.

The day's events include round-trip transportation via the Northville Senior Citizens Bus, pickup from the Northville Parks and Recreation building at 7 a.m. (from your home upon request), box lunch at the Lansing Civic Center (\$2 donation), time to walk through the exhibit area, march to the Capitol building, stops for breakfast and dinner en route to and from Lansing. Date is May 12.

MAYBURY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Volunteers are needed to assist the students of the Northville Early Childhood Center while we plant a variety of items at Maybury State Park.

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Selective ordered to prove claims of proper road, light installation

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The verdict is in on The Selective Group, the Farmington Hills developer that built St. Lawrence Estates.

Selective has been given between three and eight weeks to provide the city with more information on site plan deficiencies at its condominium complex.

The demands were made in an administrative order issued by City Attorney Gary Word April 24.

Word concluded that the testimony and evidence presented at an April 10 show-cause hearing on the construction of St. Lawrence's roads and installation of streetlights "does not conclusively demonstrate compliance with the approved site plans and/or building permits."

That same testimony, according to Word, "demonstrates that the St. Lawrence Estates Homeowners Association may not want the sidewalks indicated on the approved site plans installed," but that "the city has not received requests from Selective for modifications from approved site plans."

Selective must show by June 19 through an engineering study that its roads do comply with the construction detail in the approved site plans.

Selective must also show, by May 15, that the specified number and type of street lights have

been installed, or provide the city with a schedule indicating when and where they will be installed.

By June 2, Selective must provide the city with a schedule for sidewalk installation. If the developer and homeowners association agree not to install the sidewalks, a site plan modification request and homeowners association resolution must be submitted by then.

Failure to comply with the order will subject Selective to a stop-work order, halting all further construction at St. Lawrence until the deficiencies are corrected.

"They're under the gun," Word said. "If they don't (comply), then we still have the option of not issuing occupancy permits until the matter is rectified."

The city's demands follow complaints from some St. Lawrence homeowners, led by Homeowners Association President Jim Steckel, that roads, street lights and sidewalks had not been installed to the city-approved specifications. Individual homeowners had also complained about construction defects in their own units.

The city's options following the show-cause hearing had included issuing the developer a compliance notice, an administrative order, or a stop-work order halting all further construction until the deficiencies are corrected.

Selective's attorney, Dean Gould, argued April 10 that the roads are not necessarily substandard

even if they do not meet the specifications, and that they may have been built to the specifications set forth in the site plans.

Both Selective and city engineers have agreed that more testing of the roads' actual strength is needed. Those tests are scheduled for sometime in May.

Word said the administrative order gives Selective the opportunity to prove its April 10 claims. "I think they have every right to prove that," he said.

Selective President Michael Horowitz defended the company's actions, and lack of action, at the April 10 meeting. He argued that the firm put off installing the sidewalks at the request of the St. Lawrence advisory board, precursor to the homeowners association. He added that the request was reiterated by homeowners association attorney Robert Meisner.

Selective is still prepared to install the sidewalks "at any time," Horowitz said. But Steckel said the association wants to see a plan showing where the sidewalks would be installed before agreeing that they should be built.

Though the city has argued that the streetlights were not installed in the number required by the site plan, Steckel has said that the homeowners association may not want as many as on the site plan, to reduce the homeowners' electrical bills.

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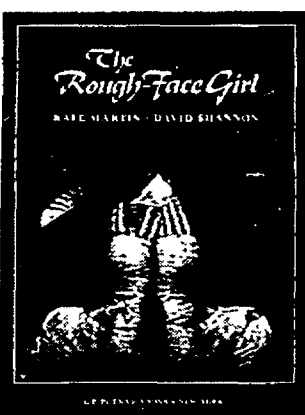
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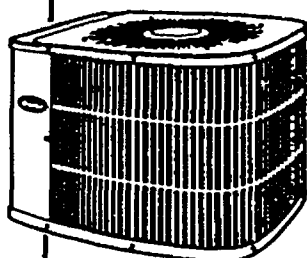
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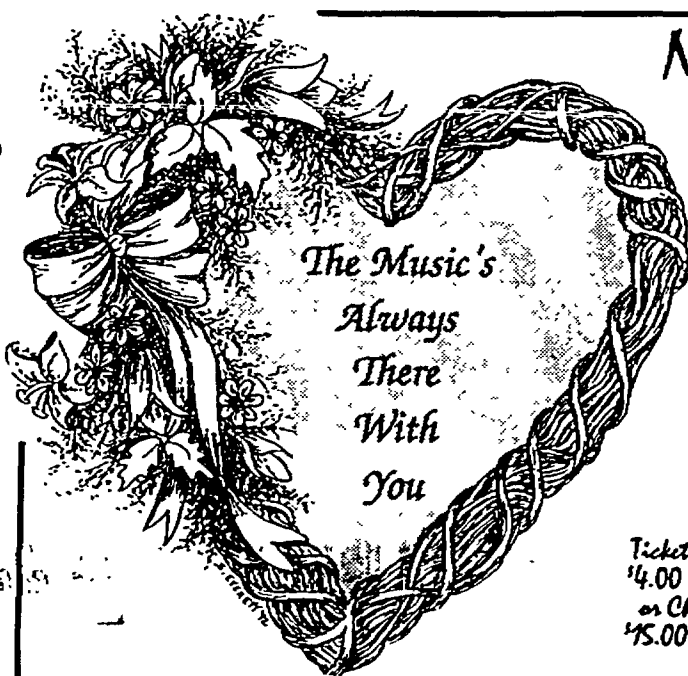
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PHANTOM AT MASONIC: Tickets for *Phantom of the Opera* at the Masonic Temple Theatre will go on sale Friday, May 1. Tickets can be purchased at the Senior Center, 215 W. Cady. A \$55 deposit for main floor and \$45 for balcony seats must be paid to reserve a space to the show. Unreserved tickets will be available at the senior center Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Main floor tickets are \$115 per person and balcony seats are \$95 per person. Ticket prices include transportation, admission to the show, and a Prime Rib Dinner Buffet at the River Place Inn. Departure will be Jan. 6, 1993 at 4 p.m. from Northville Parks and Recreation.

COMMUNITY GARDEN PLOTS: A 20-foot by 65-foot garden plot will be available at the Community Garden Area, west of Sheldon Road, north of Five Mile Road. Cost for the garden plots are \$10 per person and are available for reservation at the Northville Senior Center, 215 W. Cady, Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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MAYBURY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Volunteers are needed to assist the students of the Northville Early Childhood Center while we plant a variety of items at Maybury State Park. Planting will begin at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, May 19 and will last until 11:15 a.m. Lunch and snacks will be served so we will look for volunteers to assist with lunch and snacks.

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For information on any of these trips or activities please call us or stop in to the Northville Area Senior Citizens' Center. Call us at 349-4140, or stop in at 215 W. Cady Street (behind the Northville Post Office.)

Selective ordered to prove claims of proper road, light installation

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

The verdict is in on The Selective Group, the Farmington Hills developer that built St. Lawrence Estates.

Selective has been given between three and eight weeks to provide the city with more information on site plan deficiencies at its condominium complex.

The demands were made in an administrative order issued by City Attorney Gary Word April 24.

Word concluded that the testimony and evidence presented at an April 10 show-cause hearing on the construction of St. Lawrence's roads and installation of streetlights "does not conclusively demonstrate compliance with the approved site plans and/or building permits."

That same testimony, according to Word, "demonstrates that the St. Lawrence Estates Homeowners Association may not want the sidewalks indicated on the approved site plans installed," but that "the city has not received requests from Selective for modifications from approved site plans."

Selective must show by June 19 through an engineering study that its roads do comply with the construction detail in the approved site plans.

Selective must also show, by May 15, that the specified number and type of street lights have

been installed, or provide the city with a schedule indicating when and where they will be installed.

By June 2, Selective must provide the city with a schedule for sidewalk installation. If the developer and homeowners association agree not to install the sidewalks, a site plan modification request and homeowners association resolution must be submitted by then.

Failure to comply with the order will subject Selective to a stop-work order, halting all further construction at St. Lawrence until the deficiencies are corrected.

"They're under the gun," Word said. "If they don't (comply), then we still have the option of not issuing occupancy permits until the matter is rectified."

The city's demands follow complaints from some St. Lawrence homeowners, led by Homeowners Association President Jim Steckel, that roads, street lights and sidewalks had not been installed to the city-approved specifications. Individual homeowners had also complained about construction defects in their own units.

The city's options following the show-cause hearing had included issuing the developer a compliance notice, an administrative order, or a stop-work order halting all further construction until the deficiencies are corrected.

Selective's attorney, Dean Gould, argued April 10 that the roads are not necessarily substandard

even if they do not meet the specifications, and that they may have been built to the specifications set forth in the site plans.

Both Selective and city engineers have agreed that more testing of the roads' actual strength is needed. Those tests are scheduled for sometime in May.

Word said the administrative order gives Selective the opportunity to prove its April 10 claims. "I think they have every right to prove that," he said.

Selective President Michael Horowitz defended the company's actions, and lack of action, at the April 10 meeting. He argued that the firm put off installing the sidewalks at the request of the St. Lawrence advisory board, precursor to the homeowners association. He added that the request was reiterated by homeowners association attorney Robert Meisner.

Selective is still prepared to install the sidewalks "at any time," Horowitz said. But Steckel said the association wants to see a plan showing where the sidewalks would be installed before agreeing that they should be built.

Though the city has argued that the streetlights were not installed in the number required by the site plan, Steckel has said that the homeowners association may not want as many as on the site plan, to reduce the homeowners' electrical bills.

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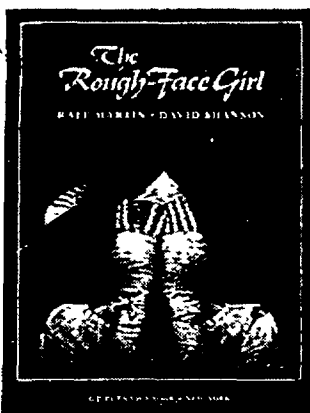
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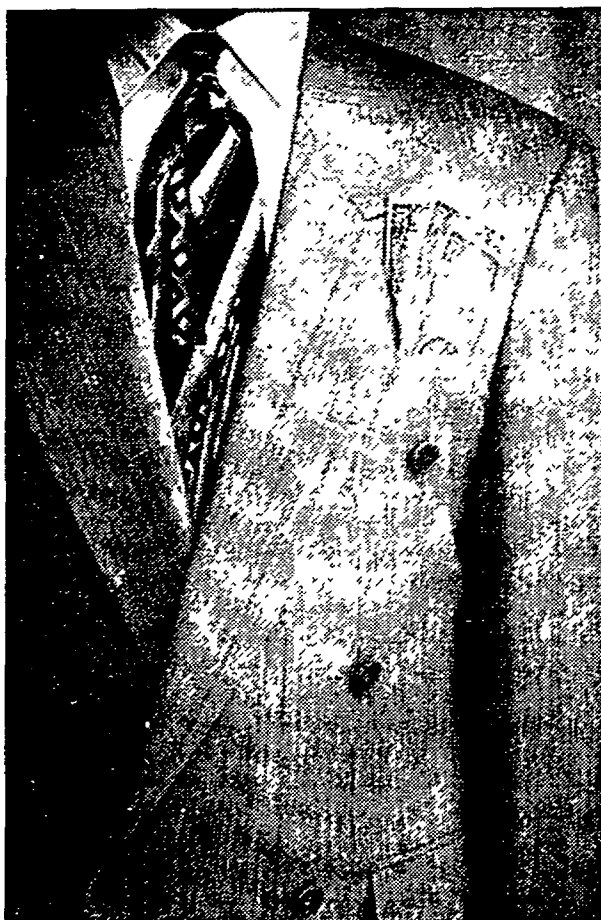
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Three more announce bids for township seats

By MIKE TYREE
Staff Writer

Three more residents have pulled petitions for township board seats, boosting to at least 14 the number of hopefuls for the local 1992 campaign.

The most recent entrants to the political arena have township government experience, including incumbent Trustee James Nowka, former planning commissioner Barbara O'Brien, and current planning commissioner

Russell Fogg.

Others eyeing a position on the seven-member township board include: Incumbent Betty Lennox, Karen Baja, and William Brown, candidates for supervisor; Incumbent Tom Cook and Sue Hillebrand, clerk candidates; incumbent Jack Hosmer, treasurer candidate; and trustee possibilities Richard Allen (incumbent), Gini Britton, Rebecca Connell, James Petrie, and Donald Williams (incumbent).

Brown intends to run as an independent, and Petrie as

a Democrat. The balance of the candidates are scheduled to square off in the Aug. 4 Republican primary.

One supervisor, clerk, and treasurer candidate will emerge from that primary, as well as the four top vote-getters among the trustees. The Republican primary winners then will face declared Democrats or independents in the Nov. 3 general election.

Of the new petition circulators, Nowka has the most township government experience, holding a seat on the township board since the 1970s.

Fogg has served on the township's board of review, and in January was appointed to the planning commission.

O'Brien was ousted from the planning commission earlier this year when her appointment expired and Nowka, Allen, Hosmer and Cook refused to back a reappointment nomination.

Candidates for township elected office must have signed petition sheets into the township clerk's office by 4 p.m. May 12.

Consultant loses sight of building height intent

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

Something got lost in the translation.

Planning consultant Don Wortman's latest revision to the city planning commission's proposed building heights ordinance, based on recommendations by the city council, would have allowed four-story buildings in most of the city's Central Business District with a small area in the middle of the CBD restricted to three

stories.

But the revision was nearly the opposite of the council's actual intent.

Commissioner Mark Cryderman and City Manager Gary Word, both of whom attended the council meeting in question, gently steered Wortman back on track. They reminded him that the council had recommended three stories throughout the CBD, with four stories allowed in an area south of Main Street around Mary Alexander Court.

"I never got the impression that

they wanted four stories north of Main Street," Word said.

Even with the story straightened out, the planners could not agree to a final version of the proposal. Commissioners have been tinkering with the height restrictions since last year. Their first proposal was shot down by the council in September, but council members reviewed it earlier this month, and recommended a three-story limit north of and along Main Street with four stories allowed in areas to the south.

The commissioners had proposed a three-story restriction allowing up to four stories on parcels with more than 12 feet of grade differential within the building footprint. The requirement would have limited such buildings to the sloping land between Main and Cady streets.

The ordinance now allows buildings up to five stories and 60 feet high.

At their latest meeting April 21, the commissioners began despairing of ever settling on a perfect regulation.

"We've been trying for a while to find a flexible way to describe building heights, and there just doesn't seem to be one," said Commissioner David Totten.

But Word praised the commission for the work it had already done and urged members to resolve the issue.

"I don't know if there's a perfect height-restriction ordinance, but you've wrestled with it long and hard, and you've gotten some feedback from the council. . . . Go with it and see how it works," he said.

Wortman recommended a specific zone south of Main where four stories would be permitted. "I think if you say four stories measured from the average grade, it's simple, direct and may do what you want it to do," he suggested.

But he still questioned where the actual boundary of the four-story area should be.

Wortman promised to redraft the proposal yet again, to present it to the commission at an upcoming meeting.

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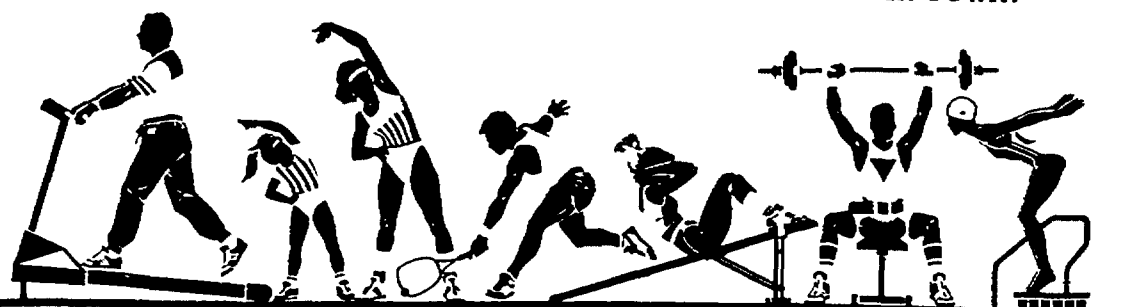
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Arbor Day

True to its tradition, the King's Mill Women's Club again sponsored the planting of a tree on the grounds of the complex on National Arbor Day Friday, April 24. Dozens of residents witnessed the arrival and placement of a Colorado blue spruce near the south entrance to King's Mill. The entire group sang "Trees." Shown above are, back row from left, Kay Hudkins (who presided and offered a prayer), Mack

Hudkins, Don Sobieski, Ruth Sobieski (club president); front row from left, Ed Keegan, Virginia Bosak, Lucy Steeper, Hilma Clifford, and Dolores Robinson (refreshment coordinator). The club derives its funds from various activities held during the year, including a giant flea market scheduled this year for June 6. The group contributes to many causes.

Earth Day party brings food, fun facts and friends to Maybury Park

By SHARON CONDRON
Staff Writer

This Earth Day in Northville, May 2, the Northville Recreation and the University of Michigan Health Center have a list of activities planned to get people out to enjoy local parks and to learn about the environment at a day-long program at Maybury State Park.

The celebration begins Saturday at 10 a.m. with a 10K run and a 2-mile fun walk sponsored by the Northville Parks and Recreation. All entrants will receive prizes and are eligible for drawings. First-, second-, and third-place runners in the men's and women's 10K run will receive awards. For information about entry fees and applications, call the Parks and Recreation department at 349-0203. Registration for either the walk or run is available at 9 a.m. that morning.

At noon, a two-hour kids' program begins with a family concert featuring Mustard's Retreat. This duo enchants and captivates audiences of all ages with their classic tales and musical talent. Face painting will be

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Naturalist Carol Fink will lead family nature walks. Smokey the Bear, Willy the Hobo Clown, and their friends will be on hand all day to entertain kids of all ages.

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Area trucking firms run afoul of township's new weighmaster

By MIKE TYREE
Staff Writer

The word is out to truckers who use Northville Township as a haul route: Be legit or be fined.

Less than a month has passed since the township police department kicked off its weighmaster program. In that time, more than 100 trucks of varying sizes and shapes have run afoul of the new motor carrier enforcement ordinance.

A two-officer weighmaster team has tagged truckers and their parent companies with a variety of violations, including tickets for overweight loads, equipment violations, bald tires, traveling a prohibited truck route, and driving without medical cards and other necessary identification.

It's too early to tell what the weighmaster program will cost truckers, but fines for the first month's violations are expected to be tens of thousands of dollars.

By late last week, drivers representing almost 50 companies had been ticketed, according to township police statistics. Police have issued violations to concrete and trash haulers, construction trucks, vending companies, and private individuals.

Trash hauling firms account for more than 20 of the citations, al-



Officer Larry Demeter logs stops.

though police are not singling out any particular businesses, said police Chief Chip Snider.

"I don't think anyone's being selectively focused on," Snider said. "Everything that was promised the township board is being done."

One of the promises was that motor carrier officers would be well-trained. Northville Township hosted a motor carrier training program,

and Snider called officers Larry Demeter and Fred Yankee "highly motivated" to handle the diverse tasks of the enforcement team.

The weighmaster officers patrol the entire township and keep an eye out for telltale signs of violators, Demeter said last week. He said bulging tires are dead giveaways for overweight trucks, and other red flags may include faulty vehicle lights, trash blowing from uncovered trucks, or improperly marked vehicles.

Residents living along the corridors of Beck, Ridge, Napier, and Five Mile roads are well aware of the trucks that rumble through the township. Others may be surprised by their size and numbers.

During daylight hours, as many as 35-40 trucks may cross the Five Mile/Beck roads intersection on their way to the Browning-Ferris Industries landfill in Salem Township.

Some of the trucks are huge, 10-axle beasts weighing upwards of 150,000 pounds, Demeter said.

Officers recently ticketed a trash hauler with a serious weight problem, Demeter said. The offending truck had a legal haul capacity of 130,000 pounds, but was stopped and weighed in 36,700 pounds over the limit, he said.

The violation cost the trucker's pa-

rent company more than \$6,000 in fines, based on a graduated penalty system, he said.

Only about 10 percent of violations are issues for overweight trucks, Snider said. Others, like a construction truck pulling a trailer and backhoe that Demeter stopped last week, are pulled over for other offenses.

The driver of the construction truck was working for a Wisconsin company at the time of the stop. The vehicle was weaving on the roadway when Demeter pulled him over, and the man failed to produce a mandatory medical clearance card, an infraction that left the man \$105 poorer.

The construction worker was less than amiable upon parting, not an uncommon reaction among truckers, Demeter said.

"Some guys wave at you and some of them kind of growl at you," he said, as a big trash hauler rolled by, the driver's eyes fixed on the police car, a citizen's hand radio microphone in his hand.

Has the trucking industry cleaned up its act in Northville Township? The verdict's still out, Demeter said, adding that truckers from the larger firms are less likely to earn tickets for equipment problems than independent haulers.



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A truck driver gets stopped for discussion on Five Mile Road.

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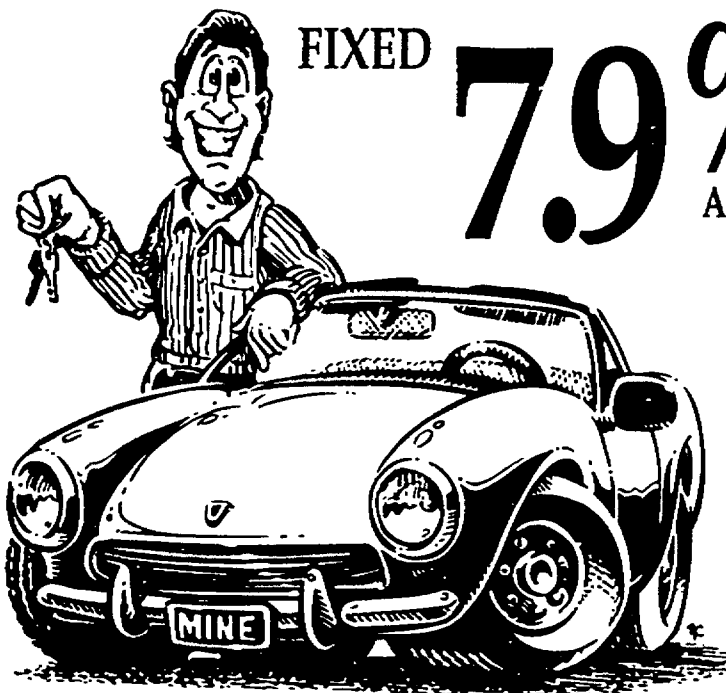
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City swings budget ax at council meeting record

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

One of the casualties of city budget reductions may be the completeness of the public record.

With all sorts of services being scaled back at city hall these days, the latest targets for cost-cutting include the city council minutes, the official record of council meetings.

City Clerk Cathy Konrad asked the council Monday to approve reducing the amount of detail recorded in the minutes, which would save her time compiling them.

The minutes up to now have included specific comments and questions from city officials and audience members, and listed the speakers' names.

Under the proposed system, minutes would simply summarize the issues debated and the general discussion regarding each, without detailing every comment and naming every speaker. They would still describe all votes taken and list how individual council members voted.

Council Member Paul Folino, who said he did not realize that Monday's discussion involved cutting back on the minutes, said Tuesday he objected to the concept. Folino has protested having his comments excluded from previous meeting minutes.

"That I've always objected to," he said. "I feel that the council minutes should reflect all of the opinions that

Budget writers scrutinize legal services

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

The city council continued to trim the proposed city budget Monday night, with legal services the latest to come under the knife.

Proposed budget increases for the city attorney's office came under close scrutiny at Monday's work session on the 1992/1993 city budget.

The attorney's office account, set at \$59,200 for 1991/1992 but already projected to finish \$4,000 higher than that, was raised to \$73,100 for the 1992/1993 fiscal year. The raise reflects anticipated increases in the city's need for legal advice, as well as transfers from other funds.

"The attorney's office is being

used more than it has in the past,"

City Manager Gary Word noted. Word said the projected increase would likely be needed given the city's growing reliance on legal advice. He mentioned this year's controversy with Novi homeowner Laura Lorenzo over the flooding she attributed to Singh Development's Pheasant Hills subdivision, and the city's continuing role in the Selective Group/St. Lawrence Estates dispute as examples.

But Word's projection was not shared by some city council members.

"If we made an effort now to say 'no increase next year,' then maybe we can make it happen," said Council Member Jerry Mittman. "I don't really understand an

increase unless they've increased their rates."

The city's chief legal firm, Plunkett & Cooney, has actually decreased its rates recently. The firm voluntarily declined a city-approved 10-percent fee hike in the spring of 1991 due to anticipated city budget shortfalls then. When informed of the latest cash crunch, the firm agreed to reduce its rate \$5, to \$85 an hour.

Word agreed to review the proposed increase and closely monitor future requests for legal services, adding that the city already attempts to screen such requests.

"We don't ask for legal opinions very often unless directed by the city council, but we have had some," he said.

consensus of the board," she said. That argument appears to be upheld by the state's Open Meetings Act, which only requires municipalities to record the date, time and place of a meeting, the board members present, and "any decisions made at a meeting open to the public." The minutes must also include "all roll call votes taken at the meeting."

The council's minutes, required by law to be completed within eight business days of a meeting, are already more than two months in arrears. Konrad attributed the backlog to an increased staff workload and the detail that, until now, has been expected in the minutes.

"We're all feeling the time pressure here to get the work done with less

staff," Konrad said. "My office is just not able to keep up with all the work we used to do."

The clerk's department has been wracked by layoffs, cutbacks in hours and the axing of Deputy City Clerk Tonni Burns' position. The clerks are also coping with a staff reorganization at city hall.

"It's putting a lot of pressure on me," Konrad said. "I've got a lot of responsibilities and I'm not really able to carry out my job as I need to. I understand the council's position that they have to cut the deficit, but there are legal requirements that we have to adhere to."

Konrad said she makes audio tapes of the meetings she attends and uses the tapes to transcribe the minutes. "Since I've been recording them, I'll listen to them while I'm typing," she said. "It takes me a couple of days with interruptions. If I could just write down the motions, I could have them done that night."

"It would cut my time (compiling meeting minutes) in half, at least."

The move would also cut the documents in half, Konrad said. "They run anywhere from eight to 12 pages,

usually, and I should be able to cut them down to five."

Konrad's recommendation found support with Mayor Chris Johnson and City Manager Gary Word. "The city has always kept a real comprehensive record of proceedings that's simply not necessary," Word said.

But Word added that the city may consider keeping audio tapes of past meetings on file, and making those available to the public as well as the printed minutes. Audio tapes in the past have been reused from meeting to meeting, rather than kept on file.

The council's minutes are not the only ones that are being scaled back. Konrad added. "I think you'll see a change in the planning commission (minutes) as well, now that Joe (Attard, the city's building inspector) is doing them," she said.

The commission minutes had previously been recorded by Burns and members of the clerk's department.

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Engineer says board was asleep at the switch

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that belonged to the township I would deliver to them . . . and that was pretty much it.

RECORD: Do you believe you had been providing adequate service to the township?

McNEELY: Yes.

RECORD: You talked about it being a shot out of the blue. You don't feel . . . there was any question of whether or not you had been doing a competent job?

McNEELY: No question had been raised at that time, none of any substance. Our basic function was to serve the planning commission, the water and sewer commission, and ultimately the Board of Trustees. We did those things, and met our schedules.

(After the firing, McNeely-Lincoln was replaced by Ayres, Lewis, Norris & May, an Ann Arbor firm whose president, Abe Munkakh, is a Plymouth Township trustee. Ayres, Lewis also is WTUA's lead engineer, and stands to earn the majority of WTUA's \$10-million engineering contract.)

RECORD: WTUA has talked a lot about opening their books, and inviting public review. Do you think they are as up-front as they can be, or that they'd like to give that impression?

McNEELY: I think it's a perception that they're trying to tell everybody they're up-front about everything, and they aren't. They aren't at all. One of the trustees (Richard Allen) recently wrote (a letter to the editor) that if you don't have the facts presented before you, whatever you



do is based on opinion, or speculation. And yet, the Board of Trustees endorsed the Western Townships Utilities Authority without going into detail. They even excluded their own water and sewer commission.

RECORD: Do you think the Northville Township Board of Trustees had adequate information for many of these votes they took over the years, to adopt WTUA and to adopt a bond program? Let's put it this way: You've been to a lot of township board meetings, the same ones I've been to, where Ernie Essad would come in and give a little talk, and the board would vote on it. Was there ever any evidence, in your mind, that they'd done extensive research on this project?

McNEELY: I think they undoubtedly were presented with a whole group of facts about things, by consultants, but when it was clear, that someone, out of seven people, should have raised the questions, no one did.

RECORD: What questions?

McNEELY: When they were about to endorse the consent decree, I was at that meeting and Mr. (Robert) VanRavenswaay (of Law, Hemming,

Essad & Polaczky) had prepared the consent verbiage, that the township was going to endorse. I raised a question that something needed to be looked into more. At that point, Essad said to the township trustees that VanRavenswaay had very carefully prepared this consent decree verbiage, and in effect, what the township board was agreeing to was nothing. They were agreeing to nothing.

Now, seven people sat and listened to that statement, and nobody said, "Wait a minute, if we're agreeing to nothing, why are we agreeing to anything? Why are we doing this? What's the purpose?"

RECORD: Is that symptomatic, do you think of a lot of the issues . . .

McNEELY: Well, sure it is. Some of the people (from the water and sewer commission) would do some in-depth studying (of issues) and they'd question seriously . . . but those people were excluded. By design.

RECORD: You didn't see much evidence of the "convince me" attitude at township board sessions?

McNEELY: Well, no.

RECORD: Georgina Goss was the township supervisor throughout most of the development of WTUA. She also served as a WTUA commissioner. Do you think she had solid working knowledge of the ins and outs of this project?

McNEELY: No, I don't. What I perceived throughout this whole thing was that Georgina was being led, more or less, with "this is what you have to do in your township . . ."

RECORD: By whom?

McNEELY: I can only speculate on that, but my speculation was that it was (Maurice) Breen, because Breen was the brains behind it, if you will.

RECORD: In your opinion, is Northville Township paying, or obligated to pay, an equitable share of the WTUA sewer project?

McNEELY: I have no way of knowing that at this point in time, because Northville Township apparently doesn't have a detailed method of assessing the total cost of WTUA. I've asked for it, a breakdown of figures . . . any information on how the rate was established, through the Freedom of Information Act, and the supervisor wrote me back . . . saying the Board of Trustees and the water and sewer commission had no information on that.

That has never been forthcoming, and the only thing I can conclude from that is that Northville Township had entered into the Western Townships agreement, and presumably endorsed a percentage without ever knowing how it was done or anything about it. There are seven people sitting there; someone should have done something about it, should have said, "What's your methodology? Tell us how you did it."

RECORD: Where did the increase in costs — from what you projected as \$40 million, to the current \$100 million, come from?

McNEELY: Some of it obviously came from requirements placed on the proposed project by the DNR (transferring wastewater from the Ypsilanti treatment plant to a discharge point in the Lower Rouge River). You see, they not only have to pump back their own wastewater,

but they have to pump back all the effluent from that plant.

What happens is, once the wastewater is delivered to YCUA (the Ypsilanti Community Utilities Authority treatment plant) and they treat it, all of the wastewater — from all of the YCUA communities and all of the WTUA communities — is all going to be put into a system and pumped eastward to the Lower Rouge River. Not only do they have to do that, WTUA has to build that system, but they have to turn it over to YCUA, deed it, if you will.

YCUA is in the driver's seat. They are the ones that say what is going to happen. In effect, what they're saying is (based on state Department of Natural Resources directives) . . . you have to take everything out of the YCUA plant and deliver it to the Lower Rouge River.

RECORD: So if the WTUA communities pump in, say, a million gallons, they might have to pump out five million gallons?

McNEELY: Exactly. Sure. Not only that, but they have to turn that system over, lock, stock and barrel to YCUA.

RECORD: That kind of flies in the face of the whole WTUA argument that they're going to increase their autonomy by going to this system.

McNEELY: That's correct. And I

think the reason it does is because YCUA is in the position of receiving WTUA's wastewater the same as Detroit receives wastewater. They then process it and ultimately pump it back along this system to the Lower Rouge River. YCUA's going to be in control, just as today Detroit's in control.

RECORD: If you could ask anything of WTUA or the township board right now, what would you ask?

McNEELY: From the WTUA point of view, I'd ask them to be straightforward and honest in their newsletters. I think that some of the stuff they publish in their newsletters just flies right in the face of fact, and reality and everything else.

As far as the Board of Trustees goes, I say to them, get some sleep at home; don't sleep at the meetings. It's absolutely unbelievable the things that have happened, and continue to happen.

I have a lot of highly technical information I believe the township should have, all the taxpayers in the township should have. If they then say (they're) going to go on with exactly what they have, that's fine. But I think things just aren't explained to the people.

I think the people in Northville Township are being had, and I think they are not going to know it for several years.

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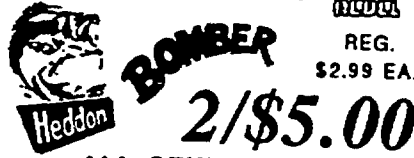
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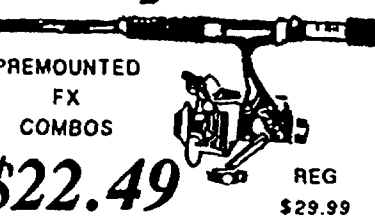
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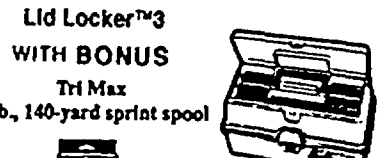
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Confidentiality agreement may cost township

By MIKE TYREE
Staff Writer

Edward J. McNeely says he didn't know he was signing away so much when he inked a Western Townships Utilities Authority engineering contract.

A confidentiality clause in that March 1987 document prevents the Northville Township resident from pointing out crucial, costly elements of the \$100-million WTUA sewer line, McNeely said last week.

His insight, as the engineer who drafted the preliminary engineering study for WTUA, possibly could save many taxpayer dollars, McNeely said.

But McNeely says he's afraid to speak out. Afraid that he'll be dragged into court by WTUA attorneys for violating the secrecy clause he's twice unsuccessfully tried to escape.

"I am concerned that WTUA would bring action against me," McNeely said in an interview last week.

McNeely's claim is that WTUA and Northville Township have options other than the current plan, which includes a sewer line that snakes through Hines Park and out to the western portion of Northville Township.

Those plans are being ignored, partly because there are "some awfully big egos involved," he said.

"I have a lot of highly technical information I believe the township should have, all the taxpayers in the township should have," McNeely said. "... I think the people in Northville Township are being had, and I think they're not going to know it for several years."

McNeely says he feels trapped by a passage in his 1987 contract which states, in part: "Engineer acknowledges that much of the authority's work is of a confidential and secret character, so that all information about authority's work which engineer learns or creates is confidential information."

"Engineer agrees to use the confidential information only on behalf and for the benefit of the authority and agrees not to divulge it to any outsider either during or after the term of this agreement unless such disclosure is specifically authorized in writing by the authority prior to such disclosure."

WTUA officials have refused McNeely's requests to lift the secrecy veil.

McNeely sent a certified letter to WTUA on July 15, 1988, asking for a release from the confidentiality clause.

Former WTUA Chairperson and Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen rejected that request in an August 8, 1988 letter to McNeely.

"As a policy matter, WTUA will not grant releases from contractual provisions upon request," Breen wrote. "... We would consider it a breach of good public policy to arbitrarily release you from obligations paid for with public money."

"Any violation of this provision will result in an immediate action by WTUA for a restraining order and for reimbursement of increased costs due to such violation," Breen continued. "As these increased costs may be substantial, we recommend you abide by the agreement as it now stands."

McNeely tried again in early 1989. The response, this time from Canton Township Supervisor Thomas Yack, was similar.

"At the current time, there is no interest in granting your request," Yack wrote. "It is the feeling of the commissioners (Yack, Breen, and Georgina Goss) that the terms of your contract must be adhered to."

The WTUA project is moving forward and is assured of success," Yack added. "I would suggest that you not let

this issue distract you from your current business interests."

By Tuesday, the McNeely complaint had become little more than a faded memory to Yack.

"To be honest, I can't even remember the issue," Yack said. "I vaguely remember him calling me, (and) at this point, I don't know what it is that we would have or he would have (that would cause further dispute)."

Yack doubted that McNeely held any information that could save any money on the project.

"I don't know about that," he said. "My engineer (Thomas Casari) dismissed McNeely as not having done a whole lot to help the project."

Yack said he would have to review the contract before making any decisions on the McNeely contract, but when asked if the passage of time had made the issue a moot point, he said, "seems like it to me."

McNeely then was asked to respond to Yack's comment that the confidentiality clause may no longer be a point of contention.

"Great," he said, adding that he would write to the WTUA commission and again seek release from the clause.

WTUA construction costs drop

By MIKE TYREE
Staff Writer

A continuing economic downturn and contractors' familiarity with the WTUA sewer line will pare about \$2 million in construction costs from the \$100-million project.

Results of the sewer line's phase-two bidding will reduce construction costs by that amount, said Thomas Yack, WTUA Chairperson and Canton Township supervisor.

The Western Townships Utilities

Authority's most recent estimates concluded that nearly \$65 million was targeted for construction of the three-township sewer project. Those estimates were finalized prior to bond sales, and prior to a lingering recessionary climate, Yack said.

Yack said phase-two construction includes portions of Canton Township sewer line, a pump station, and return pipe from the Ypsilanti Community Utilities Authority treatment plant.

A troubled economy helps WTUA,

as well as familiar faces handling the contracting chores.

Many of the contractors who worked on phase one also will land phase-two contracts, Yack said. With knowledge of the demands of the project, the contractors probably were able to bid closer to the bone than those without a previous WTUA deal.

"They're already established in the field, and they would be in a very competitive situation," Yack said.

Lower bids also should shave some obligation from WTUA's bond

debt, according to WTUA officials.

Word of the lower construction costs should come as some relief to taxpayers and local politicians who have been rattled by continued revelations of business dealings with friends and political supporters among the WTUA hierarchy.

WTUA has responded to such reports by calling for a review of WTUA managerial and financial procedures and by seeking — for the first time — bids for its professional services contracts.



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Contracts signed

By SHARON CONDRON
Staff Writer

With the official ground-breaking ceremony behind them, Northville School Board members Monday night spent more than \$1 million on 15 of the remaining 16 contracts needed for Thornton Creek Elementary School.

David Bolitho, assistant superintendent for the district, presented the contracts for board approval which account for everything needed to build the school — except its roof.

Bolitho said the \$237,412 roofing contract was withheld based on the district consultant's recommendation.

Information which surfaced at a recent roofing industry convention suggests there are better techniques for roofing industrial and commercial buildings, according to representatives from Barton Malow Co., the district's consultant.

Insulation differs from residential to commercial to industrial buildings, and that coupled with the contractor's technique for laying roofing material could come into play in getting a better roof for the district's dol-

lar, consultants said.

Based on that opinion, board members took Bolitho's recommendation to withhold the roofing contract for review before awarding it at the board's next meeting.

Of the 15 approved, bids were awarded for fence installation, paving and concrete work, joint sealants, doors and windows, tile and marble, ceilings and floors, painting, chalk and tackboards, operable walls and casework, toilet stalls, and gym equipment and food service.

Tied to the board's approval is the clause that all work done to the school is not to exceed the figures quoted in the contracts, which total \$1,038,375.

Keeping costs in line with the school's budget was the goal of board member Joseph Dunkerley, who spearheaded the building committee.

"We had a \$37,000 net reduction after going through all the contracts which even included the increase for masonry," Dunkerley said. "Substantial work was done to trim out items that were not required."



School district officials watch Ammerman Elementary Principal Milt Jacobi make his last dig for the district Monday. Jacobi, who is retiring at the end of the year, broke ground with the district years ago for Moraine and Winchester elementaries.

Stempien seeks Circuit bench



Jeanne Stempien

Jeanne Stempien announced her candidacy for one of the three vacancies on the Wayne County Circuit Court.

Stempien, a Northville Township resident, is currently a practicing trial attorney with the Livonia law firm of Stempien & Stempien. She received a bachelor's degree cum laude from the University of Michigan in 1967 and graduated magna cum laude from the Detroit College of Law in 1980. In 1984, she was appointed special assistant attorney general for the State of Michigan as trial counsel for the Michigan Department of Transportation.

Since 1986, Stempien has served on the Schoolcraft College Board of Trustees. She was appointed by a unanimous decision in 1986, elected to a four-year term, then re-elected to a six-year term in June 1991. The board elected her vice-chair in July 1989 and then chair of the board in July 1991.

In addition, she has been active in many community organizations. One is the Youth Living Centers, which houses abused children; she currently serves on the Board of Directors. She has also been appointed a member of the Northville 2000 committee.

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Mill Race Matters

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On Saturday, May 9 there will be an introductory blacksmithing class in Mill Race's Hirsch Blacksmith Shop. Master Blacksmith Owen Creteau will instruct from 8:30 to 12:30. Each participant will come away with a project of their own making. Cost for participation is \$10. Advance registration to 348-1845 is necessary because space is limited. Protective eyewear is necessary and must be provided by the participant.

With May at hand we look to the opening of our Village to Sunday afternoon visitors. Mill Race will open for the season on Sunday, May 24. It is open from 2-5 p.m. We look forward to welcoming you then. School tours have begun and week days will find our village active with the voices of children throughout the remainder of the school year.

We look forward to our annual membership meeting/potluck dinner on Thursday, May 21. The meat and beverages will be provided. Participants are asked to bring one dish for the potluck and their own place setting. We hope to have an entertaining program this year. The annual meeting also features a brief wrapup of the year's activities and the election, introduction and installation of new officers. All members are encouraged to attend. Guests are also welcome. More information will be appearing in the weeks to come, but you may RSVP now to 348-1845.

Thanks this week to Marge Cinader and Linda Reeves for the loan of a Section 2 abstract. We were able to make a copy to retain in our archival collection. Papers and documents from our community's past are always welcome additions to our archival holdings.

In discussing early Northville the Mead family name has come up more than once. The Mead brothers were early settlers in our area, although none of them held original land grants. Jabish (J.M.) and Samuel opened the first store in our community (probably about 1827.) It was just a shanty replaced four years later by a larger two-story frame structure on the corner of Main and Center.

Varying sources say that Marshall or Jabish built a similar two-story frame structure on the southwest corner as a residence. Jabish was the first postmaster for this community in 1832. By the mid-30s the focus of the Mead family's attention became Waterford (today's Meads Mill) area. Marshall, Wadsworth, and Samuel purchased the

mill of the Ramsdell brothers (Gannet and Dyer) around 1837. The Meads were recognized abolitionists as Jack Hoffman's *First Hundred Years* indicates in the anecdote about the runaway slave. The family is believed to have worked with the underground railroad in both small communities.

Interestingly, although we have all their names from community historic records, I have been unable to locate them in 1827 to 1830 censuses for our region. Samuel, William and Amos Mead appear in 1840 censuses. Searches of other early records have failed to turn up anything on any of them, so as of this writing, I am unaware whether any were married and/or had any children. My guess might be that Amos and William in the 1840 census were children of one of the brothers. Both an 1827 and 1830 census listed only head of household by name, and then age and sex only for other members of household. The Daniel Cady household, for example, had four male children, one young adult male and one older male in 1827 and one under 5, two between 5 and 10, one between 10 and 15, one between 15 and 20, one between 20 and 30 and two between 40 and 50 (all male) and one adult female in 1830. The 1840 census lists head of household and ages of others as well. Daniel married his second wife Jan. 2, 1828.

The Salem Area Historical Society has invited us to attend an annual Springtime Concert in Salem, an afternoon of Dutch Baroque music by members of the Ann Arbor Recorder Society at historical Salem Walker Church (Angle Road at Seven Mile) at 3 p.m. on May 3. Contributions will be accepted for preservation of the church.

— Diane Rockall

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Tuesday, May 5
Winchester, Wash Oaks
Wednesday, May 6
Baskett Guild, Church..... 9 a.m.
Winchester, Wash Oaks
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Stalking bill moves ahead

An anti-stalking bill passed by the state Senate can't be used against newspeople who track news sources.

"A prosecutor wouldn't touch it" if a reporter followed a township official to see if she actually resided in the township or elsewhere.

"We've taken care of it two ways," said an aide to Sen. R. Robert Geake, R-Northville, sponsor of SB 719.

"First there are constitutionally protected activities, such as reporting, protected by the First Amendment. Second, harassing must have an illegitimate purpose."

The Senate recently gave the bill 30-0 approval with six absent. All

area senators supported it except David Honigman, R-West Bloomfield, who had an excused absence. Geake's bill provides for up to five years in prison and a \$10,000 fine. It was sent to the House Judiciary Committee.

Most stalkers are male and most victims female, Geake said. Often stalking is a result of domestic violence.

Geake said the bill, if enacted, would put teeth into court injunctions and restraining orders designed to keep stalkers away from their prey.

Raw sewage spills

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prison, underwear, socks, rags, washcloths," he said. "We had a major blockage."

Truskolaski also said tree roots that have grown into the line added to the stoppage.

County workers initially ran 600 feet of sewer jet hose into the line in an attempt to flush the system. A cutting device eventually chewed through the maze of cloth and roots, said Gerald Murphy, a county DPW foreman who worked on the line.

The troublesome sewer line was built in 1938 and runs from Five Mile south of Western Wayne Correctional north to Six Mile, through the Edenderry Drive area and on to Maybury

state Park, Truskolaski said.

County officials said they did not know how much raw sewage flowed into the Johnson Drain. The county contacted the Livonia branch office of state Department of Natural Resources after discovering the spill, Truskolaski said.

DNR officials were unavailable for comment Wednesday.

Asked if the spill caused any lasting environmental damage, Truskolaski said, "no, I wouldn't say so."

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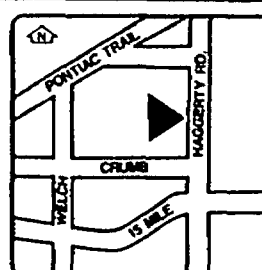
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Novi Council will hold a Public Hearing on the Proposed Budget for 1992-93, on Monday, May 11, 1992, at 8:00 PM EDT. Said Hearing will be held in the Council Chamber at the Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan, 48375.

A complete copy of the proposed budget is on file and available for public inspection at the Office of the City Clerk, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan, 48375. GERALDINE STIPP, CITY CLERK

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LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

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Please Take Notice that the annual school election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 8, 1992.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 8, 1992, IS MONDAY MAY 11, 1992. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, MAY 11, 1992, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerk must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerk's offices are open for registration. This Notice is given by order of the board of education.

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Obituaries

MARILYN GOLDEN

Marilyn Golden, 46, Dearborn Public Schools speech therapist, died of cancer April 23 at her Northville home.

Mrs. Golden was the "much loved speech teacher at St. Anselm School for the past 10 years, where she was respected by faculty, staff and students," commented Principal Sr. Mary Ann.

The speech therapist worked with speech and language impaired students. Other schools she served included Snow School, Stout Junior High School and Divine Child Grade School. "She was incredibly well-organized and dedicated to the kids she worked with," added colleague Linda Francis.

In 1991 Mrs. Golden volunteered as a camp counselor at Camp Catch-A-Rainbow, a children's camp for cancer patients. She was also very active in St. Joseph's Hospital support group for cancer patients in Ann Arbor.

After graduating from Fordson High School in 1964, Mrs. Golden attended Henry Ford Community College. She earned her bachelor's degree in 1968 from the University of Michigan. The speech therapist earned her master's degree in speech therapy in 1969 and her master's plus thirty hours in early childhood education in 1981 from Eastern Michigan University.

Survivors include her husband, John; their children, Kathy Ostrand, Matthew, and Marc; their grandson, Jimmy; her mother, Wanda Dowgiallo; and her sister, Patricia Morgan. She is the daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Golden.

Visitation from the Heeneys-Sundquist Funeral Home of Far-

lington was April 26, with a scripture service. Prayers began at the funeral home April 27, followed by a Mass at St. Kenneth Catholic Church in Plymouth. Entombment followed in the Holy Sepulchre Mausoleum, Southfield.

Memorial tributes to the Michigan Cancer Foundation, Angela Hospice or the American Cancer Society's Camp Catch-a-Rainbow are appreciated.

RUSSELL LYKE

Russell C. Lyke, 88, of Novi died April 22 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

He was born Jan. 12, 1904, in Northville Township to Clinton and Lola Herber Lyke. He married Virena Lau on June 22, 1935.

Survivors include his wife; his children, Roger of Pinckney and Jerry of Brighton; his brother, Harry Lyke of South Lyon; his sister, Lillian Rakestraw of Lyon Township; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

He has lived in the community all his life, and retired from the Ford Motor Co. Northville Plant in 1969. He graduated from Northville High School in 1923.

The funeral was April 25 at Casterline Funeral Home of Northville. The Rev. Eric S. Hammar officiated. Interment was at Thayer Cemetery in Northville Township. Arrangements were by the Casterline Funeral Home.

The family would appreciate memorials to the Emphysema or Lung Associations.

IRENE McNULTY

Irene McNulty, 63, of Northville

died April 24 in her home.

She was born Jan. 15, 1929, in Detroit to Stanley Bester and Josephine Migut. Her husband, Thomas McNulty, survives her.

Other survivors include their children, Patricia McNulty of Plymouth, Lorraine Taylor of Howell, Diane Dudick of Woodhaven, Thomas Jr. of Wixom, Michael of Farmington, and Timothy of Northville; her brothers, Ted Bester of Westland and Joseph Bester of Germany; her sisters, Mary Fernce of Detroit and Nellie Bester of Denver, Colo.; and seven grandchildren.

A homemaker, she came to Northville in 1967. She was a member of Our Lady of Victory Church in Northville.

Her funeral was April 27 at Our Lady of Victory Church. Fr. Frank Polie officiated the service. Interment was at the Rural Hill Cemetery of Northville. Visitation and Rosary were held at the Casterline Funeral Home of Northville.

CLARE MILLER

Clare E. Miller, 86, of Plymouth Court, Plymouth, died April 28. She was a resident of King's Mill for 18 years before moving to Plymouth Court.

Her husband, Paul A. Miller, preceded her in death in 1973. She was born Dec. 15, 1905, in New Orleans, La., to the late Jefferson and Mary Swago Robinson.

She was an estate trustee with a private estate.

Survivors include her son, Charles, and her daughter-in-law, Patricia Weathered of Northville; her grandchildren, Linda Knight, Kathy Meyer, Tracey Tomczyk, Lisa Cebula, and David and Michael Weathered;

and six great-grandchildren.

Services will be Friday, May 1 at 10 a.m. from the Ross B. Northrop & Son Funeral Home, 19091 Northville Road, Northville. Officiating will be Rev. James P. Russel from the First Presbyterian Church of Northville. Entombment will be at Woodland Cemetery in Detroit.

Memorials to the charity of choice would be appreciated by the family. Arrangements are by the Northrop Funeral Home.

DALE RICHMOND

Dale Robert Richmond, 66, of Northville died April 25 at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor.

He was born July 5, 1925, in Charlotte to the late Harold C. Richmond and Enola M. Kahler. He married Doris Hubbard on Nov. 6, 1947.

Survivors include his wife; their children, Valerie Schaffer of Northville, Melodie Ely of Northville, and Mark of Northville; three grandchildren; and his sister, Marsha Fraser of Mt. Clemens.

He lived most of his life in the area, working for 36 years at the Northville Ford Plant. He was in the Navy Sea Bees 145th Battalion. He was a member of VFW Post 4012 Northville.

The funeral was April 29 at Our Lady of Victory Church in Northville. Fr. Frank Polie officiated the ceremony. Interment was at the Rural Hill Cemetery in Northville. Visitation and arrangements were made by the Casterline Funeral Home of Northville.

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Voters side with CBN's viewpoint

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"Voters sent a very strong message with an overwhelming response that 12 percent is just too much," said CBN's Phil Phillips. "The vague explanation of necessary to meet present programs as justification for a 12-percent increase has proven to be incumbent rhetoric meaning, 'We don't want to tell the voters how we really plan to spend their money.'"

Phillips said he and other CBN members thought the voters' mood and their anti-government feelings swayed the voting.

"The mood of voters and their sentiments against incumbents, taxes, and spending, I'm sure was a factor. All that has contributed to the nega-

tive resentment," he said.

Where the district is headed now remains to be seen. Officials will have to move swiftly to get a second proposal put together in time for the June 8 regular school election. Rezmierski said. Since the renewal and the increase were rolled into a single proposal, the district was left Tuesday without even a renewal of its current operating levy.

"All we have now is the 7.23 mills from the county," Rezmierski said. "We have a lot of work to do in order to get a proposal to the board at its May 11 meeting. But take heart, because on one side of the coin are threats and disadvantages, but flip it over and you have opportunity."

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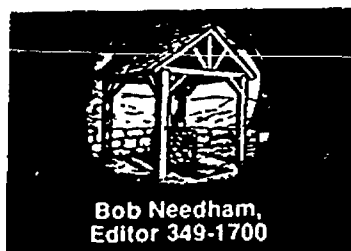
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Our Opinion

Charging for records a transparent move

For five years, the feeling among Western Townships Utilities Authority officials seemed to be that requests for proposals, bid procedures, and other financial checks and balances programs were superfluous and unnecessary.

Hiring relatives, friends, campaign managers, political contributors, etc., was business as usual for the shepherds of this \$100-million project.

Contracts — millions of dollars worth of contracts — were passed around to friends and associates with little scrutiny by the WTUA commissioners and their "watchdogs" on the Canton, Plymouth and Northville township boards.

But that's all changed, folks. WTUA officials are now set to jealously guard taxpayers dollars. Why, it would be easier to take a raw steak from a hungry pit bull than take a buck from a WTUA sentry.

And what better place for WTUA to start this program of utter frugality than with the press?

WTUA officials recently announced they intend to charge the public — in this case, the press — for the back-breaking task of digging up and copying public records. In fact, WTUA contacted the *Record* a week or so ago, demanding a deposit and more than \$100 in public document processing fees for information we requested on WTUA-related junkets and lobbying expenses.

All this because the press supposedly has abused the poor folk at WTUA, forcing them to pull together public documents so reporters can research and report on this highly questionable project.

It seems WTUA officials are just breathless in their efforts to keep up with all the Freedom of Information Act requests filed primarily by this newspaper and the *Detroit Free Press*. All this added demand on their time takes away from critical WTUA activities, like writing a six-page "newsletter" at a cost of at least \$13,000 to taxpayers.

Do WTUA officials ever stop to think why they're being flooded with FOIA requests? Do they wonder why people are upset with the rampant cronyism, patronage, and pocket-stuffing that until recently — until the press started report-



ing it — so defined WTUA?

Of course they don't think about it. To this day, every attempt to investigate the project is met with an artificial barrier, a block, a stalling tactic. That's all this pay-for-public records business is, an attempt to force smaller publications, the local papers, away from reporting on the inner workings of WTUA. Scare them with a fee, maybe they'll back off, is the thinking.

The state Freedom of Information Act clearly states that a government body "may" charge for copying and compiling public documents. The act says nothing about must charge or should charge. In fact, one passage in the law states that the public body may waive or reduce fees if that action "is in the public interest because furnishing copies of the public record can be considered as primarily benefiting the general public."

That's exactly what we think we're doing. And public records, even sometimes sketchy WTUA records, are our lifeblood.

We'll play by the rules of state law and pay for public documents, if that's the way WTUA — supposedly a public body, a taxpayer-supported entity — wants to play. But we expect consistency and adherence to state law.

WTUA will continue to do what it can to shield and play down its troubling past performances, but perhaps those of you who are paying the WTUA salaries might want to have a say in this matter. Again, is it worth \$100 for you to know that the sewer authority is churning out \$13,000 public relations pieces? Let us, and them, know what you think.

Michael Malott

Ol' Phil's out of control again



It is all beginning to come clear to me.

I am just now beginning to realize that the onset of technical problems here in our office seems to be related to Phil Jerome's column. They may seem like totally unrelated events, but I am beginning to suspect sabotage, collusion, conspiracy or worse.

The computer modem's on the blink again. All week, we've had no luck at all getting our computer system to talk to the computers in the other offices within our newspaper chain.

That might seem like just another technical glitch, but the timing is significant. We learned of the problem immediately after Executive Editor Phil Jerome wrote a particularly shameless piece of work and put it, unrestrained, into the Monday edition of the paper.

You see, the way it is supposed to work around here is that Jerome, who now works in HomeTown Newspapers' Howell headquarters, is supposed to write his columns there, then send them by modem to the *Northville Record* office in downtown Northville for editing. Here, hard-working, morally upright, all-around-nice-guy editors (Bob Needham, Rick Byrne and myself) are supposed to get a chance to review his columns and try to keep him under some degree of control.

This week, sure enough, the modems failed again. And they still aren't working.

"Oops, sorry. Guess I can't send you my column for review," I can almost hear him say.

And what did he do with his column this week? Yes, he made a brazen attempt to tamper with the results of our otherwise objective, not-quite-scientific readership survey. It was a not-so-subtle effort to make his column come out in the results as the best read opinion piece in the paper.

Not only that, he went so far as to suggest... nay, encourage... our morally upstanding readership to partake in outright ballot-box stuffing on his behalf. Appalling.

Now that I think about it, I'm realizing that our modem problems began about the time we revived Ol' Phil's column. They don't go on the fritz all the time, but I'll bet that if we tracked it back, we would find the modem failures coincide perfectly with the publication of particularly tacky Phil Jerome commentary.

In all seriousness, the response to our readership survey has been tremendous.

If you haven't already filled out a form and sent it back, we'd really encourage you to do so. All of the commentary and feedback we can get helps.

If you have thrown out your copy of the survey form, or used it to line the kitty's litter box, don't worry. Another copy of the form is in this week's edition, on page 9B in the sports section. We'll be publishing the form at least one more time before the May 14 deadline.

And if you promise to fill out the form objectively, and not be swayed by Jerome's rather embarrassing pandering, we promise we'll do our best to keep him on a shorter leash in the future.

Bryan Mitchell/Moments



Butterflies

Northville High School soccer player Wendy Carroll anticipates a big game.

Phil Power

Doing the Politician's Polka



Have you heard about the latest dance craze? It's called the Politician's Polka. You take one step forward, two steps back — and sidestep the issue.

We have Novi Rotarian Gary Kelber to thank for that.

And we have Gov. John Engler to thank for the most current demonstration of the truth to the story.

We are facing hard times in Michigan. The auto industry is down-

sizing, idling factories, blue-collar workers and previously sacrosanct managers.

So what is the governor doing about it?

His one step forward is to focus tightly on our state's limited resources on education, as the stock of human skill and talent of our citizens is our greatest long-term competitive asset.

Engler is doing just that. Facing nearly a billion-dollar deficit for the coming fiscal year, the governor has imposed drastic spending cuts on all state government. But under great pressure and very much to his credit, Engler has exempted Michigan's K-12 schools and universities from his cuts.

The two steps back stem from Engler's stubborn philosophy of governmental non-intervention. He really believes that government has no business getting involved in the economic life of the state.

First step back: The governor's budget for fiscal 1993 slashes economic development to the bone. Whereas former Gov. James Blanchard's last budget included \$58 million and a staff of 304 for economic development, Engler's spending plan calls for \$26.4 million and 195 employees.

"I'm not aware what his economic development strategy is," said GOP Rep. Mickey Knight. "All I know is what I see in the budget. And in terms of his budget containing initiatives, I don't see any."

Second step back: One of Blanchard's most effective innovations was the Michigan Strategic Fund, a small pile of seed capital to be loaned to promising new business initiatives. Engler's state Senate allies are trying to kill off this remnant of the prior administration, proposing to move MSF funds to sewer construction.

According to Engler's own sensible economic development chief, deputy Commerce director Marge Byington, if MSF (ahem) goes down the drain, "there's not going to be any economic development."

The sidestep is the saddest of all.

Some of the least noticed consequences of auto industry downsizing are the terrific entrepreneurial opportunities it opens up.

Idled plants can be leased out cheaply to new companies in need of manufacturing space. Blue-collar workers, anxious for jobs and willing to be retrained, make up a pool of experienced, highly motivated labor. Laid-off managers with talent and brains and roots in Michigan will feel no need to move out if they can get new businesses going right here.

Here is an enormous opportunity for new and diversified business development in Michigan.

But if you listen to the governor, state government should sidestep entirely any role in assisting this process.

On the merits, that's just plain wrong. And as to the politics, it's just as short-sighted. Gov. Engler ought to listen to folks in his own party and shape up.

Phil Power is chairperson of the company that owns this newspaper.

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Don't ignore the positive news

To the editor:
I recently accused reporter Mike Tyree of being down in the sewer with his negative reporting. He is still down in the dark recesses where he can see only sinister things. He sees fit to ignore positive news. Mike was at the April 9 Northville Township Board of Trustees meeting where significant good financial news was reported on the WTUA sewer project. I waited over two weeks for Mike Tyree to report this information since it was made public and Mike has chosen to totally suppress a positive news event. I feel that it is important that citizens of Northville Township be aware of good news and not just the bad that Mike constantly reports.

Bids for Phase 2 of the WTUA sewer project came in at \$2.1 million under estimates. This will result in an additional \$4 million savings on interest over the life of the bonds. Refinancing the bonds to obtain a lower interest rate saved 9.7 million over the life of the bonds. This totals out to be a \$15.8 million savings that Northville Township residents failed to read about in *The Northville Record*.

Failure to report positive news indicates to me a new low in ethical standards for Mike Tyree and *The Northville Record* Editorial Staff. If there had been a cost overrun, you can bet it would have made banner headlines on the front page.

Ethical coverage requires the reporting of all news (good or bad). How can *The Northville Record* have the audacity to criticize the ethics of the Township Board and others?

Richard E. Allen
Northville Township Trustee
Editor's note: A story on the cost savings appears on page 11-A in this issue.

Phil buys a girlie tractor

To the editor:
For years we've heard his fugacious rhetoric of his Quixotic adventures trying to keep up with the "Andies" of the world. You've heard of his obvious "frouncing" at the Westview Invitational Tennis Match; under the hand of a rank beginner. He has publicly admitted trying to hang a toilet paper holder with a 16d nail and filling his transmission with engine oil. For almost a decade, we've heard his fraudulent tales about his lawn, as he watched Andy's bluegrass flourish against his sea of quackery.

Ladies and Gentlemen, suffering from delusionment, brought on by obvious defeat, the man bought a girlie tractor. Not just any girlie tractor, a John Deere "girlie tractor." Devoid of cross-lug turf tires, front-end self-adjusting mule drive and external PTO, it's a simple

looking "girlie tractor." Phil, stemming principally from this tractor's heritage you are doomed to ride it for the rest of your life amongst your manly neighbors. Outpowered and overshadowed by their manly John Deere 318s, you will be the laughing stock of the road, ridiculed by manly men and women alike. Even Diane's meticulous flower beds can't make you look good. Gone are the opportunities to look like our estates were manicured by a lawn service. Lost are the days of hauling stumps, tilling the garden, plowing the driveway and other manly chores.

Phil, cast yourself out from amongst the many men of the world and repent. Take this silly philly back to Thesier's and tell them you want a manly machine. Ask them for a machine that sits you tall in the saddle, with pedals that conform to a boot and a seat that hugs your overalls. They are good people; they will understand. And Phil, remember, you have to love your grass; it's not something that interrupts the baseball game. It must be nurtured, not hacked at with a "girlie tractor." After all, it's the last icon of our manliness.

Take care — Partner
Andy Byerly
President of MMAP

Is this really the intent of the laws?

To the editor:
I am a firm believer in upholding and enforcing the law; however, I question the discretion of the Northville Police Department. After my family and I left church Easter Sunday, I was rather shocked when we had a parking ticket on our windshield. There were absolutely no other places to park, so we parked inches in front of a "no parking here to corner" sign. Other crimes go unattended, while others get tickets when taking their family to church on Easter Sunday. What's wrong with this picture?
Elaine Mills

Visit from Easter Bunny a success

To the editor:
We would like to thank everyone who was involved in the new Northville Jaycees sponsored "Visit with the Easter Bunny." The event was a great success. We'd also like to thank the area merchants who donated prizes for the area's children.
Jeff Campbell, Secretary
Northville Jaycees

Check flap can cut two ways

To the editor:
Members of the Republican Party have their fun with the "check-bouncing" (misnomer) shenanigans of the Democrats in the House of Representatives. Now it's the turn of the Democrats to point the finger at some white house deadbeats (*Detroit Free Press*, Apr. 16) whose 3 percent delinquency rate at the White House Federal Credit Union is about twice the national average. In fact, one loan to a top administration appointee was written off as uncollectable.

How come none of the White House deadbeats are being identified?
Alfred P. Galli

Abortion debate raises questions

To the editor:
The antagonist and protagonist factions of the abortion issue are deadlocked in a struggle that raises questions about the sanity of mankind. The antagonists risk maiming and arrest to protect the life of a two cell blastomere, saying that destroying it is outright murder, yet, without blinking an eye, many of them will support a war that kills tens of thousands of living, sapient young individuals who have just begun enjoying life and its promises. Sanctity of life? How incongruous and hypocritical!

No doubt many who are against abortion are for capital punishment. I can accept the fact that there are those among us who are less civilized and, without a second thought, kill another person. I cannot accept the shameful fact that a so-called civilized society would kill one of its members, whatever his or her behavior. Though rarely, it does sometimes happen that an innocent individual is killed by the state by mistake. No modern industrial society in the world resorts to the barbarism practiced by many of the states in the U.S.A. What a perverted example this is of promoting civilized behavior among the nations of the world.

A protagonist of abortion has a hard time enough in rationalizing her decision. Who but the woman and her conscience is better able to know why she is driven to abort a blastomere? A morula? A blastocyst? An embryo?
The administration continues to admonish us that the government interferes too often in the affairs of

citizens. How can it then believe that its okay to prescribe what their morals should be?
Alfred P. Galli

Pro choice is really no choice

To the editor:
It would seem the pro-abortion advocates prefer to keep their clientele ignorant. How can a woman choose who does not know?

In any elective surgery I would hope the physician would counsel his or her patients as to the alternatives and consequences of that surgery.

Surely abortion is no less important a decision than, let's say, breast implants or liposuction. Yet the physicians performing the vast majority of abortions don't take the time to notice the name on the chart, much less offer her counseling.

Isn't every woman entitled to know what all the choices really are? She must bear the responsibility of her decision from now on. Let her make it intelligently.

The 24-hour waiting period along with printed material including all of the choices would give her a chance to make a choice, knowledgeably.

Call it pro-choice if you must, but give them a choice.
Wendy Case

Popularity reflects disdain

To the editor:
H. Ross Perot's rapidly increasing popularity throughout the land reflects the disdain with which the American people feel towards all those running for president, and many in the congressional races — Democrat or Republican.

Perot reminds me of Harry Truman — blunt, succinct, direct and to the point. Ross Perot's approach to problems seems to be that of the scientific method.

I'm anxiously waiting to hear him say that he will select the very best for the various departments of his administration. Hopefully not Bush's "very best in the country" a la Clarence Thomas.

Alfred P. Galli

Charles Stilec/Student Assistance Program

Two-step approach helps problem



troubled teens.

A study by the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry found that of 1,091 urban and suburban 10th graders, 10 percent reported heavy use (three times a week) of beer in the past year. One quarter reported being a passenger in a car in which the driver was drunk; one third reported they had drunk five or more glasses of alcohol on a single occasion. Twelve percent reported using marijuana more than two or three times in their lifetime; 1.6 percent reported being heavy marijuana users.

While the use of most substances by teens appears to be declining, cigarette smoking is on the rise, particularly among girls. One-third of

the students reported smoking, with 10 percent smoking heavily. Those with friends using alcohol, cigarettes or marijuana were six to 76 times more likely to be users than those whose friends did not use. Stressful life circumstances, anxiety and depression were significantly correlated with drug use in the past year.

As the Student Assistance Program coordinator at Northville High School, I have noticed many stress symptoms and characteristics of kids that I have known to have drug and/or alcohol problems. The following Adolescent Life Events lists can be beneficial to parents, adults and adolescents in understanding the crisis that faces teens. The greater the number a teen is experiencing the more stress they are under and the greater the chance that they may need some sort of outside intervention.

Death of a parent, pregnancy, runaway, graduation, death of a friend, death of a family member, arrested or held by police, change in serious relationship, fail to achieve a serious goal, parents divorced, major change in physical appearance, getting driver's license, personal safety threatened, fail a class, serious personal injury or illness, close friend moving, outstanding personal achievement, change in

friends, change in health of a family member, move to a new city, involved in auto accident, change in family financial situation, change schools, belief changes, change in drug use, change in arguments with parents, curfew change, taking a major test (SAT, ACT, finals, etc.), addition to family, suspension from school, change in number of arguments between parents, brother or sister leaves home, friendship arguments, purchases a large item with own money, loss of a pet, get invited to important event, try out for a team, stopped by police, vacation, start a new job, loss of a job, trouble at school with teacher or administrator, parent changes job.

I am sure there are many other Adolescent Life Events. These are stressful life circumstances that family, friends, and concerned others should be aware of. The greater the number the more chance of a problem possibility leading to depression and/or substance abuse.

If you have concerns or questions call me at 344-1825.

Charles Stilec is the Student Assistance Program coordinator at Northville High School.

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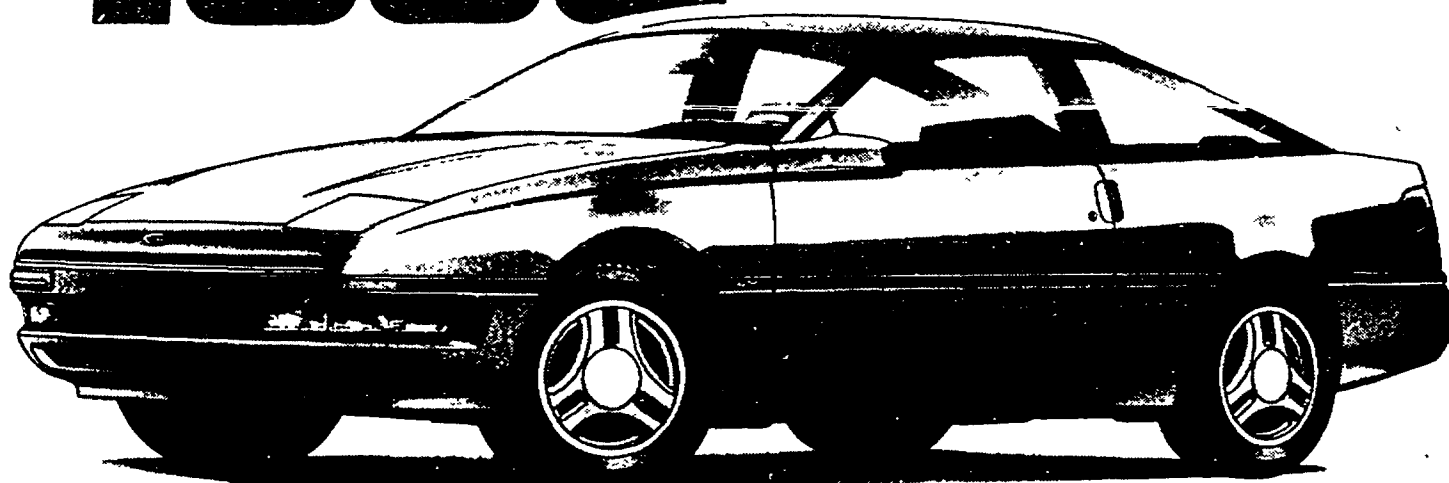
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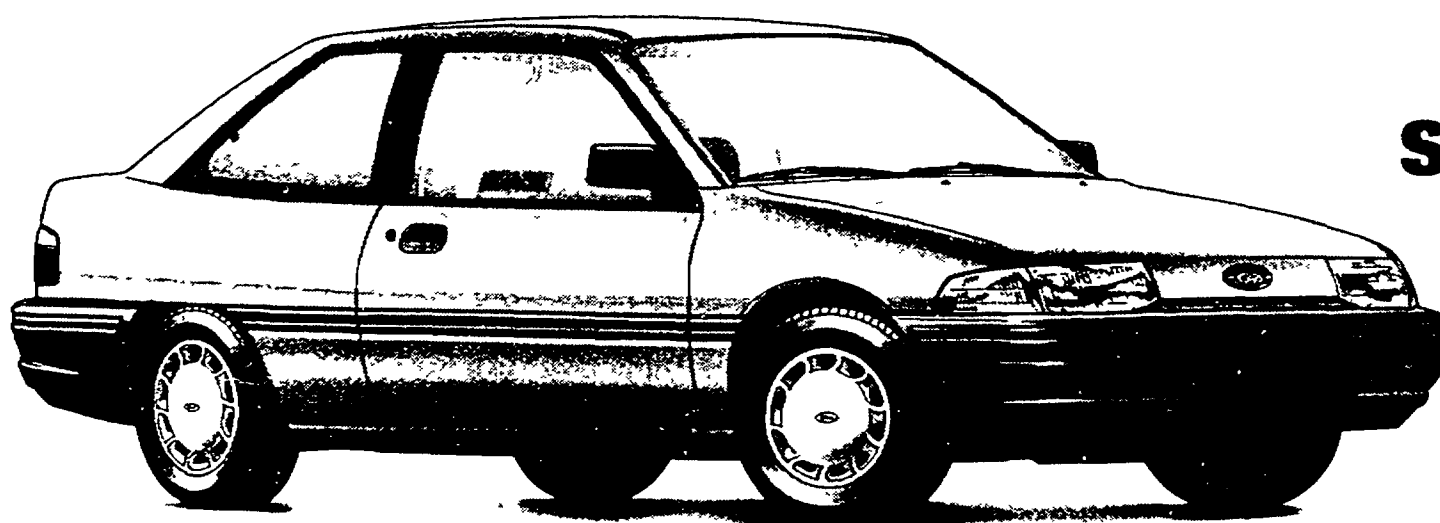
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Jeffrey M. Wylie, left and Kenneth G. Guertin of Make Believe Productions

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Movin' up and takin' names

SHARON CONDRON
Staff Writer

Alan's created a scientific breakthrough that makes all existing forms of energy virtually obsolete. The alternative energy source will replace the burning of fossil fuels — marking a truly revolutionary discovery. But with the exuberance of discovery comes the agony of monopoly as "the establishment" horns in to silence him and monopolize his invention — no matter who or what stands in its way.

That's the premise for *The Incorporated* an action-packed thriller being produced locally by Northville resident Kenneth Guertin and the company he founded with college buddy Jeff Wylie.

Laced with social and political satire, the feature film is the first endeavor from Make Believe Studios, a film-making venture spearheaded by Guertin and Wylie, both graduates of Ferris State University.

Although the movie's script is a fictitious tale, its script writer Jim Bonner said it grazes reality.

"It's an action-thriller that's designed to give a social and political message about giving government too much control," said Bonner, a 22-year-old Michigan State University student from Brighton. "I consider it a fictional telling of a real danger."

In Bonner's mind the script germinated from reports and theories he'd read in newspapers about the Iran-Contra Affair, CIA, and John F. Kennedy's assassination.

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Volunteer



Gretchen Oppermann

Oppermann drops toast but forms friendships

By DOROTHY NASH
Special Writer

Crunchy toast and coffee time is on the first Saturday of the month at The Charter House of Novi, and Gretchen Oppermann is always there, sometimes so busy visiting with her friends, the residents, that she forgets to take her turn at making toast.

Charter House is a nursing home on Meadowbrook Road, and Oppermann is a member of the Community Council, which meets monthly, she said, "to enhance the lives of the residents, to get the community interested, and to encourage companionship because so many people have negative attitudes toward nursing homes."

The Council is only four years old, and Oppermann has been on it from the beginning.

Berniece Frederick, a friend who knew she had a bachelor's degree in gerontology and had done volunteer work in the field, had asked her opinion on starting a council composed of community volunteers and family members of residents.

Frederick had a person interest because her sister was in the nursing home, then called Novi Care Center and under other ownership.

The Council meets monthly. Some residents attend as well as staff members and ministers.

The Council and the administrative staff reach out together in attracting the community's interest by sponsoring a volunteer appreciation luncheon in May and also an annual clergy breakfast.

Crunchy toast, however, is a Council-provided social gathering from 9:30 to 10:45 on the first Saturday of each month. It's a way for individuals in the community to meet residents on a one-to-one basis.

Largely through it, Oppermann said, she's made friends, developed a relationship there, giving her, as she said, "a feeling I'm needed."

If you would like to get a "feeling" you're needed, come to a Crunchy Toast.

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In Our Town

Surdu cheers her way to MSU

Tracie Surdu's parents, George and Margaret, are saying three cheers for her this week after their 19-year old daughter was chosen as one of the 18-member Michigan State University cheerleading squad.

Surdu, a 1991 Northville High school graduate and now a freshman at MSU, is pursuing her degree in business administration or nutrition services. As a member of the varsity gymnastic team and cheerleading squad at NHS, Surdu's extra-curricular activities groomed her for the MSU team, which she'll become a part of next fall. The squad features the talents of 11 women and 7 men.

Between now and then, her parents say she'll continue working out over the summer with the Universal Cheerleading Association where she is employed as a summer camp counselor.

Local musician plays in special tribute

Northville's Robert Williams, principal bassoonist in the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, was one of 160 musicians world-wide to play in "Heroes of Conscience," a special tribute dedicated to members of the anti-Nazi resistance in Germany during Hitler's reign.

The concert, took place April 5 in New York City's Riverside Church and featured the sounds of Beethoven, Brahms, Schubert, Schoenberg and Part.

Class of 1992 All-Night Party

Parents of senior students at Northville High School are reminded that the payment of \$35 for your student to attend the Class of 1992 All-Night Party is due May 1. Volunteer chairpersons of the annual student bash have been working nightly at the high school preparing for the party. Payments should be sent to Sherry Duff, 776 Bradburn, Northville.

Schoolcraft bids farewell to Kramer

Verla Kramer, a secretary in the technology, natural sciences, liberal arts, math and business divisions will retire this year from Schoolcraft College. But not without the recognition of college officials at a College Recognition Ceremony in May.

Kramer joined the college in 1975 and since then has served on three negotiating teams for the Schoolcraft College Association of Office Personnel and on the college's committee to develop staff recognition guidelines.

Upon retiring, Kramer said she plans to expand the business she opened with her husband, Kramer Technical Consulting.

Family Fun Day

This Saturday Maybury State Park will host the Family Fun Day, a day-long event commemorating Earth Day 1992. The day's events kick off at 8:30 a.m. with a 10K May Day Race/2-Mile Walk. Entry fees for the race are \$10; \$6 for walkers before April 24. After that a \$2 late fee is tacked on to both entry fees.

Mustard's Retreat will entertain runners and walkers and families alike with stories, folk music, and songs. A kite show, face painting, a visit from Willy the Clown and nature walks are all part of the day's events.

Booth displays held from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. will share information about the environment, landfills, and recycling at the Exhibition Hall. For further information, please contact Peg Campbell, director of community and public relations at the University of Michigan Health Center at Northville or call 936-9538.

Mothers' Club end-of-the-year meeting

Carol Rahimi will host the Northville Mothers' Club end-of-the-year meeting this Monday, May 4.

In addition to a potluck picnic, the club will be honoring its lifetime and active members and conducting annual business as it celebrates another successful year of fund-raisers and social activities.

The club holds several fund-raising activities throughout the year to benefit Northville Public Schools. This meeting will determine final disburse-



Robert Williams

ment of those monies. For more information call Margaret Surdu at 349-7665 or 348-6417.

Schoolcraft Choir Concerts

The Schoolcraft College Community Choir, which features the voices of six local residents, will present two performances of its annual spring concert, "Music Through the Ages."

The choir will perform at 8 p.m. Thursday, May 7 at the Livonia Public Library and again on Saturday, May 9, at the Faith Lutheran Church of Livonia.

Prudy Chaffin, Pete Clason, Shari Clason, Phyllis Heckemeyer, Janice Kelsey and Dave Llewellyn are six voices in the 60-member choir which will be performing works from Palestrina and di Lasso, J.S. Bach, Haydn's and Mendelssohn and Brahms.

General admission charge for the shows are \$5 for adults, \$3 for seniors and students. Tickets are available at the door or from any choir member. For more information call choir president Shari Clason at 349-8175.

Northville Co-op Preschool Reaches Milestone

The Northville Cooperative Preschool is celebrating its 40th anniversary with a parents' night and dinner dance on Friday, June 5, at the Meadowbrook Country Club. This year's event seeks to honor past presidents and alumni. Event organizers are currently looking for past members of the Co-op to share the evening.

Deadline for purchasing tickets is Wednesday, May 13. Ticket prices are \$26 per person and include dinner and dancing. A cash bar is also available. The dance is open to all alumni, parents, and children of the preschool. For more information call Cindy Atkinson, publicity director at 349-2249.

In Uniform

Airman ROSEMARIE D. BAHNER has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

During the six weeks of training the airman studied Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate's degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

She is the daughter of Opren P.C. Salpa of Detroit and Rosa R. Salpa of Northville.

Her husband, Frank, is the son of Bill and Phyllis Myer of Oswego, N.Y.

Bahner is a 1987 graduate of Northville High School.

Army Spec. JEREMY E. KITCHEN, an artillery fire-support specialist, has arrived for duty at Fort Riley, Kan.

He is the son of Gloria J. Loudry of Northville and Dale R. Kitchen of Alpena.

The specialist is a 1988 graduate of Northville High School.

Marine Pvt. CHRISTO-



Rosemarie Bahner

PHER M. KING, son of Lisa C. King of Northville, recently completed the Light Armored Vehicle Repairman Course.

During the eight-week course at U.S. Army Ordnance Center and School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., students receive instruction on troubleshooting, repair and inspection of light armored vehicles.

The 1989 graduate of Northville High School joined the Marine Corps in July 1991.

Pvt. GORDON R. HOLLAND has completed training at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Columbus, Ga.

He is the son of Beverly O. and Ken Trinka of Waterford.

The private is a 1989 graduate of Northville High School.

Church Briefs

RUMMAGE SALE: First Presbyterian Church presents its annual rummage and bake sale today, April 30, in the Williams Room at the church, 200 E. Main St.

Proceeds from the sale, which runs from 9:30 a.m. until 7 p.m., will benefit missions that are both local and international. This year's sale is being coordinated by the Young Mothers Group.

HEAVEN'S HARMONY: Pastor Otis Buchan of Northville Christian Assembly invites you to come share in the music and ministry of Heaven's Harmony, Sunday, May 3 at 6:30 p.m.

Heaven's Harmony is composed of Rick and Beth Burchell and Steve Bland, all graduates of Central Bible College in Missouri. The trio has traveled the countryside ministering in rallies, churches, youth camps and conventions since 1983.

The group ministers to the young and old alike with a variety of music. The concert is open to the public and is free of charge. Northville Christian Assembly is located at 41355 W. Six Mile Rd.

MAY FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST: The Church Women United of Suburban Detroit — West is holding its May Fellowship Breakfast, May 1 at the First United Methodist Church of Northville.

Guest speaker for the 9:15 a.m. program will be Sr. Elizabeth Harris HVM, from Sojourner House. Cost for the breakfast will be \$3. For more information and reservations call Annabell Gotts at 349-1023. Child care will be available if needed.

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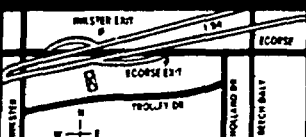
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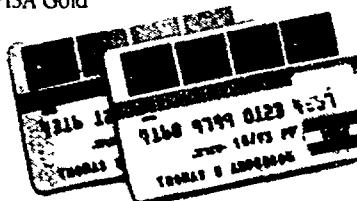
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Priest offers HOPE in local visits

The Rev. William Cunningham, the founder and director of Focus: HOPE, will speak in Northville twice during May.

Cunningham will come here May 2 as a joint project of the First Presbyterian Church of Northville Men's Association and of Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church. He will speak at the Men's Association breakfast, from 8 to 9 a.m. Saturday, May 2, at First Presbyterian, 200 E. Main.

Cunningham will return to be the keynote speaker at the Women's Christian Forum annual dinner meeting Monday, May 11, at 6:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church.

Sponsored by First Presbyterian Church, Women's Christian Forum seeks to provide an opportunity for the discussion of contemporary issues. All programs are open to the community.

Tickets for the May 11 dinner are \$15, \$5 of which will be donated to Focus: Hope. For information or reservations please call the church office at 349-0911.

Born in Detroit in 1930, Cunningham was a parish priest for five years and an English teacher at Sacred Heart Seminary early in his career. For eight years he was a columnist and book editor of the *Michigan Catholic*. In 1969 he was named pastor of the Church of the Madonna in Detroit, and has served six years as a vicar and six years as a consultant for the Archdiocese of Detroit.

He's best known, however, for founding Focus: HOPE, a civil and

human rights organization, in 1968 in the wake of the rioting in Detroit. The organization is intended to help resolve the effects of discrimination and injustice and to build integration.

Under his leadership, Focus: HOPE has developed the Food Prescription Program, which distributes USDA commodities to 48,000 low-income mothers and children each month, and Food for Seniors, which provides a monthly food supplement to 34,000 elderly poor.

Since 1981, Focus: HOPE has been expanding Industry Mall, which includes four manufacturing companies employing 160 workers and a sequence of three manufacturing technology training programs for minority youth and others. Other projects have included Project Trust, a race relations training program for desegregated schools and their communities, and successful litigation in federal court concluding in landmark decisions on race and sex discrimination.

Focus: HOPE's current initiatives include a variety of educational and vocational training programs in manufacturing technology for minority youth and others. Its Center for Advanced Technologies will offer a six-year curriculum combining structured work experience with applied engineering study conducted by a consortium of Michigan universities. Graduates will be technicians able to build, operate, maintain and modify advanced man-



Fr. William Cunningham

ufacturing equipment at world-competitive levels.

Named to the State of Michigan's Task Force on Vandalism and Violence in the Schools and to both state and city task forces on hunger and malnutrition, Cunningham served on the State Holiday Commission for Martin Luther King Jr. and on the Citizens Commission to Improve Michigan Courts. He also was a member of the Detroit Public Schools Dropout Prevention Collaborative, the Detroit Strategic Planning Project, and the Detroit Casino Gaming Commission. Fr. Cunningham presently serves as a member of the state of Michigan

2000 Committee to achieve the six national educational goals.

Awards include the NAACP's Ira W. Jayne Memorial medal, the Temple Israel Brotherhood Award, the Bishop Donnelly Alumni Award, the Jefferson Award, the UCS Executive of the Year Award, the Jessie Slaton Award of the Detroit Association of Black Organizations, the National Governor's Association Award, the Salvation Army's William Booth Award, honorary doctorates from Marygrove College and the University of Detroit, and the Stena Heights College Medal of Highest Distinction.

Nolan cast in playwright's story

By SHARON CONDRON
Staff Writer

In its last scheduled production of the season, the Plymouth Theatre Guild presents Neil Simon's *Brighton Beach Memoirs*.

The play opens Friday, May 1 at the Water Tower Theatre and runs at 8 p.m. on May 2, 8, 9, 15 and 16. Special Sunday matinees are scheduled for May 3 and 10 at 6 p.m.

Brighton Beach Memoirs introduces the audience to a warm and humorous portrait of Simon as a teenager and his family in a crowded lower-middle class Brooklyn in 1937.

This play features the local talents of two Northville residents.

Ernie Nolan plays the part of Stanley, the older brother often idealized by Eugene, the Neil Simon-to-be teenager. Nolan has been involved in professional and education theater since he played one of the Lost Boys in *Peter Pan* at the Marquis Theatre.

He is also a member of Paper Bag Productions and was a teaching assistant for the Marquis Theatre Drama summer camp.

Northville's Karen Groves, president of the Plymouth Theatre Guild and an active member on and off stage, will produce the guild's final show of the season.

There are six other cast members who portray Simon's family members. The show is being directed by Bill Salisbury of Farmington Hills and his assistant Jan Anderson of Canton.

Tickets are \$7, or \$6 for seniors and students. There is a dollar off for tickets purchased in advance of the performance. Special opening night (May 1) discounts are buy one, get a second free. Group rates are also available. Tickets may be purchased in advance at Penniman Deli and Sir Speedy Printing in Plymouth. For more information call the Plymouth Theatre Guild at 349-7110.



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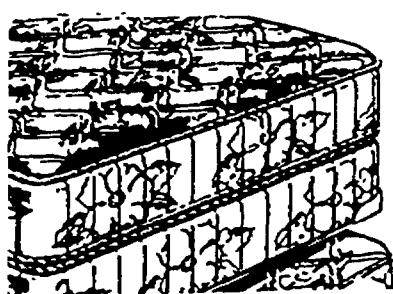
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Engagements

STEVEN CORDON/CATHERINE DOBBINS: Mr. and Mrs. Michael Cordon of Novi announce the engagement of their son, Steven Michael, to Catherine Mary Dobbins of Southgate.

The future groom is a 1982 graduate of Novi High School. He graduated from Western Michigan University with a degree in printing and marketing. He is currently employed as a salesman at Inland Press.

The bride-elect is a 1979 graduate of Southgate High School. She is currently employed at Ford Motor Co. as a Systems Analyst through Geometric Results Incorporated.

An Oct. 3 wedding is planned.

SHERI WEBSTER/DAVID MUCCINO: Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Webster of Hamburg announce the engagement of their daughter, Sheri Lynn Webster of Phoenix, Ariz., to David Wayne Muccino of Ypsilanti, son of Mrs. Marion G. Cowan and the late Emil Muccino of Northville.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Pinckney High School and is currently employed by Southwest Airlines as a flight attendant.

The future groom is a Northville High School graduate who attended Idaho State University. He is currently working as a carpenter.

The wedding date is set for July 18.



ELIZABETH MARIE WALSH/DAVID PERPICH: Mary M. Walsh of Plymouth announces the engagement of her daughter Elizabeth Marie to David E. Perpich, son of Edward and Nancy Perpich of Northville.

The bride-elect, daughter of the late John F. Walsh, attended the University of Michigan and is employed by Coffee Beanery, Ltd. as a district manager. Her fiancée also attended the University of Michigan and is employed by American International of Dearborn. A June wedding is planned at Mercy Chapel, Farmington.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

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349-1700

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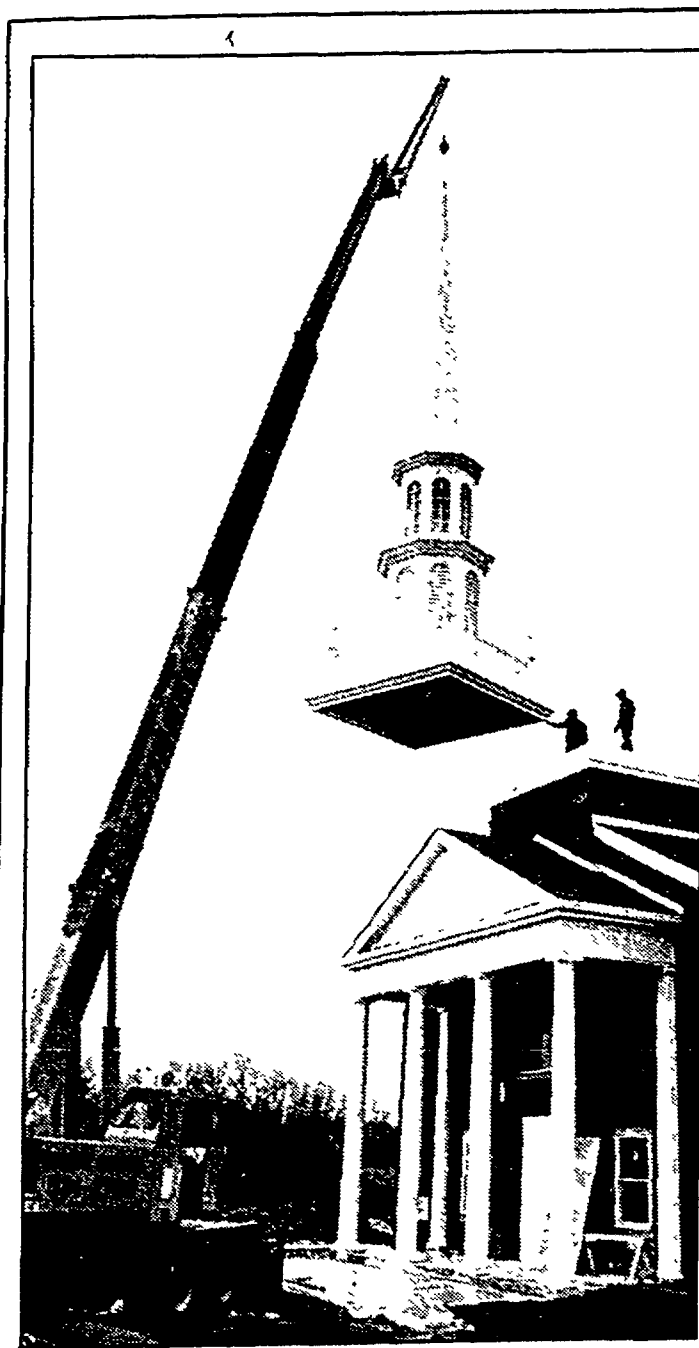


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Here's the steeple...

The new Meadowbrook Congregational Church began to look more like a church last Thursday when workers hoisted its steeple into place. The steeple is 58 feet tall (including cross). Construction of the new church began in late October. Worshipers can expect doors to open in mid-summer.

Local filmmakers break the rules

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"You get the feeling stuff like this has happened before with the CIA and when big business gets out of control," Bonner said.

Bonner's interest in global corruption breathed life into Guertin's idea for a storyline about revolutionizing the world's energy source through the creation of an alternative energy source.

"It just moves me," Guertin said about the script. "I can read it and see how it will appear on the screen."

"Jim wanted to do a spy movie about our own government with no foreigners in it," Guertin said. "And I had the idea for an alternative energy source. This script works well because it ties the two ideas together."

With script in hand, except for minor changes being made to it by an obsessive perfectionist script writer, Guertin and co-producer Wylie are looking for investors so the duo can begin pre-production on the 35-millimeter, full-length feature film in July.

Guertin and Wylie, who both have earned bachelor's degrees in television production from FSU, have successfully produced a television series together before. While enrolled at the university, Guertin was director, producer, and writer of four episodes of a television series — called *Make Believe* — that aired on a national cable network. Patterned after the premise of the *Twilight Zone* series, *Make Believe* episodes told bizarre stories that lingered somewhere between the realm of the surreal and reality.

Produced for a measly \$35 an episode, Guertin knew then how to make quality programs on a limited budget, and continues to use his creativity and intuition to produce quality programming.

The *Incorporated* should be no exception. On a mere \$600,000 projected budget, this film, like *Make Believe*, should break all the rules.

With the help of some well-known colleagues and borrowed facilities, *Make Believe* Studios diverts from the beaten path in its efforts to keep the film under budget. Cost for the script was "reasonable," and local ta-

lent will replace academy award winners. Borrowing rather than renting production facilities and shooting the film locally will also help contain costs.

Despite their youth (Guertin, 25, and Wylie, 22), the team's endeavor is backed by 80-plus years of experience in film and video making.

Serving as producer and post-production coordinator are the husband-and-wife team Shelby Newhouse and Christa Kindt. Newhouse, a prolific character in local production circles with one national and three regional Emmys to his credit, is the founder of the Shana Corp. His company has produced motion pictures, videotapes and discs for a list of big name corporations headquartered in Detroit. His wife's company, Unique Film and Video of Farmington Hills, serves currently as Guertin's full-time employer, but will eventually, once production gets under way, be home to *Make Believe* Studios.

Dana Newhouse, Shelby's son, will provide an original soundtrack for the film. Dana plans to combine digital music from his studio with live musicians to get a "full orchestra" sound for the final score for the movie.

Before the onset of the nine-month pre-production schedule which is targeted for July 1, the team is busy tying up legal contracts establishing a limited partnership for the production company, and trying to get investors for the film.

"Ideally we'd like to have \$200,000 by September 1992 so we can go further," Guertin said. "I'm optimistic that we'll make it because we have everything in place that we can really utilize to make it a good film."

Once they reach the \$200,000 benchmark, both plan on quitting jobs they have now to pursue their dream full time. Wylie, currently a freelancer for Ford Motor Co. in its Communications Network, said he won't quit until he sees that money in escrow.

"I can't take that kind of risk now, but when I can truly say, yes, this film's going to fly, I'll go at it full time," Wylie said.

On Campus

Named to the dean's list in recognition for superior academic achievement during the past term at Madonna University, Livonia, were the following Northville residents:

COLLEEN M. CONNOLLY, computer information systems; **ANGELA G. HANCOCK**, biology; **MICHELLE R. KAMON**, legal assistant; **TRACEY H. KERSHAW**, international business and economics; **COLLEEN D. KIRWAN**, psychology; **BRIAN G. LAWRIE**, commercial art; **DONALD G. LEHNA**, fire science; **KIMBERLY S. MAI**, psychology; **MELISSA A. MEYERS**, commercial art; **LISETTE MILLER**, management; **PATRICIA L. MITCHELL**, management; **SUSAN MORONEY**, marketing; **JILL MOUNTAIN**, English; **NANCY MUELLER**, computer information systems; **CHERYL A. POTOK**, computer information systems and **CHRISTINE D. WILHELM**, psychology.

TAMMY WELLS of Northville has been initiated into Zeta Tau Alpha, Iota Chi Chapter at Middle Tennessee State University. She has also been elected Standards and Enrichment for ZTA.

JILL KIMBERLY AYERS and **JOHN C. LLEWELLYN**, both of Northville, have been named to the fall dean's list at the University of Michigan. To qualify students must achieve a grade point average of 3.5 or better.

SCOTT SINKWITTS of Northville, a senior civil engineering student at Michigan State University, was initiated into Chi Epsilon, a national engineering honor society, on March 1.

JACK E. ROUSH, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roush of Northville, has received recognition on the dean's list for the fall semester at Bradley University in Peoria, Ill. To be eligible for the honor a student must maintain a grade point average of 3.5 or better.

SUSAN MORONEY of Northville and **MADELEINE DREW** of Northville recently received the Highest Achievement Award given by Madonna University School of Business during the school's Honors Convocation.

The award is given to students who complete a minimum of 40 semester hours in their major and have the highest grade point of their major.

KAREN BANKS of South Lyon, daughter of Barbara and Vincent Banks of Northville, has been awarded the Edward C. and Hazel L. Stephenson Foundation Scholarship for the 1991-92 academic year at Madonna University.

STEVEN L. CHAMBERLAIN, **AMY ELIZABETH HILL** and **JUDITH JANITZ**, all residents of Northville, were among Ferris State University students to complete requirements for certificates, associate's, bachelor's and doctoral degrees during the fall quarter.

ELIZABETH A. LUDINGTON, daughter of Mrs. Judith M. Moons of Northville; **ELIZABETH D. CAMPBELL**, daughter of Keith and Nancy Campbell of Northville; **AMANDA C. PARKE**, daughter of Geary and Marilyn Parke of Northville; **ELISSA L. PETERS**, daughter of Mrs. Barbara Peters and Mr. Frederick Peters, both of Northville; and **SEAN S. SENECA**, son of Richard and Carol Senecal of Northville, were named to the dean's list at Albion College for the fall semester.

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The Friday evening concerts in the downtown bandshell have been a popular part of Northville's summers for several years.

NAC seeks concert sponsors

Local organizations and businesses will have an opportunity this summer to sponsor local musicians.

The Northville Arts Commission will offer local businesses and organizations the opportunity to cosponsor the very popular Friday night music series: The Clock Concerts.

For \$100 co-sponsor fee, the sponsor will not only receive the gratitude of the residents who enjoy these con-

certs (sometimes as many as 500 gather at the downtown bandshell), but will have the opportunity to promote good will in the community and receive increased public visibility.

Here is how it works:
Each Saturday morning the poster at the bandshell will contain the name of the next musical group scheduled to perform along with the name

of the sponsoring business or organization.

Sponsorship will be scheduled in advance and will be posted for one full week at the bandshell.

The sponsor's name will be announced to the crowd at the beginning of the concert.

A high-quality sign, with the name of the business or organization, will be displayed on stage for the entire

concert.

Due to the city budget cuts, the Northville Arts Commission is seeking this financial help with these free concerts. If enough support is generated the Clock Concerts will be held each Friday evening all summer.

Co-sponsors may make their checks payable to The Northville Arts Commission and mail them to: Northville Arts Commission, P.O. Box 99, Northville 48167.

Entertainment Listings

Music

JOSH WHITE JR.: Folk and blues singer Josh White Jr., known around the world for his powerful voice, brilliant guitar playing, and grass roots music, will perform at Schoolcraft College on Saturday, May 2, at 7 and 9 p.m. in the college's Waterman Campus Center.

Influenced by his legendary father Josh White, he began performing at the age of 4 and starred in five Broadway plays: *The Long Dream*, *Only in America*, *Touchstone*, *The Man* (with his father), and *How Long Till Summer* (with Lillian Gish). He's produced 15 albums, one film score, and has received numerous honors and awards, including Best Child Actor of the Year in 1949 for his Broadway performance with Lillian Gish.

Tickets are \$10, and can be obtained by calling the office of Institutional Advancement at 462-4417. Personal checks, Visa, MasterCard, and Discover will be accepted. All proceeds will fund athletic scholarships.

Schoolcraft College is located at 18600 Haggerty.

AMBASSADOR CHAMBER PLAYERS: Schoolcraft College will present the Ambassador Chamber Players in concert at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, May 3, in the college's Forum Building Recital Hall.

Susan Stott, mezzo-soprano, and Linda Wotring, pianist, will accompany the Chamber Players. Selections from Schumann, Brahms, and Chausson will be featured. The concert is free and open to the public. Schoolcraft is located at 18600 Haggerty, between Six Mile and Seven Mile. For more information call 462-4400, Ext. 5218 or 5225.

CHOIR CONCERTS: The Schoolcraft College Community Choir, under the direction of Donald Stromberg, will present two performances of its annual spring concert, "Music through the Ages," on Thursday, May 7 at the Livonia Public Library and on Saturday, May 9 at Faith Lutheran Church of Livonia. Both performances begin at 8 p.m.

The concert will provide a musical walk through time, beginning with 16th century works of Palestrina and di Lasso and continuing a Baroque work by J.S. Bach, selections from

Haydn's "The Seasons," and 19th century works by Mendelssohn and Brahms. Traditional spirituals and selections by Samuel Barber and Leonard Bernstein represent the 20th century.

General admission charge is \$5 for adults and \$3 for students and seniors. Tickets are available at the door. For more information call Choir President Shari Clason at 349-8175 or Continuing Education Services at 462-4448.

GITFIDDLER CONCERT/WORKSHOP SERIES: The Gitfiddler Music Store, 302 E. Main, offers a concert/workshop the last Friday of each month. For information or reservations call 349-9420. Each concert runs from 7:30-9:30 p.m.

Schedule includes: May 29, classical guitarist Ken Puterbaugh, \$6.50.

STARTING GATE: The Starting Gate Saloon offers live music every Friday and Saturday night from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

The Starting Gate is located at 135 N. Center St. in downtown Northville.

CHURCH CONCERT SERIES: The First Presbyterian Church of Northville presents its 1991-92 concert series. The remaining schedule is as follows:

● Men and Boys Choir of Christ Church Grosse Pointe, D. Frederick DeHaven, conductor, in a concert of English Cathedral Music. Sunday, May 17, at 4 p.m.

Tickets are \$8 each. For more information call 349-0911.

YOUTH PHILHARMONIC: The Livonia Youth Philharmonic, three separate orchestras including several local residents, plays its spring concert at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, May 9, at the Smith Theater on the Orchard Ridge Campus of Oakland Community College.

Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3 for students and seniors; family rate, \$10. For more information call 453-8887.

Local members include, in the Philharmonic Orchestra, Amy Baxtresser and Beth Ganfield; in the Advanced String Orchestra, Lindsay Neuss, Norreen Hughes and Sophie Liao; and in the Junior String Orchestra, Janice Liao.

MR. B'S FARM: Mr. B's Farm, on

Novi Road north of Ten Mile, presents live music all week with no cover charge.

Sunday is a "Strings N' Things Jam" from 9 p.m. to midnight every Sunday night. Local artists get together for impromptu jams.

Here's the lineup for the next week: Thursday, the Bizer Brothers; Friday and Saturday, Sittin' In; Sunday, Strings 'n' Things the band visits Strings 'n' Things the jam; Monday, the Pointe; Tuesday, Mary Maguire & Myk Rise; Wednesday, Charlie Salaz is back.

Music starts at 9 p.m. For more information call Mr. B's Farm at 349-7038.

WHISPERS LOUNGE: Whispers Lounge, in the Novi Hilton, is open Sunday through Tuesday, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 a.m. and Wednesday through Saturday, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 a.m. Live entertainment from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Tuesday through Saturday.

Through May 2, Heartbeat is scheduled. Monday evening is Jazz Monday from 8:30-11 p.m. at Whispers.

VICTOR'S: Where can you find an active Hammond organ, great music and good food? Answer: Victor's of Novi. Call 349-1438 ahead to find out if nostalgic Connie Mallett will be on keyboard.

Master of the Hammond, Mallett charms her audiences at Victor's with such favorites as "Misty," "New York, New York" and "Moonlight Serenade."

PIANO MAN: Pianist Tom Altenburg is now performing nightly at the Country Epicure Restaurant, Tuesday through Saturday. Crowds are welcome to sing along beginning at 7 p.m. each night.

Country Epicure is located at 42050 Grand River between Meadowbrook and Novi roads. For more information call, 349-7770.

WEEKNIGHT JAZZ: Home Sweet Home restaurant, on Nine Mile just east of Novi Road, offers live jazz every Wednesday from 8-11 p.m.

Performances are by the Buddy Budson Band with featured vocalist Eric Brandon. Often local jazz stars like Ursula Walker and Marcus Belgrave sit in as well.

There is no additional charge for the performances. For more information,

call the restaurant at 347-0095.

PLYMOUTH ORATORIO SOCIETY: The Plymouth Oratorio Society will perform both the Beethoven Mass in C and the Choral Fantasy at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 3 in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 North Territorial, a half-mile west of Sheldon.

There will be no charge for admission, but a free-will offering will be taken. Louis Nagel of the University of Michigan School of Music will be the featured piano soloist in the Choral Fantasy.

For more information call 455-6512 or 761-2991.

LIVONIA CIVIC CHORUS: The Livonia Civic Chorus will present its annual spring show, "Tune In to the '40s — A Sentimental Journey" at 8 p.m. May 1 and 2 at the Clarenceville High School Auditorium, 20155 Middlebelt, north of Seven Mile.

Songs such as "Begin the Beguine," "Chattanooga Choo-Choo," "Juke Box Saturday Night," "Embraceable You," and "As Time Goes By" are featured.

Tickets are available at the Livonia Parks and Recreation office (\$5 adults, \$3 seniors/students) or at the door. For more information call 525-5752.

Theater

BRIGHTON BEACH MEMOIRS: The Plymouth Theatre Guild presents Neil Simon's *Brighton Beach Memoirs*, an autobiographical portrait of the playwright as a teenager and his family in lower middle class Brooklyn.

Performances are at 8 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays, May 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, and 16; and at 6 p.m. Sundays, May 3 and 10. Tickets are \$7 at the door or \$6 in advance; \$1 discount for players 62 and over and 18 and under. Advance tickets available at Penniman Deli and Sir Speedy Printing in Plymouth, or by mail at P.O. Box 451, Plymouth, MI 48170.

Performances are in Northville at the Water Tower Theatre on the campus of Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital, 41001 Seven Mile. For more information call 349-7110.

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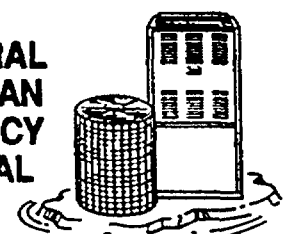
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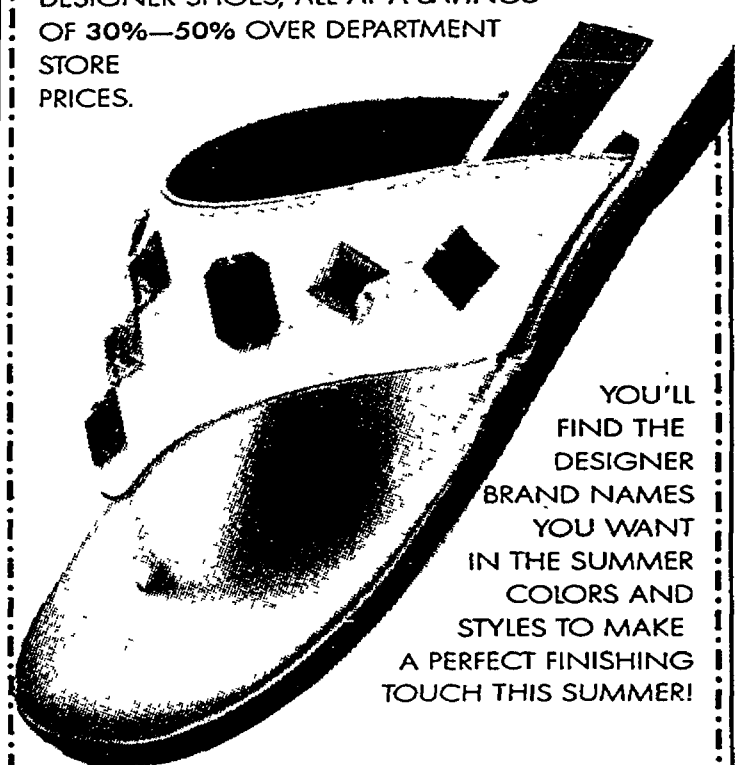
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Q&A

By WILLIAM T. TOMICKI
New York Times Travel Syndicate

Q: Can you suggest a good location for sportfishing in Mexico?

A: The Ixtapa-Zihuatanejo area offers some of the best deep-sea fishing in the world. And the spot is still relatively undiscovered.

In these waters, sailfish abound and the yellowfin tuna weigh up to 220 pounds. Roosterfish and wahoo are other popular catches. Marlin in the 600-pound class, as well as 50-pound mahi-mahi have also been caught.

Zihuatanejo was a fishing village centuries before the emergence of modern Ixtapa. The area still maintains its traditional fisherman's way of life.

For further information about local hotels, fishing outings and travel costs contact the Ixtapa/Zihuatanejo central travel information desk at (800) 22-IXTA. Information is also available from your local travel agent.

Q: We love bed and breakfasts and are now planning our next trip to New England. Is there a good guidebook to which we might refer?

A: Author Bernice Chesler has just published her third edition of "Bed and Breakfast in New England" (Globe Pequot Press, Chester, Conn., \$14.95).

The comprehensive text includes reviews of 450 bed and breakfasts. It also has information on meals, rates, bathroom facilities and other necessities — as well as maps and directional guides.

Q: This summer our family is planning a trip to Glacier Park, Mont. What activities can we expect?

A: Glacier National Park offers more than 700 miles of hiking and horseback trails, as well as river rafting, overnight backpack trips to chalets and llama trekking.

Neighboring Flathead Valley has opportunities for hiking, fishing, hunting, horseback riding and river rafting. It is also home to eight golf courses.

Among them is Eagle Bend, which was rated the No. 2 new public golf course in 1989 by Golf Digest.

Flathead Lake is the largest freshwater lake west of the Mississippi River — with summer options that include sailing, windsurfing, scuba diving, waterskiing and fishing.

For further information contact the Flathead Convention and Visitors Association at (800) 543-3105. Or contact Glacier National Park, West Glacier, Mont. 59936; telephone (406) 888-5441. Information is also available from your local travel agent.

Q: We want to stay at a London hotel with a lot of history and atmosphere. Any tips?

A: The elegant Hyde Park Hotel in Knightsbridge is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year.

A recent lavish restoration allowed the hotel to brighten its marble, shine the crystal chandeliers and unroll gorgeous Persian carpets.

The hotel sits directly on the wooded edge of Hyde Park. That's where the queen's Household Cavalry parades each morning on the way to Buckingham Palace. Guests can observe that ceremony from the hotel dining room at 10:30 a.m.

The area offers 361 acres of equestrian trails, jogging paths and tennis and squash courts.

For further information contact the Hyde Park Hotel, 66 Knightsbridge, London SW1Y 7LA England or call 011-44-071-235-2000.

Information is also available from your local travel agent.

Making reservations for Rome

City of Light's expensive but worthwhile — with qualifications

By ALAN COWELL
New York Times Travel Syndicate

As Europe's capitals go, Romans acknowledge with a mix of pride and regret that theirs best exemplifies the old adage that time is money. In other words, in this city it is virtually impossible to spend time without spending money in substantial dollops.

So the question arises: Is it still worth it now that youth's lost memories of dollar-a-bowl pasta are gone and the famed three coins in the Trevi Fountain won't even buy a cappuccino?

The answer, with some significant qualification, is: yes. And the reasons are as clichéd as ever.

For all the buzzing, high-decibel motorini, the purse-snatchers, the suicidal lemming-rush of the traffic and the pall of carbon monoxide over the Pantheon, this is still a city of art and amusement, of romance that extends from the young couples locked in a koala-like embrace to the sudden glimpse under some archway on some cobbled byway of a cascade of geraniums catching the sunlight by a fountain and a statue.

Starting at 5 p.m., especially on Saturday, Romans take their strolls and do their shopping and coveting along the main central arteries and their tributaries, from the Piazza del Popolo along the Via del Corso to the Piazza Venezia.

Follow the flow to the Piazza Navona with its fountains and curbside artists — \$40 for a portrait in pencil, less for a caricature sketch; the Pantheon, where any number of ice-cream parlors in adjacent side streets offer exotic flavors for just under \$2 a cone; and, for a morning outing, stroll through the open-air market of the Campo dei Fiori, where shoppers buy their fruit, vegetables and other produce from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m.

Whatever else has changed — and despite the traffic — central Rome is still a compact stroller's city, and it is still possible to experience that particular thrill of getting a glimpse of Italy beyond the monuments for nothing more than the price of a cup of coffee.

EVENTS

The major art exhibitions will be displaying the works of Caravaggio, Raphael and the Italian futurist Enrico Prampolini in May.

And, though its reputation is nowhere near as exalted as La Scala's in Milan, the Rome Opera will be presenting a program of opera and ballet from May to early June.

The Caravaggio exhibition, smaller than "The Age of Caravaggio" at the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York in 1985, runs through May 24 at the Palazzo Ruspoli, located at 418 Via del Corso. It is open daily from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Admission is \$9.50. For more information call 6832177.

The drawings of Raphael, assembled from many parts of the world, are on display at the Accademia di Francia, located at 1 Viale

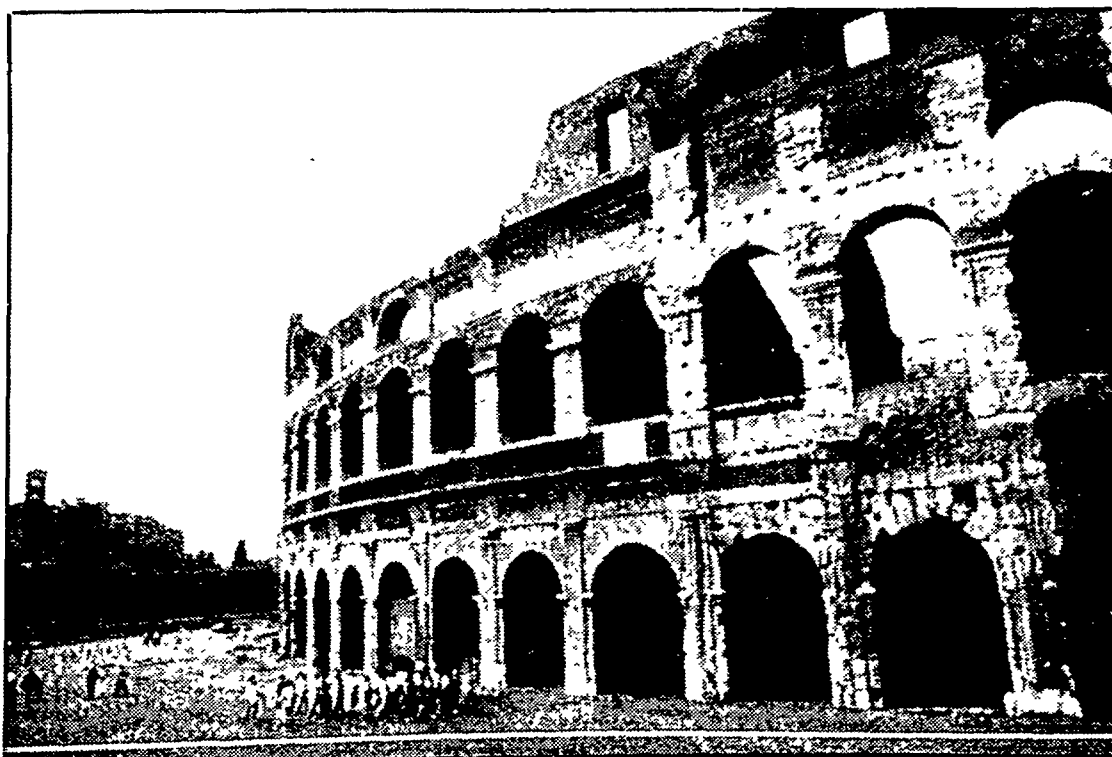


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Rome's most awe-inspiring ancient monument is the Colosseum

della Trinità dei Monti, through May 30. The exhibition is open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily except Monday morning. Admission is \$9.50. For more information call 67611.

At the Palazzo delle Esposizioni, located at 194 Via Nazionale, the Enrico Prampolini exhibit offers a rare retrospective of the artist's work. Admission is \$10. The exhibition runs through May 25 and is open from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. except Tuesday. For more information call 4885465.

The Rome Opera, located at Piazza Beniamino Gigli, offers tickets ranging from \$18 in the gallery to around \$150 for seats in a central box.

The program includes Ruggiero Leoncavallo's "Pagliacci" and Pietro Mascagni's "Amico Fritz" on May 2, 6, 10, 13, 16; Franz Lehár's "Merry Widow" on May 12, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 27; and Gaetano Donizetti's "Fille du Regiment" on May 26, 29, 31 and June 4, 6. For more information call the box office at 4874568.

Opera is also performed at the Teatro Valle, located at Via del Teatro Valle, where Gioacchino Rossini's "Caliph of Baghdad" will be presented May 8 and 9. Rossini's "Cinderella," presented June 3 and 5, will be sung by award-winning young opera singers. For more information call 6543794.

The ballet program at the Rome Opera is Gluck's "Iphigénie en Tauride," which will be presented June 12, 13 and 14 with the Pina Bausch company.

For chamber music the National Academy of Santa Cecilia, located at 4 Via delle Conciliazioni, offers Friday-night concerts throughout May. Admission ranges from \$18 to \$30. For more information call 6541044.

SIGHTSEEING

Rome sometimes seems to be nothing more than sights waiting to be seen — from the Basilica of St. Peter's at the Vatican to the Coliseum. But there are other perspectives.

From June 1 through Sept. 30 the Aquabus will ply the Tiber on a 20-minute ride from the Isola Tiberina to the Ponte Duca da Ostia via the Ponte Cavour. It will cost about 90 cents — \$1.80 round trip — and can be boarded at any of those three points.

The route goes nowhere near really ancient monuments, but it does perambulate through parts of the modern city — Trastevere, once working-class, now gentrified, and riverside apartments that might almost be in Paris. The boat runs, in theory at least, every 40 minutes from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

If the pace of the city center becomes too much, a \$15 taxi ride or a 70-cent trip on the No. 41 bus from the city center brings the visitor to the Villa Doria Pamphili park — free admission — beyond Trastevere, where sculptured gardens and waterways offer a setting for walks, jogs and slightly fresher air.

Equally, May is a time for horticulturists. The Municipal Rose Garden, with 5,000 bushes and 1,000 varieties, is located at Via Valle Murcia and open from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2-8 p.m. Admission is free. For more information call 5746810.

At the Spanish Steps a blaze of azaleas offers a delicious display. The Botanical Gardens, located at 24 Largo Cristina di Svezia, is open Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Admission is \$1.75. For more information call 6864193.

A way off the familiar trail of the

Forum and the other wonders of ancient Rome, between the Piazza Navona and the Tiber, lies an area of cobbled streets and intimate squares.

Though it is not on many tourist itineraries it is strolling territory par excellence, dotted with bars and cafes, and in May is host to the antiquities fair along the Via dei Coronari, where you might glance at the heart-stopping prices of antique desks.

For a more down-to-earth Rome cross the Tiber at the Isola Tiberina to plunge into the tangle of Trastevere itself. For one thing, this quarter of cobbled streets, narrow alleys and street musicians is home to the magnificent Santa Maria in Trastevere church, located at Piazza Maria.

More prosaically, Trastevere is also home to the only exclusively English-language movie theater, Pasquino, located at 19 Vicolo del Piede. Admission is \$5. Daily shows are at 6:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. For more information call 5803622.

HOTELS

Hotels in Rome, as in the rest of Italy, can be extraordinarily expensive and in central Rome bargains are virtually non-existent. Even a basic pension can run to \$70 a night for a single.

Despite the high prices, the big hotels fill to capacity in the peak summer season. The following are among the finest in service and style of accommodations.

The most renowned and expensive is the 100-room Hassler, set atop the Spanish Steps, located at 6 Piazza Trinità dei Monti, where doubles without breakfast start at around \$500 and breakfast is \$20 per per-

son. For more information call 6792651. As with other hotels, prices include taxes.

In a similar price range, though in a less alluring part of town, roughly between the train station and the Via Veneto, is the 171-room Le Grand Hotel, located at 3 Via Vittorio Emanuele Orlando. Le Grand Hotel, as its name implies, is in the grand style of the early 20th century. A double with breakfast starts at \$500.

Conveniently situated for the Pantheon and any number of Rome's great churches is the 97-room Hotel Santa Chiara, located at 21 Via Santa Chiara, where a double with breakfast costs \$210 — \$180 for one person. For more information call 6540142.

Less expensive, but by no means cheap, is the 35-unit Residence Velabro, located at 16 Via del Velabro, which offers serviced mini-apartments for stays of at least one week beginning at \$160 a night for a "studio" comprising bedroom, kitchenette and bathroom.

The Residence is conveniently situated within walking distance of the Forum and the Piazza Venezia. For more information call 6793450.

Among the smaller hotels is the 27-room Hotel Portoghesi, located at Via del Portoghesi, behind the Piazza Navona, in an area of narrow cobbled streets and 17th-century houses. It charges about \$135 for a double with breakfast. For more information call 6864231.

The Hotel Romano, located at 32 Largo Corrado Ricci, charges \$70 for a double with bath — without breakfast — and \$55 without private bath. For more information call 6795851.

The Pensione Coronet, located at 5 Piazza Grazioli, offers a double with breakfast for about \$95. For more information call 6792341.

Budget Choice: The 22-room Hotel Pensione Parlamento, located at 5 Via delle Conventelle, has a double with private bathroom and breakfast for around \$90 — \$80 with shared bath. For more information call 6841697.

RESTAURANTS

Rome has so many restaurants that the problem is to find exactly what you want at the price you want.

In central Rome a modest meal for two with wine is a good buy at \$45 and most times the tab is \$70 or \$80, even in simple restaurants.

From then on, the sky's the limit, particularly if the meal includes fish or an expensive wine such as a Brunello. Most medium-priced restaurants have a perfectly adequate house wine at \$6 or \$7.

Among the best of Rome's restaurants is the elegant Patrizia e Roberto del Pianeta Terra, located at 95 Via Dell'Arco del Monte. In a small, intimate first-floor room with the characteristic vaulted brick ceiling of ancient Rome. It is closed on Monday; open evenings only. A nouvelle cuisine dinner for two with wine starts at over \$200. For more information call 6868993.

Tours of Alaska's wilderness

a big hit with mature travelers

By GENE and ADELE MALOTT
New York Times Travel Syndicate

On our last tour through Alaska's Denali National Park we stopped for 10 minutes and watched a grizzly bear track and crush two moose calves to feed two hungry bear cubs.

It was within 50 yards of our bus — not the sort of thing you generally see at the local zoo.

In Alaska, folks can get up close to nature. They can watch glaciers crash into the sea, see the North American continent's tallest mountain or watch eagles swoop down on their prey. They can walk on dirt streets which, less than a century ago, were trod by gunfighters and gold-rush explorers.

Although barely removed from its own frontier days, Alaska has never been more accessible to mature travelers.

This summer more than 30 cruise ships will go to Alaska from West Coast ports. And three major airlines now serve Anchorage from the mainland.

The state has a well-developed network of routes for motor coaches and railroads, making it possible to visit remote places such as Tok and Eagle.

Thanks to tour operators such as Princess Cruises and Holland-America's Westours, it's easy to sample Alaska's unusual sights.

Special trips designed for seniors by groups such as Grand Circle Travel, Saga Holidays and the travel extension of the American Association for Retired People (AARP) make the Alaska experience even less expensive.

A good time to visit is in the spring — late May or early June. The weather may be harder to predict, but the animals are friskier, just out of hibernation. Not yet scared

off by tourists, they wander around with their young and pose for cameras.

Organized tours to Alaska are especially popular with mature travelers "because it's an easy trip. You get carried a lot and there's not lots of walking," one travel agent told us on the rail trip to Denali.

Some travelers have trouble sleeping the first few days in the perpetual daylight. But who wants to go to bed when the sun is still up?

Expect to pay as little as \$3,000 per person for an extensive Alaska cruise-tour planned by an agent such as Holland America-Westours or Princess Tours.

One of the least expensive Alaska experiences is Regency Cruises' 11-day voyage that includes Denali National Park, but not the Yukon, for less than \$2,000 per person.

Even with additional tips, bar bills, side romps, souvenirs and cruise-ship extras, a terrific tour can still cost around \$3,500 per person.

Try to combine a flight to Anchorage, one or two nights in the wilderness of Denali National Park, a visit to Dawson City and the Yukon and a cruise back through the Inside Passage to Vancouver, with stops at Juneau and Glacier Bay — where there's whale-watching galore.

For further information contact Grand Circle Travel at (800) 221-2610, Saga Holidays (800) 343-0273, AARP Travel (800) 745-4567 or any other local agency that handles trips especially for seniors.

It's also wise to write for information to the Alaska Division of Tourism, Pouch E-803, Juneau, Alaska 99811 (907-465-2010); Alaska Visitors Association, P.O. Box 101110, Anchorage, Alaska 99510 (907-276-6663); and Tourism Yukon, P.O. Box 2703, Whitehorse, Yukon Territory, Canada Y1A 2C6.

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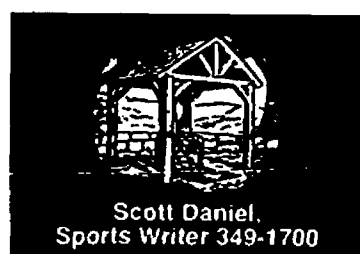


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Mustangs thump Walled Lake in conference play

By SCOTT DANIEL
Staff Sports Writer

Like the tide, the Mustang tennis team continues to roll along.

Northville's latest victim to be swept away was Walled Lake Central Monday evening. Even with No. 2 singles player Matt Schwagle out, the Mustangs had little trouble in taking a 6-1 victory over the Vikings.

"I thought the kids played pretty well considering we hadn't practiced in a week," said coach Dick Norton. "On the whole, I think they did well."

The Mustangs are now 7-0 on the season, including a 6-0 mark in the Western Lakes Activities Association. Northville is 2-0 in the Western division of the conference.

Matt Schwagle did miss the match because of a slightly sprained ankle. Norton said the freshman was expected to return to action yesterday against Canton.

In his absence, brother Mark Schwagle, Northville's top singles player, continued his fine season. Schwagle knocked off Central's Matt Lacey 6-1, 6-1.

Brad Smith moved up to No. 2 singles because of the younger Schwagle's injury. He had little trouble in beating Earl Anzano 6-0, 6-3.

Northville's Britt Davis beat Steve Rezeigh 6-1, 6-0. Rob Kukainis left his customary doubles spot and fin-

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DICK NORTON
Tennis Coach

ished singles action with a win over Bill Slusher 6-3, 6-0.

Jeff Ozanich and Eric Black started doubles with a three-set win for Northville. The duo beat Dan Roggenbuch and Bob Laajala 1-6, 7-5, 6-1.

Scott Anderson and Jeff Woolfall played No. 2 doubles for the Mustangs. The freshmen lost, however, to Clay Fustemaker and Don Graham 3-6, 3-6.

The final match Monday belonged to Jason Brown and Dave Spies. They easily defeated Walled Lake's Thad Chmielewski and Eric Kee 6-2, 6-2.

The Mustangs take on Brighton today on the road and host John Glenn tomorrow.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Matt Schwagle was out of action this week due to injury.

Kurtis reflects on recent marathon

By SCOTT DANIEL
Staff Sports Writer

Doug Kurtis has a funny way of having a good time on the road.

Instead of kicking back, watching a movie, a ball game or perhaps reading a book, he likes to run. And run. And run some more. In fact, the Northville resident of seven years runs more than a 100 miles a week.

While some folks' automobiles don't get that kind of workout in seven days, Kurtis says it's no big deal. Chances are, if you've been on your bike cruising down Edward Hines Drive or been walking downtown, you've seen Doug happily trotting along.

"I just enjoy getting outside," he said. "Northville is an ideal place to train."

At last week's annual Boston Marathon, Kurtis put all that road work to use. While competing in that race

for the first time since 1982, he finished as America's best — 19th overall, with a time of 2 hours, 17 minutes, and 3 seconds.

Not bad for a 40-year-old. "I'm blessed with a good physical body," said Kurtis. "I really consider this to be my true profession. It's what I was blessed to do."

It was the seventh time he has been to New England for the race. His best time came in 1980, when he ran the marathon in just under 2:16.

The Ford Motor Co. systems analyst said he stayed away from Boston until this year for a good reason.

"The competition is pretty tough there," Kurtis said. "I didn't feel I could be competitive. The reason I went back this year is because I turned 40."

Runners over that mark compete in the "Masters" division. While he was 19th overall, Kurtis was second

in the Masters division, 17 seconds behind the winner.

A pace of just over 5 minutes per mile carried him to the top showing. "I felt the course was somewhat fast," Kurtis explained. "There are a lot of downhills in the beginning."

As in every other marathon, his goal, he said, was to run under 2:20. Kurtis has accomplished the feat 64 times, which ranks him second in the world in that category.

The Northville resident runs in about a dozen marathons a year. Among other accomplishments, he has qualified for the Olympic trials four times.

While being physically active and competing is great, Kurtis says, collecting prize money is a nice bonus. That bonus can range from \$1,000 to \$5,000 per race.

Kurtis doesn't have a formal sponsor to pick up the expenses of his marathon running. But, he said,

Nike does pay for his equipment. Year-round training allows him to keep competing year after year.

A daily routine consists of running seven miles at lunch time and another eight in the evening, seven days a week. Kurtis said he doesn't train with weights or use other, more popular training methods. Heck, he doesn't even watch his diet that closely.

"I eat anything," Kurtis joked. The Pittsburgh Marathon is next on the runner's agenda. Besides Boston, he has competed in Long Beach this year.

Kurtis has been running competitively now for 25 years. After all the miles over that time, you might think he would tire of running.

Wrong! "There aren't too many days that I miss," he said. "I really look forward to it every day."



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Wow!

Goalkeeper Beth MacLean helped Northville to a 1-0 shutout of Plymouth Salem Monday. The Rocks were ranked No. 3 in the state.

Schoolcraft will offer various summer camps

Once again this summer, Schoolcraft College will offer a number of camps for young athletes to improve and hone their skills.

According to school officials, the camps focus on teaching and development of game fundamentals. Basketball, soccer and volleyball are featured this year.

Spots in the popular camps are limited. School officials urge those interested to sign up early to ensure a spot.

Dates and time for each camp are listed below:

BOYS BASKETBALL: The camp, for ages 9-13, will be offered June 15-19 (session A) and June 22-26 (session B). The sessions run from 9 a.m. to noon each day and the cost is \$55 per camper.

This camp will emphasize instruction in basic skills, including footwork, shooting, ball handling, rebounding, and defensive techniques. Participants will spend time each day working on these skills and then using them in two games each day, according to camp information.

Individual and small-group instruction, free-throw shooting and one-on-one contests will be held and a written evaluation of each camper will be made. A camp T-shirt will also be given.

Camp staff will include Dave Bogataj, head basketball coach at Schoolcraft, and high school coaches and college players. It will be held at the college's physical education building.

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Mustangs finish last at relays

By SCOTT DANIEL
Staff Sports Writer

If adversity builds character, then the girls track team gained a large portion of it Saturday at the annual Novi Relays.

The Mustangs finished last at the seven-school meet, managing only seven points. In all fairness, however, Northville was forced to compete with less than half of its squad because of Easter break.

Coach Ann Turnbull said the meet did give the team's younger members a chance to compete.

"Our goal was to give everybody a chance to run," she said.

Dexter won the relays with 97 points. They were followed by Walled Lake Western, Milan, Novi, Livonia Franklin, Redford Union and Northville.

The Mustangs placed fifth in four events.

Julie Buser, Marcy Bolger and freshman Jodi Clark placed fifth in the high jump. The trio combined to clear 8'6".

In the shot put, Kristine Werda, Michelle Fetterman and Sharon Saydak placed sixth. They combined for 59'6".

Mutsumi Yoshida, Sara Kolb, Melanie Helmer and Kelly Hough also took a sixth in the shuttle hurdle event. The combined for 1:24.60.

In the 3,200-meter relay, Aaron

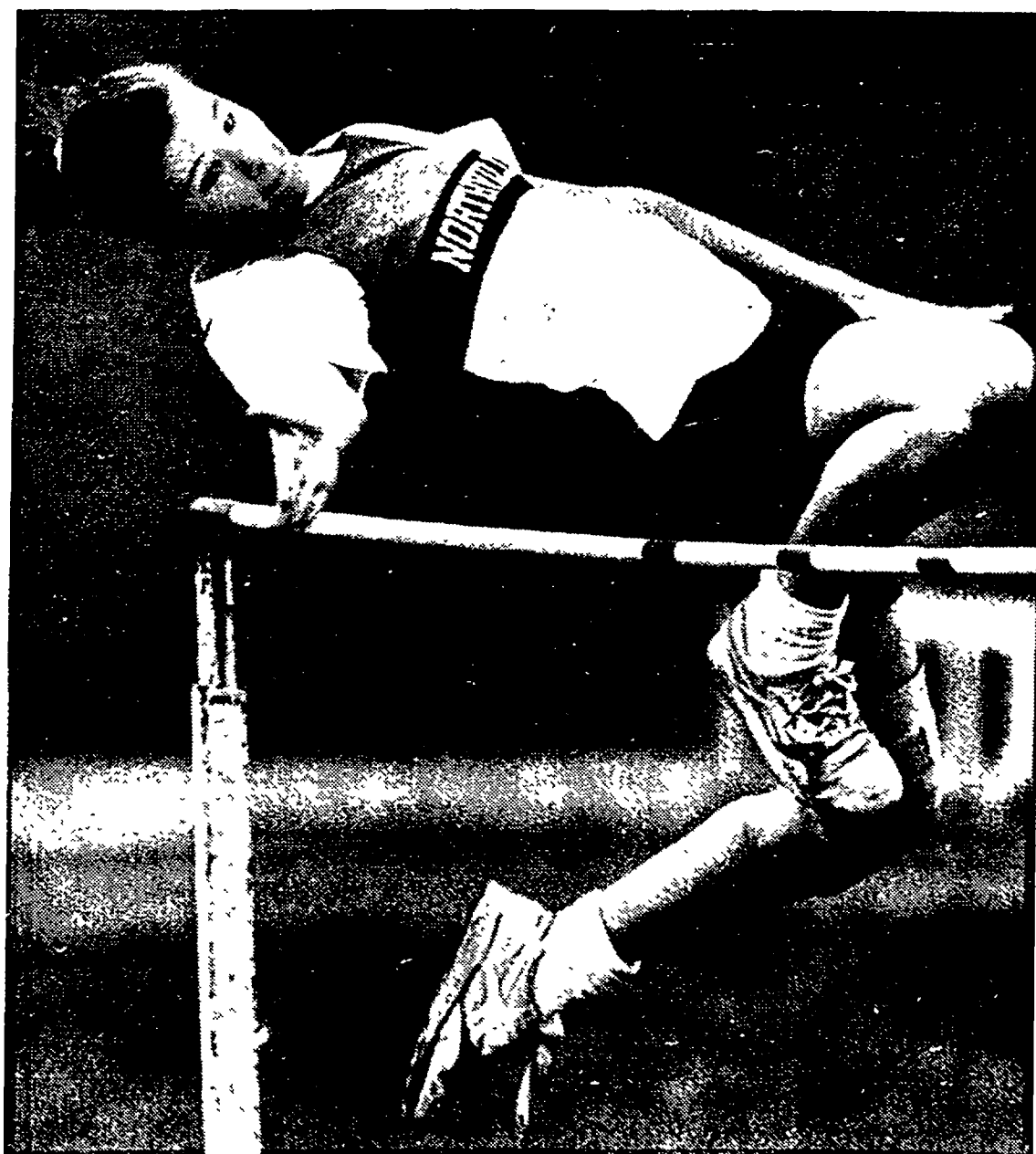


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Tammy Cook is a frequent high jump competitor.

SCOREBOARD

AREA STANDINGS

South Lyon	5-0
Midford	4-1
Novi	5-2
Northville	4-3
Lakeland	0-4

AREA LEADERS

Battling average	
Grigg (Novi)	550
K. Shaw (Northville)	500
Messner (Novi)	478
Elar (South Lyon)	438
Birdsall (Northville)	429
Malsap (Northville)	429
Naumann (Novi)	375
Taylor (Midford)	369

Doubles	
Duncan (South Lyon)	2
K. Shaw (Northville)	2
K. Shaw (Northville)	2
Swanhour (Northville)	2

TRIPLES

None	
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Ross	
Nelson (South Lyon)	1
Viale (South Lyon)	1
K. Shaw (Northville)	1
Malsap (Northville)	1

ERL

Elar (South Lyon)	10
Malsap (Northville)	7
K. Shaw (Northville)	5
E. Shaw (Northville)	5
Swanhour (Northville)	5

PITCHING

Record	
Peterson (Midford)	3-0
Austin (South Lyon)	2-0

Duncan (South Lyon)	2-0
Messner (Novi)	2-0

ERA

Peterson (Midford)	0.32
Austin (South Lyon)	1.07
Stakris (Northville)	2.55
Christenson (Northville)	3.77

STRIKEOUTS

Peterson (Midford)	32
Duncan (South Lyon)	20
Messner (Novi)	20
Christenson (Northville)	11

SOFTBALL

AREA STANDINGS

Lakeland	7-1
Midford	3-3
Novi	2-4
Northville	2-6
South Lyon	0-4

AREA LEADERS

Battling average	
Schenkel (Novi)	667
Reader (Midford)	571
Eiden (Midford)	500
Jepik (Lakeland)	462
Kristen (Midford)	450
McDermott (Lakeland)	444
Apigian (Northville)	428
K. Shaw (Northville)	423
Margiotta (Lakeland)	417
Mathias (Novi)	412
Nyland (Northville)	385

Doubles

Nyland (Northville)	5
Schenkel (Novi)	4
Eiden (Midford)	4
McNeil (Northville)	3
Barton (Novi)	3
Kristen (Midford)	3
Reader (Midford)	2

TRIPLES

Apigian (Northville)	1
Johnson (Novi)	1
Yankowski (Novi)	1

Bosse ross	
Eiden (Midford)	2
Watkins (Midford)	1
McNeil (Northville)	1

RSL

Edlar (Lakeland)	11
Eiden (Midford)	11
Margiotta (Lakeland)	11
McNeil (Northville)	6
Stales Basas	
Eiden (Midford)	13
Sorge (Lakeland)	10
Apigian (Northville)	9
DePierro (Lakeland)	8
Green (Northville)	7
Fanner (Lakeland)	7
Kristen (Midford)	7

Pitching

Record

Margiotta (Lakeland)	7-1
Mabe (Lakeland)	3-0
Nyland (Northville)	2-3
Swanhour (Novi)	2-4

ERA

Mabe (Lakeland)	1.10
Reader (Midford)	1.35
Kristen (Midford)	1.36
Margiotta (Lakeland)	1.80
Swanhour (Novi)	3.28

STRIKEOUTS

Swanhour (Novi)	53
Nyland (Northville)	50
Margiotta (Lakeland)	39
Kristen (Midford)	37
Mabe (Lakeland)	29

Track

AREA STANDINGS

Lakeland	2-0
Northville	4-1
Midford	1-1
Novi	1-1
South Lyon	0-2

AREA LEADERS

100	
Dugonski (Northville)	11.2

Fenchel (Novi)	11.5
110 H	
Butz (Northville)	15.2
Darks (Midford)	15.9
Osborne (Northville)	16.2
Beal (Novi)	16.7

200

Cudra (Northville)	23.2
Dugonski (Northville)	23.4
Fenchel (Novi)	24.1
300 Hurdles	
Butz (Northville)	42.9
Darks (Midford)	42.9
Beal (Novi)	43.5

400

Dietrich (Midford)	51.9
Cudra (Northville)	52.1
Subosch (Northville)	53.3
Tokar (South Lyon)	53.7
Simac (Novi)	54.1

800

Crawford (Novi)	2:02.9
Pick (Midford)	2:05
Hammer (Northville)	2:09.10

1,600

Pick (Midford)	4:32
Molloy (Novi)	4:33.8
Dietrich (Midford)	4:34

3,200

Molloy (Novi)	9:52.4
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400 Relay

Northville	45.2
Midford	46.6

800 Relay

Northville	1:23.8
Midford	1:27.5

1,600 Relay

Northville	3:34.1
Midford	3:37

3,200 Relay

Midford	8:13
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Long Jump

Simac (Novi)	21-7 1/2
Miller (Northville)	20-8 1/2

High Jump

Lehr (Northville)	6-1
Shot Put	
Gatti (Northville)	45-1

Dietrich	
Gatti (Northville)	150-2
Osborne (Northville)	127-10
Horton (Novi)	123-1 1/2

Pole Vault

Beal (Novi)	11-0
Duff (Northville)	9-6

Recreation

Adult Volleyball

Monday Night

Co-ed competitive

High Rollers	29-7
Dig Em's	25-11
Guardian Photo	20-16
National	18-18
KORTS	18-18
Side Out	12-24
Wreckers	10-25
Gators	9-27

Women's competitive

J.B. Pub I	30-6
Stammers	26-10
J.B. Pub II	20-16
Starting Gate	19-17
Setters	18-18
NVI Hitters	15-21
Sweet Setters	15-21
Dream Team	1-35

Wednesday Night

North

DGE	29-10
Volley Revue	26-13
Stammers	25-14
SNAPU	20-19
Athletes Feet	19-20
Wilys	15-24
Spikers Alley	14-25
On-Line	8-31

South

Spikes R Us	33-6
Spiked Punch	30-9
Volleybustars	27-12
Starting Gate	25-14
Geeks	16-23
The Band	10-29

Schoolcraft offers various sport camps

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HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS CAMP: A basketball camp for high school age girls will be held June 29 through July 3.

This camp features a combination of fundamental and advanced work. Players will be placed according to level and skill.

Morning sessions will focus on station work including shooting, free throws, layups, jump shots and more. Afternoon sessions will feature scrimmages for players.

Format of the camp will include warm-up at 9 a.m., stations from about 9:15 a.m. to noon, lunch and finally scrimmage from 12:30 to 3 p.m.

Cost of the camp is \$90. The physical education building will host the event.

GIRLS CAMPS: Basketball camps for school age girls grades three through six and seven through nine are planned.

Both camps will meet July 6-10. Younger children will meet from 8:15-11:45 a.m. each day while older girls will meet 12:30-4 p.m.

The camps will work on various shooting techniques and movement without the ball. Camp format will feature drill work and scrimmages.

Cost is \$69 per camper. T-shirts and basketballs are included in the package.

The camp is to be held on campus

at the physical education building.

SUMMER SOCCER SCHOOL: The camp will work with boys and girls ages 6-16. Camp dates are July 20-25, July 27 to Aug. 1 and Aug. 3-8.

The camp runs from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. each day.

The soccer school focuses on skills work including footwork, juggling, shielding, dribbling and passing, for beginners and intermediates. Positional work and scrimmages will also be held.

Advanced players will work on fitness through footwork and agility. Technique and tactics will also be taught.

Advanced players are those who are on select teams or high school teams, or those who wish to try out for select or high school teams.

Costs are \$80 for beginners and intermediates, more than one member from the same family at \$70. Advanced players pay \$100.

VOLLEYBALL: A camp for boys and girls ages 10 to adult will be held July 13-16 and July 20-23.

The camp will work on skills such as passing, setting, spiking and blocking. A competition will be held the last day of the camp.

Schoolcraft head coach Tom Tee-ters is camp director. Campers should bring gym clothes, shoes and knee pads.

Tracksters finish last at Novi

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Maloney, Clark, Fetterman and Stephanie Sajac placed sixth in 12:49.70. The sprint medley team of Adrienne Browne, Kolb, Buser and Bolger was fifth in 5:14.30.

FARMINGTON HARRISON 92, NORTHVILLE 36: The Mustangs were also at less than full strength for the April 15 meet with the Hawks.

Top performers such as Michelle Splan, Lisa Almone and Trish Lukomski were all out with injuries or

on vacation. Northville did manage to place first in four events despite the absences.

Buser took top honors in the high jump by clearing 4'8". Tammy Cook was second with 4'6".

Wendy Forster placed third in the long jump. She had a leap of 14'11".

Forster missed second place by a half-inch.

Mari Kissenger won the shot put with a toss of 28'6 1/2". Neeta Saran was second in the event with a toss of 25'1".

Fetterman took third in the other

throwing event, the discus, with a 70'8".

In the track events, Forster took a first in the 100-meter sprint. She finished in 13.5. Forster also won the 200 in 29.1.

Kissenger placed second in the 300-meter hurdles with a time of 54.3.

Northville grabbed two more second-place showings. Browne captured second in the 400 in 1:08.40 while Bolger posted her best time in the 800-meter with 2:43.40.

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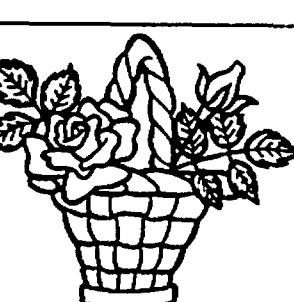
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To do that, we need your help. On this page is a survey asking your opinion about the various items you regularly see in the Record. We hope you'll take a few minutes to consider the items and offer your opinion on them.

Getting your opinions in a format like this should help us see how we can do a better job making your community newspaper the best it can be.

We'll share the results of the survey in an upcoming issue. As an added incentive for you to return the form, we'll randomly draw three responses from those who include their name and address and give them a year's worth of the Record for free.

Of course, we're always interested in what you think; we like to hear from you on an individual basis as well. Our phone number is 349-1700 (fax 349-1050), and our address is 104 W. Main, Northville 48167.

Thanks for your interest. We hope to hear from you soon.

Bob Needham
 Bob Needham
 Editor

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Local news coverage	more	same	less
City/Township government coverage	more	same	less
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Feature stories about individuals	more	same	less
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Lifestyle coverage	more	same	less
School coverage	more	same	less
Opinion pages	more	same	less
County government coverage	more	same	less
State government coverage	more	same	less
Photo features/photo pages	more	same	less
Sports coverage	more	same	less
Recreation leagues?	more	same	less
Schoolcraft College?	more	same	less
Other?	more	same	less
Development/building coverage	more	same	less
Entertainment/Leisure time stories	more	same	less
Other	more	same	less

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Soccer roots in Northville spreading

By BERT SCHWARTZ
Special Writer

Soccer, which is the only recreation sport to be conducted in two separate seasons each year, has become a very popular sport in our area, particularly among the young people who play it.

Although soccer is the world's No. 1 sport, it has not yet become totally successful at the professional level in the United States. All of us associated with soccer hope this hurdle will be overcome when the U.S. hosts the World Cup of Soccer in 1994, with some games scheduled to be played at the Pontiac Silverdome.

Soccer in our community sprang from very humble beginnings back in 1969. An ad was placed in *The Northville Record* by Norm Davis asking any boys, between 8 and 14, who were interested in playing soccer, to show up at Cooke Junior High. Three other members of the original organizing group were Dan Swayne, Ray Smith, and Mike Anderson. The boys were divided into four teams of about 15 youngsters per team, and uniforms were provided through the sponsorship of Gene Wagner at the Arcade.

In 1971, Northville joined with Livonia and Farmington to form the Western Suburban Soccer League, which is still our parent association today. Plymouth entered the WSSL a year later to complete the four founding communities which have provided the core for the WSSL from its beginnings. The 1971 season provided organized soccer for boys in the Under 12 and Under 10 age groups only.

The powerful Northville Arsenal team was formed in 1972 and provided a top-quality soccer opportunity for the best players in the area. Several "graduates" from the original group of four teams and Arsenal went on to achieve All-State recognition in soccer at the High School including Mark and Kevin Swayne, Russ Gans, Greg Marshall and the present head coach of both the boys and girls teams at Northville High School, Bobby Paul. Russ' dad, Marv Gans, was also one of the early forces behind soccer in Northville.

Girls soccer got its start in Northville when the WSSL opened up to girls competition in 1975 with one di-



FILE PHOTO

Soccer is growing in popularity in Northville. The high school now features boys and girls teams.

vision for girls from ages eight to 12. Craig Kreutzberg and his father Ted were the coaches of the first girls soccer team in Northville. Interest among the girls spread rapidly and, in 1976, 48 girls signed up for soccer through the Northville Recreation Department. The girls division was still an 8-to-12 group, and the girls were split into two teams of 24 each. Dave LaRou and Bert Schwartz were the coaches drafted to head up this second team.

In the following year, the WSSL also broke the leagues for girls into the same two-year divisions used for boys and the organized teams continued to expand to include the older age groups of Under-14, Under-16, and Under-19. These players from the recreation league provided a

ready feed-stream of talent to the high schools throughout the area. For the girls, one of the high points in the history of soccer in Northville was when the 1984 Northville High School girls won the state championship under head coach Stan Smalec.

Some of the best soccer in the state of Michigan, and in the country, is played right here in our backyard in the communities which make up the Western Suburban Soccer League.

Soccer has continued to grow in Northville from these small beginnings, so that we now register from 475 to 600 youngsters for each of the seasons. The players are divided among three groups:

- The Under-8 instructional league: a co-ed in-house group with eight or nine teams, where three-zone soccer

is played and no standings are maintained.

- The regular boys and girls two-year age group recreational soccer: The majority of kids play on one of 15 boys teams or eight girls teams in the U-10, U-12, U-14 and U-17 age groups.

- The Select leagues: These teams require tryouts for teams in which all the children are from the same community. We have three Select boys teams and one select girls team representing Northville.

There is another level of soccer beyond the select teams, which is called Premier Soccer and is sponsored by Little Caesars. These teams are put together with fully open, advertised tryouts and involve the very best soccer players in the area.

Recreation Briefs

Open swimming schedule announced

OPEN SWIMMING SCHEDULE: Enjoy the benefits of swimming during open swim hours. Swimming can be a great exercise, or come out just for fun.

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Open swimming hours this spring are Mondays and Wednesdays from 8 to 9:30 p.m.

SPRING ACTIVITIES: Registration for spring courses through Northville Parks and Recreation began April 15. Activities include gymnastics, ballet, aerobics, golf, volleyball and much more. For more information call 349-0203.

SWIMMING INSTRUCTORS: Instructors are needed immediately to teach and assist in youth swim lessons. Candidates must have strong

swimming skills and must be comfortable working with children. It is a perfect job for high school or college students wanting to earn extra money. Applications can be picked up at the rec department, 303 W. Main.

SOFTBALL: Adult softball registrations are now being taken for summer softball. Leagues will include men's, women's, 35-and-over and co-ed.

If you think you might be interested in signing up a team you need to pick up a registration form as soon as possible. For more info call the Recreation Department at 349-0203.

NEEDED: The Northville Recreation Department needs a record player. If you have one in good working condition and would like to donate it to the department, call 349-0203.

TRAVEL COACHES NEEDED: Northville Junior Baseball is looking

for travel coaches for the 1992 season. Interested parties should contact Bob Willerer at 348-0975.

STATE PARK PERMITS: State Park Permits for 1992 are now on sale. The prices are the same as last year; a regular annual permit is \$15 and a senior annual is \$3.75.

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NHS SEASON PASSES: Family passes to all home athletic events at Northville High School are available for \$35.

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HANDBALL, RACQUETBALL,

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NOVI TRACKERS: Membership in the Novi Trackers Running Club is open to all interested individuals regardless of age, sex or skill level.

Prospective members are invited to join the Trackers for either or both of their twice-weekly runs. The group meets Wednesdays at Novi High School at 6:30 p.m. and Saturdays at O'Sheehan's on Seven Mile in Northville at 8 a.m.

More information about membership in the Trackers is available by calling the Novi Parks and Recreation at 347-0400 or President Jeanne Willford at 227-3127.

Dr. Raymond D. Hobbs/Health

Treatment eases asthma for millions



Asthma is a disease that affects people of all ages and can be caused by many things. Fortunately the therapy is excellent and the majority of asthmatics do extremely well.

Asthma affects between 2 and 6 percent of the population. Approximately half of asthmatics develop the disease by age 10. Thirty-three percent of asthmatics develop it by 40, and another 10 percent of the asthmatic population develop it after the age of 65.

Many people think asthma is more of an annoyance than a serious problem. It is a serious problem, and a small percentage of people die from it each year. Unfortunately, the number of asthma cases has increased in the past few years.

Asthma has no single cause. However, all

forms of asthma have several things in common. The first is extreme irritability of the airways usually associated with inflammation. In the lungs are small breathing tubes called bronchioles which are surrounded by smooth muscle. In asthmatics these muscles may contract and cause constriction of the tubes. It becomes more difficult to exhale air and a whistling-like sound called wheezing occurs.

The second thing common to all types of asthma is its reversibility. Unlike other lung diseases such as emphysema, where the patient never breathes normally no matter how well controlled he is, the asthmatic is usually normal between attacks.

Two-thirds of asthmatics suffer from asthma caused by excessive airway irritability with no single cause. Other asthmatics have asthma because of allergies to specific things such as ragweed pollen, cat dander and house dust. Two percent is caused by industrial gasses or dusts, which the asthmatic is exposed to at work. Lung infections may also bring on an asthmatic attack. Unusual causes include

asthma caused by exercise, aspirin, and certain preservatives and dyes (especially yellow) used in food.

The typical symptoms of asthma are wheezing and difficulty breathing. A rapid heart rate is also quite common. After the attack begins, the duration and severity may last from a few moments to weeks, with symptoms ranging from mild to severe breathing difficulty that could cause death.

The therapy of asthma is excellent, since by its very nature asthma is reversible. It is important for asthmatics to avoid those things that bring on an attack and to take the necessary medications early enough during the attack to restore normal breathing as quickly as possible. Most fatalities have occurred because the patient did not begin therapy soon enough.

Dr. Raymond Hobbs, M.D., is medical director and internal medicine specialist at the University of Michigan Health Center in Northville. This series is coordinated by Peg Campbell of the University of Michigan Health Center staff.

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REAL ESTATE

Slumbering housing market begins to stir

By James M. Woodard
Copley News Service

The current housing market is a lot like a sleepy bear, rising for the first time after spending the winter hibernating in its den.

That old bear lumbers around the forest half-awake, looking for food. He's hungry and motivated for action, but still emerging from his seasonal stupor.

It's spring, and the housing market also is awakening after a deep recession sleep. Buyers and sellers are hungry for action. There's lots of pent-up demand to be satisfied. But it's not cresting into a sales boom period.

In most areas, however, housing sales are up. Recovery is definitely on its way.

"Throughout most of the nation, the housing market has settled on a course of recovery," said Dorcas Helfant, president of the National Association of Realtors.

The recent increase in sales activity results primarily from four factors: general improvement in our economy; mortgage interest rates slowly starting to increase from super-low levels; pent-up demand from increasing numbers of home buyers, and special financing incentives for first-time buyers.

When mortgage interest rates start to edge up, it tends to convince buyers that the downward trend is over and now is the time

to buy before rates rise higher.

An example of the special financing for first-time buyers is the mortgage plan recently announced by Fanny Mae (secondary mortgage buyer) whereby a mortgage loan can be obtained with only a 5 percent down payment—and 2 percent of that amount can be loaned to the buyer by a relative. For example, a \$100,000 home could be purchased with a cash down payment of only \$3,000 plus closing costs.

The current outlook is bright for all sectors of the housing industry, according to an NAR report. That includes single-family and multi-family home construction, as well as existing and new-home sales.

Today's sluggish but improving real estate market will evolve into lasting expansion by summer, NAR predicts. The list of positive economic reports in recent months is long and wide-ranging.

1992 should be a good year for everyone involved in housing—buyers, sellers, brokers, builders. Perhaps the current market analogy would more appropriately be a bull, rather than a bear.

Q. Why are there so many multimillion-dollar home sales?

A. This is still a very small niche of the housing market, but it is growing. One key reason is that there are more people in a financial position to buy them.

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HOME DESIGNS



The Pedro features privacy for living

By James McAlexander
Copley News Service

Spacious living areas and plenty of privacy are two of the outstanding features of the Pedro. The garage is at the ground level of this contemporary tri-level home. Family living spaces and bedrooms are at midlevel and a master suite is located a half-flight up, over the garage.

The angled front entrance opens into an air lock entry foyer. A closet, which stretches the length of the nearly triangular room, is easily large enough to hide the jumble of boots, coats and umbrellas that tend to accumulate in such spaces.

Straight ahead down the hall, you step into a huge family room dining room-kitchen combination. Couches, easy chairs, a home entertainment center, a pool or ping-pong table—there's plenty of room for all of it here.

One long, uninterrupted wall could easily be shelved and used to display photos and family treas-

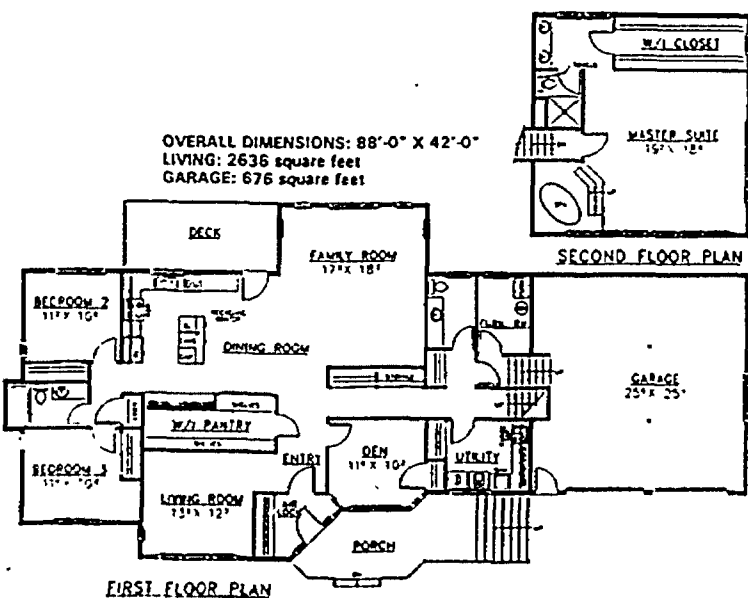
ures or as a library.

A recycling center, with separate spaces for glass, cans and trash, is tucked beneath a central work island in the L-shape kitchen. The walk-in pantry is positively enormous and includes reach-through shelves that can be accessed from in the closet or from the kitchen.

The den, located to the right of the front entry, makes a convenient home office. In addition to the usual washer, dryer and utility tub, the utility room has a range top, complete with hood and fan.

A half-flight up puts you in a luxurious master suite, complete with step-up spa, compartmentalized bathroom and a 16-foot-long walk-in closet.

For a study plan of the Pedro (400-12), send \$7.50 to Landmark Designs, c/o HomeTown Newspapers, 323 E. Grand River Ave., Howell, MI 48843. (Be sure to specify plan name and number when ordering.) Designers, Architects and readers with plans they would like to see featured are also invited to contact Landmark.



Light from doorwalls illuminates the living room for Dennis Horwatt and Marcy Peters.

They don't do windows

By RICK BYRNE
Copy Editor

What's a home without any windows? Ask Dennis Horwatt and Marcy Peters and they'll tell you they don't see anything different, despite the fact that their home fits that description.

To be honest, their condominium in the Coves of Northville is not entirely devoid of glass. However, their view of the outside world is confined to four large doorwalls

and a skylight which constantly bathes their foyer in a soft glow.

"I didn't realize it until I thought about it, and I said, 'We really don't have any windows here,'" said Horwatt. "But every room has these enormous windows which are the doorwalls. And it is southern-exposed, so it is bright. All my plants have to be up front, though."

There are some advantages to limited windows, not the least of which is the savings on drapery, although Horwatt and

Peters have decorated the doorwalls tastefully with valances and drapes.

Because their unit is surrounded by other units on nearly all sides, it's also thermally efficient. The Coves was built just about four years ago, so the construction—and low heating costs—reflect the benefits of modern insulation technology.

"We've never had a heating bill over \$60," said Horwatt. "I've compared it to

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Dennis Horwatt, Willey the dog and Marcy Peters enjoy their point of view.

Photos by Hal Gould

Self-sowing blooms

By C.Z. Guest
Copley News Service

Q. I bought some beautiful foxgloves at a garden nursery last spring. I planted them in my perennial bed thinking I'd have them year after year. My sister tells me they won't come back. Is this a fact, since I thought foxgloves were perennials?

A. It's true that the vast majority of foxgloves are biennial; they bloom in their second growing season and usually die that winter. However, most biennials, including foxgloves, self-sow profusely in the garden.

Simply leave the flowers to ripen on the plant and you'll have plenty of seeds to fall naturally or to sow yourself in the fall. Other biennials or short-lived perennials that can be handled the same way are Iceland poppy hollyhock and Queen Anne's lace, to name a few.

Q. I have a very large weeping willow that is about 13 years old and approximately 20 feet away from a pool, which I had dug last year. When they dug the hole for the pool, they cut away quite a lot of the roots on that side.

This year, the tree is still growing nicely. Is it possible

GARDENING

that the roots on the pool side could continue to grow even though some of the roots were cut away and eventually crack the concrete and damage the pool?

A. The roots of willows will weave their way into the tiniest crevices where they may obtain moisture, and unless all joints are filled with lead, you may have trouble in a few years.

DAMPING-OFF

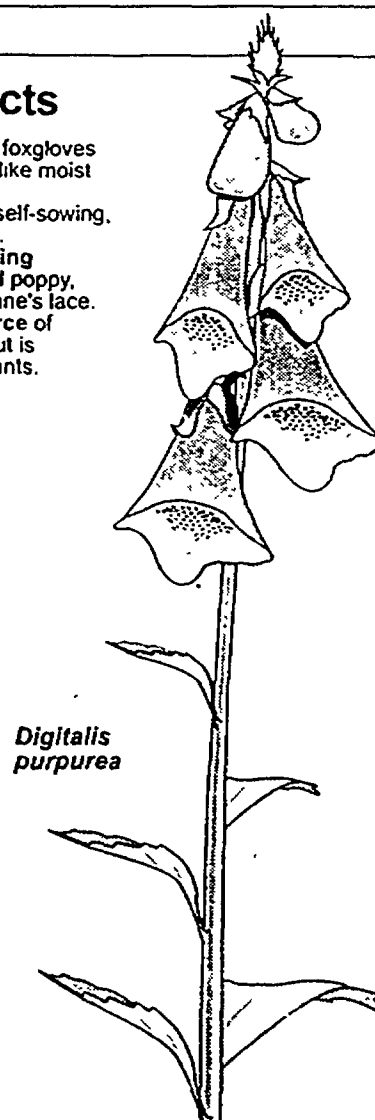
Vegetable seedlings are susceptible to a disease known as "damping-off." As gardeners start bedding plants, it becomes a problem early in the season.

Damping-off is a fungus that affects seeds and seedlings of flowers, vegetables and ornamentals. The greatest damage occurs to seeds and seedling roots during germination either before or after emerging from the soil. Special attention, therefore, must be paid to the growing medium.

C.Z. Guest is a gardening authority whose work appears in *House and Garden* and author of numerous books and videos, including "Five Seasons of Gardening" (Little, Brown and Co.).

Foxglove facts

- The vast majority of foxgloves are biennial. Foxgloves like moist soil of loam and sand.
- Most foxgloves are self-sowing, requiring little reseeding.
- Other self-perpetuating biennials include Iceland poppy, hollyhock and Queen Anne's lace.
- Foxglove is the source of digitalin, a heart drug, but is poisonous in large amounts.



Copley News Service/Dan Clifford

Coves of Northville sheds light on 'windowless' living

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something of comparable size, and we keep the money we save in a little kitty. Then we go to the Chop House and say, 'This one's on Edison and Michcon.'

And the view out their 'windows' is enough to make any homeowner envious.

All overlook a central pond, with its gracefully arching bridge, and a fountain that fills the air with its soft rushing noises in the summer.

"It's like being on vacation," said Horwatt. "When you wake up in the morning and hear that fountain, it makes you want to go back to sleep. It's so relaxing."

In fact the whole lifestyle at the Coves is relaxed. There is no pool, no clubhouse and no wild parties. The only wildlife is the forest creatures that come around frequently for handouts.

"There are couple of rabbits that like to come by," said Peters. "They like to sit just in view of the dogs, but at a safe distance."

There are few children, though children and pets are welcome. The couple's own Cairn terrier, Wiley, is typical.

"There are a lot of small dogs," said Peters. "The rules say they have to be under 25 pounds. There are some that are larger, but nobody minds."

All four doorways open onto a single ground-level deck. The long, wide patio lends itself to large parties.

"It's great for entertaining," said Horwatt. "Being one of the better barbecuers I know, I appreciate this."

What the unit may lack in windows, it more than makes up for with mirrors. The living room, den and a long hallway are each enhanced with mirrors, not to mention the large expanses of the same in the master bathroom.

"I've been thinking of hiring a service, just to come in and clean all the mirrors," Horwatt said.

A well-laid-out floor plan is just one attractive aspect of the interior.

"We've had 30 to 40 people in here, and they just melt in," said Horwatt.

A corner fireplace in the living room adds a cozy atmosphere, which Peters likes because "you can always see it, no matter where you are in the room."

A hardwood floor in the kitchen is a feature that Horwatt said is unique among all the condos they viewed before choosing this one.

"This was the first one we saw that had hardwood

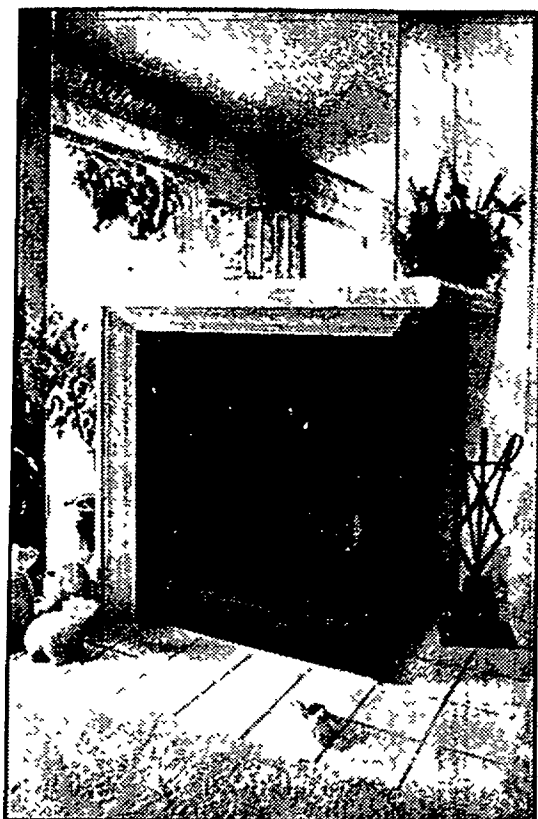


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A unique fireplace and mirror combination help bounce sunlight.

floors," Horwatt said. "The pickled wood was reminiscent of the home we left in Rosedale Park. Since then I've heard of others switching over to it. I think there's a return to that natural look, and away from the linoleum and plastic. I just love it. I mean, how do you ever get tired of looking at oak?"

The kitchen was an important aspect of the home for Horwatt and Peters, as each will claim he or she is a more prolific and proficient cook than the other.

"We do a lot of cooking," said Horwatt.

"It was something we looked at when we bought it. Is it convenient, is it viable and does it work?"

Along with a long, angled bar and seats of counter space, there is a wealth of storage space in sleek, modern cabinets. There's even room for a breakfast table in the kitchen.

The master suite was decorated in pink and black with unique multicolored molding and attractive ceiling strips. These items came with the unit, as it was used as a model by the builder. The master bathroom, appointed in pink tile with black fixtures, features a large shower.

Other touches, like the entry from an upper level, a long, wide hallway connecting opposite ends of the home, and a separate laundry room combine utility with uniqueness.

Both Horwatt and Peters were natives of the east side of Detroit, and they lived in a home in Rosedale Park for several years. When Horwatt suggested a move to the suburbs, they decided on a condominium for a reasons of convenience and investment.

The tax advantages of a condominium were enhanced by the possibility of a high demand should they decide to sell.

"As the baby boomers get older, they're going to be looking for something like this," said Horwatt. "I liked it because I really hate mowing lawns and raking leaves and shoveling snow."

Even if this particular unit in the Coves hadn't been such a shoe-in on its own merits, the couple would probably have picked Northville for their home. Their search took them

around the entire metropolitan area — from the East Side to the western suburbs, and even into the Downriver area.

"I was charmed by the whole Northville area," said Peters. "I never even knew this town was here. But when I first drove down Main Street, I knew this is where I wanted to live."

She said that doesn't sit to well with the friends they left back on the East Side.

"Some of our friends are reluctant to visit," she said. "They think the quickest way to get here is to fly to Kansas City and take a cab."

But convenience to the major highways eventually brings them around.

Horwatt said that proved proves the old real estate agent's motto about the three most important aspects of buying a home: "Location, location, location."

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Housing market awakens

Continued from 1

There are now a million more millionaires than in 1982. And more than 100,000 households now have a net worth of more than \$10 million.

Q. In what part of the country are home sales increasing most rapidly?

A. In the Midwest. The home

sales rate there is double the rate of 1991 and is the highest it has been since 1978.

Q. Are home prices expected to increase or decrease during the next year?

A. The national median home price is expected to reach \$103,900 this year. That's a 4.2 percent increase from last year. It's expected to

rise another 4.2 percent by next year, to \$108,300, according to analysts at the National Association of Realtors.

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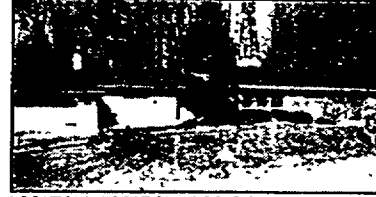
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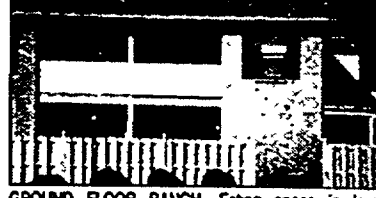
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French cloisonne is valuable

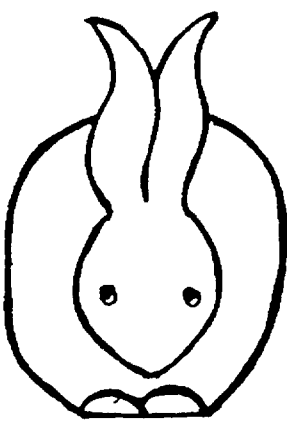
By James G. McCollam
Copley News Service

Q. This lovely vase belonged to my mother. So far, I have been unable to determine its age or value. It is 8-1/2 inches high. It is cloisonne made of a silver base with shades of green enamel.

A. This appears to be a beautiful example of French cloisonne, probably made in the early 1900s it might sell in the \$500 to \$600 range.

Q. The enclosed mark is on the bottom of a crackleware vase. It is bulbous with a short, straight neck. It is decorated with pictures of butterflies. Can you tell me anything about its origin and value?

A. Your vase was made by the Dedham Pottery in Massachusetts in the early 1900s. It would probably sell for about \$450 to \$475.



This French cloisonne vase was made in the early 1900s.

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The pottery was established in 1866 and went out of business in 1943.

KUTANI CHINA

A generation after the origin of Imari china in the Hizen province of Japan, some of the potters moved to the Kaga province and built their kilns around the town of Kutani. They produced exquisite porcelain from 1639 to 1694.

After almost a century, there was a revival of Kutani styles and designs. Throughout the 1800s, large quantities of porcelain were produced for export to Europe and America.

The best examples are noted for their brilliant colors in a series of panels on a red patterned background.

Virtually all the Kutani ware encountered today was made in the 19th century. The exception is 20th-century china marked with the name "Kutani." These modern pieces are neither real Kutani nor are they valuable collectibles.

Any identifiable old Kutani (1639-1694) will cost at least \$1,000 while 19th-century Kutani can be acquired for less than \$100 to almost \$1,000.

Examples of 19th-century Kutani are illustrated by a 7-inch bowl in the Thousand Faces pattern listed at \$100 and a box shaped like a

bulging bag for more than \$1,000.

A coffee pot obviously from about 1900 listed for \$800. For less than \$200 you can acquire a 10-inch dish decorated with a riverscape or a tea caddy with floral panels. You can buy an 11-piece service-for-four tea set with hand-painted red roses on a cobalt background for about \$300.

Finally, we find a 10-inch double gourd vase with chrysanthemum blooms and lotus scrolls for less than \$300.

BOOK REVIEW

"Country Stores Antiques from Cradles to Caskets" by Douglas Congdon-Cradles with Robert Blom (Schiffer Publishing Ltd.).

Better known as "general stores" by their contemporaries, these hardware, grocery and post offices were the focal point of rural communities.

It is profusely illustrated in full color and thoroughly captures the essence of bygone times.

Letters with picture(s) are welcome and may be answered in the column. We cannot reply personally or return pictures. Address your letters to James G. McCollam, P.O. Box 1087, Notre Dame, IN 46556.

McCollam is a member of the Antique Appraisers Association of America.

Stained plastic counters can be a tough problem

By Gene Gary
Copley News Service

Q. The Formica top of my kitchen counter has become stained and has some minor scratches. One particularly bad stain is apparently rust. I have tried all kinds of stain removers and nothing has worked. Since a new counter top will cost \$1,500, I hope you can suggest a solution for my problem.

A. Stains on plastic laminated surfaces are difficult, if not impossible, to remove at times.

Cleaners with abrasives and chemically harsh cleaners, such as rust removal products and even household bleach, tend to damage the surface and take the patina off. Any time the surface of the laminate is scratched or rubbed

away, the chance of liquid or chemical penetrating the surface becomes greater.

There are some commercially marketed repair kits made especially for repairing scratches and burns in laminate. However, Wilsonart (a major manufacturer of laminates) has informed us that they have tested these products and found them to be merely cosmetic corrections and by no means a repair.

The laminate industry generally does not recommend abrasive cleaning products, even such mild abrasives as Bon Ami, favoring instead such non-abrasive cleaners as Fantastik, Simple Green or Formula 409.

To remove more difficult stains, use baking soda and water with a soft cloth material. Even though

HOW TO

baking soda contains tiny abrasives, they are water soluble and water tends to break them down. This step can be used repeatedly until the staining is removed.

If you are unable to remove a stain, and it is confined to one area, you can consider an insert for your laminate counter top, such as a wood chopping block or even a synthetic material which can withstand extreme temperatures for use as a hot plate. Cutting the laminate and installing an insert is a fairly simple procedure and should not be very expensive.

Q. We have a 10-year-old brick and aluminum-sided

house. A climbing vine attached its "feet" to the siding and, despite our scraping, we have been unable to remove the black dots that remain on the siding. Is there anything we can use to remove the marks without discoloring the light green siding?

A. The dots on the siding are remnants of the suckers that attached to the vines. When first cutting the ivy down, these should be left alone for two or three weeks, until they dry up and turn dark. However, if they are left alone too long, they will rot and oxidize, becoming very hard and nearly impossible to remove.

Try using a stiff brush and

strong solution of trisodium phosphate (available at most paint dealers) mixed with water to remove the residue that remains. Test in an inconspicuous area first to be sure it does not lighten your colored siding.

It may be impossible to completely remove the staining. Your only option may be to prime the siding. Be sure and select a primer and paint recommended for aluminum. One such product is Metal Siding Refinish marketed by Pittsburgh Paints. It is a urethane-modified acrylic paint that produces a harder, more durable film than ordinary house paint. This latex paint dries to a low-luster

eggshell sheen, which is much like the finish on new siding.

For other readers considering ivy removal, I recommend that you begin by cutting the plant at the roots and letting the vines dry before removal from the walls. This makes the ivy easier to remove (the suckers release their hold) and lessens the damage that can be done.

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Duck Lake frontage. Just
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w/10 MBR, & priv dock.
Fun, fishing, all sports.
Only \$198,900.

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All sports lake, 3 br.
ranch. Attached garage,
central air. Well
landscaped and main-
tained. Private paved
road, 4 miles to Mt.
Brighton. \$196,500.
Private sale. No owner
financing. Qualified
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HOWELL, south of NEW upscale

3 br. lakefront home, private
all sports lake Open Sat-Sun 1-5
\$138,500 (313) 978-9448

022 Lakeland Homes

BRIGHTON, 4 br., 3 baths, Cape
Cod on 2.5 acres, \$159,900,
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BUCK Lake. Great 2 br. home on
all-sports lake. Hardwood floors,
new kitchen & tiled bath, new
furnace. Immediate occupancy.
Close to US-23, Ann Arbor &
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BYRON. A very large small
house on a private all sports lake,
3 br., 2 bath, \$105,000. Don't
miss this one! Owner,
(313) 266-5313.

CEEDAR LAKE, 2 br. log cabin on

all sports lake, fireplace, all new
mechanics, minutes off x way
\$63,900. (313) 685-7255.

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BRIGHTON, Hamilton Farms

Condo. Newly decorated, 2 br.,
2 baths, end unit ranch, air,
fireplace, cathedral ceiling,
carport, \$89,900. (313) 229-6348.

BRIGHTON, Hidden Harbor, 2 br.,
new kitchen cabinets, carpet
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BRIGHTON, Reduced for quick
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\$39,900. RE/MAX Countryside,
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HOWELL, Quality, 2br., 928sq ft.

all oak trim, custom kitchen
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pool & clubhouse, \$62,900. First
Ready Brokers, (517) 548-9400.

BRIGHTON, 12x60, 2 br., 4 1/2

baths, wood stove, covered
deck, large shed, corner lot
\$8500 or best. (313) 229-2397.

BRIGHTON, 1980, \$11,000. Exc.

cond. Call after 5pm for details.
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BRIGHTON/Novi, 3 br., 1 1/2

baths, full appliances, deck,
fireplace. Seller to help w/move-
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Homes, (313) 437-2038.

BRIGHTON - nice starter home -

2 bedroom, needs minor TLC -
\$8900. MOBILE HOME STORE
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FENTON, North Bay on Bennett

Lake. All new double-wide site.
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Estates. Only two left, 24x44 &
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br., 2 full baths (1 w/Roman tub),
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FOWLerville, Marlette, 12x63

17'x72' expando 3 br., new
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Stove, refrigerator, air conditioner
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SALES

• 14x70 2 bedroom, 2
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2377 N. Millard Rd., Highland
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025 Mobile Homes

WIXOM 2 br., 2 baths, bright open floorplan, all appliances, master bath w/alcove, many extra throughout home. Must see. Commerce Meadows. \$27,000. (517)585-2977, (313)473-3134.

YPSILANTI • Deluxe 14x72, central air, dishwasher + 4 appliances, deck, shed, immaculate. \$20,900. MOBILE HOME STORE (517)548-0001, (313)227-2800. #66

026 Horse Farms

PINCKNEY • Custom 4000sq ft. home, 5 stall barn on 18+ wooded rolling, secluded acres.

SOUTH LYON • Training/boarding facility. Great business opportunity. 40+ stalls, indoor arena, ranch home.

027 Farms, Acreage

BRIGHTON • Beautiful residential neighborhood, property overlooking city of Brighton, secluded for privacy with trees. Enjoy outdoor life seeing deer, close to shopping mall. (313)229-2271.

BYRON schools. 30 acre farm, 2 br. home, 32x60 pole barn, pond, woods, and rolling terrain. \$105,000. Estate property being sold by heirs. Call Jerry, (313)750-1065, REMAX Metro Associates.

PERRY. 21.6 acre mini farm, 3 br. ranch, family room, 30x40 pole barn. Call Lea Estes, (517)349-4012 or Century 21 Tradition, (517)655-4646.

ROSE Center, Holly area. 4 1/2 wooded acres/private rd. Sp4, secluded, ravine. (313)685-2374.

028 Homes Under Construction

COHOCTAH Twp. Waterfront, 2 1/2 acres, 1,300sq ft ranch w/attached garage & walk-out bsmt. Cathedral ceilings, 26 energy construction, Andersen windows. 8 miles to M-59 & Grand River. Land contract available. \$105,400. Builder, (517)548-2200.

029 Lake Property

HOWELL Thompson Lake. 60' frontage, 180' water. Buildable on cul-de-sac, \$39,000 negotiable. (517)48-2849.

OAKLAND CO. LAKEFRONT PROPERTY SALE
The Huron Valley School District is requesting purchase proposals for a 78.15 acre parcel on Duck Lake in Highland Twp., MI. The site has approximately 54.9 buildable acres of land and will be sold as a single parcel.

To be considered, offers of purchase must be made in conformance with a Proposal to Purchase form. For a copy of the Request for Purchase Proposal, please write or call: Mr. Patrick Donahue, Assistant Superintendent, Huron Valley School District, 2390 S. Milford Rd., Highland, MI 48357. (313) 694-8000. To be eligible for consideration, offers of purchase must be received by 4:00 p.m. on July 15, 1992.

LODELL Lake, near Fenton. All sports, 220ft. sandy waterfront, 12 acres 100% wooded. Paved road. Can be split into 4 or developed into 17 lots. Will sell whole or part. Rick. (313)735-7660

030 Northern Property

ANTRIM County, 10 acres, high rolling hills, view, nicely wooded, excellent recreational/hunting property, 3000 acre forest, \$65,000, \$300 down, \$100 a mo., 11% interest, 90 payments. Or call for a complete list of available properties. Behl Realty, Inc. (1800)638-5736.

MIOFAIRVIEW. Small cabin, near state land \$11,500 possible land contract. (517)635-7061.

031 Vacant Property

ACREAGE wanted in Livingston County, (313)228-1790.

ANN ARBOR. South Lyon schools 2 and 10 acres home sites. Natural gas, paved, Salem Twp. off N. Terminal Rd. Ready to build. From \$68,000. (313)453-2500.

ANN ARBOR AREA WEBSTER HILLS
Choice two-plus acre homesites northwest of Ann Arbor. Rolling meadows to hardwood forest, all in an architecturally controlled community. Lots starting at \$45,000. Contact Russ Armstrong or Mike McGee 761-9097.
Edward Surovell Co./Realtors
Ann Arbor

BRIGHTON
Price reduced. 1.6 acres, walk in the woods. Open sub with 5 lots left. Land contract terms. Mark Seger, Prudential Great Lakes Realty, (313)689-8900.

BRIGHTON 1 1/2 acres, 170x450, surveyed, perked, walkout. \$43,000. (517)546-7052.

BRIGHTON 100x125 walkout site, paved road, minutes from US-23 & I-96. Lake and chain of lakes access. Natural gas and cablevision available. Land contract terms. \$22,000. (313)231-2308.

HOWELLVILLE. 2 1/2 acres, \$20,000. 4 wooded acres, \$22,000. 10 acres, \$30,000. Park, surveyed. (313)229-1790.

HOWELLVILLE. Large parcel approximately 67 acres just outside of the village. Land contract available. \$134,000. Call HARMON REAL ESTATE (517)223-9193.

HOWELLVILLE...Rolling 10 acres with approximately 3 acres of woods in rear. Seclusion at its best. \$23,500. Call HARMON REAL ESTATE (517)223-9193 for details.

GREEN OAK TWP., west of South Lyon, new development, Eagle Cove Sub. Lake access lots from \$28,000 or takeover lots from \$55,000. Ador Homes Inc. (313)229-5722.

HAMBURG. 1.6 acres, paved road, perked, cleared. \$28,000-best. (313)231-3639.

HARTLAND. 3 acre parcels. \$37,000. (313)887-0520.

HARTLAND. 10 acres, deer, rolling hardwoods, perked, ready to build your dream home (313)363-1613.

HARTLAND. 3 acre walk-out w/possible pond. Area of nice homes. Build to suit or out right. \$30,000. (517)548-1516.

HOWELL. 1.88 acres, zoned multiple w/sewer and water. \$44,900. Call The Michigan Group Real Estate Co. (313)227-4600, ext. 221.

HOWELL. 2 1/2 acres, rolling wooded w/pond on paved road. Perked & surveyed. \$25,000. (517)548-1544.

HOWELL/FOWLerville. 10 Acres, perked, 23 wooded. After 6pm. (517)394-7942.

HOWELL. Lovely rolling 2.26 acre parcel with perfect walkout site overlooking beautiful meadow. Perked. Surveyed. Only 2 miles to X-way. \$15,500. Cash sale only. MAGIC REALTY, Terry Kniss, (517)548-5150.

INDIVIDUAL wants: 10-15(+) acres. Reasonable. For home site. (313)685-9300.

5 SCENIC ACRES
MILFORD EXCLUSIVE AREA NEAR KENSINGTON PARK
Feed the deer in your backyard \$59,900.

WATERFRONT
ACREAGE, wooded rolling, exclusive area. \$52,500

FAYE JONES REAL ESTATE 887-7588 887-5931
ASK FOR KATHY OR MARY

MARION TWP. 12 acres on Coon Lake Rd. where 30x48ft. pole barn. Can be split. Area of newer homes. Hunting & fishing paradise. \$49,900. Call REMAX Countryside, ask for Bob, (313)231-4393, (313)486-5000.

NORTHEAST OF FOWLerville. Partly wooded 10 acres building site on blacktop road. Perked and surveyed. 430 feet frontage. \$25,500 with terms. Fowlerville schools. Call HARMON REAL ESTATE (517)223-9193.

NORTHFIELD Township. 12 3/4 acres, \$89,000 (313)437-1174.

NORTHFIELD Township. One 10 acre parcel. Perked, treed, land contract. (313)437-1174.

NORTHFIELD Township. 38 acres, will divide. 20 acres of woods, ravine, stream. Land contract. (313)437-1174.

NORTH OF HOWELL - BYRON SCHOOLS. Hunt, fish or just enjoy the wildlife on this beautiful 15+ acre parcel fronting on a serene private lake. Panoramic view, perked and surveyed. \$45,000. Call HARMON REAL ESTATE (517)223-9193 for details.

NORTH Township and US 23 area. Several wooded, rolling, perked parcels. Terms. (313)663-4886.

NOVI Building sites available. Builders or individuals. North of 8 Mile, east of Novi Rd. Call (313)737-0690.

AFFORDABLE LOTS
2 Build Sites available for only \$14,900 each. Natural gas and sewers. Pinckney Schools. #145.

The Real Estate Co.
(313) 227-5000

SALEM TWP. 2 acres, \$45,000, perked. (517)546-5996.

SOUTH LYON Condo site. 17 units possible. (313)557-7707.

033 Industrial, Commercial

BRIGHTON. First quality office space, within builders office, ideal for architect, designer or other. Services include phone in conference room. (313)227-7400.

BRIGHTON TOWNSHIP. US-23 and Grand River, 8 lots, zoned B-3, 40x140, paved street, storm drains, land contract terms. \$120,000. Call Phil at (313)227-7400.

BRIGHTON - \$68,900 - nice 3 bedroom, garage, landscaped yard. BANFIELD REAL ESTATE (517)548-0001, (313)227-2800.

PORT SANILAC. 4 bay garage repair shop business, w/older restored home on 10 acres. Must see. (313)622-8577 or (313)622-8680.

SOUTH LYON - Prime 2.04 acres. Pontiac Trail frontage zoned B2, perked & surveyed. Terms available. -BANFIELD REAL ESTATE (517)548-0001, (313)227-2800.

034 Income Property

NEW HUDSON/South Lyon. Zoned multiple property. 2 separate 1 to 3 acre lots on paved street. (313)227-2934.

WHITMORE LAKE Main St. location. Excellent potential, currently 2 units are rented. Possible Land contract terms, \$89,900. Nelson & York, Inc. Realtors (313)449-4466.

035 Real Estate Wanted

BUYING Land Contracts. Fast cash. (517)723-7609.

CASH for your land contracts. Check with us for your best deal. (517)548-1093 (313)522-6234.

FREE to anyone receiving payments on a land contract. 5 facts you need to know. Call 24 hour recording 1-800-428-1319.

HOWELL area. 3 br., w/garage, to rent or lease w/option, reasonable, clean. (313)485-7427.

I buy houses for cash, any size, any condition. (517)546-5137 Dan.

INDIVIDUAL wants: 3-4 br. ranch, basement, acreage, barn. Reasonable. (313)885-9380.

MILFORD Township area. 1 to 3 acres needed for home site. Call after 5pm. (313)292-2547.

036 Cemetery Lots

OAKLAND Hills Memorial Gardens - garden section, 5 adjacent grave sites, well below market, \$550 each, \$2,500 all. (313)287-6012.

038 Mortgages/Loans

SAVE thousands on your existing mortgage. No closing costs. (517)548-4835, (517)548-8145.

039 Open House

ATTORNEY for your real estate sale or purchase. \$200. Also, living trusts to avoid probate. Thomas P. Wolverton. (313)477-4776.

BRIGHTON. Open Sun. 2-5pm. 8881 Maple, N. of Hilton off Hunter Rd. In prestigious Woodland Hills Sub. 1966 3 br. 2 bath ranch on beautifully wooded lot. Only \$149,500. Many extras, must see. (313)227-1355.

OPEN HOUSE
MAY 3, 1:30 - 4:30
2187 HUBERT
Brighton. Make a point to see this charming and well maintained farmhouse on 3 acres. Close to Brighton and I-96. 3 br., country kitchen w/downdraft to new deck. Stone f.p., w/hw insert. 2 1/2 car garage. 46x30 barn w/loft and floor, water and elec (horse allowed). Updated and nestled in mature pines - Don't miss it! \$119,500.

Mary Wolfe
(313) 229-2913
Century 21
Brighton Towne Co.
(S. of Grand River, 1 mile W. of Hackle)

OPEN SUNDAY 1 to 4
3734 DUCK LAKE RD., HIGHLAND
Builders must sell cape cod model, with basement and garage. Large wooded lot. North from M-59 on Duck Lake Rd. Approximately 2 miles. Faye Jones Real Estate 887-7588 887-5931
Ask for KATHY ROEHLING OR KRIS LEBOURDAIS

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UNIQUE CLARKSTON AREA COUNTRY ESTATE. 3500 sq. ft. of living space with lower level in-law quarters. Beautiful setting surrounds this executive retreat. RM-107. \$219,000

THIS 3.04 ACRE PARCEL is the only light industrial property in Milford. 824 sq. ft. home with full basement, pole barn, small pond and surrounded by large pines. Comm-3. \$190,000

CUSTOM BUILT RANCH IN FAMILY NEIGHBORHOOD with privileges on several lakes. Open with neutral decor. Large kitchen, dining area in great room. 1650 sq. ft. of living space. RM-13. \$143,500

STYLISH DOUBLE-WING COLONIAL with circular drive abutted on a picturesque lot. 4th bedroom or office in finished walkout. 1 year buyer protection plan provided by seller. RM-14. \$126,500

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HARTLAND OPEN HOUSE
MAY 3RD 1 - 4 PM
10225 Maple, in the V2-lane. Large 4 bedroom all updated. \$99,700 (8982)
The Michigan Group, Carl Vagnetti, 313-227-4600, X-253.

the MICHIGAN GROUP
REALTY
313-227-4600

HARTLAND. OPEN SUNDAY
MAY 3, 2-4. ROLLING HILLS OF HARTLAND. 4 br., 2 1/2 baths. Full unfinished walk out lower level, 1st floor laundry, family room w/ wall brick fireplace. 25 attached garage. \$169,901. 1369 Ravenswood Way. M-59 1 mile W of US 23 to left on Hartland Woods, left on Placid Way, Right on Blueberry Sub. Right on Blueberry, Left Ravenswood. HOSTESS: DONNA NADIGAN, COUNTRY HOMES, LTD. (313)887-SELL

HARTLAND School District. Open Saturday & Sunday, May 2, May 3, 1-4pm. 1205 Rolling Hills Dr. (S. of M-59, W. of Old 23). Wonderful maintenance-free 3 br. home on generous wooded lot. Many amenities. 1600sq ft. cathedral ceilings, 2 baths, wood stove, full basement and 2 car garage. \$154,900. Later Sharon McKone will be there to show you this beautiful home. #350. Century 21 Park Place Ltd. Evenings. (313)629-0234. Paper (313)766-0658.

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OPEN HOUSE
MAY 3, 1:30 - 4:30
2187 HUBERT
Brighton. Make a point to see this charming and well maintained farmhouse on 3 acres. Close to Brighton and I-96. 3 br., country kitchen w/downdraft to new deck. Stone f.p., w/hw insert. 2 1/2 car garage. 46x30 barn w/loft and floor, water and elec (horse allowed). Updated and nestled in mature pines - Don't miss it! \$119,500.

Mary Wolfe
(313) 229-2913
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Brighton Towne Co.
(S. of Grand River, 1 mile W. of Hackle)

OPEN SUNDAY 1 to 4
3734 DUCK LAKE RD., HIGHLAND
Builders must sell cape cod model, with basement and garage. Large wooded lot. North from M-59 on Duck Lake Rd. Approximately 2 miles. Faye Jones Real Estate 887-7588 887-5931
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THIS 3.04 ACRE PARCEL is the only light industrial property in Milford. 824 sq. ft. home with full basement, pole barn, small pond and surrounded by large pines. Comm-3. \$190,000

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STYLISH DOUBLE-WING COLONIAL with circular drive abutted on a picturesque lot. 4th bedroom or office in finished walkout. 1 year buyer protection plan provided by seller. RM-14. \$126,500

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REDUCED TO \$67,900. 1600sq ft., 4 br. city home offering full bsmt., attached garage, remodeled kitchen & additional unbuildable 2 acres. **MAGIC REALTY, Teri Kress, (517)548-5150.**

REMODELED 1 1/2 story 3 1/2 br., 1 1/2 bath, hardwood floors, full bsmt., natural gas forced, 2 1/2 car garage, shed, pool, 1 acre, paved road. Willing to consider offers. \$107,500. (517)548-8265.

056 Milford

COMMERCIAL 3 br. colonial, treed lot, yr. old, oak floors, fireplace, country kitchen, Jennair, air, neutral decor, \$145,900. (313)348-8315.

058 Northville

BEAUTIFUL 2300sq ft. 4 br. ranch on pine filled 1.1 acre lot, inground pool, walking distance to Maybury State Park. By owner. \$199,000. (313)349-6322.

053 Howell

20 ACRES back to state land, 4 br., 2 baths, full basement, 2 1/2 car garage, new furnace, central air, priced for immediate sale. \$107,000. Call Jan Zuplo at The Michigan Group, (313)227-4600, Ext. 255 (8979).

054 Howell

2 BR., nice area near hospital, corner lot, attached 2 car garage, \$68,900. (517)546-7541.

055 Howell

2 STORY Cape Cod, w/attached office, 4 plus br., 2 full baths, full bsmt., rural setting, close to golf course, easy access to expressways, \$162,000. (517)546-2239, evenings.

056 Howell

40 ACRE farm, large barns perfectly set up for horses. Some woods, remodeled 4 br. farmhouse, just off paved road, \$138,800. (9271). Ask for Ken Ives, The Michigan Group (313)227-4600, Ext. 225.

057 Howell

HOWELL City, Great starter home, newly redecorated. New furnace and roof. Must see. \$64,900. Call (517)548-5524.

058 Howell

MODULAR homes - Callaghan Homes from \$35,000 ranch, \$46,900 Cape Cod. Models available locally, plant tours 8-5, Saturday 9-noon. Top-of-the-line construction. (517)546-6770.

059 Howell

MILFORD/BELLEVUE Just listed. Milford Village. Needs TLC. Priced to move now! 1100 sq ft. 3 BDR. Extra deep lot. Only \$68,500.

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PRICE reduced, 3 br. raised ranch, large lot, \$133,900.

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Highland Lakes, 3 br. townhouse, fireplace, \$89,900

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Acres w/ stream, Cape Cod, \$120,000.

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Novi ranch, 6 acres, barn, horses allowed, \$139,900

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FREE Weekly list of properties for sale "Call Owner" w/ prices, descriptions, addresses, owners phone number, etc.

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HELP-U-SELL Northville/Novi, Lyon (313)348-6006

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ROOM TO EXPAND. Move in condition, lots of recent improvements such as roof, plumbing, garage and more. Excellent opportunity for a smart young couple or a single person. Please call for details. \$129,000

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NORTHVILLE. Open Sat. 1-5 A great place to call home. Great location. Huge lot bordering trees, walking distance to downtown. Charming, 4 br. colonial with many amenities. Including family room with fireplace, formal dining room, attached 2 car garage, finished basement. \$204,900. Come see for yourself. Call Esther Baxter, Mayfair Realtors, (313)522-8000.

061 Highland

OPEN SUNDAY 2:00-5:00. 18318 Blue Heron Drive West Transfer forces sale of this waterfront townhome \$224,500

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SONDRA CURTH COLLEWELL BANKER SCHWEITZER (313)347-3050

063 Highland

REMERICA LAKES REALTY 4670 E. M-36 PINCKNEY, MI (313) 231-1600

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OPEN SUNDAY MAY 3, 1992 1-4 CANAL TO GALLAGHER LAKE, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, finished W/O with wet bar and fireplace, garage. *209,500. Nites Amy 878-5128 M-36 West to Whitewater Rd, South 1 1/4 mile to Whitelodge Sub. 10931 Monticello.

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OPEN SUNDAY MAY 3, 1992 1-4 HILAND LAKE FRONT. 3 bedroom Tri-level with finished W/O basement to extensive decking. A must see!!! \$142,000 Nites Joan 878-6650 Patterson Lake Rd to Wieman to 11855 Centerline.

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BY APPOINTMENT WANT A PIECE OF PARADISE? Hamburg Township is the place!!!! New sub, lots from *26,500-70,000. Waterfront sites too!!! Nites Amy 878-5128 or Joan 878-6650

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ACCESS TO ALL SPORTS ONEIDA LAKE. Very sharp 3 bedroom ranch with finished W/O with second kitchen, bedroom, bath and great room. Definitely not a drive by!!!! Large lot with swimming pool *99,900 Nites Curt 231-0128

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HEAVILY WOODED ACREAGE goes with this Builders custom contemporary 3 bedroom, 3 1/2 baths, garage. *198,750. Nite Nancy 878-5117

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Premium sites are available for immediate occupancy, with prices starting at just \$57,850. Enjoy the privacy and comfort of your own home, and the close-knit community ties of a condominium. Plus, the pool, sundeck and clubhouse are yours to savor. And shopping, schools and access to major freeways are nearby. Best of all, Woodlake Condominiums are truly affordable.

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HOWELL. Lake Chemung. Very clean 2 br. house, includes stove, refrigerator, washer, dryer, window treatments, storage barn. Close to 106. Lake privileges, pleasant yard. \$550/mo. plus \$550 security deposit. (313)685-1765.

MILFORD. 4 br., 2 car garage, all appliances. Available 6-1-92. \$950 mo. (313)227-1543.

MILFORD/HIGHLAND. 3 br. ranch, 4th br. in basement, attached garage, 2 acres, appliances. \$895 plus security. 2 miles S. of M-59. 1(800)486-5150, days. (313)478-9713, evenings.

MILFORD Village. 2 br., garage, quiet street, \$575 a month, \$650 security deposit. No pets. Immediate occupancy. (313)349-2709.

NEW HUDSON. 4 br. country home, large garage, 1 acre lot, \$950 per month. (313)437-8079.

NORTHVILLE. 3 br., 1 1/2 baths. Finished basement, no pets. \$900 per mo. security deposit. Available 6-1-92. (313)455-2872.

NORTHVILLE. 3 br. furnished house on 1 acre. Adults preferred. (313)349-0603.

NOVI. Well maintained, 3 br., 2 bath, old farmhouse, oak interior, basement, gas heat, large lot, \$900. (313)363-8088.

SAUNNE/Manchester. Farmhouse apt. 2 br. \$600/mo. includes heat/water. Don (313)453-5494.

BRIGHTON area. Cute 2 br. on 1 acre in country. No pets. non-smokers, \$700 per mo. (313)437-5012.

UNION Lake. 3 br. ranch, pets welcome, \$675 per month (313)624-1019.

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WEBBERVILLE. 4 br. home for rent. Good cond. \$500 monthly, \$500 security deposit. Al or Barb, (313)437-3728.

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BRIGHTON. Briggs Lake. Furnished, weekly rates, very clean, must see. (313)227-3225.

BRIGHTON. Female roommate wanted to share house with 2 others on all sports lake. Rent is \$280 mo. plus 1/3 utilities. Please call (313)227-1369 after 4pm.

HOWELL. Furnished 2 br., walkout bsmt on Lake Thompson. Available June 1st. \$800 per mo. plus security deposit. (313)764-6392 days. (313)548-1128 evenings.

NOVI. 2 br., 3 baths, laundry, all appliances, 1 car attached garage, privacy, no pets. Shawood Lake, \$730 a mo. security. (313)624-8116.

OAK GROVE. Small house, all new carpeting, ideal for couple or single. (313)466-3593.

SOUTH LAKELAND. wideness lakeland furnished home for full summer only from approx. June 24-Aug. 24. Rate reasonable & negotiable. (313)449-8321.

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Brighton Cove

APARTMENTS HAVE IT ALL! Convenient city location in a relaxed country atmosphere. Fish or picnic at our private park on Ore Creek.

Play tennis, swim or just enjoy carefree living in a newly decorated one or two bedroom apt.

RENT NOW! Get 2nd Month FREE

• Central Air • Gas Heat • Balconies & Cable • Private Laundromat • Intercoms • Blinds • Starting at \$425

OFFICE OPEN Mon, thru Fri. 9-6 Saturday 10:30-4:30

Appointments after 6

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ANN ARBOR. Country, 1 br., utilities included, storage garage, shared entrance, no pets, \$400/mo. (313)663-9424.

BRIGHTON. Executive 2 br., suite, new appliances, new kitchen cabinets, carpet, immediate occupancy. (313)229-8239.

BRIGHTON. Hidden Harbour, 2 br., 1 bath, \$550. Call after 6pm. (313)530-0916.

BRIGHTON. Spacious newly renovated 1 br., convenient location. \$475. (313)382-5875.

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NORTHVILLE. Comfortable 1 br. apt., second floor of older home. Stove, refrigerator, no garage. \$395 includes all utilities, except electric. \$500 security deposit. References. No pets. 1 yr. lease (313)349-2487.

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SOUTH LYON. Spacious 2 br., upper, older home, includes stove, refrigerator. \$395. (313)455-1487.

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WEBBETVILLE. 2 bedroom, appliances, garage, no pets. \$485, ask about specials. (313)553-3471, (517)521-3323.

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FOWLerville. accepting applications. \$490/mo plus security 2 br. (517)468-3380

GREGORY. 2 br., 1 car garage \$525 plus utilities & security deposit. (313)426-3633, after 5pm.

HAMBURG. Pinckney area. 2 br. \$455 plus utilities. No pets (313)662-8669

HOLLY. Fenton. 2 br., appliances, garage, heat paid, \$550 plus deposit. (313)629-5968.

HOWELL. 2 bedroom, washer & dryer hookup. \$450 mo. (517)548-4197 after 5 pm

HOWELL. 2 br., country duplex, with garden spot, stove and refrigerator furnished, \$410/mo. References, lease and security deposit required. Send inquiries to Box 3609 c/o South Lyon Herald, 101 N. Lafayette, South Lyon, MI 48178.

HOWELL 2 br. immediate occupancy. Extra clean. Appliances, laundry. Nice area. \$600. (517)548-3057.

HOWELL. 2 br., 1 1/2 baths, large yard, \$450 per mo. including utilities. (517)655-1076.

HOWELL. Dakota 2 br., carpeted, appliances, energy efficient. \$555. (313)227-3434.

HOWELL. Fresh large 2 br., utility room, extra closets, appliances, large lot, utility bldg., no pets. \$525 mo. (313)878-9768.

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PINCKNEY. 2 br., carpeted, drapes, appliances, washer/dryer hookup. E. M-36. No pets. \$485 mo. (313)426-4051.

PINCKNEY. 2 br. upper, stove & refrigerator, no pets. \$510 per mo., plus security & utilities. (313)878-5649 mornings.

PINCKNEY. 2 br., carpeted, stove & ing. \$495 monthly (313)231-2609.

SOUTH LYON. 3 br., 1200 sq.ft., appliances, \$575 plus deposit. (313)486-4157.

WHITMORE LAKE. 1 br., appliances with washer/dryer, \$450/mo. (313)634-6572.

085 Rooms For Rent

BRIGHTON township. Lexington Motel, color TV, air, refrigerator, daily and weekly rates. 1040 Old US 23.

HIGHLAND. Furnished room, new paint, carpet, lake privileges, parking space, \$100 per wk. including utilities. (313)685-7472.

HOWELL city. With house privileges. \$78/week. (517)546-6679.

HOWELL city. \$60/wk. 1/3 utilities, nice. (517)546-0264

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OLD Dutch Farms Manufactured Housing Community. South Lyon schools. Club house, off street parking, RV storage, single wide sites available. (313)349-3943.

090 Living Quarters To Share

BRIGHTON. Share house, pot possible, large yard, garage, non-smoker. \$320 plus 1/3 utilities. (313)227-8341.

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HOWELL city. \$60/wk. 1/3 utilities, nice. (517)546-0264

HOWELL. downtown home to share. \$275 monthly. (517)548-1625 evenings.

HOWELL. home to share. Appliances, \$250 mo., Non-smoker. (517)548-1067.

NORTHVILLE Victorian home to share. Downtown location. \$250/mo. plus 1/2 utilities. (313)349-0842 before noon.

WHITMORE LAKE. House & lake privileges, quiet neighborhood, \$260/mo. 1/3 utilities, (313)449-4884.

091 Industrial, Commercial For Rent

BRIGHTON downtown. Space for lease, approx. 4200sq.ft. (313)348-2941

BRIGHTON. Downtown Main St., retail space, 1,650sq.ft., (313)227-9653.

BRIGHTON/South Lyon. Available for lease, 5,400-13,000sq.ft. (313)486-5333.

BRIGHTON. Old 23 Commerce Center. Now leasing, 2400sq.ft. to 4800sq.ft., light industrial, (313)227-3650.

FENTON mini mail office or retail space. 2,000 & 2,200sq.ft. located on 5 lane highway. Very reasonable rates. (313)626-6700.

FORD Court. Brighton, 1700sq.ft. office available with up to 3000sq.ft. of optional industrial/warehouse space. (313)229-9208.

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MILFORD. Retail space, approx. 900sq.ft., exc. location, downtown. Office space, 5 separate rooms, downtown. Reasonable rent, heat included. 2 doors from Appassers. Call for details. (313)685-2364

SOUTH LYON store. Parking. 18,000sq.ft. Negotiable rent. Available immediately. (313)349-3730.

WIXOM. Light industrial. 4,355sq.ft., 2 units combined or will divide 8am-5pm. (313)669-0099.

092 Buildings & Halls For Rent

MILFORD hall for rent. Wedding reception, showers, parties, etc. (313)685-9009/(313)685-8331.

093 Office Space For Rent

HOWELL office. 1 to 4 rooms, or part of, exc. location & parking. (517)546-0148.

HOWELL. Professional office space-800ft., w/private bath and handicap access. Located on Grand River. Ample parking. \$700/month, negotiable lease. (517)546-3440, (517)546-3817.

MILFORD. Great Downtown location. Plenty of parking, perfect for travel, insurance, sales rep., etc. Extremely reasonable rates. Ask for Angie Sarkisian (313)473-6200 ReMax Foremost Inc.

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NORTHVILLE-NOVI. Full or part-time offices. Secretarial service, answering service, fax, 24-hr. direction. Preferred Executive Offices. (313)464-2771.

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BRIGHTON. Location, location, location. Prime Grand River frontage. 1650sq.ft. Retail or office. Excellent parking. Lighted sign. Flexible lease options. Available June 1. (313)437-0442 or (313)227-5522.

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BARTON CITY, MI. Jewel lake. Completely equipped lakefront cottages for rent, boats provided. Reservations: (517)546-1618 or (517)736-8083.

BELLAIRE, MI. Nice lakefront cottages on Intermediate Lake. Openings the weeks of 6/20, 6/27, 7/4. Also early June & late Aug. (313)349-1709. (616)544-8248

CHEBOYGAN, Black Lake. Spacious summer cottage rental, sandy beach, exc. swimming, fishing & boating. (313)632-5216, best after 6pm.

DISNEY/EPICOT....Universal studios. 1 1/2 miles away, luxury 2 & 3 br., 2 bath condos. Washer, dryer, microwave, pool, jacuzzi, tennis courts, from \$525 weekly. 1-800-486-5150 days (313)479-9713 evenings.

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HIGGINS Lake. cottage rentals, all modern conveniences, fully furnished. Some with fireplaces. Enjoy boating, fishing, scuba diving, swimming and 2 state parks. HURRY! Choice weeks still available. Phone: (313)735-9841 after 6pm.

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Margene Mieras sorts through her stock of hundreds of rubber stamps at Stamp Peddlars Plus in Northville

By RICK BYRNE
Copy Editor

There was a time when rubber stamps were only used by bureaucrats and bankers, rejecting loans and classifying forms.

Now, with the right equipment and about five minutes of training, rubber stamps are fast becoming the trappings of friends and lovers. The new Stamp Peddlars Plus Gifts and Collectibles at 150 Mary Alexander Court in Northville provides the tools and the know-how to make works of art and professional-looking printwork.

Store owner Margene Mieras has expanded the line of stamps, inks and stationery that once filled a small corner of the store once known as the Peddlers IV. She has also decorated the area with examples of the embossing and decorating that can be done with stamps.

The rainbows of color and sparkles of metallic magic appear to be the work of skilled craftspeople, spending hours on each one. According to Margene, nothing could be farther from the truth.

"People look at it and say 'I can't do that,'" Margene said. "But they can."

To demonstrate, she broke out a piece of stationery, and a stamp. In this case, the stamp depicted a pair of roses.

Using a special colorless ink, she stamped the image on the page. She then sprinkled the stamped area with a special gold powder, which adhered to the clear ink. After shaking off the excess she held the card over a heating plate for a few seconds.

What emerged was a flawless embossed image of a gilt-edged rose. Margene touched up the rose and

stem with peach and green colored markers to create a striking composition.

The entire process took less than a minute.

"I can teach anyone to do it," Margene said. "And there's no limit to what you can do. They make special pens to write your name, and then you can add the embossing powder and have your own signature on cards or whatever. We had a lot of people come in around Christmas-time who wanted their names in gold on their cards."

It just takes a quick demonstration of stamp embossing to get people thinking about the infinite possibilities.

"The part that gets them hooked is when they see how easy it is to become a stamp artist," said Margene. "I do the demonstrations in here, and now I'm offering classes too. They can take the rookie rubber stamp class, and there's more beyond that."

Margene points out that there are thousands upon thousands of stamp images to suit all tastes and occasions.

"I have hundreds here to pick from, but I have catalogs that list thousands," said Margene. "Someone wanted a Groucho Marx nose and glasses, and I was able to find it and order it for them."

Looney Tunes characters, Flintstone, Jellsons, Mickey Mouse and Disney Babies are just a few of the cartoon characters that have been licensed for use on stamps. The uses for stamps run the gamut from wedding party invitations and personal stationery to thank you notes and gift tags.

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Seminar to help older job hunters

More than 40 companies plan to participate in the sixth annual "Ability is Ageless" job fair Thursday, April 30, in Southfield.

They will be recruit workers over age 45 for positions currently open within their companies.

The fair runs from 9 a.m. to noon and 1-3 p.m. in the Sheraton Hotel, 16400 J.L. Hudson Drive.

All job seekers over 45 are welcome. The event is free. Organizers

advise that job seekers dress in business attire and bring 15-20 copies of their resume.

Sponsor is the Southeast Michigan Older Worker Coordinating Committee (SMOWCC).

Terry Barclay, president of Operation ABLE of Michigan, said, "The goal of the job fair is to show the thousands of laid-off, unemployed and

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Stamps rub off on store's customers

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"It's a great way to make an impression," Margene said. "If you send something to someone, it's neat when they know that it was done by you. You can even get one that says 'Custom Stamped by...'"

And if you don't want to be that structured about it, then just use them to play with. Margene said kids love stamps, and she has a child's table and chairs set up in the store where they can experiment too.

There are animals and clowns, as well as numbers and letters that kids can use to learn their alphabet. More are always on the way.

"Most of the stamp companies are in California. They have stores out

there that are just nothing but stamps. It's just now hitting the Midwest."

While Margene said her goal is to fill the store with as many stamps as she possibly can, she said the store will continue to carry gifts and collectibles.

She is forming a rubber stamp club that will reward frequent buyers with credits for free stamps. A Mother's Day contest will reward the most creative stamped image for that holiday.

Perhaps the best testimony to the endless possibilities of stamping are in the words of Margene's own personal favorite. It reads "So many stamps, so little time."

Detroit area index slips but still fuels optimism

The Detroit region's economy is in a "first gear" recovery mode—10 percent better than a year ago, but not having shown any acceleration since August 1991, according to David L. Littmann, economist at Manufacturers Bank.

The Detroit Area Business Activity Index (DABAI) lost four points in March, averaging 142 compared with February's level of 146.

Detroit's economy averaged 144 during the first quarter of 1992, vs. 146 the preceding quarter.

Despite these setbacks, business activity in the local area is up 10.6

percent from the depressed first quarter a year ago, said Littmann. During March, the average hourly work week in manufacturing and employment both increased. Michigan motor vehicle output was steady.

But these signs of strength were overwhelmed by declines in the more volatile steel output and car sales components of the index, he said.

Manufacturers Bank compiles the business index monthly from eight measures of activity which are seasonally adjusted, corrected for inflation, and expressed as an index with 1982 as base year equal to 100.

Job fair aids older workers

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discouraged job seekers over 45 that there are jobs and that we are here to help them locate these jobs."

Members of SMOVCC include: Operation ABLE of Michigan, Detroit Urban League, AARP-Senior Employment Program, Wayne County

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Mary DiPaolo/Focus: Small Business

Substance abuse harms business



In their recently published book, "Drugs and Alcohol in the Workplace," Drusilla Campbell and Marilyn Graham state that for every 10 employees, at least one is impaired by chemical dependency... with the cost to businesses being in excess of

\$100 billion each year.

These employees take home salaries for working at two-thirds the capacity of healthy workers, receive employee benefits while having four times as many accidents, and are a primary cause of employee-related discipline and morale problems. Regardless of the size or type of business, "pseudodrug" abuse has reached epidemic proportions and has been described as "the most serious problem facing American business between now and the end of the century."

In recent years, arbitration and court cases have made it clear that employers cannot afford to ignore this problem any longer. A growing majority of firms have been held liable for failure to remove an employee whose abuse of alcohol and/or drugs endangers co-workers. While most managers acknowledge these grim statistics, many are reluctant to provide sources of information and outside assistance to employee staff—let alone consider the possibility of offering in-house treatment services.

The reason behind this form of "managerial denial" are numerous; as one example, many honestly do not know that their business is being negatively affected by employees' abuse of chemicals. Business "losses" may be attributed to the economy, shoplifters, foreign competition, union hassles, or the time of year.

Others deny the problem exists so as to "protect" the image and reputation of their company. This is especially dependent. "Most everyone in upper management was an alcoholic," says one now-retired business executive from Grrosse Pointe. "... and since we were employed in the health-care industry, it's ludicrous

ous to think that several major company decisions were made while management was intoxicated."

Another common reason for managerial denial is a feeling of hopelessness about the whole issue. "She's going through a divorce and supporting three kids... If I were married to him, I'd drink too," and "... his wife just died," are just a few of the many excuses that serve to enable and encourage abusers to ignore their problem.

Breaking through the denial as business owners and managers is crucial if employers are to take responsibility in helping to control chemical abuse in the workplace. What businesses don't seem to realize is how much flout they really have; when the boss says, "Get well or get out," the addict/alcoholic has no choice but to look for help.

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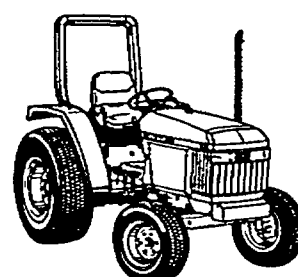
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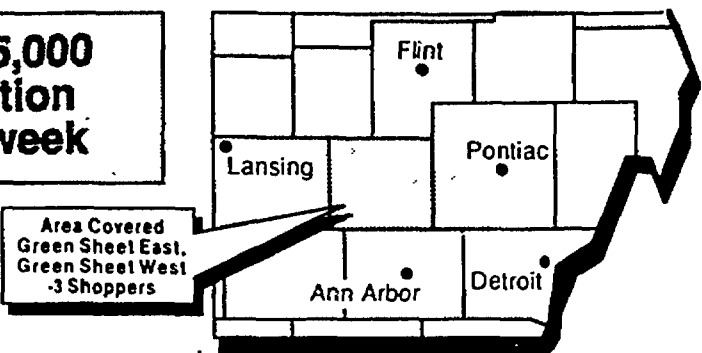
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014 In Memoriam

IN memory of Patrick D. Baier. Those we love remain with us, for love itself lives on, and cherished memories never fade because a loved one's gone. Sadly missed by all his family.

015 Lost

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Pomeranian white male, 1 yr. 4lbs. Any information, please call (517)548-1533.

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BRIGHTON. Sat, May 2, only. 9am to 4pm. Antiques, oak bookshelves and tables, train bench, hutch, baskets, plants, pictures, goodies. 4719 Summer Hill (off Chaffee near Dorr Rd.) I-96.

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BRIGHTON 3 Family Yard Sale. Office furniture, kids' knicks, clothes. Wed. Thurs. Fri. & Sat. 9-6pm. 1417 N. Clark Lake Rd.

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Super Crossword

ACROSS

1 apple
6 One of a pair
10 Sol. degree
14 Metric weight unit
18 It's before boom or barrier
19 Presently
20 Golf club
21 Covers with hairbrush
23 Food for August?
25 Candy for a school
27 Those leaving their country
28 — In one's bonnet
29 Reluctant
30 Grating, in heraldry
31 Pedestal occupants
32 Of a religious season
33 Oninoco
34 Inhibitory
36 Thick spinal bone
39 Blueprint add-on
40 Suggester
50 Social setting
51 Lady Chapin
52 Bath item, perhaps?
53 Ohio city

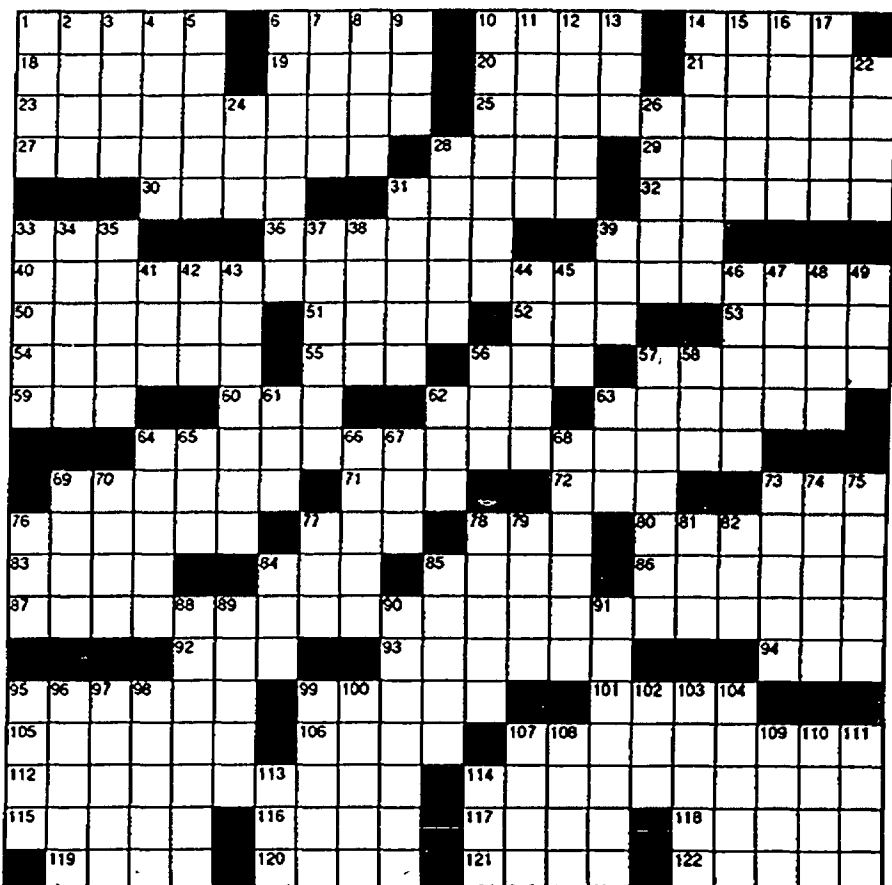
54 Figure having equal angles
55 AEF conflict
56 Nice season
57 lengthened the story
59 — Conis a "Dance"
60 Mimic
62 Post or host
63 Fixed allowance
64 Elsa plays the lead in a movie?
69 Hawaiian verandas
71 Brother or sister
72 Political org.
73 Insolent talk
76 Quick-drying adhesive
77 Matterhorn
78 "Ba! —" (1949 song)
80 Desert waste
83 Choir division
84 OSS follower
85 Theme, in music
86 Patrick Henry was one
87 Song for the 1974 Super Bowl?
92 Victory sign
93 Scanty
94 Maiden-name predecessor

95 Band conductor
99 Spring month
101 Art cult
105 Glowing coals
106 Unreliable witness
107 Nominating elections
112 Serviceman on a direct course?
114 Baking dish for a curious girl?
115 Seed covering
116 First shepherd
117 Brother or sister
118 Wrack completely: collog
119 Take five
120 The south of France
121 N.E. state
122 Expunge
DOWN
1 Arthur of tennis
2 Tragic fate
3 Prefix for hero
4 Gnat-like insect
5 — not the sonnet... (Wordsworth)
6 Great fool
7 Med. school subject

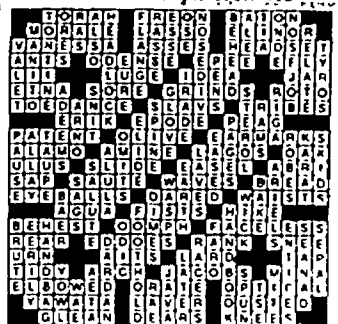
8 — In the Atto (play)
9 Print units
10 Large explosive device
11 Not kind
12 Great Lakes memory aid
13 Conclude
14 Walkways
15 Become mature
16 Dead or dying
17 North Sea leader
22 British gun
24 Gangster's pistol
26 Auto race of a kind
28 Town in Ethiopia
31 Native of Tehran
33 Acknowledge
34 Union's demand
35 Synthetic fiber
37 "The king's name is — of strength" (Shakespeare)
38 Humiliating meal?
39 White-tailed eagle
41 Equip
42 Man lead-in
43 Utterly

44 Organic compound
45 Actress
46 McClanahan
48 Nostalgia-inducing song
47 Mischievous trick
48 TV comedy
49 Blue
56 Psychiatrist's concern
57 Sunshade
58 Had a snack
61 Dance step
62 Monastery head: abbr.
63 P.O. abbr.
64 Playwright Chukhov
65 Cabine monkey
66 The Moslem religion
67 Slight taste
68 River nymphs
69 French composer
70 Concerning language
73 Classical
74 City cyclic kelone
75 Anagram for spare
76 Guatemala Indian
77 Make public
78 Having to do with blood

79 Arab chieftain
81 French painter and sculptor
82 Exclamation of surprise
84 Passing grade
85 Hog-like animal
88 Exceed one's diet
89 Metrical writing
90 Native of Tel Aviv
91 Complex character?
95 For fear that
96 Moslem ruler
97 Humble or humble
98 Obligations
99 Excuse
100 Languished
102 Med. org.
103 He wrote "The Divine Comedy"
104 Emotional warmth
107 Pocket bread
108 Soaks flax
109 Greek letter
110 Special periods
111 Bargain bonanza
113 Headlong flight
114 Actress Dawber



Answers to Super Crossword



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION

103 Garage, Moving, Rummage Sales

HOWELL 3 family yard sale. Fri. May 1; 9-4. Sat. May 2, 9-2. 7373 Brophy Rd. 1 mile north of M-59 1 house left of Musson.

HOWELL 4 family sale. May 2-4, 7910 Wiggins. Furniture, clothes, misc.

HOWELL 9am-5pm, April 30th. May 1-2. 3400 Jewell Rd. Large selection of children's clothes, toys, furniture, baby items, from 0-10 yrs. Many household items.

HOWELL Baby & toddler clothes, toys, bedspreads, misc. goodies. Fri., Sat., 9am-4pm. 501 Byron.

HOWELL Baby items, clothes, lots of misc. Fri., Sat., Sun., 11am-6pm. 5838 Comanche, Red Oaks Subdivision.

HOWELL Bg Garage Sale, Fri., May 1 - Sun. May 3, 10am-6pm. 1267 Peavy Rd.

HOWELL Estate sale. 140 E. LaGrand, Chateau Estates, Sat. Sun., 10am-5pm. Dishes, small appliances, clothing, arts & craft supplies, some outdoor furniture.

HOWELL May 2, Sat. only. 9am-4pm. Kitchen table, lawn mower, antique bottles, & lots of other goodies. 808 Alger St., S. of Riddle, E. of Byron Rd.

HOWELL May 1, 2 & 3, 10-4pm. Tools, kids golf clubs, suitcases, spinning wheel, raw & roving, misc. 5950 Cedar Lake Rd.

HOWELL Moving China, collectibles, furniture, baby furniture, housewares, pet stuff, canned supplies, gar supplies, garden equipment, good 52 VW floor pan. Behind Midwestern Market. Now thru Sat., Sun. to 5pm.

HOWELL Moving sale. Oak furniture & many other items. Thurs. Fri. Sat.; 9-2. 4927 Vines Rd. Coon Lk. Cedar Lk. Rds.

HOWELL Moving sale. Fowler Heights Sub. May 1, 2, 9-4pm. Household items, kids' toys & clothes. 1014 Meadowlark.

HOWELL Moving. Yard sale. 17 years of neat stuff! Clothing: baby to adult. Furniture, tools. Thurs. Fri. Sat. 9am-5pm. 821 Madson, off Michigan Ave.

HOWELL Multi-family. April 30, May 1, 2. 341 East Brooks St. Furniture, tubcaps, bandaw, jigsaw and much more misc.

HOWELL Moving Sale. Mahogany table with leaves, oak entertainment center, smoke blue leather couch, loveseat, chair and ottoman, plus much more. All like new. Sat. May 2, 9-5. 2120 Fisk.

HOWELL Multi-family. First Presbyterian Children's Care Center. Will be holding a center wide Garage Sale on Sat. May 2 from 8am-3pm in the church parking lot. 323 W. Grand River. Proceeds will go toward special events/groundwork for the children of the center.

HOWELL Multifamily garage sale. Household, dish & glassware sets, baby items, boy's toys, Peugeot bike, clothes, infant through men's 3XL. May 2, 3; 9am-6pm. 1278 S. Hughes, 1 mile north of Grand River.

HOWELL Quality garage sale. Sat., May 2, 10am-5pm. Rain date, Sun., May 3. Brass lamps, beige sleeper sectional, coffee tables, brand name dresses sizes 8 or 10, infant/toddler clothes, Club cookware, comforters, kitchen misc. 320 Jewett, off Grand River.

HOWELL Rummage & book sale. Grace Lutheran Church, 312 Prospect Street, Fri., May 1, 6pm-9pm.; Sat., May 2, 9am-1pm.

HOWELL rummage sale, St. Johns Church, 504 Prospect St. (south of McPherson Hospital off Byron Rd.) 9am-3pm.

HOWELL rummage sale, First United Methodist Church, 1230 Bower. Thurs. 6pm-9pm, Fri. 10am-1pm.

HOWELL Yard sale. Miscellaneous. Thurs. 9am-5pm, 211 Browning St. 1 block off Grand River.

MILFORD. April 30, May 1. 8-3. 440 Rowe Rd. Desk, skis, thresher, lawnmower, large wood stove, mink stole, jewelry, portable car phone, etc.

MILFORD Multifamily Sale. Clothes, baby clothes, misc. Wedding & prom dresses, new cannonball bed, kitchen supplies & boxes. April 30, May 1 & 2, 8-4pm. 214 Noble.

MILFORD Presbyterian Church rummage and book sale. April 30, May 1. 9am to 4pm. 238 North Main, corner Liberty.

NEW HUDSON. May 1, 2; 9am-5pm. Household items, Precious Moments, clothing, etc. 59139 Montego, off Merandale, between Pontiac & Grand River.

NEW HUDSON. Rummage and Bake Sale, April 30, 10-6. May 1, 9-1. Friday, \$1 a bag and 1/2 of marked items. 56730 Grand River.

NORTHVILLE. United Methodist Rummage Sale. 8 Mile & Taft Rd. Donations accepted. Tax receipts given. Tools, lawn furniture, garden equipment, household articles, stoves, freezers, washers, dryers, refrigerators, automotive & sporting goods. We accept anything. May 2 & 3, (313)349-1144, (313)349-0208, (313)349-6485, (313)347-9918, (313)347-4231.

NORTHVILLE. Sat., 9am-6pm. 19680 Clement Rd., S. of Main St., W. of Sheldon.

NORTHVILLE Garage & Back-porch Sale. Craft & sewing supplies. Some hardware. 920 Ely Ct. Thurs. April 30/Fri. May 1, 8:30-5.

NORTHVILLE. Multi family, infant and children's items, clothing, misc. 43782 Park Grove Ct., 8 mile and Novi St. May 1 & 2, 9:30am-4:30pm.

NORTHVILLE 4 families, 40 yrs. accumulation! April 30, May 1, 2, 3. 9am-6pm. Upright freezer, bunk beds, sewing machine, baby furniture & items, dog crates, furniture, appliances, golf bags, typewriters, rowing machines, toys & games. Lots of designer clothes: men, women, children & babies, maternity clothes. Much, much more! No junk! 46151 Bloomcraft, N. of Main, W. of Clement.

NORTHVILLE. May Day! May Day! An alert to all good garage sale. N. Beacon Woods sub annual garage sale. Friday and Saturday, May 1 and 2. 9am-4pm. South of 8 Mile. Look for signs posted at homes.

NORTHVILLE. May 2 8-5pm. rowing machine, household & picnic items, Park Grove Ct.

NORTHVILLE - 4 garage sales. 8 Mile & Napier area. May 2 & 3, 11am-4pm. Washer, dryer, boat, 2 vans, wood clothes, kitchen stuff, books, furniture, tools & toys.

NOVI. Annual Jamestown Green Sub. sale. Sat., May 2, 9-4pm. North of 10 Mile, west of Novi Rd. Baby furniture & items, dehumidifier, outdoor furniture, stereo, space heater, bulk seasoned firewood, 8hp generator (5,000 watt), bar stools, sofa beds, entertainment int. antique trunk, bike helmets, Fisher Price kitchen, toys, blankets, clothes, dishes, furniture, much more!

NOVI. Boy's clothing, crib, bikes, furniture, household items. Thurs. April 30, Fri. & Sat., May 1, 2. 9am-5pm. 22671 Sheridan, N. of Nine Mile between Meadowbrook & Haggerty.

NOVI. CedarSpring Estates Sub. garage sale. May 1st, 2nd. 9am-6pm. West of Novi Rd. between 10 & 11 mile.

NOVI/Northville. Montessori garage & bake sale. 70 families. 23836 Novi & 10 mile Rds. Sat. 5/2/92, 10am to 2pm.

PINCKNEY. Crafts & garage sale. Thurs. Fri. Sat., 9am-5pm. Mother's Day & Graduation gifts. 11620 Dexter-Pinckney Rd.

PINCKNEY. Multifamily fund raiser garage sale. Little Dude's Ranch, 4144 E. M-36, Sat., Sun., May 2, 3, 9am-5pm. Rain or shine.

PINCKNEY. Church yard sale. Sat. May 2nd, 9am-5pm. Pinckney Community Congregational U.C.C. 125 E. Unadilla. Hot dogs, sloppy joes, chips served. Sponsor by: P.C.C. Youth Group. Stop by and buy!

PINCKNEY. Small desk, women's & girls' clothing, men's 44 & extra large clothing, misc. 448 Fairwood, off Mower. Fri., Sat., 9am-5pm.

PINCKNEY. 4th annual yard sale. Thurs. 4-30 & Fri. 5-1 only. 9am-5pm. 1020 and 1032 E. Depot St., down from Masonic Temple. We have everything!

PINCKNEY. Moving sale. Everything must go. Fri., Sat., Sun. 12noon-5pm. 7041 Cedar Lake Rd. (313)878-3237.

SOUTH LYON. Huge 5 family sale. April 30th, May 1st & 2nd. 10am to 3pm. Toys, antiques, jewelry, Lind crib, baby equipment, clothing, toys, king-size spread. 10633 Rushion, between 9 and 10 Mile.

SOUTH LYON. Sun., May 3. Huge 6 family. Kids clothes, furniture, toys & more. 9155 Poor Rd. N. off Ten Mile between Pinckney Trail & Rushion.

SOUTH LYON. 61825 Topsfield, Orchard Edge Sub, Pontiac Trail/Silver Lake Rd. April 30-May 1.

SOUTH LYON. 1/2 mile of bargains on Laser Lane. Multifamily. April 30 thru May 3, 9-4. 1 block W. of Pontiac Trail. N. of Eight Mile.

WALLED LAKE. 1433 Dover Hill, 15 Mile & Decker. May 1, 2. 9am-3pm. Craft supplies, toys, books, 45 rpm records, etc.

WALLED LAKE Western High School Craft Show sponsored by PTSA, 600 Beck Rd. between Maple & Pontiac Trail. Sat., May 2, 10am-4pm. Admission \$1 - Seniors & Students Free. Rummage sale, 253 Delaware St., 9am-2pm, May 2, 3.

WHITMORE LAKE. Estate rummage sale, 253 Delaware St., 9am-2pm, May 2, 3.

104 Household Goods

20 Cubic Ft. Amana refrigerator, \$125. Hoosier cupboard, \$200. Bath tub with pedestal base, \$50. (313)887-1348.

2 BEDROOM sets, dining room set, chairs, couch, misc. (313)548-0552.

6 PIECE sectional cinnamon colored couch with one lamp table. \$150. (313)476-5156.

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CARPENTRY 15x20" commercial grade, dark teal blue, very late use, \$150. (313)498-2452, (313)475-4449.

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DAMAGED cabinet sale every Sat. 8am-12noon. 9325 Mahtry Rd., Brighton. (313)229-9554.

DOUBLE bed, 3 drawer chest, desk, bookcase, topper, chair. Exccond. \$375. (313)343-8552.

DREXEL Heritage Woodbriar oak china cabinet and 62in. table w/2 20in. leaves, 4 highback padded chairs. Seldom used, great condition. \$1,500 or best offer. (313)437-3994.

ELECTRIC stove, almond, exc. cond., \$150. (313)878-2430.

FULL size soft sided waterbed, \$200. (313)548-3195.

G.E. stove, clean, good condition. \$75. (313)437-8753.

GE washer & dryer. \$150 each or \$200. pair. GE. Refrigerator, no frost. \$50. All work! (313)227-7137.

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TAN couch, queen size sofa bed w/love seat & chair, \$175. (313)887-2089.

TAN swivel recliner, exc. cond., \$90. (313)229-4074.

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evenings

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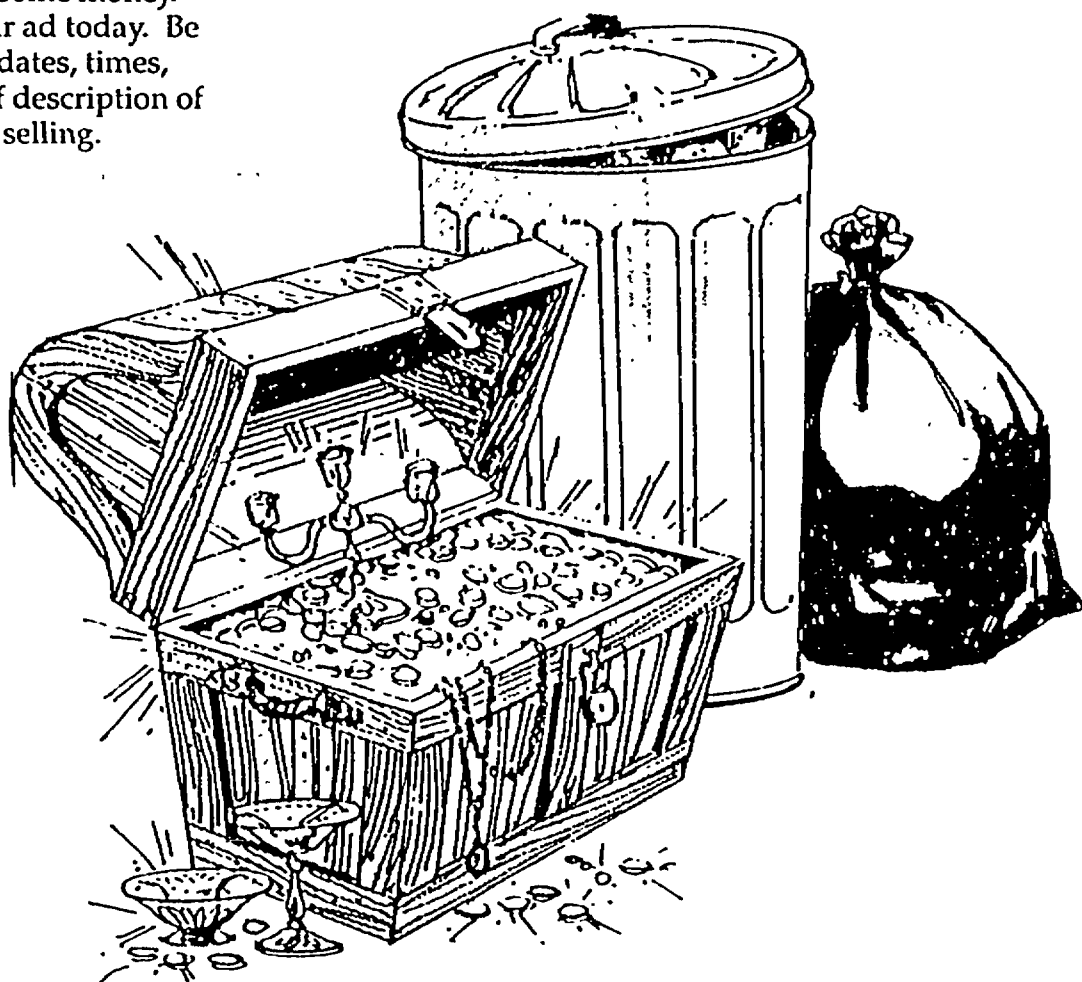
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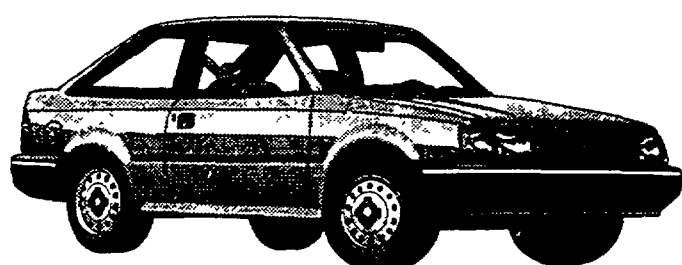
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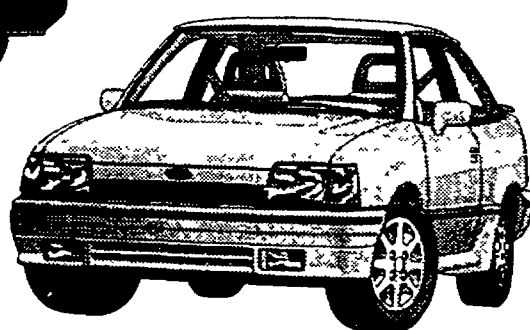
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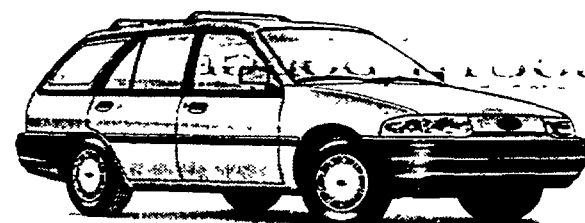
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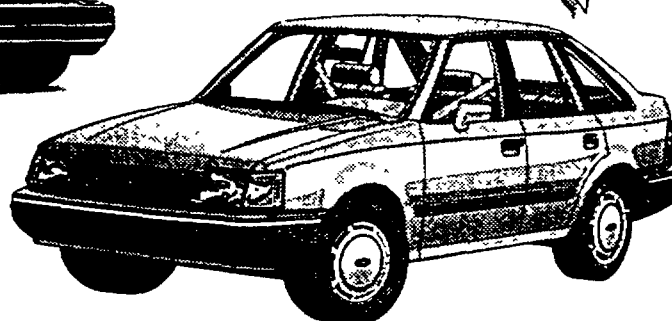
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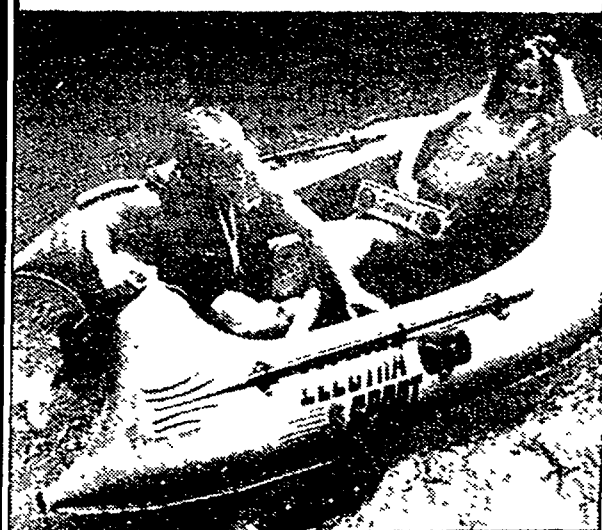


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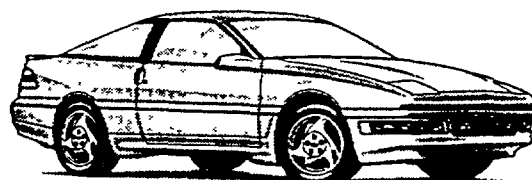


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4 dr., air, auto, p. windows, p. locks and more

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4 dr., air, auto, p. windows, p. locks and more

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1989 OLDS CIERA

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\$6995

1985 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE

4 dr., air, auto, p. windows, p. locks and more

\$2995

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1987 OLDS CIERA

P.w., p. locks, p. seats, air, auto, & much more

\$4995

1986 PONTIAC 6000 LE

Loaded, extra sharp

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1988 BERETTA

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1989 CHEVY CORSICA

V-6, air, auto, cassette, p.w., p. locks

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1987 OLDS CALAIS GT

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\$6995

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4 dr., air, auto, p. windows, p. locks and more

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1988 BERETTA

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10,000 miles, showroom new - all the power, blue and silver, exec. car

\$14,995

1989 CHEVY CORSICA

V-6, air, auto, cassette, p.w., p. locks

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1987 OLDS CALAIS GT

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Loaded, extra sharp

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1988 BERETTA

V-6, air, auto, cruise, tilt, p.w., p. locks & more

\$5495

1989 OLDS CIERA

Low miles, p.s., p.b., cruise, tilt, all the extras

\$6995

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4 dr., air, auto, p. windows, p. locks and more

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Loaded, low miles

\$299⁵⁰ per mo.

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\$4995

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Loaded, extra sharp

\$4495

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\$14,995

1989 CHEVY CORSICA

V-6, air, auto, cassette, p.w., p. locks

\$6995

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1986 PONTIAC 6000 LE

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1988 BERETTA

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\$5495

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1989 CHEVY CORSICA

V-6, air, auto, cassette, p.w., p. locks

\$6995

1987 OLDS CALAIS GT

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1986 PONTIAC 6000 LE

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V-6, air, auto, cruise, tilt, p.w., p. locks & more

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1989 OLDS CIERA

Low miles, p.s., p.b., cruise, tilt, all the extras

\$6995

1985 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE

4 dr., air, auto, p. windows, p. locks and more

\$2995

1989 CHEVY ASTROVAN

Loaded, low miles

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1987 OLDS CIERA

P.w., p. locks, p. seats, air, auto, & much more

\$4995

1986 PONTIAC 6000 LE

Loaded, extra sharp

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1988 BERETTA

V-6, air, auto, cruise, tilt, p.w., p. locks & more

\$5495

1991 CHEVY LUMINA APV VAN

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\$14,995

1989 CHEVY CORSICA

V-6, air, auto, cassette, p.w., p. locks

\$6995

1987 OLDS CALAIS GT

Air, auto, p.s., p.b., p.w., p. locks, cassette, much more, must see

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1987 OLDS CIERA

P.w., p. locks, p. seats, air, auto, & much more

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1988 ASTRO CONVERSION VAN

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\$10,495

1986 PONTIAC 6000 LE

Loaded, extra sharp

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1988 BERETTA

V-6, air, auto, cruise, tilt, p.w., p. locks & more

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1989 OLDS CIERA

Low miles, p.s., p.b., cruise, tilt, all the extras

\$6995

1985 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE

4 dr., air, auto, p. windows, p. locks and more

\$2995

1989 CHEVY ASTROVAN

Loaded, low miles

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1987 OLDS CIERA

P.w., p. locks, p. seats, air, auto, & much more

\$4995

1986 PONTIAC 6000 LE

Loaded, extra sharp

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1988 BERETTA

V-6, air, auto, cruise, tilt, p.w., p. locks & more

\$5495

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\$14,995

1989 CHEVY CORSICA

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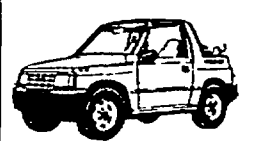


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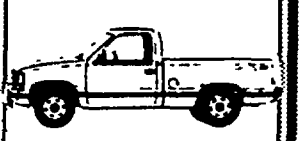


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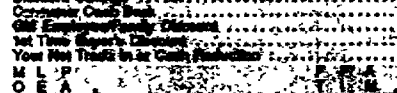
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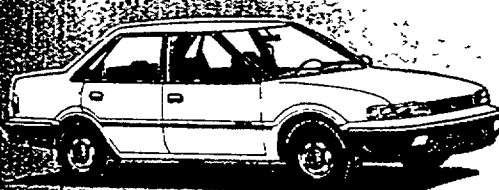
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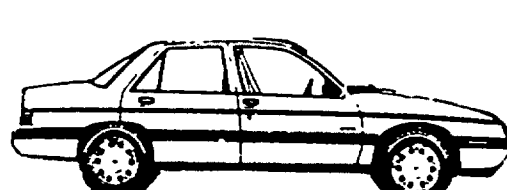
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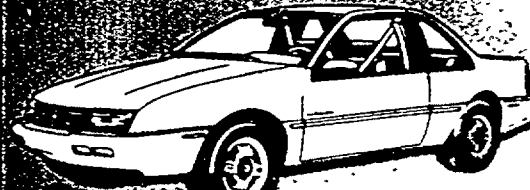
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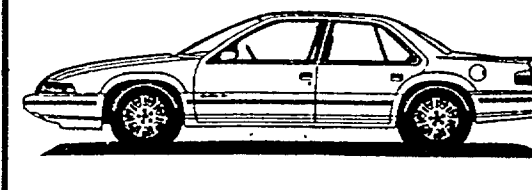
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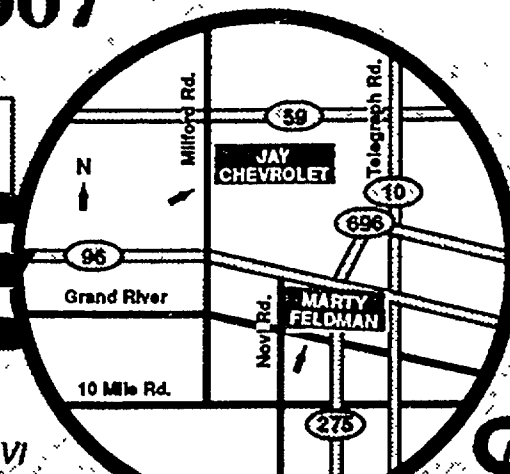
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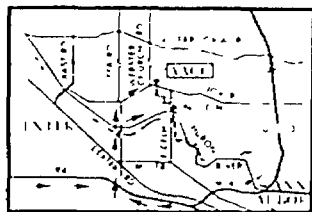
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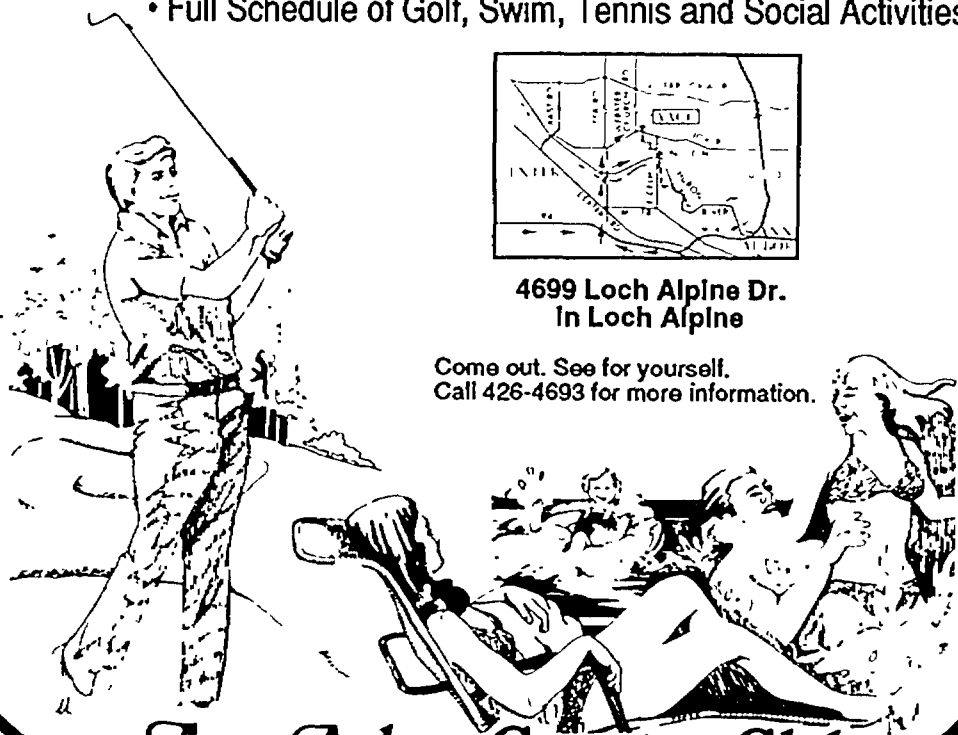
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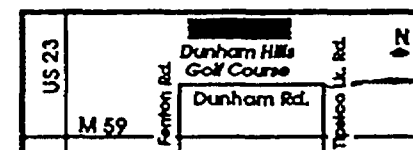
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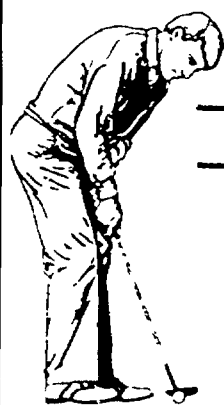
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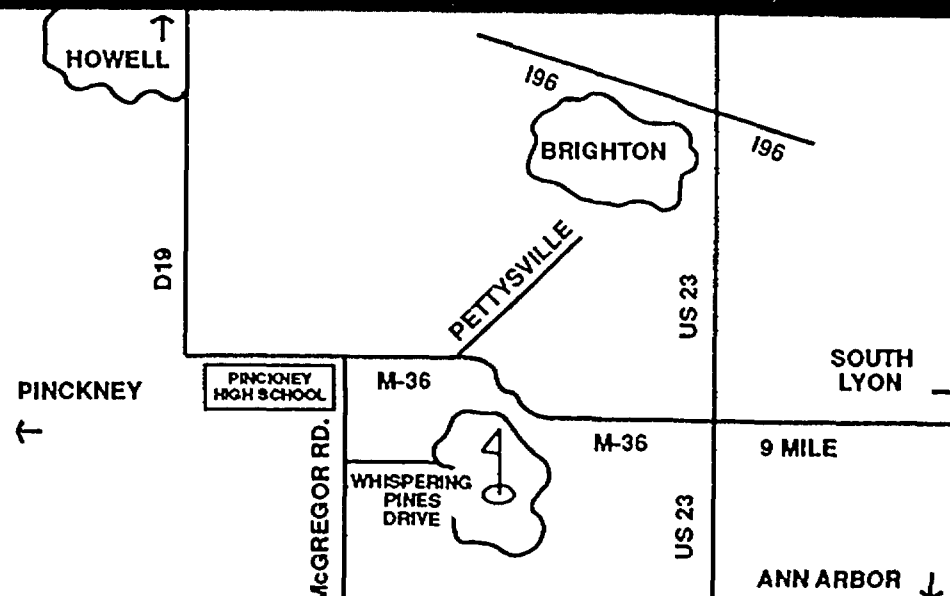
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Matthews' Links of Novi course challenges

By Scott Daniel

Cut from the woods of Novi's western frontier lies what is one of the metropolitan area's most challenging, if not most beautiful, new golf courses.

The Links of Novi, 50395 W. Ten Mile Road, offers players more than 9,000 yards of rolling hills, plush fairways and tantalizing greens over 27 holes. According to general manager and club professional Tom Sheldon, the course is designed to test even the best of golfers.

"Many of the holes place a premium on accuracy," he said. "We have a lot of rolling terrain with very undulating and well-bunkered greens. It's an upscale public facility and a real good golf course."

The Links opened in May of last year.

Gary Whitener, longtime head pro of Livonia's public courses, purchased 200 acres of prime acreage along Ten Mile, west of Beck Road, for the development in 1988. With substantially more land than was needed for a typical 18-hole course, Whitener decided to build 27.

"Instead of letting 70 to 80 acres just sit," Sheldon said, "we decided to utilize it."

Construction began on the "multi-million" dollar course in January of 1989 and continued through last July, he added. After



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Ron Egmore (left) and Frank Guerlin get ready to tee off on No. 3 (East) on the 27-hole Links of Novi layout

the east nine opened in the spring, the west and south 18 were ready by August.

Jerry Matthews, one of Michigan's best and busiest golf architects, designed the course. Sheldon commented that the Links did well in its first year.

"We were happy with our first-year busi-

ness," he said. "We look forward to operating for a full season with all of our holes."

The general manager explained why they came to the city.

"We think Novi is a pretty progressive city," Sheldon said. "It's a desirable place to do business."

As for the course, Ol' Man Winter was kind this year. Even with the lack of sunshine this spring, fairways look to be ready for your best shots.

"The greens are in excellent shape," Sheldon said. "The course is starting to green up. We just need a little more warmth to speed growth up a bit."

The east course is the first out of the clubhouse.

At 3,209 yards, it won't make Masters champion Fred Couples cringe. But for the more mortal golfer, the east course is plenty long. Elevation changes of up to 95 feet make play a little longer than the listed yardage, in fact.

Par fours range from 310 to 451 yards while none of the par threes are under 200 yards. The only par five is 520 yards.

The Links' signature hole is the east's 205 par-three No. 5. An elevated green is protected by bunkers on either side, while competitors must hit over a small swamp to get to the surface.

For Sheldon's money, though, the toughest of the 27 holes is also on the east course. Number four, a 418-yard par four, offers quite a few obstacles, he said.

Hitting over a wetlands area to a very

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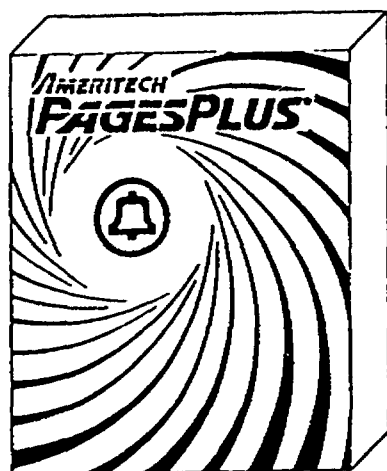
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Eighteen holes, 6,497 yards par 72. Prices include \$10.50 for 9 holes and \$16.50 for 18 on weekdays. On the weekends, prices are \$13 for 9 and \$20 for 18. Carts are \$11 for 9 and \$20 for 18. 8810 Six Mile Road, Northville (313) 437-2152.

Brooklane Golf Club
Eighteen holes, 3,949 yards par 61. Prices are \$9.50 for 9 and \$13.50 for 18 during weekdays; \$11 for 9 and \$16 for 18 on the weekends. Seniors and youngsters play at reduced rates. Carts are \$10 for 9 and \$15 for 18. 44115 W. Six Mile Road, Northville (313) 348-1010.

Country Club Village
Formerly Dun Rovin. Nine holes, 2,800 yards par 35. Weekday prices are \$6.50 for 9 and \$10 for 18. Weekend prices are \$8 and \$12. 16377 Haggerty Road, Northville (313) 420-0144.

Oasis Golf Center
Eighteen holes, 2,265 yards par 54. Prices are \$8 on weekdays and on weekends \$10 for 18. 39500 Five Mile Road, Plymouth, (313) 420-8653.

Links of Novi
Twenty-seven holes, more than 9,000 yards. Prices are \$15 for nine and \$25 for 18 during the week. Prices go up to \$18 and \$30 on the weekends. Carts are \$12 for 9 holes and \$20 for 18. 50395 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi (313) 380-9595.

NORTHVILLE-NOVI PRIVATE COURSES

Meadowbrook Country Club
Eighteen holes, 6,779 yards par 72. Initial fee for club membership is \$28,500. 40941 Eight Mile Road, Northville (313) 349-3600.

Maples of Novi
Nine holes, 2,500 yards, par 34. Membership is \$100 for Maples of Novi residents. Located at the corner of Fourteen Mile and Decker Road in Novi (313) 663-3064.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY PUBLIC GOLF COURSES

Dama Golf Club
Eighteen holes, 6,470 yards men, 5,345 yards women, par 72; nine holes \$8 weekdays and \$11 weekends; 18 holes \$13 weekdays and \$17 weekends; power cart \$10 nine holes and \$18 18 holes. Senior weekday rates: \$6.50 for nine holes and \$11.50 for 18. Junior weekday rates: \$5 for nine holes, \$9 for 18 holes until 2 p.m. Weekday special: two people, 18 holes and

power cart for \$34. 410 E. Marr Road, Howell. (517) 546-4635.

Dunham Hills Golf and Country Club
Eighteen holes, 6,731 yards par 72 men, 5,718 yards par 74 women; nine holes \$17 per player weekdays and \$25 weekends; 18 holes \$30 weekdays, \$40 weekends. All prices include mandatory power cart. Players can walk course weekdays after 5 p.m. Junior and senior rates. Weekday special: 18 holes with power cart, \$30 per person. 13561 Dunham Road, Milford. (313) 887-9170.

Faulkwood Shores Golf Course
Eighteen holes, 6,701 yards men, 5,197 yards women, par 72; nine holes \$9 weekdays, \$10 weekends; 18 holes \$18 weekdays, \$22 weekends; power cart, \$11 for nine, \$19 for 18. Power carts \$11 for nine holes, \$20 for 18. Mandatory power carts before 2 p.m. Weekday special: 18 holes and power cart for two people, \$38. 400 S. Hughes Road, Howell. (517) 546-4180.

Hartland Glen Golf Course
Twenty seven holes, 9,050 yards par 108 men, 7,304 yards par 108 women; nine holes \$10 weekdays, \$12 weekends; 18 holes \$14 weekdays, \$20 weekends; power cart \$10 for nine, \$20 for 18. Weekday special: 18 holes with cart, \$18 per person. 12400 W. Highland Road, Hartland. (313) 887-3777.

Hudson Mills Golf Course
Eighteen holes, 6,634 yards par 71 men, 5,771 yards par 71 women; nine holes \$9 weekdays, \$10 weekends; 18 holes \$14 weekdays \$16 weekends. Power carts \$10 for nine holes, \$17 for 18 holes. Junior/senior weekday special: \$6 for nine holes, \$9 for 18 holes. 4800 Dexter-Pinckney Road, Dexter. (313) 426-8211.

Huron Meadows Golf Course
Eighteen holes, 6,647 yards par 72 men, 5,791 yards par 75 women; nine holes \$9 weekdays, \$10 weekends; 18 holes \$14 weekdays, \$16 weekends; power cart \$10 for nine, \$17 for 18. Junior/senior weekday special: \$6 for nine holes, \$9 for 18 holes. Course located at Huron Meadows Metropark, Hammel Road north of Rickett Road, Brighton. (313) 685-1561, Ext. 484.

Ironwood Golf Course
Eighteen holes, 6,400 yards par 72 men, 6,100 yards par 70 women; nine holes \$9 weekdays, \$10 weekends; 18 holes \$16 weekdays, \$17 weekends. Weekday special: two people, 18 holes and power cart, \$37 before 3 p.m. 6900 M-59, Howell. (517) 546-3211.

Kensington Golf Course
Eighteen holes, 6,436 yards men, 5,206 yards women, par 71; nine holes \$9 weekdays, \$10 weekends; 18 holes \$14 weekdays, \$16 weekends (Note: Daily \$2

Metropark entry fee required to enter park. Annual fee is \$10.) Power cart \$10 for nine holes, \$17 for 18 holes. At Kensington Metropark near southwest entrance. (313) 685-1561.

Marion Oaks Golf Course
Eighteen holes, 6,677 yards par 70 men, 4,841 yards par 70 women; nine holes \$9 weekdays, \$11 weekends; 18 holes \$14 weekdays, \$18 weekends. Power cart \$11 for nine holes, \$18 for 18 holes. Weekday special: \$10.50 after 4 p.m., \$9.50 after 6 p.m. 2255 Pinckney Road, Howell. (517) 548-0050.

Oak Lane Golf Course
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Oak Pointe Country Club
Honors Course: Nine holes, 3,488 yards gold tournament, 3,248 yards blue tournament, 2,972 yards men, 2,559 yards women, par 36; nine holes \$20 weekdays and \$25 weekends; 18 holes \$35 weekdays and \$40 weekends. All prices include mandatory power cart.

Championship Course: Eighteen holes, 5,988 yards par 71 men, 5,340 yards par 73 women; nine holes \$9 weekdays and \$12 weekends; 18 holes \$15 weekdays, \$20 weekends; power cart \$12 for nine, \$20 for 18 (mandatory on weekends before 3 p.m.)

Challenge Course: Nine holes, 1,241 yards par 27 men, 1,144 yards par 27 women; power cart \$7 per nine. 5341 Brighton Road, Brighton (313) 227-4541.

Rush Lake Hills Country Club
Eighteen holes, 6,499 yards men, 4,783 yards women, par 73; nine holes \$10 weekdays, \$11 weekends; 18 holes \$13 weekdays, \$15 weekends; power cart \$10 for nine, \$17 for 18. Weekday special: \$8 after 4 p.m. Junior/senior weekday special: \$6.50 per 18 holes. 3199 Rush Lake Road, Pinckney. (313) 878-9790.

Tyrone Hills Golf Course
Eighteen holes, 6,200 yards men, 5,661 yards women, par 72; nine holes \$8 weekdays, \$10 weekends; 18 holes \$13 weekdays, \$18 for 18; power carts \$10 for nine holes, \$20 for 18. Junior/senior weekday special: \$6 nine holes, \$10 18 holes, before noon. Center Road at U.S. 23, Fenton (313) 629-5011.

Whispering Pines Golf Club
Nine holes currently open, 3,300 yards men, 2,800 yards women, par 35. On June 1, 18 holes will be open, 6,600 yards par 72. Nine holes, \$10 weekdays, \$15 week-

ends; 18 holes \$12 weekdays, \$20 weekends; power cart \$12 for nine holes, \$20 for 18. Spring special: Nine holes per player including cart, \$12 weekdays, \$15 weekends. Senior weekday special (including cart): \$11 for nine holes, \$15 for 18 holes. Prior to 2 p.m. only. Call for twilight rates. 2500 Whispering Pines Drive, Pinckney. (313) 878-0009.

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Chemung Hills Country Club
Eighteen holes, 6,460 yards (blue), 6,223 yards (white) men, 5,630 yards women, par 72; \$8,200 for membership. 3125 Golf Club Road, Howell (517) 546-7706.

Lakelands Golf and Country Club
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SOUTH LYON-MILFORD PUBLIC GOLF COURSES

Bogie Lake Golf Club
Eighteen holes, 6,145 yards men, 5,420 yards women, par 71; weekdays \$8.50 for nine and \$12.50 for 18; weekends \$11 for nine and \$16 for 18, senior rates, \$6 for 9 and \$7.50 for 18; power carts: \$10.50 for 9 and \$17.50 for 18. 11231 Bogie Lake Road, Union Lake. (313) 363-4449.

Harley's Golf Course
Some reconstruction is underway at Harley's, turning the former 27-hole course into one 18- and one 9-hole course. That will probably be complete in mid-May. Yardages are not available until the course is complete. Rates, weekdays, \$8 for 9, \$13 for 18; weekends, \$9 for 9 and \$16 for 18; power cart, \$10 for 9, \$18 for 18 holes. 2280 Union Lake Road, Union Lake. (313) 363-0201.

Fox Hills Country Club
Twenty-seven holes; Woods Course 2,823 yards men, 2,554 yard women par 35; Hills Course 3,200 yards men, 3,034 yards women par 35; Lakes Course 3,302 men, 2,994 yards women par 36; weekdays \$11 for 9, \$17.50 for 18; weekends \$12 for 9 and \$21 for 18; power carts \$11.50 for 9

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Good golf—from Northville to Howell

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and \$22 for 18. 8768 North Territorial Road, Salem. (313)453-7272.

Fox Hills Golden Fox (championship course)

Eighteen holes; 6,431 yards men, 5,040 yards women par 72; weekdays \$19.50 for 9 and \$39 for 18; weekends \$30 for 9 and \$44 for 18, power cart included. 8768 North Territorial Road, Salem. (313) 453-7272.

Highland Hills Golf Club

Eighteen holes, 6,186 yards par 72 men,

5,990 yards par 77 women; weekdays \$9 for 9 and \$15 for 18; weekends \$10 for 9 and \$18 for 18; power cart \$10 for 9 and \$18 for 18. 2075 Oakland, Highland Township. (313) 887-4481.

Pebble Creek Golf Club

Eighteen holes, 6,110 yards par 72; weekdays \$11 for 9, \$18 for 18; weekends \$13 for 9 and \$21 for 18; power cart \$11 for 9 and \$20 for 18. 24095 Currie Road, Lyon Township. (313) 437-5411.

The new Cattails course in South Lyon is appropriately named

Tanglewood Golf Club

Eighteen holes; Gold Tee, 7,021 par 72; Blue Tee, 6,245 par 72; White Tee, 5,674 par 72; Red Tee, 4,816 par 72; weekdays \$14 for 9 and \$23 for 18; weekends \$17 for 9 and \$30 for 18; power carts \$6 for 9 and \$10 for 8. 53053 W. Ten Mile, South Lyon. (313) 486-3355.

Cattails Golf Club

Eighteen holes, 6,600 yards par 72 men, 5,472 yards par 72 women; weekdays before 11 a.m., \$17 for 9, \$30 for 18; after 11 a.m., \$20 for 9, \$35 for 18; weekends \$22 for 9, \$40 for 18; twilight special, after 5:30 p.m. \$20. All rates include mandatory

cart. 57737 W. Nine Mile Road, South Lyon. (313) 486-8777.

SOUTH LYON-MILFORD PRIVATE GOLF COURSES

Walnut Creek Country Club

Blue Course: Nine holes, 3,307 yards, par 36 men, par 38 women; Red Course: Nine holes, 3,190 yards, par 36 men, par 36 women; White Course: Nine holes, 3,088 yards, par 35 men, par 35 women. Initiation fee plus monthly. 25501 Johns Road, South Lyon. (313) 437-7337.

Matthews' Links of Novi course challenges

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narrow fairway is the first task. Next, golfers must be able to hit a medium to long iron shot to a large but narrow green.

A hook or slice on any of the shots means trouble, Sheldon said. The hole is surrounded by a variety of large trees, he added.

The west and south courses have several wooded holes

as well. The west is the longest of the three courses at 3,288 yards, while the south is perhaps the most open and is the shortest at 2,805.

All three courses provide a smattering of sand and water for lonesome golf balls to find their way into.

The facility's final touch, a 300-seat clubhouse and patio, will be opened soon. A lunch menu, food and beverages will be offered. The clubhouse will be available for banquet dinners and group golf outings.

The Links of Novi is moderately priced. On weekdays, nine holes are \$15 while \$25 will cover 18 holes. Prices go up to \$18 and \$30 on the weekend.

Carts are \$12 for nine holes and \$18 for 18 holes. Sheldon and two assistants offers private lessons at \$30 for about 40 minutes of instruction.

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Dimples range will put a smile on your face

By Dennis Keenon

You've got about 150 yards remaining to a large green, which is guarded by white sand-filled bunkers on the front left and right and another in the rear, waiting to catch any errant shot.

You choose a seven-iron for the approach. From in back of the ball, you visualize your shot. You see yourself swinging, the ball taking off in a high arc and nestling softly on the green, pin-high.

Then you take a practice swing or two, address the ball and pull the trigger. And your shot comes off almost exactly as you had mentally rehearsed it moments before.

Only a little better. You're just 10 feet to the right, putting for birdie.

A scene from an upscale resort course in sunny South Carolina in March? No. This is Dimples Golf Range in Howell, Mich., where Fenton brothers Thom and Tim North have built one of the best—arguably THE best—practice facility in the state.

Dimples surely will bring a smile to the serious golfer's face and should help players of all abilities improve their games.

At Dimples, you will be shooting at real greens, which range in distance from 90 yards up to 200 yards, from real grass. You also can practice your chipping and putting on a 9,000 square foot green and improve your sand game as well.

"Our goal was to make this range target-oriented and pleasing to the eye," Tim North said. "On most ranges, you're hitting



Photo by SCOTT PIPER

Tim North sharpens his greenside bunker play at Dimples Golf Range in Howell.

to signs in the middle of a field. You can't get the feel for what it's like on a golf course."

Not so at Dimples.

"We got fairly detailed with our greens, with the mounding and the bunkers," North said. "We've tried to bring a championship course-type atmosphere to a golf range."

Dimples features four target greens, each with three pin placements. The first, fronted by a pond, measures 90 to 100 yards; the second, with three bunkers, will require a

shot of 125 to 135 yards; the third, which will play from 145 to 165 yards, features a green fronted by a sand trap with upright railroad ties, a design element popular on Pete Dye-designed courses; and the fourth, at 185 to 200 yards, is flanked by large mounds.

Two more target greens, at 120 and 230 yards, will be built in the future on the 23-acre site, which the Norths are leasing from Brighton resident Doro Vitella, who himself owns a driving range in Windsor.

Dimples is designed to make practice a fun experience, North said. "At a lot of ranges, where you're hitting to signs in a field, you tend to lose your focus half way through a bucket," North pointed out.

"What I like about our facility is that because it's target-oriented, it makes you zero in on the hole, you have to focus on your shots, and you can more easily make the transition from practice range to golf course."

At Dimples, players will have the chance to practice shots they're likely to see on the golf course. "You can get the real feel for the 80- to 90-yard wedge shot over a pond to the green here," North said. "These are the scoring shots in golf, but ones that most players seldom practice."

Right now, Dimples is using practice mats, but North expects by June the grass tees, which will accommodate 80 players, will be in use, and the practice chipping-putting green will be ready as well. Players also will be able to practice fairway and greenside bunker shots at Dimples.

Located at 4444 E. Grand River Ave., about three miles east of Howell, Dimples also offers help for wayward swings with two teaching professionals, Tom Wofford and John Kuchka. The range has a fully-stocked pro shop, a video game room and snack bar. By this summer, the facility also will have added adventure golf and batting cages.

Good golf getting better in Livingston

By Buddy Moorehouse

The past few years have seen two new courses open in Livingston County, while some other layouts have expanded from nine to 18 holes.

The result: A good county for golf is becoming even better.

Two years ago, the Marion Oaks Golf Course opened in Howell. Located on D-19, just south of town, the wildflower-filled course is in full bloom this season.

Last year saw another new course open, Whispering Pines in Pinckney. The Ironwood Golf Club in Howell added another nine holes to its existing nine, and Brighton's Oak Pointe Honors Course will be working on its second nine this year.

Here's a look at what's new in golf this season in Livingston County:

IRONWOOD. This course, located at 6902 Highland Road (M-59, between Howell and Hartland), added a second nine holes which opened Oct. 1 last year. The new 18-hole layout measures 6,100 yards, with a par of 72 (36 each side).

"More than anything, it's just a fun, fun course," said Ironwood club manager Tom Hawkins. "It's a challenging course. It

rewards you for good shots and punishes you for bad shots, but it's just a lot of fun to play. That's the main comment we've been hearing from people who have played the new nine."

Hawkins said that landscaping on the new nine is complete. "We put a lot of mature trees in, so the course looks like it's been here a while," he said.

The only thing left is to add a few cart paths, sand traps, benches and the like. "We've just got some gingerbread stuff to put in," Hawkins said.

With the new nine open, Ironwood changed the layout and renumbered some holes, so the new nine holes are interspersed throughout the course. The course's No. 1 handicap hole is one of the new holes: No. 12.

It's a 339-yard par 4 that plays a lot longer because of the way it undulates. The hole is a dogleg left with woods on each side. You shoot from an elevated tee, and then have to negotiate two ponds.

"That's a great hole," Hawkins said. "You have to leave the driver in the bag on that hole. The landing zone is very narrow."

Ironwood has also opened a new pro shop and dining facility.

OAK POINTE. The big news at Oak Pointe (located in Brighton at 5341 Brighton Road) came a month ago, when it was announced that the golf courses had been sold to Club Corporation of America (CCA).

CCA is a Texas-based company which owns some of the top courses in the country, including the Firestone Country Club in Akron, Ohio, and the Pinehurst Resort and Country Club in Pinehurst, N.C.

The sale to CCA should affect Livingston County golfers in several ways. First, it should assure that the Oak Pointe Honors Course's second nine holes—which have been on hold for years—will finally be completed. Oak Pointe's Jim Dewling said the second nine at the lush course should be open by the spring of 1993.

When that happens, though, it will be farewell to public golfing at the Honors Course. The course is set to go private in 1993, Dewling said, so this will be the last summer of public golfing there. The Championship Course at Oak Pointe will remain a public course.

Oak Pointe will also be building a new

clubhouse and pool for the Honors Course members.

CCA is actively seeking people to sign up for memberships at Oak Pointe. Dewling said the initiation fee will be in the \$12,000 range to start. Interested persons should call 227-1381.

WHISPERING PINES. A beautiful, wooded layout in Pinckney (on the corner of M-36 and McGregor Road, next to Pinckney High School), Whispering Pines opened its first nine holes last year. The second nine will open June 1, giving the course a layout that stretches about 6,600 yards, with a par of 72.

"The tees and greens on the new nine are all set to go," said Whispering Pines pro Rick Gross. "All we're waiting for is a couple of fairways. We'll be ready to go on June 1, no problem."

And when the full course is open, Gross said, it should be quite a sight.

"The course is built over 400 acres, so you have each hole pretty much to yourself," he said. "There are only a couple holes where you'll be able to see other golfers. Each hole is carved and isolated."

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Area golfers find their 'home on the range'

NORTHVILLE-NOVI AREA GOLF RANGES

Oasis Golf Center
39500 Five Mile Road, Plymouth, 64 outdoor stalls, artificial grass, \$4 for 60 balls, \$5 for 90; 32 indoor stalls (from November through April) \$6 per half hour on Monday-Friday before 5 p.m., \$10 per half-hour after 5 p.m. and on the weekends; pro shop.

Novi Oaks
46844 W. Twelve Mile Road, Novi, 24 artificial grass stalls, plus grass area for an additional 25-30 golfers; \$4 for bucket of 60 balls, \$5 for 90.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY GOLF RANGES

Dama Golf Club
410 E. Marr Road, Howell. Natural grass tees, 15-20 spaces, \$3 small bucket, \$5 large. Pro shop, lessons, open all day.

Dimples Golf
4444 E. Grand River Ave., Howell. Fifteen artificial tees currently open. Plans for 80 natural spaces to open in the summer when grass comes in. Four target greens, including sand traps. Green distances of 100 yards, 150 yards, 160 yards and 210

yards. Plans for two more greens in the summer. Bucket prices of \$3 small (30 balls), \$4.50 medium (55 balls) and \$6 large (90 balls). Site also includes pro shop, repairs, lessons. Open Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Dunham Hills
13561 Dunham Road, Milford. Natural grass tees, \$4 buckets (55 balls), sand trap, chipping green, pro shop, lessons. Open 8 a.m. to dark.

Family Golf Center
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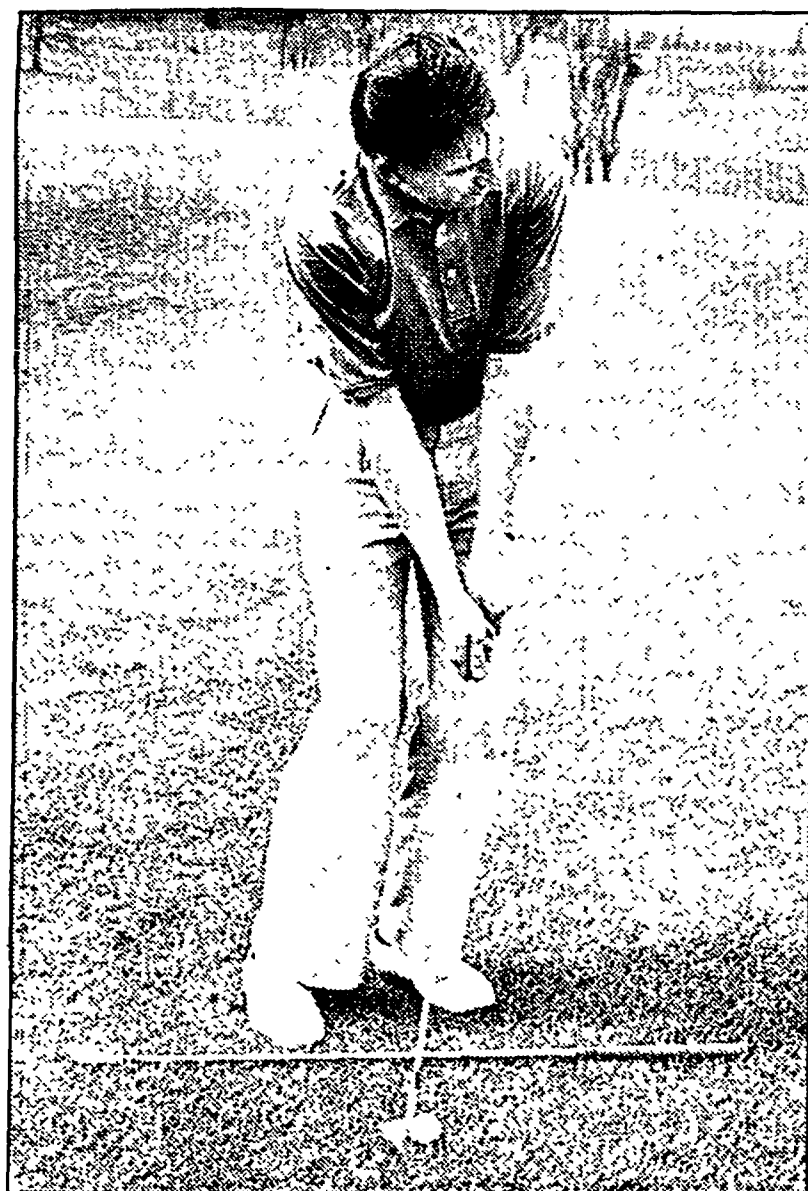
To help kick off the new golf season, three area golf professionals—Denis Husse of Tyrone Hills Golf Course in Fenton, Bob Percey of Chemung Hills Country Club in Howell and Tom Kinsley of Dunham Hills Golf and Country Club in Milford—offer a few tips to aid players in strengthening their short games.

CHOKER DOWN, OPEN UP: "Possessing a good short game will help golfers with high and low handicaps score better," Husse said. "A good short game relies on having a simple, consistent set-up and swing."

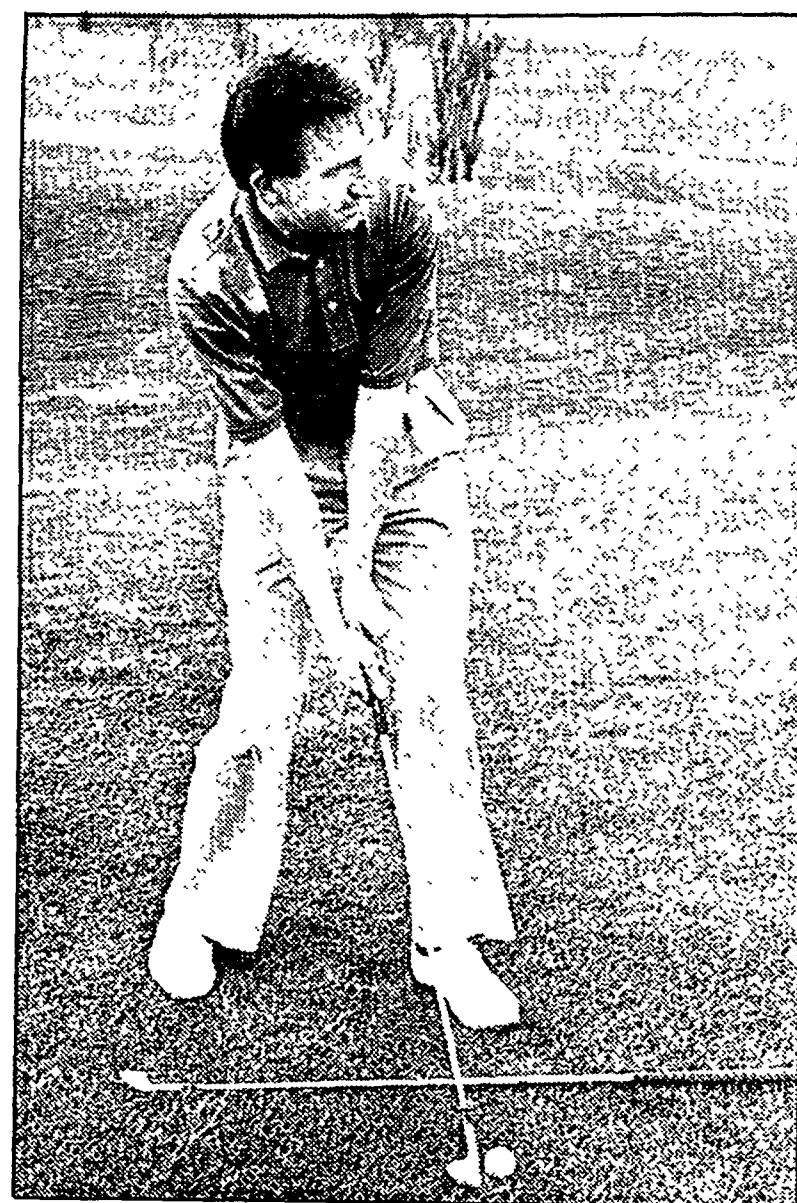
To help achieve that goal, Husse recommends "choking down" on the shaft of the club in order to maintain better control. When hitting chip shots around the green, players should grip down the shaft to about the hand height used while putting. Light grip pressure also aids in developing a better touch and feel for the surrounding-green area.

The position of the body is vital in maintaining a straight shot. Husse said, to set up the shot, the player's stance should be opened up to the target line. The open stance makes it easier to see the target, as well as making it simpler to swing the club down the target line.

Once the body is opened up to the flag, the golfer should move his or her feet closer together. Husse said this will make it easier to place the weight on the left foot. During a chip shot, it is important that a



Tyrone Hills pro Denis Husse says an open stance (above) will aid in getting chip shots on target



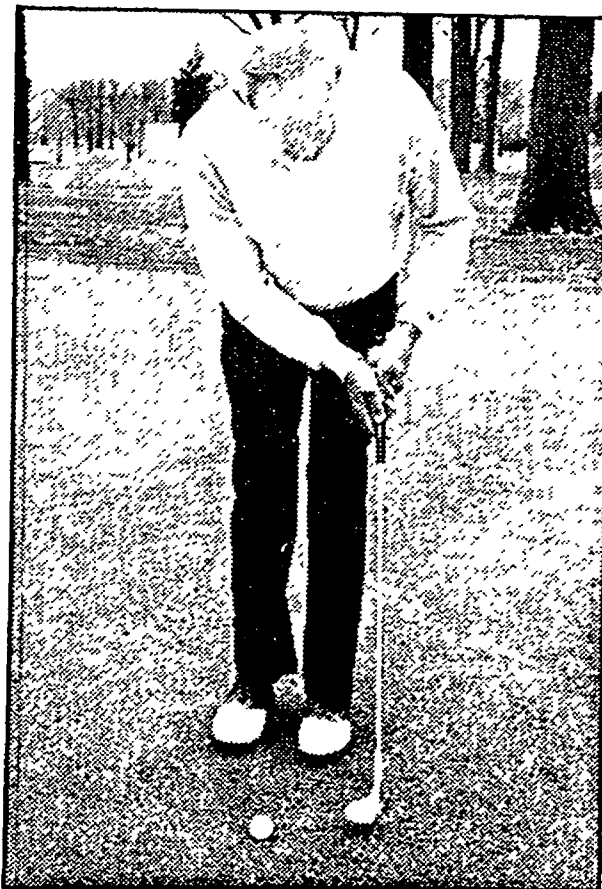
A closed stance will lead to trouble on chip shots, Husse says

(right-handed) player maintains weight on the left foot throughout the swing. The ball should be placed at the center of the stance.

While chipping, the golfer should keep the hands and wrists quiet, thereby concentrating on swinging with the arms and

shoulders. On the downswing, the player should try leading the back of the left hand toward the target line. This practice helps discourage the uncocking of the wrists. Uncocking the wrists causes fat or thin chips.

"Using these techniques will produce a shot with a low trajectory that will not fly far, but will roll a long way once hitting the green," Husse said. "The distance the player hits the shot is determined by the club selection and the length of the backswing."



Tom Kinsley of Dunham Hills shows the correct putting procedure (left) with a firm left wrist; if the left wrist breaks down (right), putts will go off line.

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SQUEEZE HARD:

Hitting three- or four-foot putts wide or short of the cup can bring nightmares to many golfers. Kinsley, though, said players can alleviate the problem by squeezing the shaft tightly during the shot.

"The problem people have is that their left wrist is breaking and that causes the face of the putter to turn," he said. "I recommend players squeeze the putter tightly to help train the left wrist from breaking down."

In practicing longer putts, Kinsley said golfers should practice hitting with only their left hands. Again, that technique will aid in developing a tight and straight left hand which won't tend to break.



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Putting with left arm only is a good practice technique, as Kinsley demonstrates

Sponge improves chipping

THE SPONGE CURE:

When Percey brings out his sponge during a practice session, he's not getting ready to teach a student the proper stroke techniques in waxing a car. No, his sponge is more useful in helping golfers keep a proper triangular arm position throughout the chip shot.

By placing the customized sponge between the forearms, a golfer is forced to keep the triangular shape throughout the swing. Percey said the biggest fault people have is in breaking their arms apart during the shot. With the sponge aid, if the proper arm position breaks down, the sponge will fall out.

"Keep the right and left forearms placed against the sponge throughout impact on chip-and-run shots," he said. "Fifteen minutes at each practice session will really help your score."

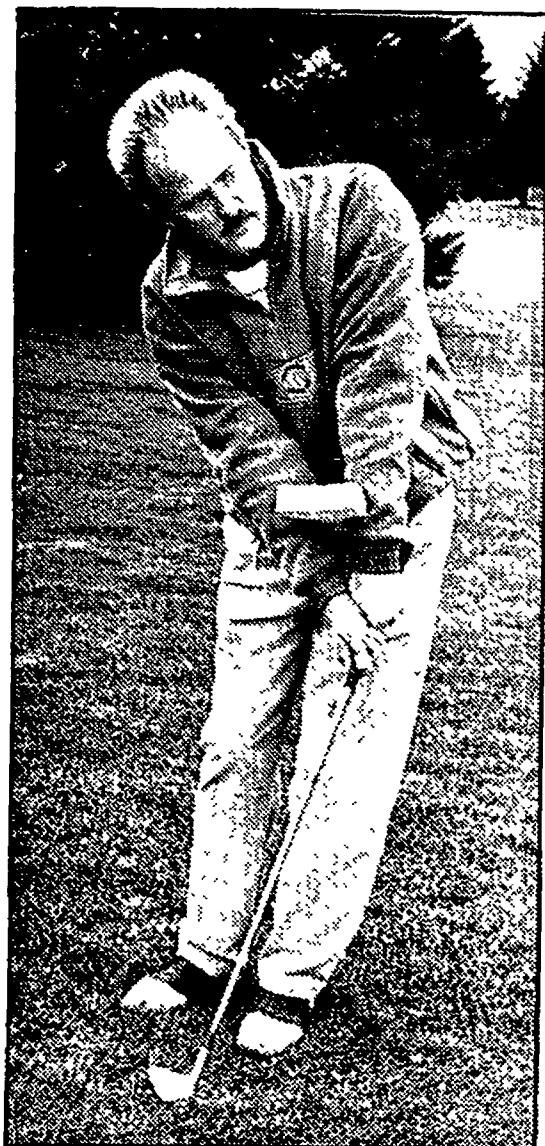


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Chemung Hills pro Bob Percey demonstrates the 'sponge' shot.

Reservation service books resort golf packages to north

By Dennis Topolinski

Looking to tee it up at Shanty Creek Resort in Bellaire or Wilderness Valley Golf Course in Gaylord next weekend? How about playing 18 holes at Michaywe or getting in a few rounds at one of Garland's courses next Monday?

Well, when it comes to booking golfing expeditions in northern Michigan, there's no better person to turn to than Howell resident Gerri Braniecki.

Braniecki owns and operates Great Lakes Reservation Service, a unique travel-agency type business in which she books golf packages for those seeking outings in northern Michigan.

The process is simple, and the cost is free. All people need to do is call Braniecki at 1-800-753-0306 or locally at 546-3225 and request what type of

golf outing they are looking for.

Braniecki then goes to work putting together the complete package. If people are looking for a certain tee time at a certain course, she'll get it set. If they're seeking an overnight, weekend or week-long stay, she'll find the best deals and make the reservations at the proper hotel.

She said that many times she'll have to make a few calls back to the customer for approval of certain packages but most often, everything works out.

Braniecki, who's beginning her third year in the business, is an excellent source of knowledge, too. Before moving to Howell earlier this year with her husband, Ron, she grew up in the Gaylord area.

"I think a big advantage I have in doing this is I know the (northern) area so well," she said. "I've played most of the

courses up north, and I get around to a lot of the golf shows.

"If people call and have an idea, I know who to talk to and if they aren't sure what they're looking for, I'll make suggestions."

Most of her business comes from residents in lower Michigan, but she sometimes gets requests from retirees in Florida or California, Chicago or Toledo.

Braniecki said people have asked her why she doesn't do bookings in lower Michigan or out of the state, but she said that would be too big of a project to handle right now, especially with having two small children to attend to and only one employee, herself.

Great Lakes Reservation Service is open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m. to noon.

Good golf gets better in county

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You won't be able to hear anybody or see anybody."

Be prepared for quite a battle, though. Whispering Pines will feature some of the longer par-4 holes around.

The course's No. 1 handicap hole will probably be No. 12 (the current No. 8 hole). It's a 420-yard par 4 which will require two monster shots to reach the green. There's another hole on the new nine—a 450-yard par 4—which is so long that it's on the verge of becoming a par 5. "We're going to try and keep it a par 4," Gross said.

Gross said the early reaction this season from golfers has been great.

"Surprisingly, with the weather, we've had a busy spring," Gross said. "And the comments have been great. Everybody seems to love the course."

Once the second nine holes open, the next project at Whispering Pines will be to finish the pro shop and clubhouse. Gross said the pro shop should open by August or September, while the entire clubhouse will hopefully be completed by late fall.

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The new Cattails course in South Lyon is appropriately named.

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Take your water wings to play Cattails

By Scott Sigler

Aquaphobia.

It is defined as a fear of water, a dread of the substance that is pleasing to the eye and yet intangible to the touch, a substance that is the root of all life and yet can spell death for the careless or unprepared.

Especially if you're a golf ball.

Cattails Golf Club, 57737 W. Nine Mile Road, South Lyon, which opened in August 1991, is a true nightmare for those who suffer from aquaphobia, but it is a dream of a course for those who enjoy a challenge and breathtaking scenery. A quarter of the stunning 160-acre course is wetlands, and the course was built to utilize the wetlands both as an aesthetic factor and as a highly effective natural hazard.

"There's a lot of holes built next to wetlands," said Tony Moscone, director of marketing for Cattails. "We use wetlands as part of the hole so you have to shoot over them."

Moscone added that the course was built according to Department of Natural Resources (DNR) regulations regarding the treatment of wetlands.

"We had to watch what we could and

could not do," Moscone said. "We wanted to keep a lot of the natural beauty out there."

The par 72, 6,600-yard Cattails is in only its second season, but it has already garnered some statewide and even nationwide attention. In addition to being nominated as one of America's best new courses by golf architects, Dave Seanor—the managing editor of PGA Magazine—rated a Cattails hole as one of the 18 most "emotional" holes in Michigan.

In his "Tears and Cheers" article published in the March issue of Michigan Living magazine, Seanor associates holes with such emotions as Awe, Shock, Paranoia, Dismay and Passion. Seanor associated the 10th hole at Cattails with—as if you need to ask—aquaphobia.

"It's a frustrating hole," Moscone said. "If you do well on it, you know you can do well on most any hole in the state." Hole number 10—a par five, 525 yarder—is described by Seanor as "target golf at its best."

The tee shot sends you towards—you're supposed to go "over" but many golfers will have to settle for "towards" or, more likely, "into"—some of the 40 acres of wet-

lands that Cattails features. You have a choice of clearing the wetlands with a single mighty swat or following the dogleg left around and using the full 525 yards.

"Emotions about the hole vary," Moscone said. "You can be really, really angry or you can be really, really happy."

Cattails has been set up to provide all the perks of a private club while keeping prices affordable. The club offers memberships, but it will remain open to the public. All who attend will receive the red-carpet treatment.

"It doesn't matter if you are a member or if you are public," Moscone said. "If you come in, you open up your trunk and there is somebody there to grab your clubs and put them on a cart. When you come back in, we'll take your clubs and clean them for you for free." Golf carts are mandatory at Cattails and are already figured into the greens fees.

Cattails' prices range from \$40 per person for 18 holes on the weekends to \$17 per person for 9 holes on weekday mornings.

John Williams, a 30-year PGA pro who designed the course along with Don Childs, said that by concentrating on golf and golf

alone, Cattails can offer the same services that the private clubs have while keeping prices lower.

"Our membership doesn't have to pay for all the facilities," said Williams, a partial owner of Cattails. "We'll never have pools, tennis courts or big downpayments or large assessments that are part of the private sector." Williams, 63, turned pro in 1958 and is heavily involved in all aspects of the Cattails project.

"It's the realization of a dream come true for me," Williams said. "Being a golf professional, you always have the desire to one day design and own and be part of a facility."

Cattails features a pro shop, a grill, bar service, a 50-person driving range, two PGA pros and group and individual lessons starting May 1.

It also features water—and lots of it. If you fear the hazards that will annually eat their weight in golf balls, you would probably be advised to stay home. If you are brash and brave and skilled with a club, 40 acres of wetlands may be just what you're looking for.

Charter can get your game off to flying start

By Dennis Keenon

Joan Beckwith won't have any trouble getting her new golf business off the ground.

That's because Beckwith's Howell-based company, First Corporate Air, has teamed with Unicorn Graphic Communications, of Fraser, publishers of "Tee-Up Michigan" golf guides, to offer air charter tours to any course in northern Michigan.

Called Double Eagle Select Golf Charters, the new venture will offer three and four-day golf tour packages with flights to a different championship course each day.

"We're optimistic, really excited about it," said Beckwith, whose home base of operations is the Livingston County airport, just west of downtown Howell. "We did some golf packages last year, but this will be our first real shot at it."

Beckwith is hoping the golf charter business takes off, much like the northern

Michigan golf boom has over the past several years.

Charter prices include air service from the airport of your choice; ground transportation from the airport to the resorts and courses; overnight accommodations at the northern Michigan resorts; and 18 holes of golf each day, including cart.

And the possible destinations read like a golfer's paradise—Treetops, which boasts layouts designed by Robert Trent Jones Sr. and Tom Fazio, and Michaywe, home of the 1991 Michigan men's amateur, in Gaylord; the Jack Nicklaus-designed Bear at Grand Traverse Resort; the Arnold Palmer-designed Legend at Shanty Creek Resort; The Rock on Drummond Island; Elk Ridge in Atlanta; and the new PohlCat course, designed by PGA Tour player Dan Pohl, in Mt. Pleasant.

Name the destination, and Beckwith will get you and your playing partners there in

style aboard an eight-passenger twin-engine, cabin-class aircraft.

"We can custom design any package the golfer wants," Beckwith said. "We're very flexible. If you want to play one course in the morning and another course at a different site in the afternoon, we can get you there."

The advantage of the charter golf flights, Beckwith pointed out, is a huge savings in time. While a drive from downstate to a northern destination can take three to four hours, her flight service can get you there in an hour or less.

"From Livingston County, you can get to Traverse City or Gaylord in 45 to 50 minutes," Beckwith said. "To Drummond Island, it's an hour and five minutes. We want the golfer to spend his time on the fairways instead of the freeways."

Double Eagle Select Golf Charters provides first-class service, Beckwith said. "We really want to take care of our cus-

tomers," she said. "We'll load their clubs, provide them breakfast on board. We really don't want them worrying about anything, except maybe their golf game."

Here's a sampling of midweek packages offered by Beckwith's charter service: Three-days, visiting The Rock, Elk Ridge and the Pohlcat, \$615 per person; four days with stops at the Rock, the Bear, Elk Ridge and the Pohlcat, \$853; and three days at Mt. Pleasant with 54 holes at the PohlCat, \$510.

Beckwith is excited about what she calls the "triple crown" package, which will begin June 1. Stops will include the Bear, the Legend and the Pohlcat, "three signature courses," she said.

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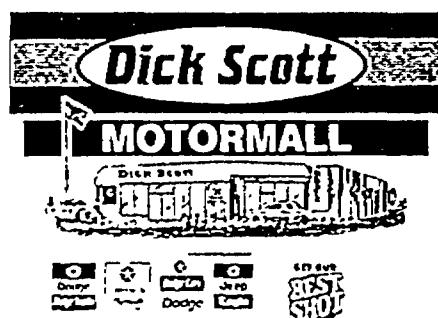


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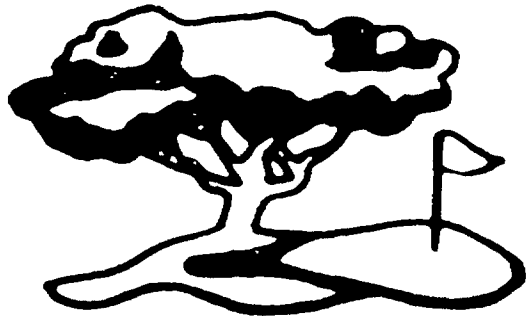
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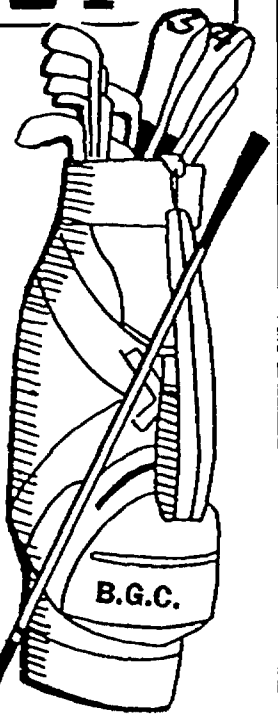
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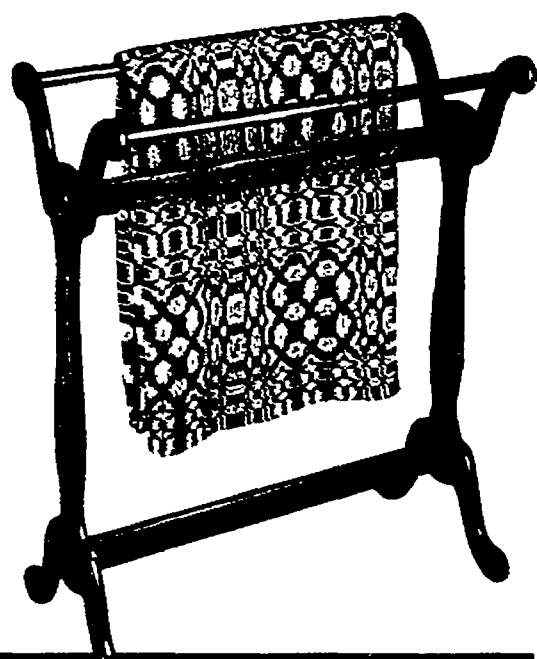
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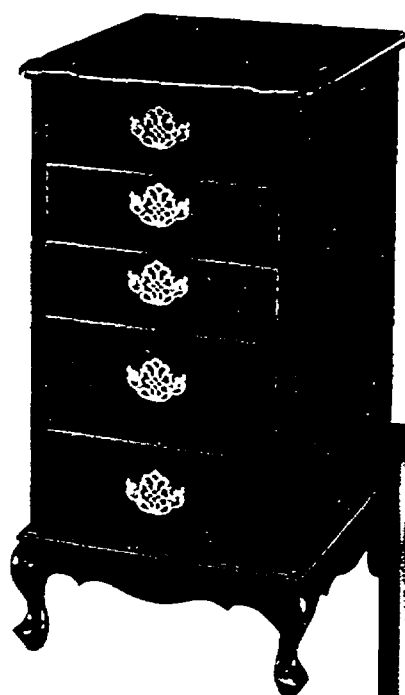
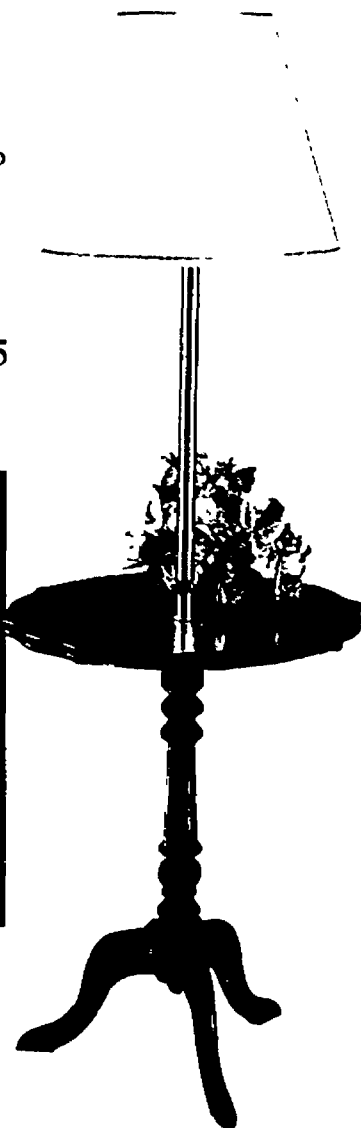
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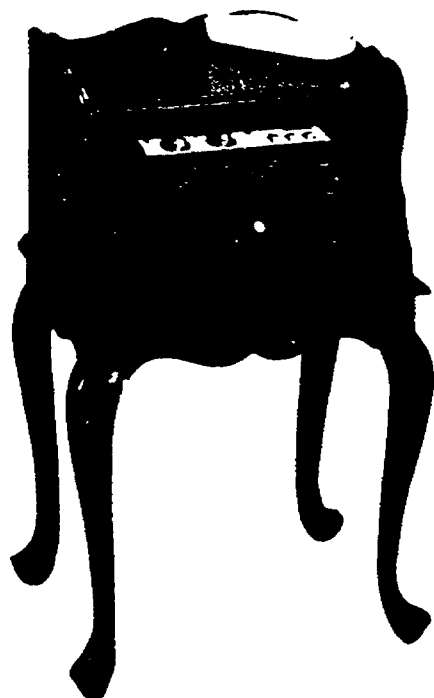
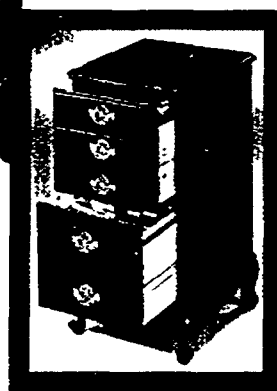


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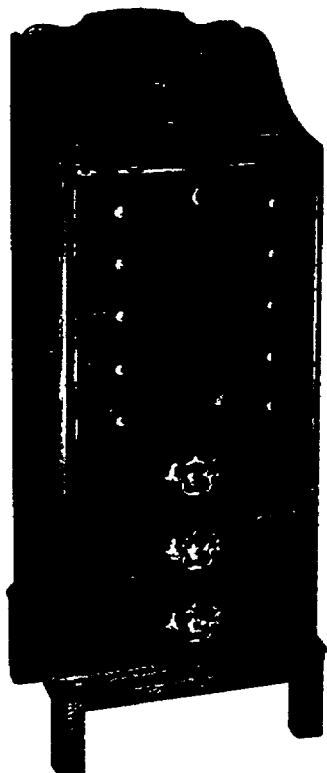


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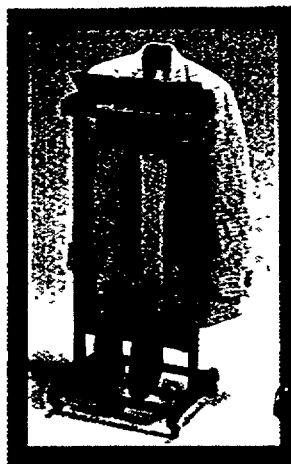
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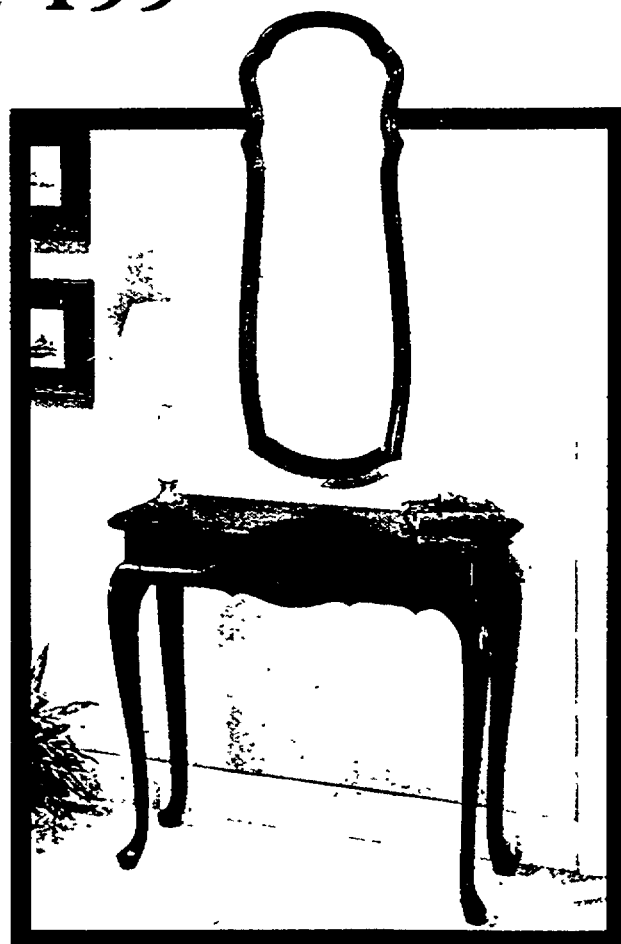
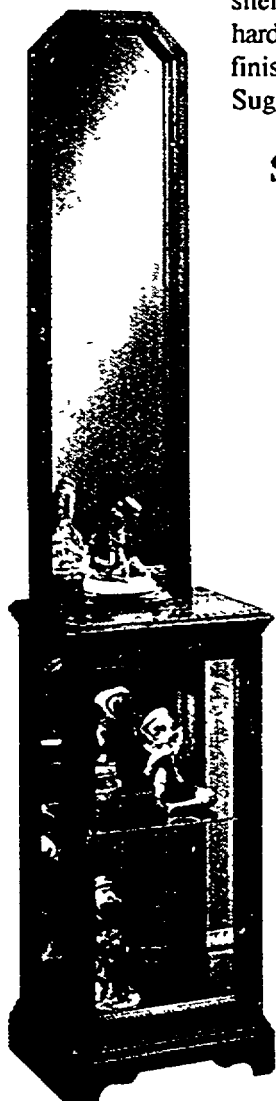
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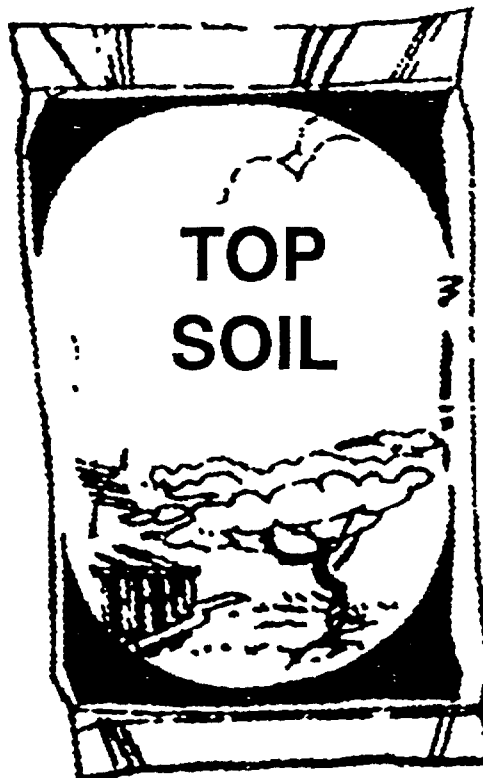
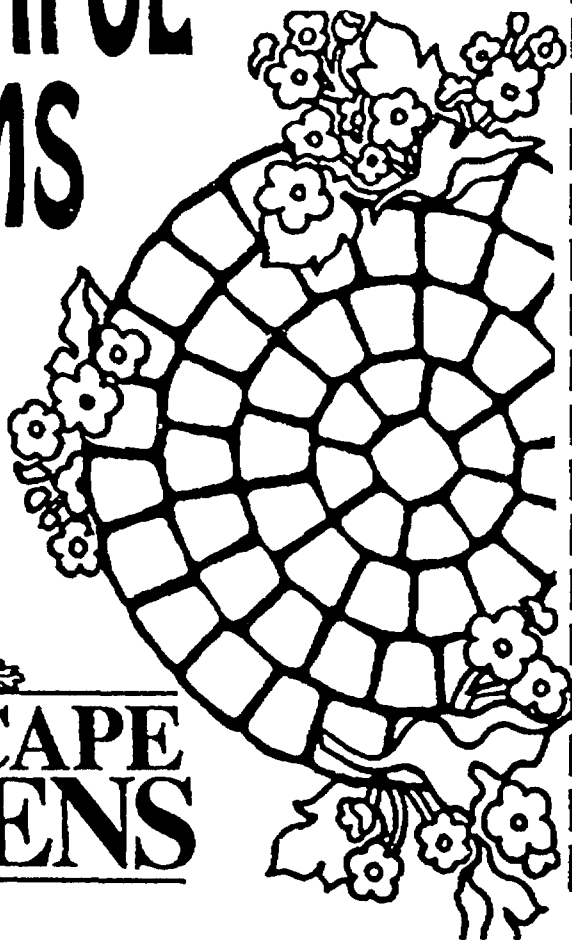
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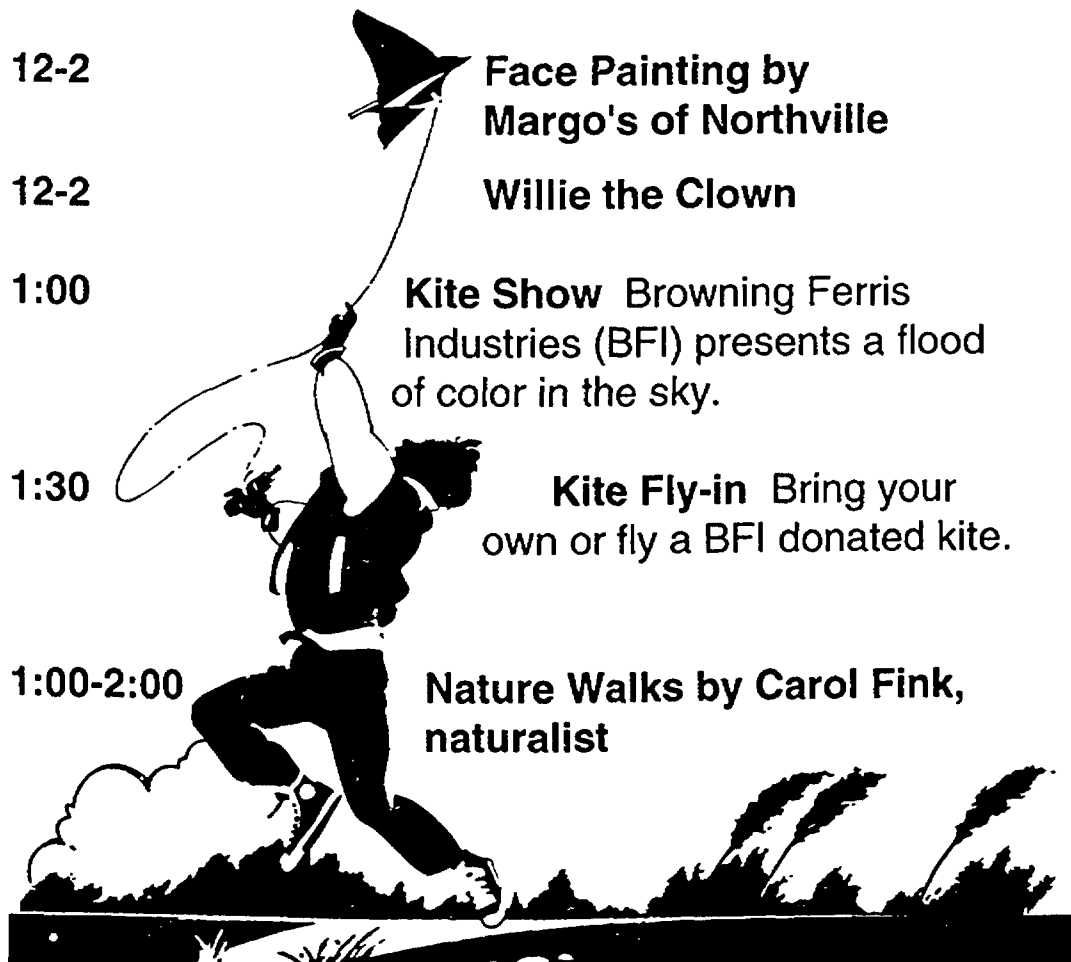
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- 10:30-11:15** **Mustard's Retreat at the finish line**
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Blooming Ideas

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Preparing Your Garden Soil

Garden soil must be properly prepared each year to ensure the best possible growth of your flowers.

Just before you are ready to plant your spring flowers we recommend that you add 1-2 inches of peat moss. If your soil is heavy in clay, add twice the recommended amount of peat moss and an inch of sand. This mixture of peat moss, sand and your existing soil will help to improve even the worst garden soil. Organic material that can be obtained from biodegradable household scraps and yard scraps can be broken down in a compost pile in your backyard. This organic material can then be added to your garden the following season, which will enrich your garden with natural nutrients. We caution you to make sure the organic material is completely broken down before adding it to the soil. Material that is not fully broken down may rob your garden of nitrogen. Lastly, add 2 pounds of time release fertilizer (a 5-10-5 mix will do) per 100 square feet. Turn your soil until it appears that all the material you have added is properly mixed into the soil.

Your soil is now ready to plant. ENJOY!



Showing Off Your Gardening Talents with Annuals

Annual flowers are the easiest outdoor flowers to grow and offer instant gratification to the novice gardener. It is important to remember that even though they are easy to care for, one must avoid neglect. They must be watered, regularly fertilized, and dead foliage must be pruned from the plant.

We recommend that annuals be planted the third week of May. This is the approximate time when your garden soil is at 60° F and the chance for a late frost has past. If you prefer to buy your annuals early for best selection, leave them in their original containers until our recommended planting time. If there is a chance for an evening frost, move your annuals into your garage where they will be protected.

When buying, select the shorter, stockier plants which are dark in foliage color. The larger plants may look as if they will give instant color to your garden, but they do not transplant as well. Be careful of plants that appear very light green or yellow in color. These plants may lack proper nutrients due to improper fertilization on the part of the

original grower. Michigan's growing season is far too short to attempt to revive an improperly nourished plant.

It is important to fertilize your annuals regularly. We recommend this be done biweekly. Fertilization provides your annuals with the nutrients they are not receiving or replaces nutrients being depleted by our soil. We recommend the use of a water soluble all purpose fertilizer (Peter's 20-20-20 is what we use). Water soluble fertilizer can be fed through a sprayer via your garden hose. This ensures even coverage and reduces the risk of fertilizer deposits in a concentrated area. Window boxes and hanging plants need to be fertilized on a weekly basis, because they have limited amounts of soil and deplete the soil of nutrients faster.

To keep your annuals blooming at their best, it is necessary to remove the dead flowers. This will prevent the formation of seed which will make the plant begin to decline. This practice is particularly important for Ageratum, Calendula, Geraniums,, Marigolds, Pansies, Rudbeckia, Scabiosa, and Zinnias.

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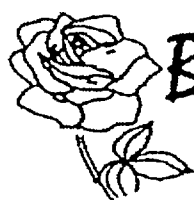
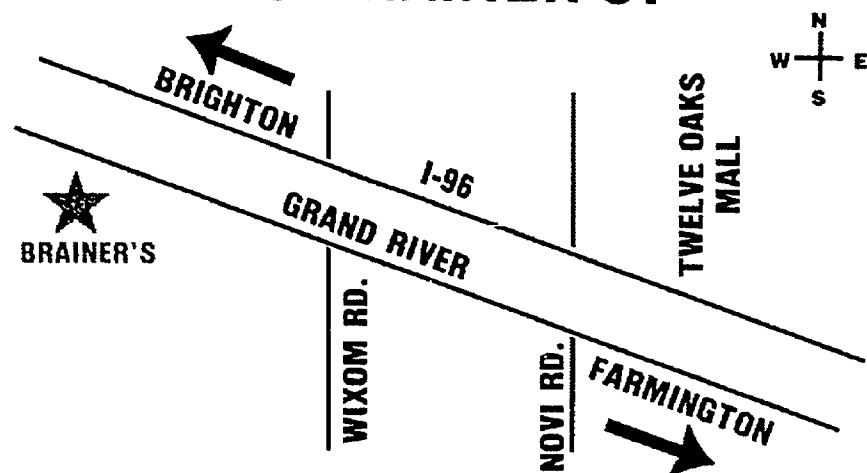
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PERENNIALS AND THE CUTTING GARDEN

Whether you are a serious flower arranger or a casual bouquet maker, a perennial cutting garden can be tremendously rewarding. While you may choose to plant your perennials in a formal bed or border, another idea is to grow your flowers in an out of the way part of the garden where you won't mind cutting all the blooms to take indoors. Plant them in simple, easily cultivated rows, vegetable garden style. The site you decide on will need direct sun for at least half a day and moist well drained soil.

When cutting your flowers, try to do so early in the day before the sun is high. Use good sharp pruners or knife to avoid crushing the stems, and place the flowers in water quickly. This will make them last longer.

Following Is A List Of Perennials That Will Provide Cutting Material From Spring To Late Summer:

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BALLOON FLOWER	— 1'-2' —	M
CAMPANULA	— 10"-36" —	A
COLUMBINE	— 1 1/2'-3 1/2' —	E
CORAL BELLS	— 1'-2' —	M
COREOPSIS	— 1'-3' —	A
DAYLILIES	— 1 1/2'-4' —	M-L
DIANTHUS	— 8"-18" —	E-M
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GAILLARDIA	— 2 1/2' —	A
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GLORIOSA DAISY	— 2'-3' —	A
*GYPSOPHILA	— 2'-4' —	M-L
LIATRIS	— 3' —	M
LUPINE	— 3'-5' —	M
ORIENTAL POPPY	— 1 1/2'-3 1/2' —	E
PEONY	— 2'-3' —	E
PHLOX	— 2'-3' —	M-L
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Hot New V-6 Plymouth Bows

Just in time for spring cruisin' comes the sporty new Plymouth Duster, premiering at Chrysler-Plymouth dealerships. Standard features include a 3.0-liter V-6 multipoint fuel-injected engine with 5-speed manual transmission, sport suspension system, monochromatic paint treatment, a rear deck spoiler, performance-tuned exhaust, 15" speed-rated blackwall radials, AM/FM stereo and driver's air bag. All this, yet Duster is the lowest-priced V-6 passenger car sold in America. While actual prices vary, Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price is \$8,849. Duster is also available as a 4-cylinder model at \$8,155. Both prices include a \$1,000 rebate and exclude title, taxes and destination charges. Supplies of the base models of both are limited.

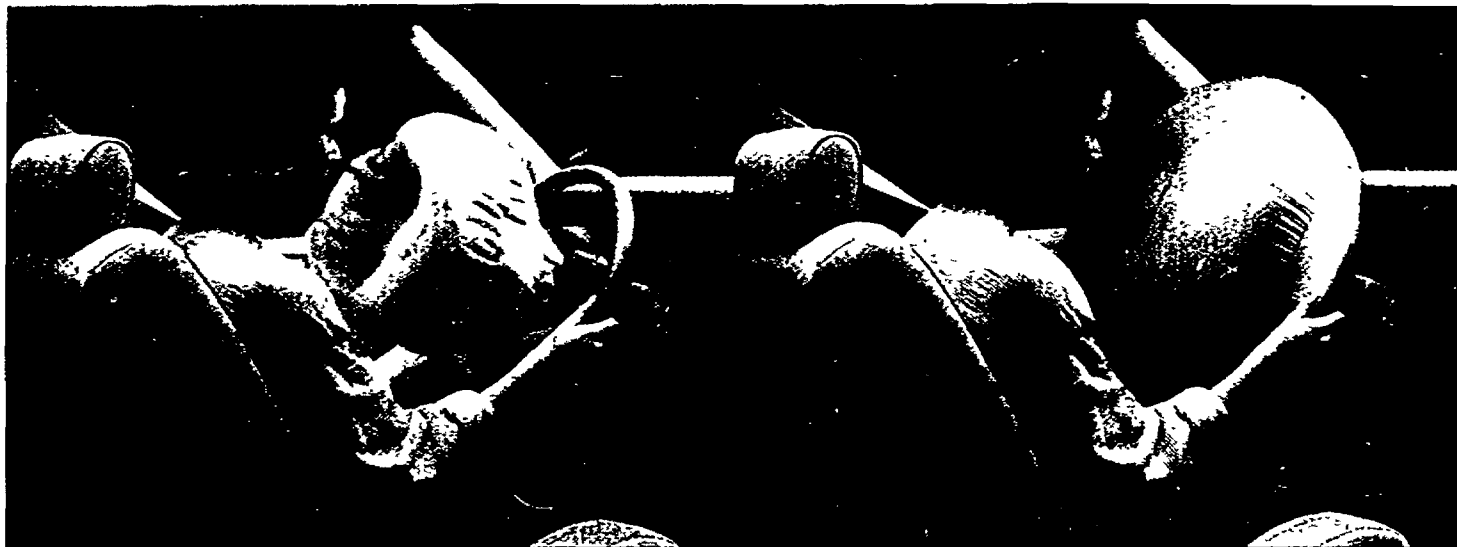
New Auto Show-Stealer: 1994 Chrysler New Yorker

Receiving approving (read lustful) looks from auto show visitors across the country was the 1994 Chrysler New Yorker. Not a one-off design exercise, but the car people will be able to buy in Spring of 1993. Many correspondents dubbed it "the show-stealer."

Chrysler-engineered to be a "world-class luxury road car from America," the 1994 New Yorker forsakes traditional knife-edged fenders and formal roofline for a fluid design that sweeps from grille to rear fascia not unlike the proverbial wave on a tropical shore. While specifications were unavailable at press time, Chrysler has announced that this New Yorker will have "technology-driven luxury that boasts engines as responsive, and suspensions as solid, as any comparable car on the international scene."

The epitome of Chrysler's new LH Series, the 1994 Chrysler New Yorker has an advanced antilock braking system with available computerized traction control, four-wheel independent suspension, and a radical Cab Forward Design that expands interior space. For more on Cab Forward Design, see the Chrysler Concorde article on the back page.

Voyager Minivan Safety: It's A Family Affair



By Y. Moore
THE AUTOMOTIVE TIMES

When the automotive industry started stepping up safety engineering programs, Chrysler Corporation took a look at reinventing the wheel. The steering wheel. Chrysler was the first domestic carmaker to put a driver's air bag into every car it built in the U.S.*

Now, Chrysler has turned its attention to child safety, with the world's first built-in child seat, available in '92 Plymouth Voyagers and Grand Voyagers.

The child seat accommodates two children (20 to 40 lbs., 28 to 40 inches tall) and it's fully integrated. This revolutionary feature saves parents the inconvenience of lugging accessory kiddie seats in and out of the garage and from car to car. In Plymouth Voyagers, what looks like a normal bench seat can be quickly converted by simply pulling a tab to unfold the child seat.

Other safety features include outboard lap and shoulder belts for the rear passengers, as well as for people in the front. And for parents' peace of mind, there's a child protection lock on the sliding side door. That's all standard.

Plymouth Voyagers are also available with all-wheel drive and anti-lock brakes to make driving safer in poor weather conditions. And for those whose summer includes boating and camping, the Chrysler minivans have V-6 engines and special towing packages available.

But most importantly, Plymouth Voyagers are vehicles that revolve around family life in the real world. With all the cup holders, cubby bins, reading lights and "kid conveniences," Chrysler is putting child rearing in the forefront.

It will be interesting to see just how the minivan evolves in the 90s. Maybe Voyagers will have VCRs and video games in the back seat. After all, Chrysler seems to know just how to keep kids occupied and cater to a family's needs. And with that kind of winning strategy, Chrysler should continue to be the head-and-shoulders leader in the minivan market.

*Excludes cars built for Chrysler: Plymouth Laser, Eagle Talon, Plymouth Colt, Eagle Summit and limited-production vehicles such as Dodge Viper.

Photographs—
Upper left: a demonstration of how the air bag inflates from steering wheel.

Upper right: within 50 milliseconds, the air bag fully deploys to absorb impact forces.

Center: the first integrated child seat folds out simply and easily from one of Plymouth Voyager's bench seats.

The New Chrysler Technology Center: Welcome to the 21st Century

By M. Allemon
THE AUTOMOTIVE TIMES

Chrysler Chairman Lee Iacocca dedicated the new Chrysler Technology Center (CTC) in Auburn Hills, Michigan, 25 miles north of Detroit. It is the most advanced automotive technology center in the world. Ceremonies were held last October 15.

Before a crowd of more than a thousand Chrysler employees, retirees and guests, Mr. Iacocca pointed to the dramatic new touchstone, created from a block of the granite used in the CTC building and Walter P. Chrysler's original tool chest, and said:

"We're bringing together the tools that started this company with the tool that will let us compete successfully in the 21st Century. It will be a touchstone, permanently on display here to remind us and anyone who visits this place why we built it and where we expect it to take us."

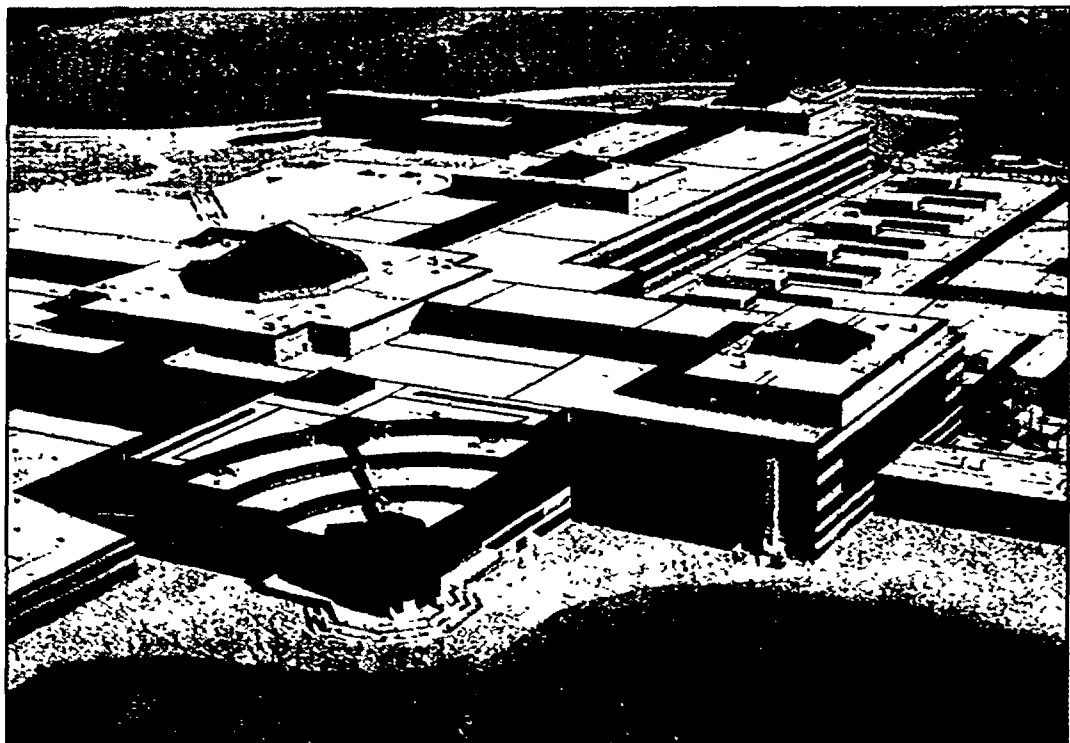
The huge Chrysler facility covers more than 500 acres and contains over 3 million square feet of work space, much of it bathed in natural sunlight. Its billion dollar cost attests to Chrysler Corporation's commitment to be a world leader in car quality and design through the next century.

That would seem to be a very realistic objective considering that the Chrysler Center is a technological wonder, unique in America and Japan. It allows Chrysler, for the first time in history, to bring together under one roof all the different groups involved in development of new car and truck models: Product Design, Engineering, Manufacturing, Procurement and Supply. This streamlining will significantly reduce costs as well as the time required from concept approval to volume production. Advanced, thoroughly-tested models will be brought to market faster. Faster, Chrysler believes, than its competitors.

The diverse development groups have been organized into platform teams, with concept-to-production responsibility for each car or truck line. These cross-functional teams will design, engineer and manufacture prototype and pilot vehicles that can be driven to CTC's 18-mile evaluation road.

Some 700,000 square feet of the Center is devoted to state-of-the-art testing and research facilities. They include an altitude test chamber, an emissions test facility, a powertrain test center and an electromagnetic compatibility test facility, all supporting a 150,000 square foot pilot manufacturing facility and paint shop.

A 38-scale wind tunnel is used to perfect models for aerodynamic efficiency. Test vehicles are evaluated for aerodynamic drag, fuel economy, crosswind handling and engine and brake cooling.



The Education Center, a 70,000 square foot portion of the Technology Center, is the central hub for Chrysler's internal academic training activities. Workers from Chrysler plants around the country are trained in everything

from supervisory skills, to time management, to computer-aided design and computer-aided manufacturing (CAD/CAM). Eventually, 7,000 men and women will work at the Technology Center.

The Chrysler Technology Center is the heart of Chrysler's future. It is where the world's best cars and trucks are being born, and the standard by which the rest of the industry will be judged.

Spring Car Care

By T. Perry
THE AUTOMOTIVE TIMES

From your car's perspective, winter is the toughest season of all. But another challenge is coming: the heat of summer. And spring is the time to prepare your car for it. Of course, always consult your Owner's Manual.

1) Oil is your car's life blood. Keeping it fresh and clean will head off any number of potential problems. If you have switched to a lighter weight oil for cold weather driving, change back to a heavier weight. Because in summer, lighter oils don't handle the added heat burden as well. As a result, engine protection can suffer. But whatever the season, changing the engine oil and filter at least every 3-5,000 miles is a good idea. Your car will run cooler, get improved fuel economy and perform better throughout the year.

2) Check the belts and hoses. Replace them if they show signs of wear. Winter puts a lot of stress on those vulnerable components. Constant heating, cooling and exposure to the elements can cause deterioration. And nothing can leave you

stranded quicker than a broken belt or hose.

3) Check your battery's water level. Few components go through a more grueling workout than a battery in the dead of winter. Fill it with distilled water if levels have dropped. If you have the no-maintenance variety, have the electrolyte checked at a service department. Clean the electrical posts with a stiff brush and replace cables if necessary.

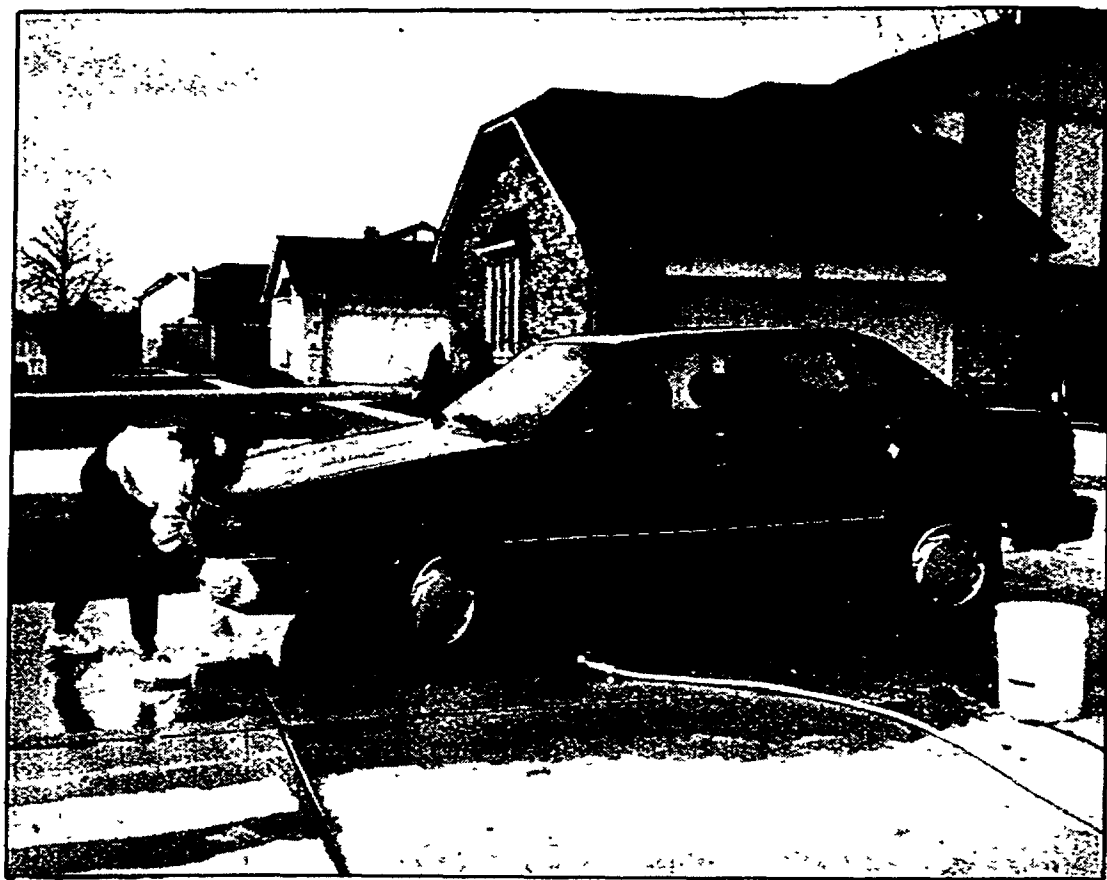
4) Coolant. One might think antifreeze matters only when the weather turns cold. Not so. The same ingredient (ethylene glycol) that keeps your radiator from freezing also keeps it from boiling over. Check the fluid with an inexpensive hydrometer and give it a fresh boost if needed. Antifreeze does break down and should be changed once a year.

5) Air conditioning system. If you find the unit blows cold air, little else need be done. If not, it may need a shot of freon. But don't attempt to add freon yourself if you are unfamiliar with the system. Accidental discharge of freon not only damages the environment, but can freeze human flesh on contact.

Air conditioner repairs are best left to qualified service technicians. All Chrysler-Plymouth dealers are equipped with freon recovery systems to protect the environment while servicing your air conditioning system.

6) Tires. Winter temperatures can make your tires appear underinflated. You may have added air to compensate. Once warm weather returns, they could well be overinflated. Check the pressure with a gauge and return them to recommended levels. Running on overinflated tires makes for a rougher ride and decreases tread life. Also, aligning and rotating tires once a year will insure more even tire wear, increasing tire life.

7) Check power steering, brake and transmission fluid levels. They should normally require no more than an occasional topping off. If they consistently register low, you've got a leak somewhere. Check your driveway or garage floor. Honey colored stains are usually engine oil. Thick, heavy oil usually comes from axles and differentials. Clear liquids are usually brake fluid. Red stains come from the transmission. Tell your service technician which color.



Servicing your transmission and changing the transmission fluid every 30,000 miles will help prolong transmission life.

8) Wash and wax your car's exterior, clean the interior, hose down the undercarriage and give the engine a steam cleaning at a self-service car wash to help get rid of winter's vestiges.

9) Tune-ups. Not long ago, a decent backyard mechanic could

perform a tune-up as well as any professional shop. But most of today's cars are computer-intensive, requiring sophisticated diagnostic equipment. Other than changing spark plugs, filters, checking ignition wires and possibly adjusting the engine timing, there's little more that can be done in the driveway. If problems persist, a computer diagnostic test should be run by your Chrysler-Plymouth dealer to identify the

causes. A tune-up should be performed every 15,000 miles to insure maximum performance and efficiency.

Haven't got time to see to all these matters yourself? Take your Chrysler, Plymouth, Dodge, Jeep and Eagle car or truck to your Chrysler-Plymouth dealer's service department. A complete spring maintenance check will put you on the road with confidence during the summer months.

The ABCs of Auto Talk

By K. Foster
THE AUTOMOTIVE TIMES

As the automotive industry makes strides in engineering, many of us find it hard to keep up with the "onslaught" of abbreviations. AWD? ABS? FWD? It looks like alphabet soup! So here are some useful definitions that will make auto talk easier to digest.

AWD: All-Wheel Drive is a system, engineered to give you better traction. With all wheels acting independently, driving is safer and more predictable in poor weather conditions. For example, if one wheel loses traction, the system delivers additional torque to the other wheels to help you recover traction. AWD improves a car's performance, from cornering and straight line acceleration to climbing hills more easily.

ABS: Anti-lock brakes improve your braking performance. As you brake, the system automatically pumps the brakes several times per second to prevent wheel lock-up. ABS quickens response time and shortens stopping distances to help the driver maintain better control on virtually any road surface.

FWD: With front-wheel drive, the vehicle's driving force is applied through the front wheels as opposed to rear-wheel drive. With the weight of the engine placed over the front wheels, FWD improves traction on wet, slippery roads.

EFI: Electronic fuel injection is a modern and more effective method of fuel delivery which replaces the carburetors. By precisely controlling the amount of fuel used, EFI improves engine performance and driveability and helps use fuel more efficiently, from highway driving to stop-and-go traffic situations.

DOHC: Double overhead camshaft. A DOHC engine has two camshafts in each cylinder head. One camshaft operates the intake valves, the other actuates the exhaust valves.

SRS: The air bag is the best known supplemental restraint system (SRS). "Supplemental" because it does not take the place of lap and shoulder belts. Within 50 milliseconds, the air bag deploys to absorb impact forces. And performing at 99.999% accuracy, an air bag combined with seat belts gives you added protection in the event of an accident.

Leasing: It's Not Just for Lawyers Anymore

By: S. Kernohan
THE AUTOMOTIVE TIMES

Until recently, leasing was the darling of doctors, lawyers, and people who used their vehicles for business. The reason: the favorable income tax write-off. The rest of us bought our cars and deducted the interest (if filing an itemized return). But the Fed took care of that, giving us average people another reason to lease our next new car. Today, in some parts of the country, leasing is accounting for up to forty percent of new-vehicle deliveries. Industry sources predict that rate will continue to climb.

What's the big attraction for Mainstream America? Leasing provides an alternative means of financing. In most cases, it lets you get into a new vehicle with a lower down payment and with lower monthly payments than if you purchased. That's because you're not paying for the entire car, but rather just a portion of its life that you are using. You only pay for the sum of (a) depreciation - the difference between the estimated value and the acquisition price, known as capitalization cost; and (b) a money factor - which usually varies with the length of the lease (24 months, 36 months, 48 months, etc.). So, since you invest less, you can probably afford to move up to a better-equipped, and perhaps more

prestigious car, than if you bought. This allows you to change vehicles more frequently, avoiding the usual repair costs that occur as an auto ages.

The most popular lease is a closed-end lease. That means that the residual value is fixed. You as the lessee are not responsible for the ups and downs of the vehicle's wholesale price when the lease term is concluded. At the end of the closed-end lease, you can return the vehicle (see later comment on this), or depending upon your contract, may purchase it. Why buy it? If you like it, why not? You know its good and bad points. Also, you may be able to turn around and sell it for more than the residual value (depending upon the used car market at the time).

If you return the car, you will only be responsible for excessive mileage, and/or excessive damage as applicable. As for mileage, in determining the residual value, the leasing company expects the vehicle to be returned with mileage under a certain parameter. Many leases limit it to 15,000 miles a year, or 60,000 miles for a four year lease, which is average driving for most people. Exceed that limit, and you'll have to pay an 8-10 cents per mile allowance. As for ex-

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Ride and Drive '92

From the Automotive Times Test Staff

Chrysler LeBaron Convertible: How to Become Very, Very Popular

Back in '75, GM announced that they were shattering the icon, ceasing production of the vaunted Cadillac Eldorado Convertible! Never mind that we couldn't afford one; millions of us retched because Caddy made the only U.S. droptop left on the market. Realizing that an era was ending, folks who could afford it snapped up "the last American convertible" and stored it, figuring to make a bundle in a few years, when a softtop-starved America could stand it no longer.

To those canny investors, I can only say: 1) oops! and 2) I have a large bridge in the east for sale, not to mention some nice semi-dry land in Florida.

On the other hand, who would have thought that in '84 Chrysler of all people would bring back the convertible? I would, that's who, because these were the same guys who'd given us the Hemi, the 'Cuda, and the 300. No fussy beancounters, these. They remembered the rush of cruisin' top-down, so they took a chance. Bingo! A textbook example of how to become very, very popular in the showroom—in fact, sell more convertibles than anybody in the U.S. But, I digress.

They gave me my choice of testing one of three LeBaron Convertibles: the Highline, the LX and the GTC. It was kind of like winning a big gameshow and the m.c. asks you if you'd prefer the yacht, the personal jet or the oil-rich emirate. I picked the red GTC, monochromatic and lookin' mean.

Standard motivation is the 3.0-liter V-6 with five-speed manual, and that would have been just fine. But my car had the optional 2.5 overhead cam EFI turbo with automatic. It was still quite sufficient to pin me to the bucket when I stomped it. Which I soon stopped doing because, come on,

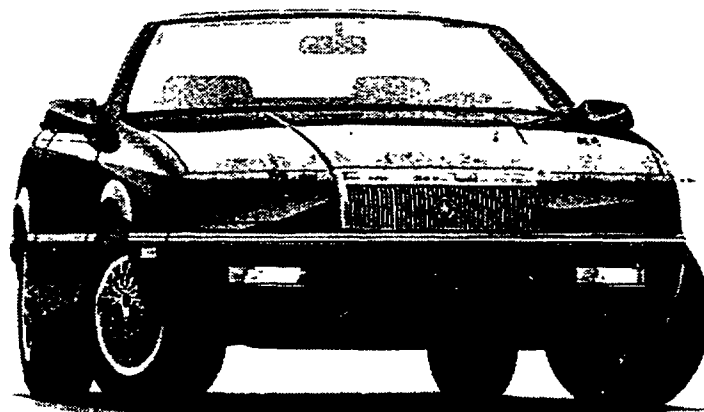
speed isn't what a convertible is for. Night is, moonlight on the lake is, feeling free is. Right? I love disgracing.

You get some great sensories in this car. Not just because of the sun and stars, the lascivious looks from the opposite gender or the steely glares from the poor shackled souls in the sedans. You start with the feel of a chunky, real-leather-clad steering wheel. There's even an air bag in it. And if tactile really does it for you, you'll want to opt for the leather with vinyl interior my car had just so you can slowly caress the passenger's seat when nobody's looking. And, of course, when nobody's sitting there. Otherwise—!

Ahem. The cockpit wraps around you for a good, secure feeling. And the dash layout's not only a visual feast it's user-friendly, with all the buttons, dials, tach and controls exactly where you'd expect them. Read: there's full instrumentation but you won't need flight training.

Remember the old convertibles with the kidney-shaker ride and the top that squeaked and groaned terminally? Forget those. LeBaron delivers, what can I say? A Chrysler ride. The top is fully lined for good cabin ambience, and it's solidly-affixed until you say otherwise. I cranked up the ten-speaker Infinity Sound System, optional but so what, and got pulled over near a library. Was it my overdue books?

And now, a word about price. Low. The LeBaron Highline Convertible starts at \$16,234, the LX at \$19,630 and my GTC test car at \$22,400. These are base sticker examples including a \$500 rebate; dealer prices will vary, and you have to add title, taxes and destination charges. Still low for what you get. 'Cause if this car doesn't pump your adrenaline, quick, check for a pulse!



Plymouth Voyager: The Ultimate

Walking to the test Voyager, I had to wonder: with all the come-lately minivans on the market, how does the original article stack up? I soon found out that a plethora of new features and refinements have kept Voyager very much "state-of-the-minivan art." Obviously, Chrysler maintained sharp focus on its first priority: catering to families.

Fortunately, catering to families includes, as a very important element, addressing family safety on the road with standard features such as front wheel drive, a driver's minivan air bag*, outboard lap/shoulder belts for rear seat passengers and a child protection lock on the sliding door.

To further help safeguard your little people, I learned Chrysler has come up with the first available built-in child seat. That helps keep kids secure (and where you put 'em) while it keeps you from having to lug those accessory seats from car to car. Other safety features available on the '92 Voyager and Grand Voyager include all-wheel drive and an anti-lock braking system.

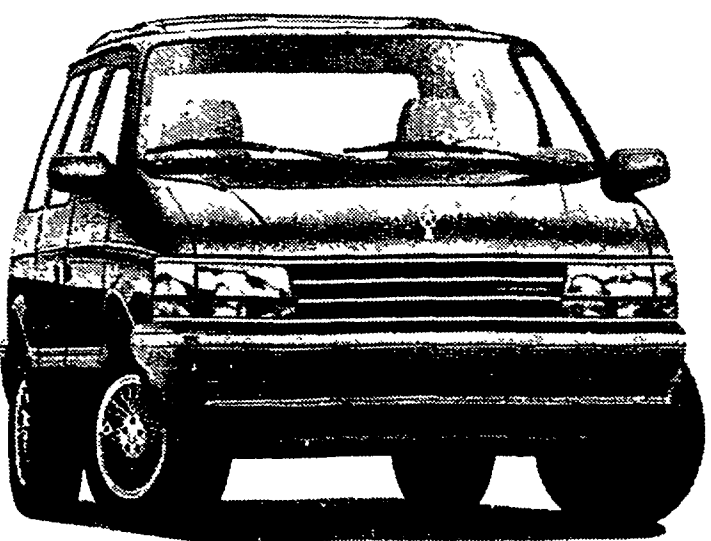
Next, I gave the interior a critical

inspection. And if Voyager isn't the ultimate in family comfort and practicality, I'd like to know what is. The seats are soft but supportive. The visibility's superb. And seating configurations accommodate five people, with available room for seven. There's also plenty of space for luggage with the rear seats in place. Take them out and the interior's cargo-cavernous. Nice "little" conveniences, too, like cup holders and cubby storage bins.

Then came my personal "ultimate test" of any vehicle: performance under way. The first impression you get is "Hey, it handles like a car!" Takes curves with ease and parks like a dream. These two qualities I could not in good conscience attribute to some other minivans I've tested. Acceleration? The 2.5-liter standard engine proved very responsive. And the ride, on the freeway and on secondary roads, was smooth, stable, even quiet.

As a car-tester, I risk a raised eyebrow and red pencil marks from my Editor when I hand out an accolade like "ultimate." But that's my vote on Voyager, and I stand by it! (Looks like the Editor agreed.)

*Driver's minivan air bag is fully effective only when used with seat belt.



Plymouth Acclaim: Refined Family Fare

The Acclaim I drove had a deep Black Cherry Pearl Coat finish, and I probably could have used it as a shaving mirror. The interior, a subdued crimson, was really quite plush. Posh, actually, for a family car. So far so good. However, my first test caused some quizzical stares from passersby as I dashed around, slamming all four doors and the trunk. Five "chunks," reassuringly beefy.

You notice several things behind the wheel. One: the center of the steering wheel is large and almost square, which is because the air bag is in there. Two: you sit relatively high, and there's a big glass area, so visibility is great. The instrument panel is well laid out. Even the two horn buttons are right where they should be.

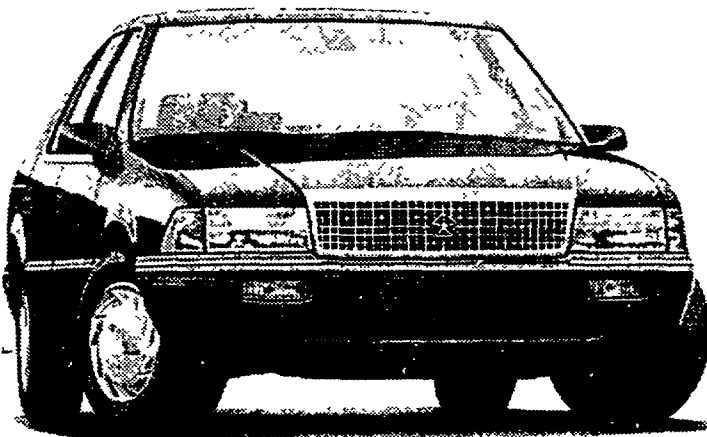
Your basic Acclaim comes standard with a laundry list of features like power steering, power brakes and, of course, front-wheel drive. These three I was thankful for because it started to rain. Steering response was precise, even comforting, ditto the brakes. The anti-lock braking system is optional.

Standard engine is the 2.5-liter

single overhead cam EFI with a balance-shaft; the 3.0-liter overhead cam V-6 is optional. My test car had the 2.5. Now, you're not going to take it to LeMans, but let me tell you, it has plenty of punch for normal driving. And the balance-shaft design delivers a smooth idle.

But the prime directive of a family car is transporting the family, right? And on that basis, I can't rave enough about this car. The interior is big. You can cart five people in comfort, six if you order the 50/50 split bench seat. The Chrysler-Plymouth dealer who got me the car said Acclaim has more interior room than its arch rival, Honda Accord. Ah so!

Who would want to buy an Acclaim? I'd say, any family that hasn't hit the Lottery and just might be interested in terrific *quid pro quo*. You get a lot of automobile. And even when you add the option package with air, automatic, cruise, rear defrost, 4-speaker stereo and tinted glass, your Acclaim runs only \$11,532. That's a sticker price example including a \$1,000 rebate and dealer prices will vary. Sure, title, taxes and destination charges are extra, but it's still quite a deal!



New Plymouth Duster: Blink Twice and You'll Miss It

In the Seventies, my lots older brother Steve hung out with some guys with hot cars. He had a Duster, Phil drove a Road Runner and, wouldn't you know, Fast Eddie ran a 'Cuda. I couldn't wait to grow up and get my hands on cars like that. And now, after driving a succession of "vanilla shakes," I was going to do just that. At least, I hoped so. My Editor said, "Hey, Plymouth's got a new V-6 Duster. How'd you like to—?" I was out of there, on the way to the dealership, savoring the *déjà vu* of it. Like Plymouth's done it again, stuffed a big mill in a small car and—! But hold on, I told myself, be objective.

The dealer got the Editor's call and was ready for me, leading me to the test Duster, stock, no options. This one was white with a quartz interior. White body, white grille, white wheel covers. They all have what the ads call "Monochromatic Paint Treatment." Cool. We walked around the car. Power dome hood. "Duster" graphics. Rear spoiler. Alright!

"And wait'll you see the package content!" the dealer beamed as he left. "Package content." That's dealer talk for "a lot of good stuff." And indeed it had, I discovered, settling into the driver's bucket. Room for five people, not Ewoks. Good looking dash. Padded steering wheel, hiding an air bag. Dual remote mirrors. AM/FM stereo. Power rack-and-pinion steering. Power brakes. This is standard? It was. And looky here: five on the floor! (Okay, it's in the console, and that's on the floor.)

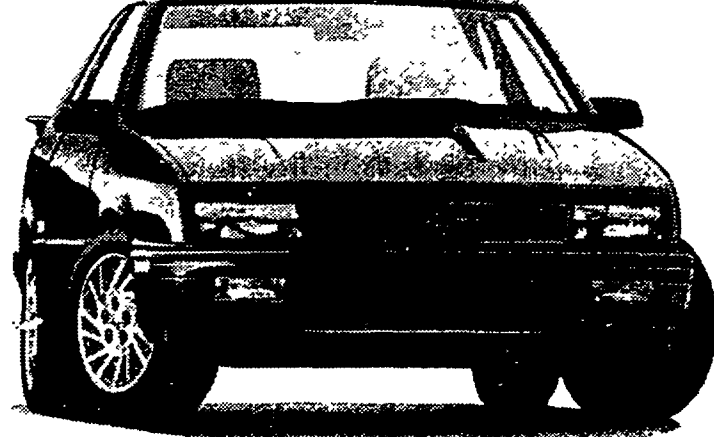
Great, but does it *move*? Not to worry! I found a lonely stretch of road

and slipped through the gears from a standing stop. Very slick. And the torquey V-6, I assure you, is "quite capable" of propelling you from here to there with all legal haste. 3.0 liters, overhead cam, fuel injection, 141 horsepower. Excellent horsepower-to-weight ratio, however, please do not attempt wheelies. Especially not in a Farmer Jack's parking lot; I shop there. (No. In the store.)

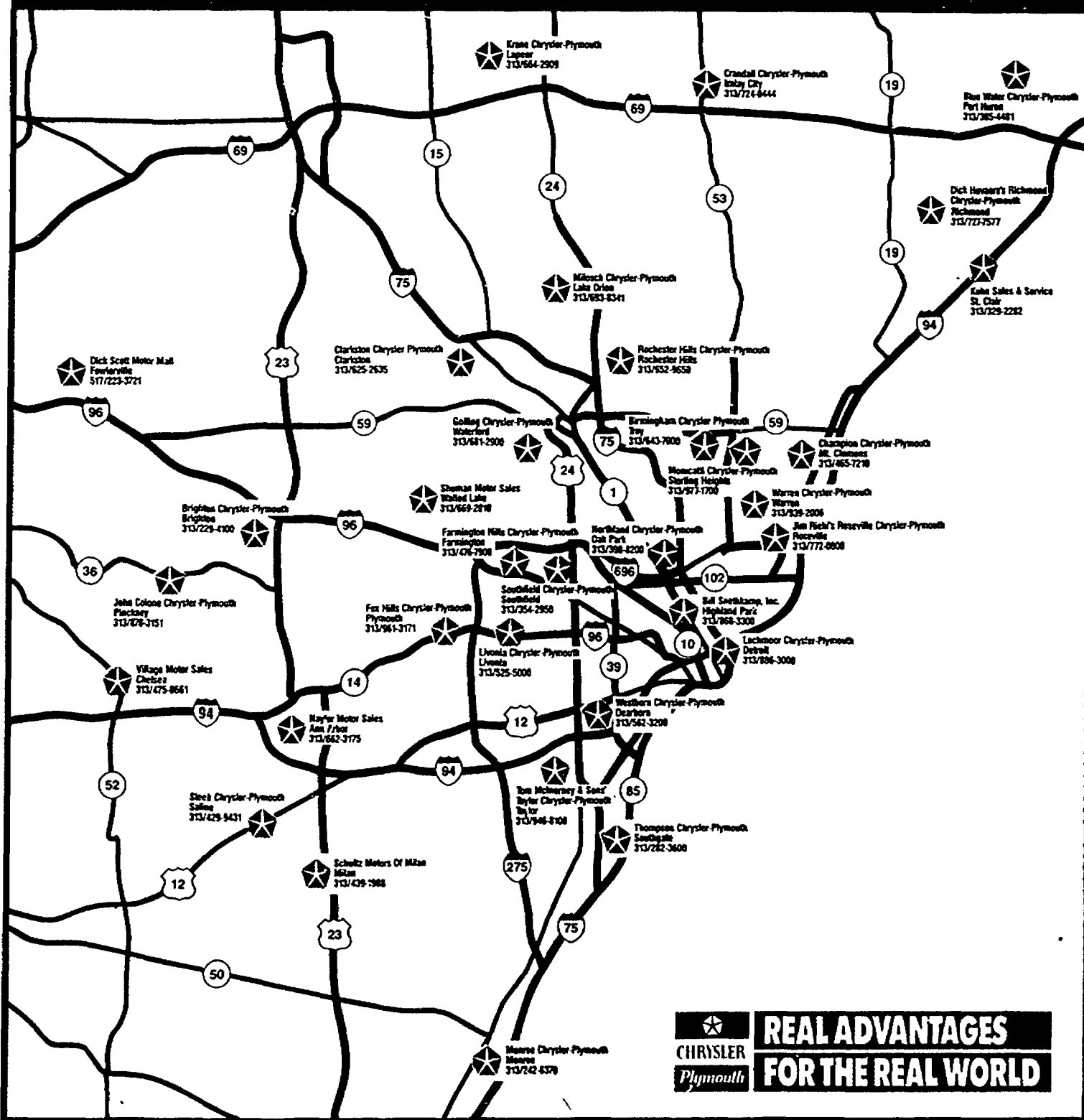
The road had its curves, and I have to tell you, the sport suspension is taut so this baby handles. 15-inch performance radials, speed-rated, naturally. Nice low exhaust sound, too. And streetlegal.

"Where is that guy?" I could hear the dealer fuming. So I finally took the car back, wondering how I was going to break the price to you. Not a problem. In fact, a pleasant surprise: \$8,849 for the car I tested, the dealer said. That's an MSRP example including a \$1,000 rebate, without title, taxes and destination fees, and actual prices vary.

"Even without a rebate," the dealer boasted, "Duster's the lowest-priced V-6 passenger car! I can sell all I can get but, unfortunately, base model supplies are really limited." However, he added, he did have a selection of Duster's sibling, Sundance America, starting at under seven grand including your \$1,000 rebate. Good salesman, and I may go back for a new wave Duster. Eat your heart out, Steve. Hey, at that price, even a grossly underpaid car tester could hack it. You listening, boss?



See Your Local Chrysler-Plymouth Dealer

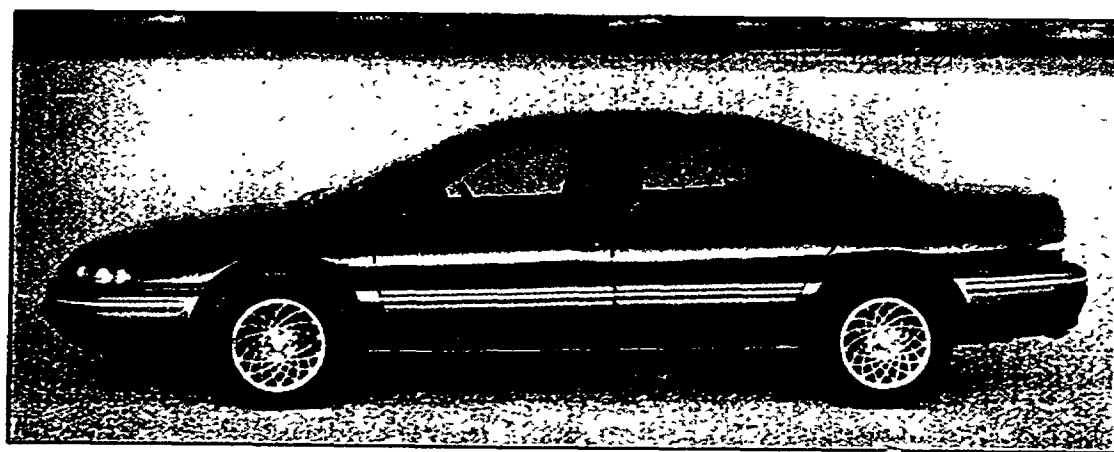


Chrysler's Concorde Premieres to Press Raves

By D. Redman
THE AUTOMOTIVE TIMES

Chrysler Corporation utilized auto shows across the nation to unveil its revolutionary new LH series of cars, led by its starship, the 1993 Chrysler Concorde. The avowed purpose of this new series is to establish Chrysler as a leader in world-class quality, engineering and safety. And from the wide-eyed reactions of auto show attendees, you could also add "world-class design."

But it was what lay beneath the swoopy styling that most excited our normally steely-eyed colleagues in the automotive press corps. Chrysler's Concorde introduces a unique concept in passenger car engineering: Cab Forward. This design moves all four wheels toward the "corners" of the car, expanding the interior to provide considerably more passenger room. The car's stance was also widened for maximum stability. For added safety, the Concorde has standard anti-lock



brakes, a driver's air bag and a front passenger's air bag. Cab Forward and the Concorde's other engineering innovations set the press to rhapsodizing.

"Chrysler's LH platform is leaping ahead of the design trend, trying to establish itself as a new standard

that others will someday match." - AUTOMOTIVE NEWS
"Best in show. Most significant of all vehicles." - AUTOWEEK, covering the North American International Auto Show.

"Given its outstanding technical and stylistic foundation, the Concorde should be an instant winner with

American car buyers." - WJR-AM Radio, Detroit-Automotive Report

More on the Concorde? Sorry, you'll have to wait until it arrives at Chrysler-Plymouth dealerships this fall. Then you can see for yourself what the press is raving about...and whether you agree or disagree. It will be well worth the trip

Leasing: It's Not Just for Lawyers Anymore

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cessive damage, they expect the car to be returned with reasonable wear and tear. Return it with excessive damage, and the leasing company will charge you for the cost to repair it, which is only fair.

Can you haggle on a lease? And how! When contemplating the lease deal, you should negotiate a lease the same way you would a purchase. Bargain for the lowest cash price of the car, with all the options you want, including destination fee. Get the absolute best bottom line. Don't forget to find out if there are any factory rebates that apply, or if you qualify for any type of dealer incentives. Remember, the lower the capitalization cost of your vehicle, the lower your monthly payment may be because the difference between the residual value and the capitalization cost will be less.

As for credit worthiness, generally speaking, if your credit is good enough to buy a car, it's good enough to lease

one. You can even trade in a car for a lease, or put additional money down, which will lower your payments. As for the state of Michigan, you will not be responsible to pay 4% sales tax on the capitalization cost, but will be responsible for a 4% use tax on the monthly lease fee.

So, now that you've satisfactorily negotiated all the elements of a lease with the dealer, here's what you'll have to put on the table: a down payment (as applicable), an acquisition fee, the first month's payment, a security deposit, proof of insurance and license plate title fees. The security deposit is refundable at the lease end if you've followed the mileage and vehicle condition rules. Some leases may have additional regulations, so read the agreement carefully.

Can you write off lease costs on your 1040? Only your C.P.A. knows for sure. But even if you can't deduct costs, you may find that leasing is a great way to drive a new car more frequently. Forecasters believe it's the wave of the future. I'd say, surf's up!

Warranty Protection: Choose 7/70 or 3/36

By S. Van Stee
THE AUTOMOTIVE TIMES

You've heard all the horror stories; someone you knew bought a real lemon. The car spent most of its time in the shop. The hapless owner lost work time, leisure time, family time and considerable cash in deductibles and expenses.

Now there's no need for any of that. Because now, Chrysler offers you the Owner's Choice Protection Plan. You can take your choice of either Chrysler's industry-leading 7-year/70,000-mile powertrain protection, the longest of its type, or the newly-available 3-year/36,000-mile bumper-to-bumper warranty. Why the choice? Because Chrysler realizes that its customers have different driving needs and warranty preferences. And, of course, not everyone keeps a car for seven years. Deductible? Zip, zero, nada with either warranty.

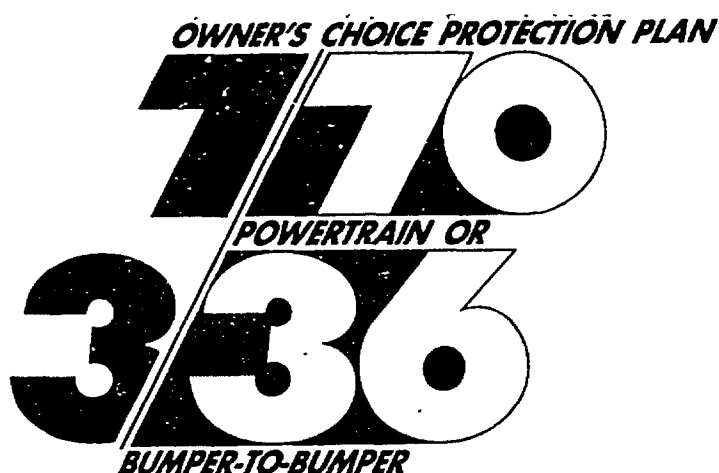
Choose 7/70 and you get major component coverage on the engine and powertrain, something comforting to have if you do keep your car longer.

Choose 3/36, available on most '92 domestic and import models, and you get warranty coverage on big and small items from the front to the rear bumper. No, normal maintenance, adjustments and wear items aren't covered, but everything else is: engine, transmission, electronics, door handles, widgets, you name it—including parts and labor.

Salty winter roads? Chrysler's got you covered there, too. Choose either 7/70 or 3/36 and you also get Chrysler's anti-corrosion warranty. The outer body of your car is protected for 7 years or 100,000 miles, parts and labor included.

So before you sign any new-car order, consider the combination of warranties that only Chrysler offers: Owner's Choice of 7/70 or 3/36, 7/100,000 anti-rust, plus your basic 1-year/12,000-mile new vehicle warranty. Talk about comprehensive. Talk about peace of mind.

Why not stop at your Chrysler-Plymouth dealer and read these limited warranties and their restrictions. It won't take much time, but it could save you a lot.



Ride and Drive '92

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Plymouth Laser: The Budget Black Belt

Having graduated from street rods to sportscars, loving every G-force minute of it, I have an annoying tendency to overwrite when testing a kick-bleep car like Laser. But I won't. Maybe.

Let's start with the new styling changes. Make that change. They gave Laser a slopy new nose. Good. Someone had the taste not to gorp up a fine design. And they didn't change the cockpit. Also good. The dash wraps around and everything is right there. Full instrumentation, naturally. Buckets have excellent lumbar support.

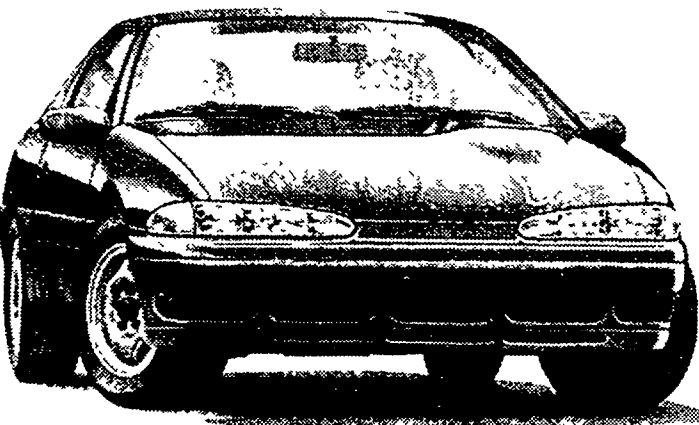
First, I drove the base Laser with the 1.8-liter overhead cam multipoint engine (105 foot pounds of torque at 3,500 rpm) with standard five-speed manual. Impressive to say the least, as was handling with the 1581 ratio power-assisted steering, a package option.

Next, I gleefully clambered into the top-of-the-line RS Turbo Standard 2-liter, double overhead cam, sixteen valves, intercooled, 203 foot pounds of

torque at 3,000 rpm, high-performance five-speed. Hog heaven! It came with anti-lock brakes, another option; four-wheel disc, standard. And it's available with all-wheel drive. Speaking of which, CAR AND DRIVER Magazine named the Laser RS Turbo AWD one of its Ten Best Cars for '92. That's the third year running that Laser's won this award.

In February, '91, USAC rated the RS Turbo at 0-60 in 6.8 seconds, topping even 300 ZX. With all due respect, I had to give it a go. Results confirmed. This sucker lays tread! But remember, I'm a professional; do not try this at home.

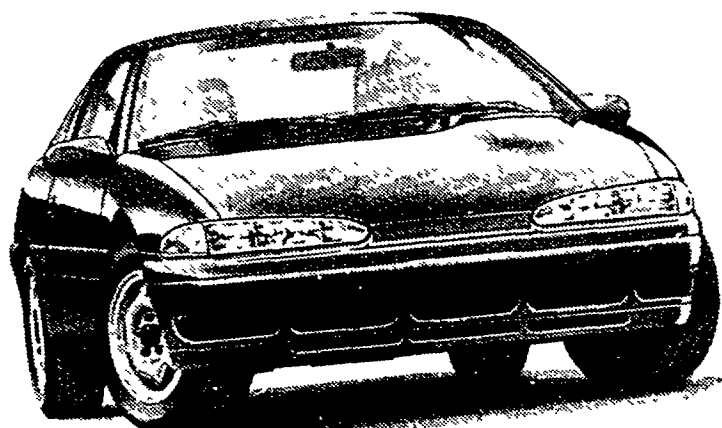
Base sticker price of the budget black belt starts at \$10,184 (really), the Laser RS Turbo, without anti-lock brakes, at \$13,811. Both prices include a \$1,000 rebate, exclude title, taxes and destination charges, and actual dealer prices will vary. With that muscle and that low tariff, Laser's sure to have a big following. Also in its rear-view mirror.



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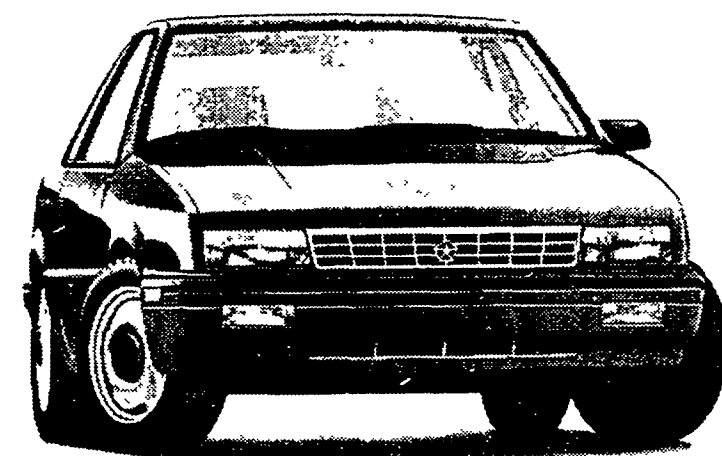
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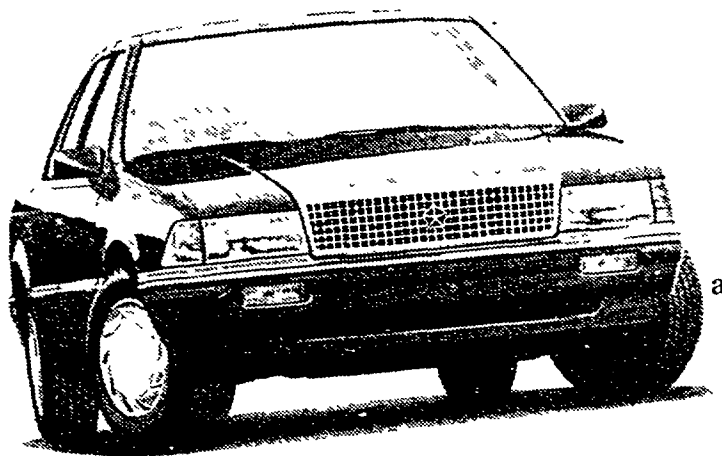
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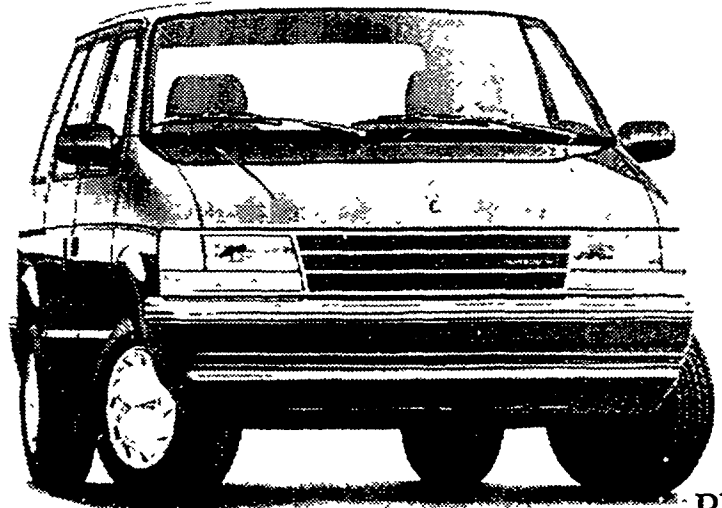
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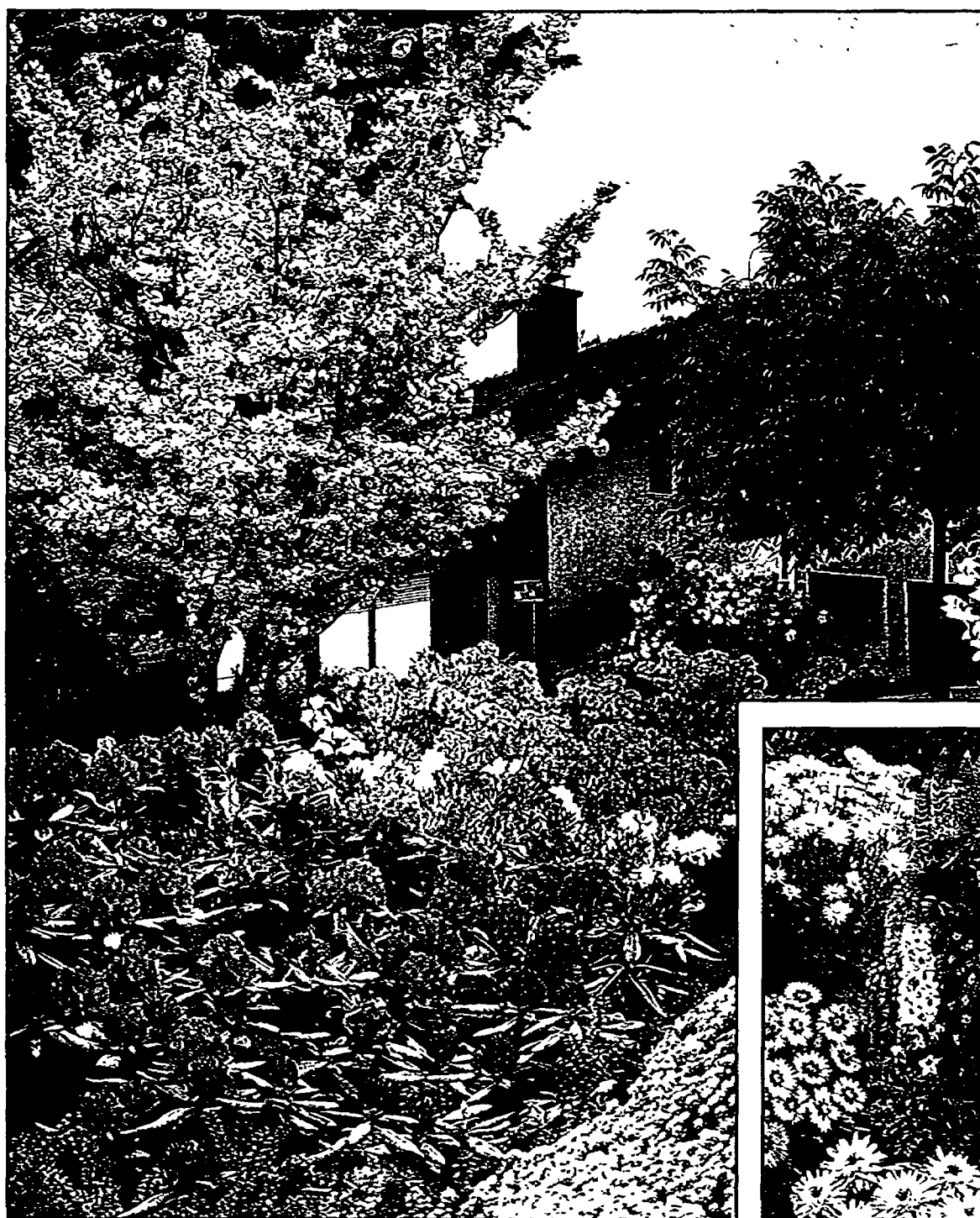
*For qualified retail lessees. 60 mos. Tax, title, insurance, destination fees and \$350 acquisition fee extra. Laser total: \$11,184. Up front: \$2,118.40 down n, \$200 refundable security deposit and 1st mo. payment. Sundance America total: \$9,999. Up front: \$1,999.90 down n, \$200 refundable security deposit and 1st mo. payment. Acclaim total: \$12,532. Up front: \$2,253.20 down n, \$200 refundable security deposit and 1st mo. payment. Voyager total: \$14,266. Up front: \$1,926.60 down n, \$200 refundable security deposit and 1st mo. payment. Option to buy at lease end at pre set price. Pay for excess wear & tear plus 8¢/mi. over 50,000 miles. These are leasing rate examples based on MSRP equipped as shown. Actual dealer prices will vary. **Based on retail sales comparison of other manufacturers' minivans. ***Fully effective only when used with seat belt. †Est. MPG: 24 City/28 Hwy.

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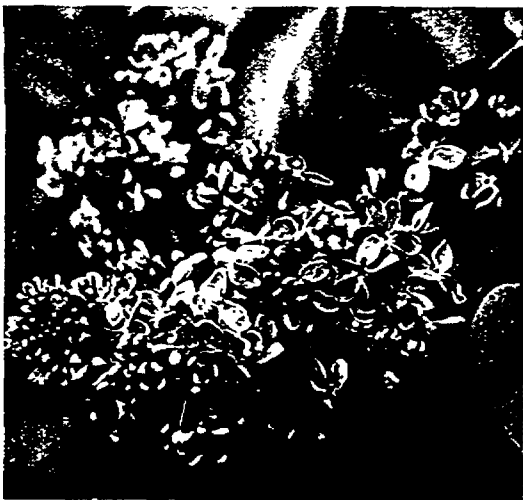
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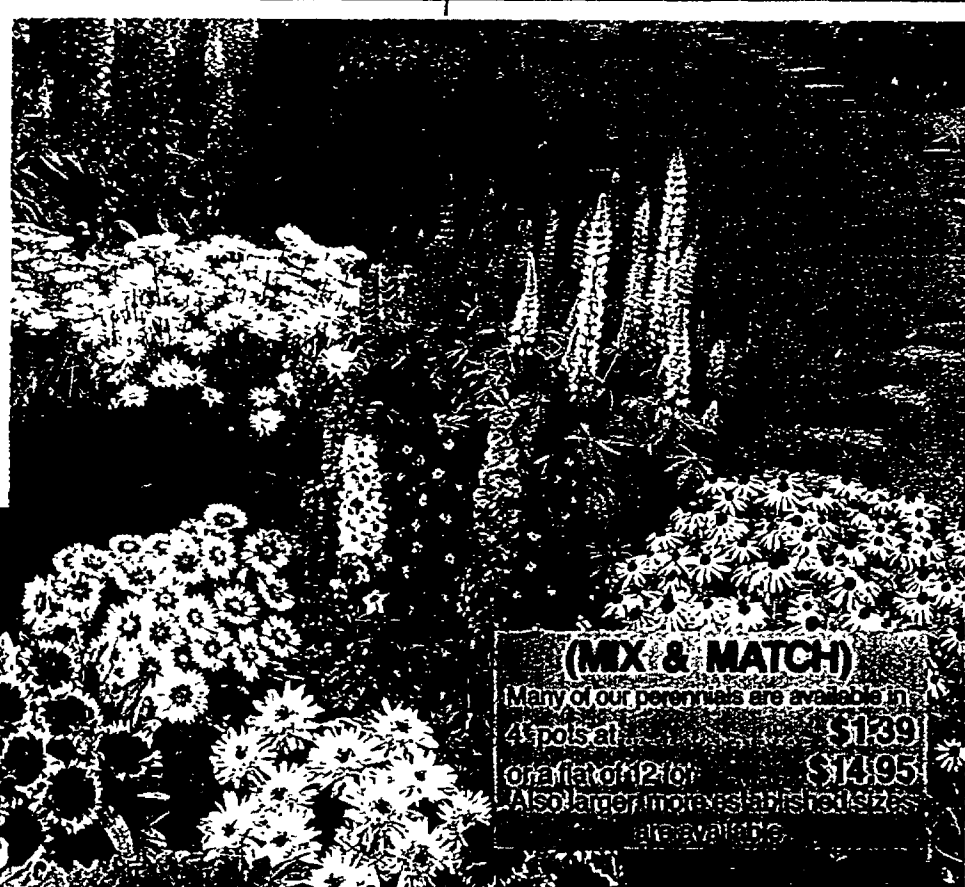
IRISES . . . exotic tall perennials with large blossoms available in a vast color range. Require minimal care and will do well season after season.

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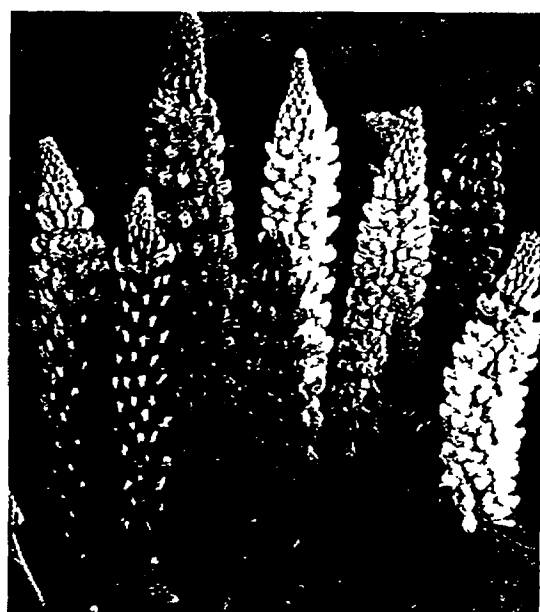


HOSTAS . . . these plants form a mound shape with large attractive leaves and small lily-like flowers. They come in several varieties and are perfect in shade.

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HARDY FERNS . . . beautiful lush green foliage, great in a shady location.

4 1/2 inch pot \$2.19 each

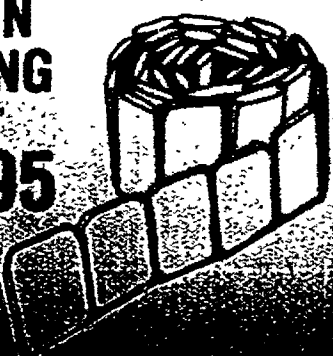
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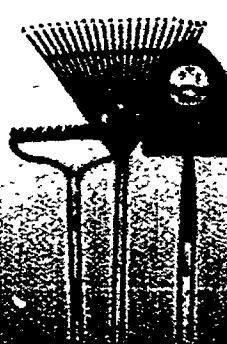
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