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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1995 - NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN

# Tax collector plans holiday mailing

By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Tis the season to pay taxes.

OK, at least we tried to break the news gently. When you get down to it, though, there's just no easy way to say it. Northville, it's time to pay the piper as those winter property tax bills head for a mailbox near you.

joy were scheduled to go out the door this week, the city's beginning Monday. Property owners have until Feb. 14, 1996, to pay them in full. The township board of trustees and the city council could each choose to extend that deadline to the end of February.

If they do not, delinquent city residents

The township's little holiday bundles of will pay an automatic 3-percent penalty for taxes paid after Feb. 14 but before Feb. 29. The township does not have such a penalty in place at the moment but the board can vote to impose one.

It's a new ballgame come March 1, however. That's the date when both communities turn over their outstanding bills to Wayne and Oakland counties for collection. The counties tack on an additional 4percent penalty and a 1-percent interest penalty per month for each month a parcel's taxes remain unpaid.

You'll have to mail your full payment in before the end of this year to be eligible to claim them on you federal income tax forms. Be advised that Dec. 31 is a Sunday this year, so the last day township

and city offices will be open for business in 1995 is Friday, Dec. 29. Mailing your tax bill in before the deadline is another option but be sure to send it early, given the usual holiday postal crunch.

Northville Township will send out about 5,500 tax bills this week, up several hundred from last year. The community's total

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# **Police** probe targets former **NHS** student

'I'm gonna get even,' messenger threatens

By ROBERT JACKSON Staff Writer

A former Northville High School student got a visit from local police for, allegedly sending threatening and harassing electronic mail lemail) messages to a current high school student.

No charges have been filed against the 19-year-old Northville man, but according to police. charges could be filed if the suspect resumes sending the commonts."~"

Northville rligh School administrators maintain the incident is an isolated one, and no additional security measures will be taken to police the school's computer network system.

According to a police report filed Nov. 9, the parents of the 15 yearold Northville girl reported to police that the boy had sent the messages to their daughter on her

high school e-mail account. The messages referred to a friend of the girl, another Northville High School student who had apparently dated the boy during the summer.

Investigating officers interviewed the boy, who admitted sending the messages but claimed he was not serious and wouldn't carry out the threats. Police warned the boy to refrain from sending any messages, and the boys' parents said they would monitor his actions. Police officials said they doubted

the boy would act on his threats

The messages were sent within a two week period beginning Oct. 26. and ending Nov. 9 The Record obtained copies of the e-mail messages, and found they contained sexual suggestions as well as refcrences to possible violent behav lor.

One message talks about the boy's desire to kick in the door of his former girlfmend's house and shoot her family with a shotgun "loaded with rock salt."

"I wouldn't really do it," the message continues. "But it's a nice thought I wish I could send her bitter e mail."

According to reports, the police discovered that the girl had responded to some of the e-mail messages, stating that she wanted **Continued** on 8



### Just browsing

under way. Downtown Northville was the site of a lot of brother Ryan, 6, found a Santa at Genitti's to the liking.

Shoppers of all sizes and shapes were much in evidence commotion and activity during what is usually considered last week, as the holiday shopping season officially got ' the busiest weekend of the year. Rebecca Arnold, 8, and

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### His services are in

### Authorities investigate

downtown burglaries

### impressive bond track record

### By ROBERT JACKSON Staff Writer

The Okemos Public School District loves Dr. William DeJong So does the Holly Area School District, the Caledonia School District, and many other school districts in Michigan and Ohio.

That's because DeJong, who has been hired by Northville Public Schools to facilitate its Futures Committee, is extremely good at what he does. So good, in fact, that a majority of the school districts that utilize his skills end up passing successful bond proposals.

DeJong's forte is consensus building, and the district invested \$49,000 to allow him to work his magic. His dialogue sessions draw. rave reviews from the communities he is involved with, and he has worked for various school districts.

across the state, including Birmingham, Cascade Township, East Grand Rapids, Grosse Ile, Whitmore Lake, and Grand Ledge.

His services are in demand because his success rate at building community consensus is high-Just ask Holly Area School District Superintendent Wayne Peter-SOT

The community dialogue was the key to bringing district patrons

demand because his success rate at building community consensus is high.

together," he said "After four previous attempts to get a bond issue approved, the community was finally able to come up with a workable plan. The end result was well worth the effort

The end result for Holly was a

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### **Doctor** gets new heart, new shot at living

### By LEE SNIDER Editor

For organ transplant recipients the phrase "a new lease on life" is more than just a cliche.

No one knows that better than Dr. John Romanik, who received the gift of life in the form of a new heart in late October.

"I feel absolutely perfect," he said during an interview last week. "But when the doctor wants to hear my heart I still say, you want to listen to 'it'? I don't think of it as mine yet."

Dr. Romanik is a former pedia-trician at the Maybury Tuberculosis Sanatorium and chief of pediatrics at Providence Medical Center in Novi. Though sull relatively young at age 60, he describes himself as a type-A personality whose constant stresses and workaholic nature took a serious toll on his health.

At one time, he juggled no less



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Dr. John Romanik and wife, Carol, enjoyed a thankful holiday in their township home.

ments, working in private practice while maintaining associations with Providence and other offices.

than five professional commit- at Maybury Hospital from 1964 until the facility closed in 1969.

At just 45 he suffered a heart physicians finally installed a perattack, and was added to the He served in the children's ward state's organ transplant list on two

different occasions.

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### By ROBERT JACKSON Staff Writer

The Northville Police Department is investigating leads into two downtown burglaries that happened Nov. 25

Police are looking for the suspects who broke into Joseph's Concy Island, 113 W. Main Street, and Bajardi's Hair Salon, 114 MainCentre, and stole more than \$1,500 in cash. A handgun was also reported stolen during the break-ins.

According to police reports, the first burglary was discovered by the owner of Joseph's, who immediately contacted police at around 6 30 a.m., Nov. 25.

Upon arriving on the scene investigators found that the back alley steel door had been pried open. Upon entering the restaurant the suspects apparently went

directly to the register, pried it open, and made off with some rolled change.

The thieves also took cash that was in a money bag, hidden near the register, and then on the way out found a handgun and another \$300 located in an envelope. Police attempted to find finger-

prints at the crime scene but were insuccessful, the report stated.

While police were investigating the first burglary, an officer noticed that the alley door to the MainCentre complex was open. The officer entered the building and then noticed that the door to the hair salon had also been pried open. Officers contacted the owner, and discovered that about \$50 in cash had been removed from the cash register. Nothing else was disturbed in the salon, police said.

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### **Community Calendar**

Got an event you want people to know about? We'll be glad to include it In the Community Calendar. Just submit items to the newspaper office, 104 W. Main, Northville 48167, by mail or in person; or fax announcements to 349-1050. The deadline is 4 p.m. Monday for that Thursday's calendar.

### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

WOMAN'S CLUB: The Northville Woman's Club meets at 1:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church, Boll Fellowship Hall. The program is "Historic Michigan Architecture". Today is guest day.

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

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

SINGLE PLACE SUNDAY MORNING GATHERING: Single Place will meet from 10-10:45 a.m. in the library lounge at First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main. The gathering is open to single adults, regardless of church affiliation, for fellowship and learning. For more information call 349-0911.

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. The public is welcome. The facilitator is Carol Haveraneck, MALLP, educator and psychologist.

SINGLE PLACE BRUNCH: Single Place will meet at 12:30 p.m. for brunch at Northville Crossing Restaurant, 18900 Northville Rd. 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.

#### MONDAY, DECEMBER 4

ICE RINK PLANNING: A meeting of volunteers interested in helping with the ice skating rink at Ford Field will take place at 7 p.m. at Genitu's Hole-In-The-Wall in downtown Northville. The rink accommodations still have to go before the Recreation Commission and the Northville City Council, but the planning process will go ahead pending formal approval. All are welcome.

M.O.M.S.: Moms Offering Moms Support meets from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church, 8 Mile and Taft roads. Today's program is the Outreach Project and Christmas crafts. Bring a toy for a child and some wrapping paper to help assemble gifts for the needy. There will be Christmas crafts to make for a small fee.

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

SENIOR BRIDGE GROUP: Area seniors are invited to play bridge

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

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 Tom Lahiff at 348-6019 (evenings). Visitors are welcome.

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

NORTHVILLE CITY COUNCIL: The Northville City Council meets at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall, 215 W. Main.

#### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5

NYA ADVISORY COUNCIL: The Northville Youth Assistance Advisory Council meets at 8:30 a.m. in Northville High School.

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. For more information call the center at 349-0203 or Karl Peters at 349-4140.

NORTHVILLE ROTARY: The Northville Rotary Club meets at noon in the Boll Fellowship Hall at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville. 200 E. Main.

COUNTRY GARDEN CLUB: The Country Garden Club of Northville will hold its luncheon meeting at Trattoria Bruschetta in the Hotel Baronette at Twelve Oaks Mall. The meeting will convene at 12 noon and lunch will be served at 12:30 p.m. Members are invited to participate in the \$5 gift exchange. For further information call 305-8920.

MIDWEST RADIO CONTROL SOCIETY: The Midwest Radio Control Society meets from 7 to 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's home building, 438 S. Main.

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

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

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6

KIWANIS EARLY BIRDS: The Kiwanis Club of Northville-Early Birds

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today and Wednesday from 12:15-3:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, 215 W. 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 the 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, 215 Cady in the Scout Building.

CIVIL AIR PATROL: Civil Air Patrol, Mustang Cadet Squadron, meets at 7 p.m. at the Northville VFW Post 4012, 438 S. Main.

Everyone over the age of 13 is encouraged to view the activities.

TOUGH LOVE: Tough Love, a parent support group, meets from 7:30-9:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main. Parents share their experiences and offer suggestions and support.

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

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

### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7

TOPS: Take Off Founds Sensibly for all ages meets at 9 a.m. at the Northville Area Senior Citizens Center, 215 W. Cady. For more information call 344-9205.

NEW LIFE BIBLE STUDY: A neighborhood nondenominational 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 is provided. Newcomers are welcome any time.

For more information call Sybil at 349-0006 or Judy at 348-1761.

Western Townships Utilities Authority Board of Commissioners Study Session Synopsis 12:00 p.m., Monday, October 30, 1995	•
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Meeting called to order at 12.00 p m Present Thomas Yack, Karen Baja, Kathleen Keen McCarthy

The topics discussed were WTUA mission statement, value statement and goal-

The meeting adjourned at 1 30 p.m.

THOMAS YACK: Chairman

This is a synopsis. A complete copy of the minutes may be reviewed at the WTUA offices 40905 Joy Rd , Canton MI 45187 But in Animar 1 per

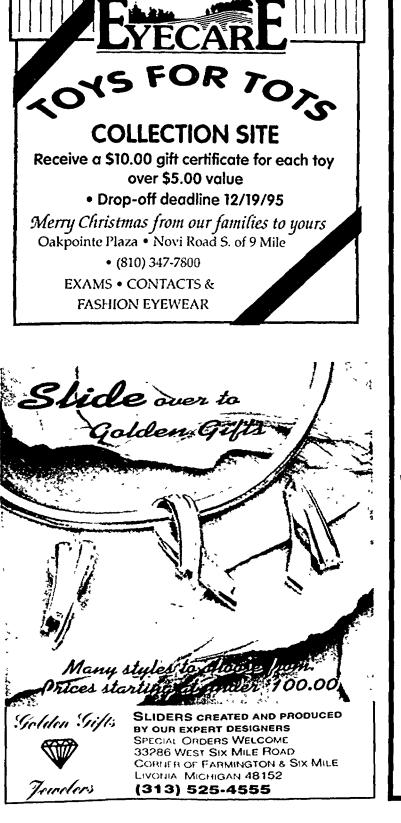




"Year In Review" Trivia Contest

Prize Package #1

"A Day of Pampering" courtesy of Gina Agosta salon, coffee mugs, t-shirts & cookies from Borders Books & Music, Silk Flower arrangement from Dinser's Flowers & Greenhouse, <sup>3</sup>50 Gift Certificate from Art Source in Northville



	Prize Package #2	Lunch for two with Soupy Sales at Genitti's, 2- <sup>5</sup> 10 Gift Certificates at Santino's, 6 games of bowling at Novi Bowl, Free new patient consultation at Chiropractic First Health
	Prize Package #3	52" ceiling fan courtesy of Reid Lighting, <sup>3</sup> 25 Gift Certificate from Brickscape Gardens, Wooden "Welcome" plaque from Country Nook
	you so	If you can remember these news stories from 1995, ore 5 points for each correct answer, total points available 115. Entry deadline is 5 p.m. December 14, 1995.
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]		audia Schmitt (C) Josh White, Jr. (D) Earl Scruggs (E) Lou Berryman (F) Nine Inch Nails? (15) Highest point total will be awarded package #1. 2nd highest total will be awarded package #2. 3rd highest point total will receive package #3. Ties will be broken by random drawing - duplicate prizes will not be awarded. Limit one winning entry household HomeTown Newspapers employees/families are not eigible to win prizes. All entries must be received at our office by S p m. December 14, 1995. Novi News/Northmile Record, 104 W. Main St., Northwile, MI 48167

### For those in need

Seventh and eighth graders at Meads Mill Middle School are involved in a Giving Thanks project that got under way Nov. 20. Students Caroline Streppa, 14, and Angela Trapnell, 13, display some of the functional and fun items collected for the effort. The project is coordinated by Wolverine Human Services which helps children in need. The Meads project is directed at boys and girls ages 5 to 15 who need toys and winter clothing. Food is also accepted to go into food baskets for the children. The items are placed in a tree in the seventh and eighth grade centrum And can be seen there through Wednesday, Dec. 13.

Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL



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Eatery pleads guilty to noise charge

### By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Guilty as charged. That was the outcome last week of Northville Township's charge against Wooly Bully's for noise level violations.

Township police in September received a complaint from a township woman about the popular Seven Mile eatery's weekly classic lodged, pled guilty to the charge

car "cruises," held each Wednesday from April through October. She and township officers said the cruises have violated township noise ordinances on at least two occasions.

On Nov. 21 H R.R. Concepts, the parent company of Wooly Bully's and the firm against which the misdemeanor complaint was

before 35th District Court Judge John MacDonald. The jurist ordered the firm to pay a \$100 fine and will take the matter under advisement for one year. If no further problems are encountered the case will be expunged from court records.

A maximum fine of \$500 could have been imposed.

that the cruises had infringed on three sections of the township's noise abatement ordinance, which prohibits any activity "which shall be so loud, noisy, boisterous or offensive in nature as to endanger the safety, health comfort or repose of the public."

The ordinance specifically cites noise from automobiles, loud the situation and decide if a per-The misdemeanor charge said speakers and gatherings, which manent permit is in order.

police allege have created problems on occasion at Wooly Bully's in the past. Last month the township Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) granted a temporary permit for the cruises, which have been going on since 1993, to take place in April and May of next year.

After that the board will review



Are term limits an effective way to keep politicians from becoming puppets of special interests? Should politicians accept gifts from lobbyists? How can campaign financing laws be changed to make elections more democratic and honest?

These controversial questions and more will be debated at "Ethics and Government," a district wide public forum sponsored by U.S. Congresswoman Lynn Rivers on Saturday, Dec. 2, from



12 30 p m -2 30 p m. at the Balley Recreation Center in Westland.

Congresswoman Rivers, D-Ann Arbor, will be joined by representatives from the League of Women Voters, from the citizens watch dog group Common Cause, and others

to discuss campaign finance reform, congressional ethics, term limits, and government and lobbying reform. Rivers will discuss her own experiences and conduct as a legislator and take questions from the audience.

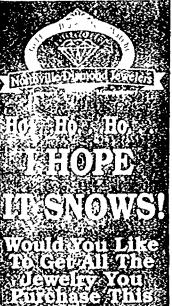
The event is free and open to all constituents and members of the press from the 13th district, which includes Northville Township and the Wayne County portion of Northville.

The Bailey Recreation Center is

located at 36651 Ford Road in Westland, behind Westland City Hall.

For further information, call Rivers' district offices in Wayne (313) 722-1411 or Ann Arbor (313) 741-4210.

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his morning she was in surgery. Tonight, she's back home with her family. Later this week she'll return to work. And to think that just a few years ago, this same procedure would have meant many days in the hospital and weeks of recovery. Not a "family reunion" the same day. New techniques like laser and laparoscopic

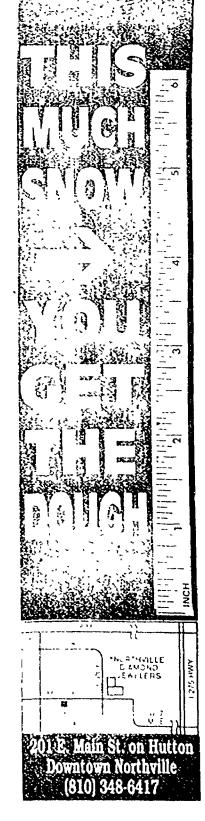
surgery are revolutionizing gallbladder and appendix removal, laser prostatectomy, gynecological procedures and more. The result is less pain and faster recuperation for the patient.

Surgeons at St. Mary Hospital have taken the lead in offering these breakthroughs to our patients. They know how important it is to have the strengths and staffing of a full-service hospital available, should special needs arise. And they understand that the sooner a family member can return home and to work, the better it is for that family's economic and emotional health.

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### **Police News** Man flees flasher in park

A Northville man told police on Sunday afternoon that a man exposed himself in Hines Park. then chased the resident as he ran from him.

Police were unable to locate the suspect, described as a white male about 50 years of age who stands six feet one inches tall and weighs about 190 pounds. He has short gray hair, a muscular build and was wearing a gray shirt and gray or black pants at the time of the incident.

The Northville man, 22, said he was walking through the park north of Six Mile when the suspect appeared, lowered his pants and asked the man to perform a sex act. The man turned and ran and said that the suspect followed, running after him until the man reached Seven Mile.

Officers searched the area but were unable to locate the individual.

DRUNK DRIVING EXTREME: Northville Township police arrested a 41-year-old Detroit woman for drunk driving on Nov. 22. The woman, whose blood alcohol level was allegedly three times what the law allows, was pulled over with her two children in the backseat.

The reporting officer said he saw the woman's 1974 Buick LaSabre doing 20 miles an hour on Six Mile near Haggerty that evening, frequently driving completely off the road.

A breathalyzer test later put her blood alcohol level at .31 percent. he said.

The woman was held until she sobered up and released to face a court hearing today (Nov. 30). The children were released to their

MESS AT HOME: A Weatherfield Drive family's home took a turn for the worst Nov. 18 as a group of teens allegedly trashed the place and stole a variety of items from it.

Police said a family member invited eight teens, all boys ages 16-19 who live in Ferndale, over that evening. The homeowners returned to find money, jewelry, CDs and other items missing. Present, however, were holes in the walls made by arrows, cigarette burns in the carpet, a fire extinguisher sprayed in one room and other damage.

Township officers said they helped to mediate a resolution. getting the teens to return most of the property and pay for the damages.

**CREDIT RIPOFF:** A Dunrovin Road homeowner spent the summer as an unknowing victim of credit card fraud, township police said this week.

The man, 46, reported that from June through October someone made numerous charges on his credit accounts with three major companies and opened up accounts in his name with at least three more. A total of \$8,000-\$10,000 in fraudulent charges is involved. Police are investigating.

SELF-SERVE: A thief helped himself to a Dearborn Heights man's car one week ago. The man, 18, told township police that he left his car running at the Meijer gas station while he went into pay for fuel he'd just pumped. When he came out, it was roaring away down westbound Eight Mile.

The car was found in Livonia the

next day (Nov. 24). A 32-year-old man is charged with the crime. **RUNNING MEN:** Northville

Police responded to a report of two shoplifters at Running Fit, 141 W. Main Street, Nov. 21.

According to the police report, a store employee noticed two young white males enter the store and begin looking at running shoes. The employee had to answer the phone, and when he was finished with the call, noticed that the two men had left. Upon further investigation the employee found that a pair of Nike Airmax shoes had been stolen.

Police have no leads on the suspects. The estimated amount of the shoes is \$135.

#### MORE DRUNK DRINKING: A 32-year-old Flat Rock man. apparently had trouble negotiating his lane when he passed a Northville Police officer, Nov. 22.

The officer noticed the man's driving problem, and watched as the man began driving left of the center line on Center Street.

The man was stopped as he reached Sheldon Road and the officer asked him to perform a series of field sobriety tests. A Preliminary Breath Test of the man registered .13 percent, causing him to be arrested immediately and transported to the Northville Police Station.

A second breath test registered .13 percent as well.

The man was booked and held on \$100 bond.

If you have any information about these incidents please call Northville City police at 349-1234 or Northville Township police at 349-9400.

### Red kettle volunteers out in force

The bells are ringing.

On Nov. 23 Lieutenant Randall Vanlandingham, commander of the Salvation Army Corps Center in Plymouth, together with staff, community officials and volunteers held the "kettle kick-off" ceremony in front of the Army's community center, 9451 S. Main Street in Plymouth.

After Christmas carols sung by the West Middle School eighth grade chorus and greetings from community officials, Plymouth Mayor Ronald Loiselle and advisory board member Dan Herriman lighted the Christmas tree.

Lieutenant Vanlandingham unveiled the giant thermometer which will mark progress toward this year's \$120,000 goal.

Following more carols, the group moved inside for warming refreshments.

The kettle-collected money is used to provide needy families in the area with food, clothing, toys

A giant thermometer will mark progress toward this year's \$120,000 goal.

and gifts at Christmas time and emergency needs throughout the year.

Hundreds of volunteers from more than 50 organizations from the communities of Northville, Plymouth and Canton will participate in the campaign, but more helpers are needed.

To help out, contact Martha Schultz at Plymouth Salvation Army, (810) 453-5464. In Northville, Bill Davis is in

charge of arrangements for the kettle drive campaign.

Bellringers will be stationed at the Northville Post Office, Shopping Center Market and the Target store on Haggerty Road.

Volunteer beliringers represent the following Northville organizations: Northville city administration, city fire department, city police, First Presbyterian Church, First United Methodist Church, Our Lady of Victory Church. Chamber of Commerce, Kiwanis (original), Kiwanis (Early Bird), Northville Historical Society, Mothers' Club (life members), Northville Co-op Preschool, Single Place (Presbyterian church). The Northville Record, American Legion, senior citizens, First Church of the Nazarene. Northville High School National Honor Society.

In addition, the following individuals have volunteered: Tad Evans family, Betty Hopkins, Ken Martek, Scott Slekovich, Mitch Deeb, and Jim Frogner.



The annual Goodfellows fund-raising is set for Saturday, Dec. 9, throughout Northville.

### **Goodfellows** prepare to sell special edition newspapers

#### By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Northville will have the chance to help its own next weekend. courtesy of some friendly neighborhood civic-minded folks. The annual Goodfellows news-

paper drive takes place Saturday. 9. Volunteers from Dec. Northville's police and fire departments, as well as the Rotary Club, will brave the cold and (maybe) snow at Intersections all over town that day to sell special editions of The Northville Record.

The cost per issue: whatever you want to give - and organizers hope it's a lot, because every last dime goes to a good cause.

who don't even have the basic necessities," said Richard Slating, who is co-chairing this year's sale with Northville City Manager Gary Word. "We can help them out. That's why we hope people will help us out."

The middleman between your donations and those in need is Northville Civic Concern, which is

providing help like food and cloth-ing to more than 40 families right here in the community. Slating said the Goodfellows backers want to raise \$7,000 for Civic Concern.

"It all goes to the people who need it, 100 percent," he added. This is all volunteer - no administration or overhead costs."

This year's goal is up from last year's take of about \$6,300, Slating said, because, unfortunately, business is snowballing for Civic Concern and other organizations which lend a helping hand to those who've hit tough times.

The drive will be held from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p m. on Dec. 9 and any donation is appreciated. Rotarians, police officers and fire-fighters will be stationed at street intersections all over Northville, including:

· Five Mile and Sheldon roads. Six Mile and Beck Road as well as Six and Sheldon, Northville and

Haggerty roads. · Seven Mile and Beck, as well

as Seven and Northville and Haggerty.

### GOODFELLOWS PAPER SALE

- What: Northville Goodfellows newspaper drive
- When: Saturday, Dec. 9,
- from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Where: Intersections all over town.
- Why: Organizers hope to raise \$7,000 for Northville Civic Concern, an organization which provides help to Northville families in need.

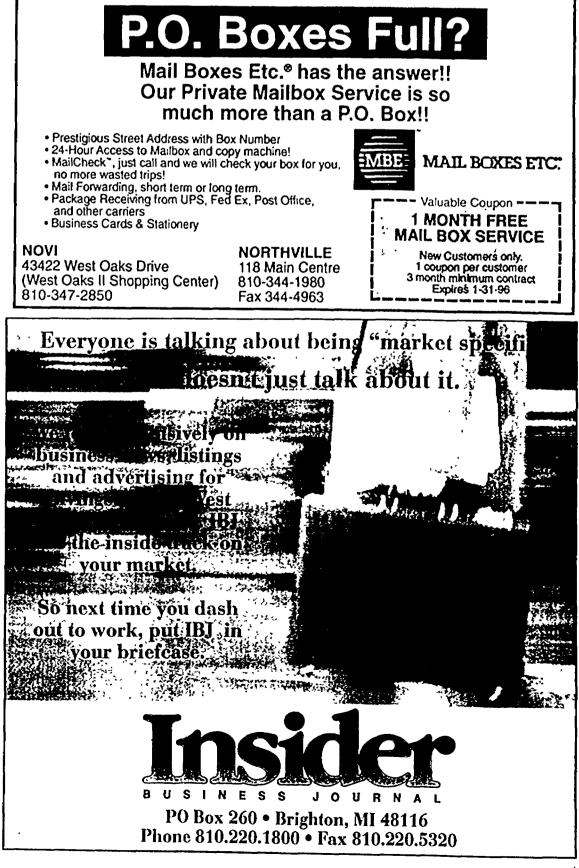
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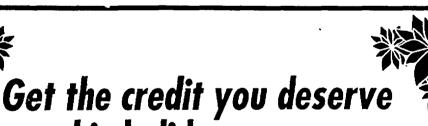
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### **Mill Race Matters**

This week community residents will join the Northville Mother's Club for their annual holiday celebration. This year's celebration takes place at Mill Race Village. Four buildings - Cady Inn, New School Church, Hunter House, and Yerkes House - will be open to those who have made advanced reservations.

On Friday, Dec. 15, members of the Northville Historical Society will hold their annual Christmas party in the Cady Inn. Other community groups will be holding holiday events at the Village as well.

As the year comes to an end the Archives Committee wishes to share portions of its annual report with the community. During the late 1980s while the Historical Society office was still located at Cottage House, a committee of interested volunteers formed to work on assembling community archives. That group consisted of Cathy Payne, Gloria Collins, Ray Collins, Al Smitley and Diane Rockall.

That first group surveyed potential materials as they existed. Materials consisted primarily of photographs, boxes of paper products, and books scattered throughout the Village buildings. A simple scrapbook system was set up to organize and classify photographs.

Books were assessed and relocated. Many were sold through John King Used Books to purchase supplies for the growing archive. Paper documents were inventoried and placed in boxes and scrapbooks.

Once the Cady Inn was completed most materials were relocated to that site. Some large volumes remain in the church basement while books continue to be displayed in the School, Hunter, and Yerkes. Also during the late 1980s the Historical Society cooperated with

Also during the late 1980s the Historical Society cooperated with the Northville Public Library on the Northville Oral History Project. Over 100 community residents participated in the interviews. Sally Henriksen has been working on their transcription and editing. Two scout projects assisted in the transcription procedure.

An index to the photographs has been completed and entered online. Mary Montgomery also completed a thorough inventory of the archival papers which has yet to be entered in the database. She has also worked on organizing the book collection for simplified access.

Books located in the Archives collection pertain to the Northville community and its surrounding environs. Also available are periodicals and books on museum and archive operation as well as items of value to genealogists. Books on the Victorian era and restoration have been stored at Hunter.

Since the Archives creation over seven years ago the organization has received donations and continues to do so. These materials are added as they arrive.

During 1992 Central Michigan University Clarke Library contracted to film original archival material. That first batch of filming has been completed. Thirteen recls of film holding material available in the Community Archives now exist. Duplicates of this film can be obtained through Clarke Library. This makes all of our original material more accessible to a wider audience.

The archives purchased a microfilm reader/printer and obtained a used computer for archival use. Both machines enhance the capacity to reconfigure and process information about this community.

Currently the Archives staff handles about two research queries each week in addition to those who come from the Quarterly writers and active members.

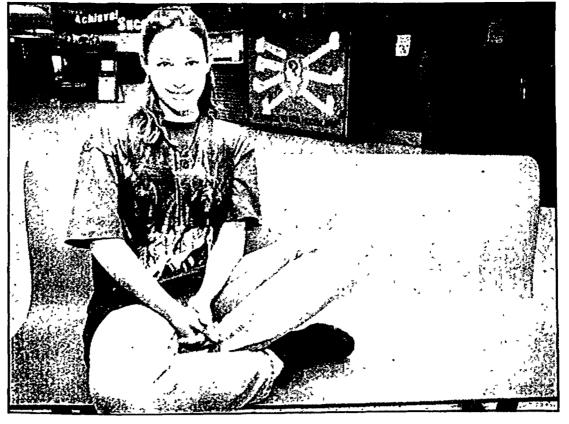
Plans for future work include: completion of a clothing inventory and storage program, data input into the computer database, scanning of some records and photographs into the database, an inventory of the Historical Society records in existence, completion of the Oral History transcription and editing, inventory of Society holdings, and possible publication of materials not previously published.

Participants in the Archive activity over the past year include: Mary Montgomery, Cathy Payne, Julie Fountain, Sally Henriksen, Lois Winters, Pat Allen, Bob Russell, and Diane Rockall.

- Diane M. Rockall

#### CALENDAR

Saturday, Dec. 2 Mother's Club Party	Yerkes, Hunter, Cady, Church
Tuesday, Dec. 5	
Wednesday, Dec. 6	-
Archives Committee	Cady, 9-11 a.m.



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Meads Mill Middle School student Angie Banks won a regional writing contest for her essay.

### Meads author wins honor in 'Wellness' writing contest

A Meads Mill Middle School student was selected as one of 10 winners of the "Take a Player to school" essay contest.

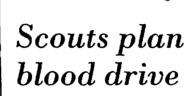
Angle Banks, an eighth grade student and Northville resident, received the honor Nov. 20. For her selection Meads Mill will receive \$500 from the contest's sponsor The Wellness Plan.

The selection also means that Angie, along with the other nine winners, will be attending the Detroit Lions home football game against Jacksonville, and could be selected as one of two grand prize winners during the halftime celebration.

If that happens, Meads Mili will receive an additional \$1,000 and will host a special assembly consisting of a presentation by Detroit Lions football players Tracey Scroggins and Robert Porcher, along with TV2 eyewitness news anchor Huel Perkins.

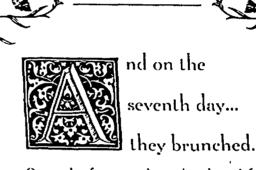
Angle's essay was entitled 'Reaching Out Touches the Soul,' and talks about how others view her as a special education student, and her desire to be compassionate to others who are less fortunate than herself.

The theme of the essay contest was "What I Can Do Now to Make My World a Better Place," and was open to all middle school students in southeast Michigan.



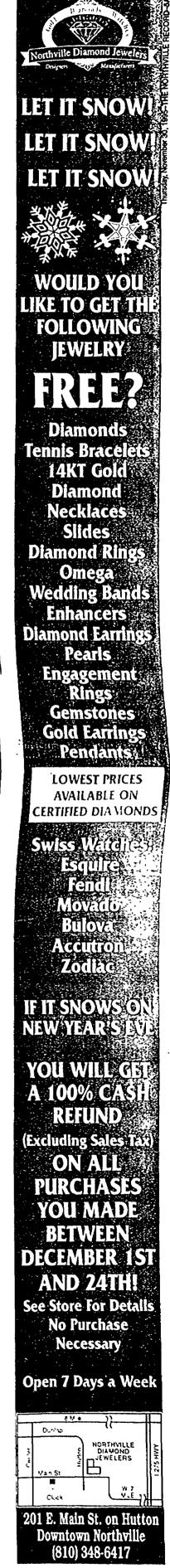
Northville area Girl Scouts will hold a blood drive on Saturday. Dec. 2, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main.

Call Debby Piet for an appointment at 348-6382. Walk-ins also welcome.



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### Green sale

The Northville-Novi Colts Junior Football league is back in the Christmas accessory business. The Colts are selling evergreens of all types trees, wreaths and roping - to benefit the privately-funded league. Their stand is located at Cady and Main. The lot is open from 6-9 p.m. week nights and 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. The sale will continue through Dec. 22. Right, Varsity Colt cheerleaders Kristin Freeman (left) and Kate Sekerka strain to set a tree upright. The Colts provide football and cheerleading opportunities for boys and girls ages 9-14.



### Scouts offer holiday poinsettias in variety of colors

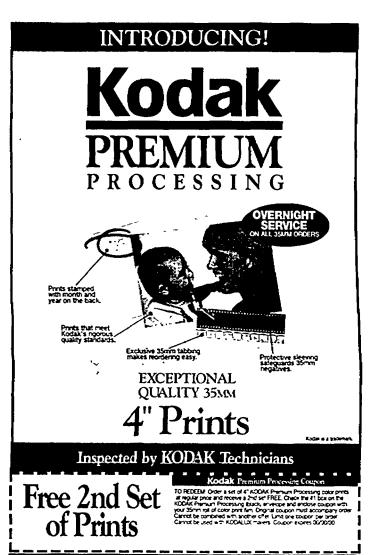
the holidays as angels and evergreens. To help people get into the spirit of the season Girl Scout

Flowers are as much a part of Troop 122 is holding its annual pink or white and sell for \$8. poinsettia sale for the fourth consecutive year.

They can be purchased at the following Northville businesses: The flowers are available in red, Black's Hardware, Great Harvest through the holiday season.

Bread Company, Good Time Party Store, Gardenviews and the Wagon Wheel Saloon. The sale continues

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### Annual arts, crafts ; show set

The Handcrafters organization, will be sponsoring its 14th annual Christmas arts and crafts show on Dec. 8, 9, and 10, at the Northville Recreation Center, 303 W. Main. Over 70 juried artisans will dis-

play their talents with such works as florals, stained glass, wood items, clothing and holiday items. Show hours are Friday, Dec. 8, 2 9 a.m.-9 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 9, 9

a.m.-5 p.m.; and Sunday, Dec. 10, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

No baby strollers please. Lunch. will be available. Admission is \$2. Local artists include Roberta Baraszu, cross-stitched ornaments; Judy Moore, calligraphy; Mary Tobe, children's clothing; Susan Halthcock, seasonal wood items, angels; Judy Berlinski, per-sonalized figurines; and Lori Markiewicz, baskets.

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### **Poet to read literary work**

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Poet Rishikavi Raghudas will offer readings from his book, The Lotus and the Dawn: A Pilgrimage Into the Light, Tuesday, Dec. 12, at the American Legion Hall, 100 Dunlap at Center.

In addition to reading selections from his volume, Raghudas will also autograph copies of his book from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Admission is \$3.50 and refresh-

ments will be served. Raghudas, a 1972 graduate of Northville High School where he was known as Robbie Clarke, became a devotee of Eastern mysticism and had his name legally changed.

He has received many honors for his inspirational and uplifting verse, including the Detroit City Council's prestigious Award of

Recognition.

Lever y years

In addition to his activities as an author, he is also a columnist and script writer.

The Lotus and the Dawn is described as an epic poem on peace and hope.

The book, available at Bookstall on the Main in Northville, is illu-minated with drawings by artist Howard Weingarden.

### Host families sought for exchange student

Families are being sought to host a young high school senior. She arrived in August and is currently attending Northville High School.

Her name is Eniko Visky, she is 17 and comes from Budapest. Hungary. Her interests include volleyball, reading, dancing and travel.

The Rotary Youth Exchange Program is designed to provide a high school age youth from another country the experience of living in the home of a local family and attending school as a senior. The

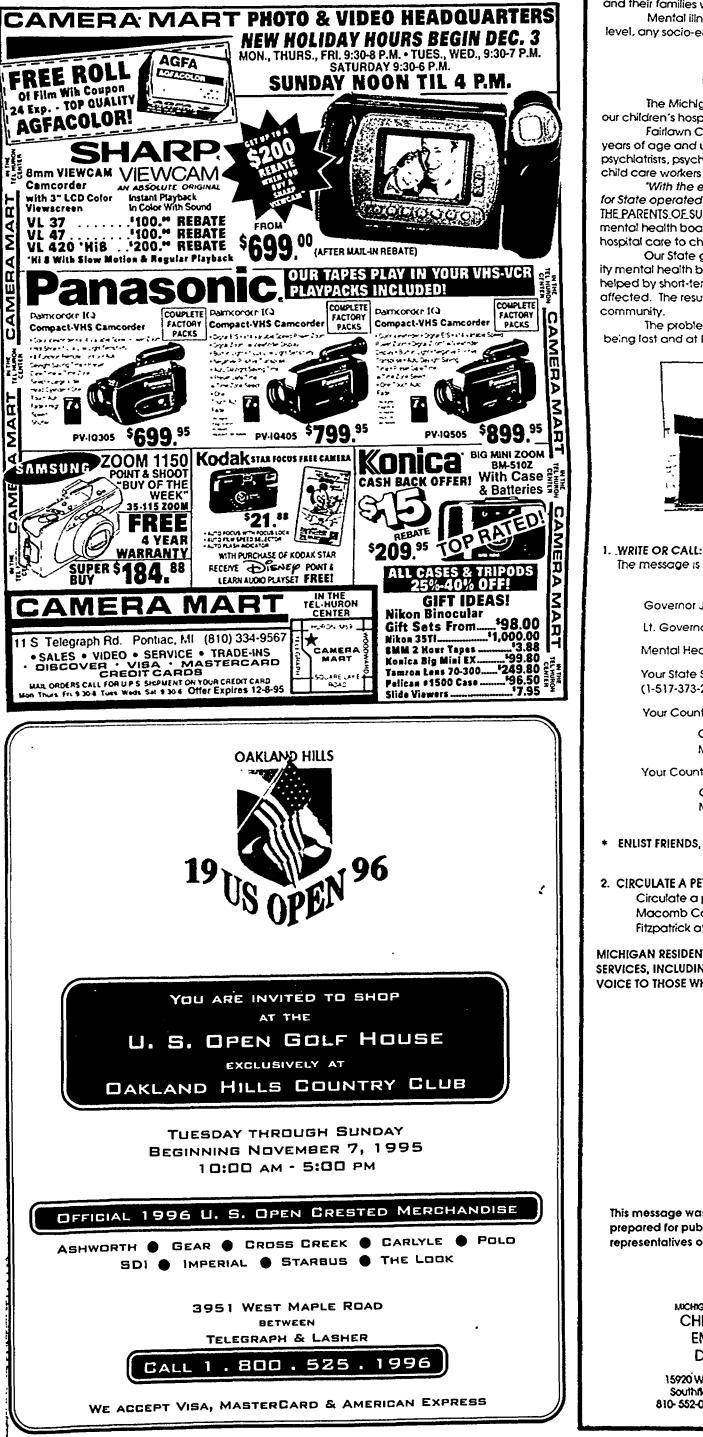
student's goals are to experience the cultural differences of his or her host country, adapt to family life in the manner in which each family lives and continue the effort Rotary is making to spread peace and worldwide understanding. The host family is responsible

for providing meals and lodging and a nurturing atmosphere.

The Rotary Club provides the youth with a monthly allowance, a club chairman and counselor. The student is responsible for personal expenses such as clothing, entertainment, etc. The host family should regard the student as a member of the family with appropriate duties and privileges.

It is expected that the student will live with two to four different families (in the same school district) for a three to four month time period in each home. The Rotary Youth Exchange Committee will assist the host family to make the experience an enriching adventure for both family and student.

Contact Northville Rotary Youth Exchange Chairperson Mary Gyorke at (810) 348-2920 or (313) 453-8416 for further information.



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### **Children with serious Emotional Disorders** need your help



#### THE CHILDREN

Susie, age 13, needs hospital care at Fairlawn Center, the public psychiatric hospital for children in Oakland County. Despite repeated recommendations from her doctors, the Oakland County Community Mental Health system refuses to authorize her hospitalization. John is 16 and in a private hospital for the fourth time this year.

His parents and his doctors have repeatedly asked that he be transferred to Fairlawn Center. The Macomb County Community Mental Health Board refuses to authorize his hospitalization.

Bobby, 12, is an inpatient at Fairlawn Center. He has been in the hospital for the past six weeks. Two more months of inpatient treatment are necessary. The Oakland County Community Mental Health Services Board insists that he be discharged immediately.

Marianne is 14 and has been in two different psychiatric hospitals for short stays since June. Her doctors recommend hospitalization at Fairlawn Center. The Macomb County Community Mental Health Services Board says no.

These children are real children with severe emotional disorders who are being neglected by Michigan's mental health system. They represent hundreds of other children and their families whose pleas for help are going unanswered.

Mental illness in children strikes any time, any age, any nationality, any intellectual level, any socio-economic class

#### THE PROBLEM

MICHIGAN'S MENTAL HEALTH SYSTEM FOR CHILDREN IS IN CHAOS

The Michlgan Department of Mental Health is continuing a misguided policy of closing our children's hospitals

Fairlawn Center, a specialized psychiatric hospital for children and adolescents 17 years of age and under, is being dismantied. Fairlawn Center has a highly trained staff of child psychlatrists, psychologists, social workers, special education teachers, psychiatric nurses and child care workers which we must not lose.

With the expansion of treatment programs in the community, there is just less of a need for State operated hospitals\*, says Scott Walker, spokesman for the Department of Mental Health. THE PARENTS OF SUSIE, JOHN, BOBBY, AND MARIANNE KNOW THAT THIS IS NOT TRUE. Community mental health boards, acting as gate-keepers, and in concert with State policy, are denying hospital care to children in desperate need

Our State government is shifting responsibility for children at serious risk to local community mental health boards. But their programs are overburdened with children too disturbed to be helped by short-term hospital stays and outpatient treatment. Even our schools are adversely affected. The result increased juvenile court cases involving youngsters unable to cope in the community

The problem is NOT MONEY. The problem is expert psychiatric care for our children is being lost and at HIGHER COST to taxpayers



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# **Officials think** e-mail threats will blow over

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the conflict to end.

'I'm going to drop this whole thing," she said in the message. "(Name withheld) is the victim in this whole situation, not you. So don't expect anyone to feel sorry for you. You got what you wanted from her, now just leave all of us alone.'

"We recommended that she not respond with any more e-mail messages to the boy," Northville patrolman Glenn Stewart wrote in his report. "The girl's mother agreed."

Police said the teen was able to send the messages because, as a former student, he knew how students' e-mail accounts were set up. High school officials have changed the girl's e-mail address, along with her password to log on to the system.

According to NHS Principal Tom Johnson, who is also the systems administrator, students sending inappropriate e-mail receive some form of punishment, depending on the nature of the incident.

When we have found inappropriate e-mail we have either suspended the student or have taken the student off the e-mail system." Johnson said. "We try to handle those types of problems swiftly. We

want the kids to know that they have to act responsibly, and if they are going do that sort of thing then they will not be given the privilege of using the system."

Johnson explained that not every student has an e-mail address, but those who want one must sign a contract before being allowed to utilize the system. "We want to ensure that students have access to the vast amount of information on the Internet." he said. At the same time, we want to ensure that they are not misusing the privilege.'

Johnson said the majority of students using the computer system don't abuse it. A few students. however, have received disciplinary action for using the internet to obtain files of a sexual nature.

We discovered a computer disk with some of the most disgusting things you'd ever want to read," he said. "The student was immediately suspended.

It's frightening the things that kids can find on the Internet. Some kids are so sophisticated in using the computer it doesn't take them long to find this kind of stuff," Johnson added. "We do not have a pervasive problem here, but the potential concerns me and we try to identify the problems and take quick action to rectify them."

Oct. 27 - "As for (name with-held) and I, I'm going to send her some Polaroids too. I get my license back in three weeks, and the 300 mile road trip begins. But as for the sexual interest, I have mentioned naked twister

> ing and tying her down to the bed." Nov. 3 - "She hurt me, I'm gonna get even. I was even hinking of kicking her door in and shooting her family with a shotgun loaded with rock salt. I won't really do it, but it's a nice thought. I wish I could send her

with baby oil, but not blindfold-

ELECTRONIC STALKING?

The Northville Record obtained copies of the harassing messages sent from a former

Northville High School student.

The following are excerpts from messages sent Oct. 27-Nov. 9.

bitter e-mail." Nov. 6 - "I was told that (name withheld) and some other people were going to kick my a-. So, if any do, first they will be shot with rock salt, and then rifled slugs and buckshot.

"The point is, she crossed me. struck back. If more people want to get involved, so be it. For they shall see a hell unleashed unto them as they could never imagine.

Nov. 7 - "Pawns are on the chessboard to be sacrificed."

Nov. 9 - True, I set up those awns. Some of them were (name withheld), some were mine."

### **Facilitator has long history** of successful bond passage

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\$46 million bond issue approved by voters in September. According to Peterson \$37 million is earmarked for the construction of a new high school, and \$9 million will go to the construction of a new elementary school. Currently the district utilizes 24

portable classrooms at the high school and elementary school levels.

Peterson said Holly is growing and the boom in the auto industry is responsible for the growth. "That's why the other bond attempts failed," he said. "They came at times when the industry was slow and the economy was sluggish."

The district hired DeJong, who facilitated four community dialogues, and 400 members of the community took part in the process, Peterson explained.

"We focused on demographic trends, facility needs, and what types of technology were necessary to prepare kids for the future," he said. "From those meetings we were able to develop a community plan."

"Not everyone got what they wanted, but the plan was developed by the community."he added. The community took ownership of that plan and the end result was a positive one."

The first Northville community dialogue took place last night at the high school. District officials provided an overview of the district's planning activities followed by DeJong's presentation entitled Trends For the Year 2000 and Beyond."

The trends presentation focused on the knowledge and skills students will need to compete in a global economy, identifying demographic and economic trends and how they will impact employment opportunities for students.

Next on the district agenda finds the 50-plus member High School Futures Committee conducting the first of several educational specification meetings, Friday and Saturday. The purpose of the meetings is to have committee members study future trends and "program delivery," while at the same time discussing space requirements. options and alternatives, and cost.

The committee will utilize the reports of the district's Bond. Enhancement and Technology committees. The three committees

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earlier this year recommended the district ask voters to approve a \$50 million bond proposal to construct a new high school and convert the existing facility into a middle school. The school board in September opted to pass up a bond election, and hired DeJong to begin the consensus building proccss.

Although Northville School District officials say that it's premature to talk about any type of bond proposal. DeJong's work history suggests that once the community provides the input and develops a plan, a bond recommendation usually follows.

That's exactly how it worked in Okemos, according to Okemos Public School District Superintendent Daniel Wertz.

Before the process began, I didn't think the community would approve construction of a new high school facility, but as the consensus building process began to take hold, we learned that a majority of the community, indeed, wanted a new facility," Wertz said. "It was the community, not the school district that came to the conclusion that there was a need for the facility.

What DeJong was able to do for Okemos was to help us identify several alternatives to present to the school board," Wertz added. "He brought focus to the process."

Okemos' situation is similar to Northville's in that both communities are affluent, dedicated to excellence in education, experiencing growth in student population. and were utilizing outdated school facilities. In September, Northville school officials toured the new Okemos High School and talked with Okemos officials about the process Wertz explained.

According to Okemos resident William Ralls, who chaired the district's TOST (Taking Okemos Schools into Tomorrow) committee, the consensus building process was extremely helpful and involved a broad spectrum of the community.

There were recommendations that didn't please everyone, but at least anyone who took an active part in the process could respect the fact that every idea and opinion was given equal merit and was thoroughly discussed by the community," Ralls explained.

There were members of our community that had different viewpoints on which direction we needed to go, but we were not a divisive community. Okemos has always had high expectations when it comes to public education."

The committee delivered several recommendations to the school board, according to Ralls.

There was one recommendation that we build a new high school facility and transform the old high school into a middle school," he said. "Another recommendation was not to build a new high school facility but instead upgrade the current facility.

The third choice was to just provide renovations to the existing high school facility," he added.

The Okemos school board opted to go for a \$50 million bond vote to build a new high school, and retrofit the old high school into a middle school.

The bond issue passed easily in une of 1991.

Both facilities are in operation, Wertz said.

Ralls maintains that the district spent its money wisely in hiring DeJong.

"He did an excellent job as a facilitator. He was always helpful and his educational background provided an excellent source of information," Ralls stated.

'He was adept at helping us identify problems, and in discussing those problems, helped us find answers

The most important point is that you have to allow everyone to state their opinions and concerns. and you have to let people know that their ideas will be considered on an equal basis with others " he added.



Beware of anti-drug dealers on became suspicious. The resident said a "scruffy looking" fémale came to the door and presented a list of items available for purchase at \$5 each. The scam artist was willing to accept a cash or check, promising that all proceeds would go to the high school's anti-drug abuse efforts.

The resident felt something was amiss because the female looked older than high school age. A series of questions confirmed the resident's suspicions.

There was reason to believe the solicitor had been planted in the neighborhood as part of an orga-

nized scheme.

Northville police say for-profit solicitors are supposed to register with the police department and obtain permits which they must carry with them on their rounds.

Non-profit groups don't need a permit, but usually voluntarily supply police with a list of canvassers' names.

Authorities advise all residents who see door-to-door canvassers to call police at 349-1234 for identity verification. The sooner the call is placed, the better the chances for an arrest in the event of misrepresentation.

### Anti-drug czar warns of scam in name of high school program

city streets, warns Northville High School Student Assistance Director Charlie Stilec.

According to Stilec, an apparently organized group of people is canvassing Northville neighborhoods, seeking donations for Northville High School anti-drug programs."

We're not doing anything like that," Stilec cautioned. "People should not give to anyone claiming to represent the high school."

Stilec said he learned of the scam from a woman who was approached at her house and





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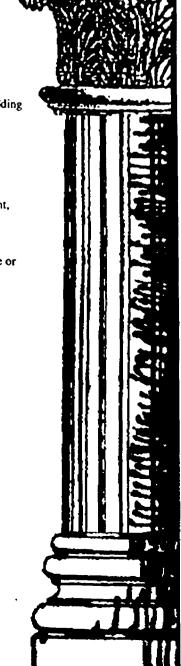
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### Winter tax bills due out

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SEV (state equalized valuation, the basis of determining your tax bill) has grown from \$550 million in 1994 to about \$588 million this year, thanks to steady growth. especially in residential development.

Township taxpayers are divided into four groups:

· Homestead property owners whose parcels are in the Northville public school district and will pay a total millage of 20.79 mills with this winter's bill.

 Homesteaders whose parcels are in the Plymouth-Canton school district and pay 20.72 mills.

 Non-homestead property owners (businesses or homes that are not the owner's primary residence) in the Northville district will pay 29.79 mills, the extra nine covering school operating expenses.

• Non-homestead property own-ers in the Plymouth-Canton district will pay 38.72 mills, being charged 18 mills for school operating expenses. Unlike Northville, Plymouth-Canton this year chose to collect all 18 mills in the winter, instead of nine in July and another nine in December.

A little over three thousand tax bills will go out to Northville city residents next week, about 1,680 In Wayne County and about 1.370 in Oakland. That figure doesn't change much from year to year. unlike the township, because the city is "built out." or fully devel-

oped. The community's total SEV increased slightly over last year, up to about \$220 million from the 1994 mark of about \$208 million. The increase results from improvements to existing business, commercial and residential properties as well as a few lot splits which have created new home sites.

As in the township, city residents are placed into four groups: · Homesteading property owners in Wayne County, who will pay a

total of 14.92 mills with this bill. Non-homestead property owners in Wayne County, who pay the additional nine mills for Northville

### WHERE YOUR MONEY GOES

Northville property owners will soon receive their winter tax bills in the mail. You can pay yours without penalty before Feb. 14. Here's a breakdown of what you're paying:

SHARED MILLAGES Everyone will pay the following mills: C 3.0 for the state education tax. 0.22 for the Huron-Clinton Metro Authority parks system. 1.0 for Northville District Library operating expenses. 0.40 for library debt.

NORTHVILLE CITY/WAYNE COUNTY

Owners will pay these additional mills: G 6.73 for county operating expenses. 2.15 for Northville Pubic Schools debt. 0.95 for the county jail. 0.47 for county drain maintenance. TOTAL MILLS: G With homestead exemption: 14.92.

Without homestead exemption (nine additional mills levied for school operating costs): 23.92.

#### NORTHVILLE CITY/OAKLAND COUNTY

Owners will pay the same additional mills that Wayne County residents do except for the levy for their county's operating expenses: a figure of 4.72. Oakland County residents do not pay the Wayne County jail millage.

TOTAL MILLS: With homestead:11.97.

C Without homestead: 20.97.

### NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP/NORTHVILLE SCHOOLS

Owners will pay the same additional mills that Northville City's Wayne County residents do as well as the following: 2.0 for the county's RECSA special education program.

3.84 to fund the township's police and fire departments.

CI 0.40 mills to fund Northville Youth Assistance, Senior Alliance and Parks & Rec.

CI 0.08 mills for dirt road maintenance.

TOTAL MILLS:

C) With homestead: 20.79.

C Without homestead: 29.79.

#### NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP/PLYMOUTH-CANTON SCHOOLS Owners will pay the same additional mills that Northville City's

Wayne County residents and Northville Township's Northville schools residents do with two exceptions. The Plymouth-Canton district's debt millage is 2.08 mills and its non-homestead property owners pay a school operating levy of 18 mills.

TOTAL MILLS:

C With homestead: 20.72.

C Without homestead: 38.72.

schools operating expenses. Their grand total, 23.9226 mills.

· Those in Oakland County with homestead properties will pay 11.97 mills, chiefly due to a lower millage for county operations than

residents in Wayne County are charged.

· Non-homestead Oakland property owners will pay 20.97 mills. which includes the nine extra mills.

# Heart transplant patient lauds life-saver program

Two squeezes meant the organ.

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But somehow the patient missed

the signal and, with a tube run-ning down his throat, couldn't

communicate his predicament to

the doctor. Fully six hours passed

before the surgeon realized there

was a problem and put the

patient's mind at rest. The opera-

Ironically, the vital organ that saved Dr. Romanik's life came

tion had been a success.

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be installed.

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manent intravenous device with a remote medicine box last January. A defibrillator was also implant-

ed to prevent recurrences of arrhythmia. The non-stop flow of medication

helped provide new strength, but time remained an enemy. That is, until the telephone rang early in the morning on Oct. 25.

"It was the Henry Ford Hospital transplant team. They told me they had a heart for me," he said. "After a very emotional episode

with (wife) Carol, we got in the car and drove down there. At first I was grateful, but then there's panic because you know you might be going to meet death. I could hear the helicopter fly in (with the organ)."

Dr. Romanik said his stay at Henry Ford in Detroit lasted seven days and was not without its anxlous moments.

Before going into surgery, patient and doctor agreed on a signal arrangement for use after the operation. Knowing he would be unable to talk or ask questions during post-op. Dr. Romanik told the surgeon to squeeze his toes three times if the heart was a com-

### **Library Lines**

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GIVE-A-BOOK: In celebration of the giving season, the Northville District Library is holding its annual Give-a-Book program. Participants bring the gift of books to people of all ages who are clients of Civic Concern. To participate, visit the library any-time through Dec. 20. Phone (810) 349-3020 for additional information.

SEASONAL SAMPLINGS: Here is a taste of some of the titles to help children celebrate the season.

Holiday JE - Kimmel, Eric. Hershel and the Hanukkah Goblins. This story relates how Hershel outwits the goblins that haunt the old synagogue and prevent the village people from celebrating Hanukkah.

Holiday J Fiction - McCully, Helen. The Christmas Pony. A memory of a Nova Scotian Christmas for all ages

Holiday J 398.268 - Pinkney, Andrea Davis. Seven Candles for Kwanzaa. The words tell of the story of the celebration of the "first fruits of the harvest" as the beautiful illustrations tell of a family sharing in the festive tradition.

nightly news last week.

While he doesn't relish the attention, Dr. Romanik has decided to use the opportunity to promote the organ donation program.

"We've got to get some donors out of this," he said. "If you and I talk for eight minutes someone's going to die for lack of a kidney."

The Transplantation Society of Michigan, popularly known as the Gift of Life Agency, is based in Ann Arbor and is the official organ recovery network for the state. According to agency literature, organ donation may be accomplished by filling out a uniform donor card or by placing a sticker on the back of a driver license indicating one's intentions.

The only other step - and it is a crucial one - is the notification of next-of-kin. In the event of unexpected death, the next-of-kin is contacted and asked to sign a donation consent form.

More than 1,000 people in Michigan are currently awaiting transplants. In addition to the heart, the kidneys, liver, lungs, pancreas, corneas, skin and bone are all transplantable.

For more information, contact the Gift of Life Agency at (800) 482-4881.

Holiday J 745.594 - Ross, Kathy. Crafts for Kwanzaa. Fun and easy crafts to help celebrate this festival of first fruits.

Holiday JE - Schotter, Roni. Hanukkahl Join in the excitement of preparing for a happy Hanukkah! This colorful picture book includes the story of this festival of Light and Dedication along with some definitions of Hanukkah words.

Holiday JE - Soto, Gary. Too Many Tamales. Christmas Eve started out to be perfect as Maria and her mother made Tamales for Christmas.

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES:** The next meeting of the Library Board will be held Thursday, Dec. 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the Northville City Council Chambers.

LIBRARY HOURS: Regular hours of the Northville District Library are Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sunday, 1-5 p.m.

The library will be closed on Tuesday, Dec. 12, for a staff in-service day. In addition, the library will close at 6 p.m. on Dec. 19.



DENVER CHICAGO ATLANTA MEMPHIS OUT THEY

from another physician, a 37-yearold west Michigan doctor who died of a brain aneurysm. Guarantees of confidentiality prohibit the disclosure of specific information about organ donors,

but more can be learned if the recipient decides to pursue it. Dr. Romanik said he intends to write to the state's organ procurement agency, the Transplantation Society of Michigan, in an attempt to

contact the family of the donor. The unusual circumstances of his transplant have propelled Dr. Romanik into the spotlight. A Detroit television crew taped scenes of Thanksgiving dinner at the family's Northville Township home for broadcast during the

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### Obituaries



**Evelyn Vargo** 

#### **EVELYN R. VARGO**

Evelyn R. Vargo of Westland, formerly of Northville, died Wednesday Nov. 22, 1995, at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit. She was 70.

Mrs. Vargo was born in Revere, Pa., Sept. 1, 1925, to Ephraim and Jessie (Ramsey) Richter. She married William Vargo in 1945, going on to live as an Army wife in places such as Japan, Germany, Virginia, Texas and Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Vargo lived in Detroit with her family following her husband's retirement from the military in 1959. In 1970 the family moved into a home on the former Maybury Sanatorium compound in Northville Township, living there briefly before Maybury reopened as a state park. In 1972 the Vargos moved to Linden

Street in Northville. Mrs. Vargo remained at that address until 1990, at which time she went to live at the Holliday Park Cooperative in Westland.

William Vargo was an employee of the city of Detroit and served as an official at the Detroit House of Correction, now Western Wayne Correctional Facility. He died in 1980.

Mrs. Vargo was active politically and in community affairs, particularly those per-taining to schools. She worked as a volunteer with the Northville Senior Citizens, overseeing weekly transportation for shopping outings and to garden plots for seniors.

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Mrs. Vargo loved music and literature and enjoyed travel, making several trips to Europe and the western United States. She is survived by five children, Anne

(Keith) Mannisto of Northville; Dana (Eric) Szanti of Garden City; Mark of Seattle. Wash.; Elaine of St. Paul, Minn.; and Amy (Robert) Buttery of Boise, Idaho. Other survivors include sisters Lois

Precella of Westland and Patricia Roberts of Pennsylvania; brothers Robert Richter of Dearborn Heights and Larry Richter of

Livonia; and eight grandchildren. Her oldest son, Michael, died in December 1993.

A funeral service was held Saturday, Nov. 25, with the Reverend Thomas Beagan of First United Methodist Church of Northville presiding. Burial took place at Rural Hill Cemetery in Northville.

The family would appreciate memorial contributions to the Salvation Army or the American Lung Association.

#### **DR. MORRIS D. KLOPFENSTEIN**

Dr. Morris D. Klopfenstein died Nov. 24, 1995, at Bay Shores Nursing Home in Bay City, Mich., at age 84. He was born in Toledo, Ohio, on Oct. 22, 1911.

Dr. Klopfenstein retired as a medical doctor and spent most of his career at the Maybury TB Sanatorium in Northville Township.

He is survived by his wife, Nellie; son, Lee D. and his friend Pam Marshall, both of Bay City; daughter, Carol (Walt) Carlson of Howell; four grandchildren; Mark and Kathy Klopfenstein of Midland: Susan Klopfenstein of Lansing, their mother; Melinda Klopfenstein of Saginaw; Wally and Eric Carlson, both of Howell; one great grandson. Nathan; one sister, Edith Williams and sister-in-law, Ruth Klopfenstein, both of Toledo, Ohio.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Sarah and Frank; brother, Rees; three sisters, Oma, Margaret Jean and Martha.

A service was held on Monday, Nov. 27, at the Gephart Funeral Home in Bay City. with the Rev. Carter Preston officiating.

#### **MARJORIE H. COOLMAN**

Marjorie H. Coolman of Northville died Nov. 19, 1995, at Presbyterian Village, Redford Township. She was 87. Mrs. Coolman was born in Warren, Pa., on Feb. 20, 1908, to Edward and Dorothea (Keller) Horan.

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She lived most of her life in Northville and graduated from Northville High School in 1926. She was employed as a secretary for the Northville school system.

Her memberships included the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, life member of D.A.R., and life membership in the Northville Women's Club. She was also active in Northville Town Hall.

Surviving Mrs. Coolman are her son, Richard (Jean) and daughter, Rebecca Muller, both of Northville; and four grandchildren, Michael Coolman, Lorie Coolman Boshoven, Stephen Muller, and Marjorie Muller.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert, in 1969.

A service was held on Monday, Nov. 27, at Casterline Funeral Home with Rev. Eldon Beery, First Presbyterian Church of Northville, officiating.

Interment took place at Rural Hill Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be given to the Presbyterian Village of Redford, 17383 Grayfield, Redford, MI 48240.

#### **CLARA T. BARNES**

Clara T. Barnes, age 89, died at Sinai Hospital in Detroit on Nov. 14, 1995. She was a homemaker and resided in the metropolitan area all her life.

Surviving her is her niece, Dorothy Pascaretti of Rochester Hills.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Gabriel, in 1994.

Visitation was held at the Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home on Thursday. Nov. 16. A funeral Mass was conducted at St. Gerard's Church on Friday, Nov. 17, with Fr. Donald Archambault officiating. Interment was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield.

Arrangements were made by Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home, Northville.

#### LEWIS S. DIEM

Lewis S. Diem of Milford, formerly of the Northville/Novi area, died Nov. 12, 1995, at Camelot Hall Convalescent Center in Livonia. He was 69. Mr. Diem was born on July 8, 1926, in Plymouth, Mich., to Lewis S. and Luella Rebecca (Tatton) Diem.

Before retirement he was a railroad switchman. A lifelong resident of the area, Mr. Diem graduated from Northville High

School and was a member of the Novi Baptist Church.

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Surviving are his daughters. Glenda Paison of Milford and Debble Little of South Lyon; sons, Dennis of North Pole, Alaska, and Douglas, also of Alaska; and six grandchildren.

A service was held on Tuesday, Nov. 14. at Casterline Funeral Home, Northville, with Pastor R. Dale Gross, South Hill Baptist Church in Milford, officiating.

#### **ROBERT K. THOMAS**

K. Thomas of the Robert Northville/Farmington Hills area, died Nov. 16, 1995, at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. He was 73. Mr. Thomas was born in Highland Park on June 24, 1922, to James Curtis and Dorothy M. (Kastner) Thomas.

Mr. Thomas retired from Ford Motor Co. and was a lifelong resident of the area. He was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Northville.

His survivors include his wife, Donna (Schnute); daughters, Jennifer of Farmington Hills and Katherine (Jerry) Thomas of Arizona; sons, Jonathan R. (Catherine) of Texas and Jeffery R. of Ohio; mother, Dorothy M. Thomas of West Bloomfield; sister, Mary Jane Sturwold of South Carolina: and two grandchildren.

A service was held on Monday, Nov. 20, at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Northville with Pastors Lawrence A. Kinne and Thomas M. Lubeck officiating. Interment was at Glen Eden Memorial Park in Livonia.

Arrangements were made by Casterline Funeral Home, Northville.

The family would appreciate memorial contributions directed to St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 201 Elm. Northville, MI 48167.

#### **MARGOT P. PEARSALL**

Margot Page Pearsall, age 75, died Nov. 23, 1995, in the Dorvin Convalescent Center in Livonia. She was a resident of Northville at the time of her death.

Miss Pearsall was born in Bay City. Mich., on Feb. 21, 1920, to Dr. Harry and Gertrude (Wolfe) Pearsall.

Miss Pearsall retired in 1977 as the assistant director of the Detroit Historical Museum.

She was a charter member of the Detroit Historical Society Guild.

She was a distinguished historian of

the Detroit Historical Society and In 1966, she was one of 10 women honored as Woman of the Year.

Her memberships also included the Detroit Institute of Arts, the League of Catholic Women, the Monica Build and the American Red Cross.

Surviving Miss Pearsall are three sisters, Alice Pearsall of Bay City, Sr. Winnifred Pearsall of Philadelphia, Pa., and Kathryn (Robert) Redford of Northville; brother, Harry (Irene) of North Carolina; and many nieces, nephews, grand nieces and grand nephews.

A rosary was recited on Monday evening. A funeral Mass was held on Tuesday, Nov. 28, at St. Colette Catholic Church in Livonia.

Interment was at St. Patrick's Cemetery, Bay City, the following day.

Arrangements were made by Northrop-Sassaman Funeral home in Northville.

Memorial contributions to the Detroit Historical Society or Mass offerings would be appreciated.

#### WILLIAM W. MCKEEL

William Waters McKeel, age 90, died Nov. 26, 1995, in Bradenton, Fla. He was born on June 9, 1905, in Murray, Ky., to William H. and Eula W. (Waters) McKeel.

Mr. McKeel graduated from Murray State University.

He was employed at Western Electric Co. in Plymouth, Mich., for over 40 years as a supervisor, retiring in the 1960s. Mr. McKeel was a member of the Manitee Methodist church in Florida, and a lifetime member of the Northville Masonic Temple.

Survivors include his wife, Lois (McCormick) of Bradenton, Fla.; daughter, Ann Lois (Pratt) McKeel of Milan; brother, Mason of Bradenton, Fla.; sister, Mary Smith of Fort Myers, Fla.; grandson, Chuck (Lisa) Pratt; and two great grand-sons, Greg and Michael Pratt, all of Ypsilanti.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, Trellis, Gaston, and Reason; and one sister, Goldia Curd.

A Masonic Memorial Service was conducted on Tuesday.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday, Nov. 29, at Peoples Presbyterian Church in Milan with the Rev. Reinhold Krauss officiating. Interment took place at Marble Park Cemetery, Milan.

Arrangements were made by Ochalek-Stark Funeral Service in Milan, Mich.

### Library's give-a-book program under way

Give the gift of reading through the Northville District Library's Give-a-Book program. Visit the library and select the name of a the interests of your adopted readdeserving reader from the snow

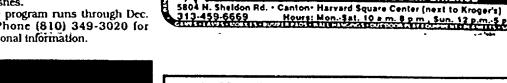
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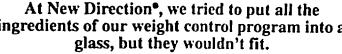
desk. Purchase a book which matches er and return it to the library by

Monetary donations towards books will also be accepted. Checks (no cash) may be written to the Northville District Library

and we will purchase books to fulfill wishes. The program runs through Dec.

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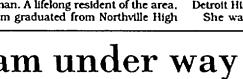


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### **'Aglow'** donations come in at fast clip

The Mothers' Club of Northville is pleased with the response they have received for their newest fund-raising project. Donations for "All Aglow" have been arriving steadily.

The club is decorating the evergreen tree in front of the bandshell in downtown Northville. The lights are dedicated by donors in honor or in memory of a loved one. friend, teacher, coach, etc.

All of the proceeds from the effort, as well as the other projects that the Mothers' Club handles, go directly back to Northville public schools. The Mothers' Club purchases equipment and enhance-

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ment materials for each of the buildings, elementary through high school.

Mothers' Club life members use their budget for scholarships. Many people don't realize that there are two distinct groups actively raising funds for different purposes. Life members have elected to host an open house at Mill Race, Saturday, Dec. 2.

It's not too late to purchase a light. If dedications are received by Dec. 8 they will get printed in The Northville Record. The names of the honorees will also appear in a display case near the Mothers' Club tree.

### Pass the nutmeg and the stress pills

OK, so I'm a Grinch! It's now official. We're into that part of the year I hate the most, that glorious 30 day span of stress and spitefulness we so affectionately term "the Holiday Season.

It starts with Thanksgiving, and for 37 years I've been trying to figure what exactly I should be thankful for - with the exception of a pretty decent life, of course.

Other than that, I'm a bit confused as to why I should be happy about the high anxiety that centers around this particular time of the year.

You can see it on people's faces. On Friday, when I trudged into work, I asked my coworkers if they had a happy Thanksgiving. The response was the same. "I ate too much," they replied, each one giving me that same dour expression. Not one of them looked the least bit thankful.

I felt the same way.

As a matter of fact, I can guarantee that my girlfriend's mother - and probably just about every mother in this country – is still stressed about Thanksgiving. I spent most of the day watching her scurry from one place to the next, preparing dinner, preparing the veggie tray, making sure everyone had a drink. Watching her frantic activity made me tired.

I'm thinking she was most thankful when the last guest left the house and she could go straight to bed.

And of course the day after Thanksgiving sure was a day to be thankful for. The roads were snarled with traffic, the malls were snarled with traffic, and, heck, even my favorite restaurant hangout (Joseph's Coney Island), was snarled with - you guessed it traffic.

Which brings me to my next point - blatant rudeness.

It happens magically on an annual basis. the day after Thanksgiving, between the early morning hours of midnight and 6 a.m., when the "rudeness fairy" sprinkles each and every one of us with "insensitivity and selfishness" dust. This mystical potion lasts for approximately 30 days and causes people to become quickly irritated, overly obnoxious, and downright dangerous.

When this phenomenon occurs, people no longer hold the door open for you. They glare at you when you cast a friendly "hello" in their direction and don't even think about battling for a parking space at the local shopping mall.

A great example of this was when I was trying to enjoy a cup of coffee at Joseph's on Friday. The place was packed and five women



carrying shopping bags entered the restaurant.

The only table available was in the smoking section, and as the group passed by I heard one of the women say to one of the waitresses, It's OK, we'll sit there, we don't mind."

Yet not more than five minutes later, the same woman began engineering a move to another booth that had just become available. With the table not yet cleared - because the people had just left - the woman said in a loud, obnoxious voice, 'Could you hurry up and clear this table, we'd like to get going with our meal."

The waitress, who was trying to take an order at another table, tried to be accommodating. "I'll be right there," she said.

That wasn't good enough.

The woman began to complain, and every word out of her mouth got me madder, and madder, and madder. Pretty soon, I wanted to take one of those plates and shove it in her mouth. Fortunately, I refrained from that action. It is against the law after all.

I guess the point I'm trying to make is why do we go through the increased stress, anxiety, and unpleasantness every year? More importantly, why do we treat each other as when we're supposed to be feeling "joyful?" Ah, hypocrisy. We're all guilty of it.

NOW THAT I'VE TOTALLY RUINED the beginning of your season, I'll try to make it up to you with some great holiday news.

Not included in our shopping trip are any blue light specials," nor will you hear the words "40 percent off for this day only."

We will give you a glimpse of the new year, hand out some well deserved promotions, and sell a few more newspapers - for a good cause, of course.

OK, shoppers, time to strap on the helmets, put on the elbow pads, and don those safety goggles. It's treacherous out there, and we don't want anyone to get hurt as we push around that shopping cart full of gleeful gifts

we call Talk of the Week. Hey lady, I believe I spotted that sale first!

SENIOR CLASS PARTY: Got a note from Elaine Morrow reporting that the 1996 Senior Class Party Decorations Committee will meet Dec. 6, at 7:30 p.m., in the high school cafeteria. Volunteers and anyone wanting to help with the effort are asked to attend.

The meeting will organize the group into area teams, discuss ideas for decorations, and set routine dates for the work to commence in January.

Anyone interested can contact Elaine and Gary Morrow at 420-4672, or Susie and Bill Hitchcock at 380-8040.

**GOODFELLOWS PAPER DRIVE:** The annual Northville Goodfellows Newspaper Drive is scheduled for Dec. 9. The one day special edition of The Northville Record will be sold throughout the streets of Northville for the benefit of those served by Northville Civic Concern.

The slogan of "No Child Without a Christmas' motivates the more than 100 volunteers, who spend their day raising about \$6,000 annually for needy families in Northville.

If you would like to volunteer for a two-hour shift, contact Dick Slating at 348-2220 or Gary Word at 349-1300. All family members are welcome.

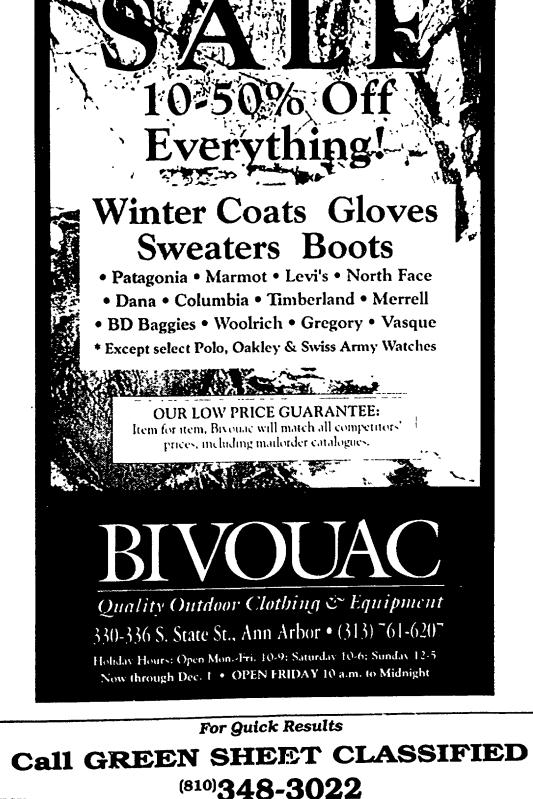
FIRE DEPARTMENT PROMOTIONS: The Northville Fire Department recently promoted two firefighters. Tom Westfall was promoted from lieutenant to the rank of assistant chief, and Tom Lenaghan was promoted to lieutenant. Both Toms are dedicated members of the department who have contributed to the community in many ways. Congratulations.

PARENT EDUCATION NIGHT: Once again the Northville Council of PTAs is sponsoring an exciting evening of workshops to help improve parenting skills. The event is scheduled for Jan. 30, the time yet to be determined. We'll keep you updated as we get additional details.

CHIEF GETS DEGREE: While we're handing out congratulations, one needs to go to Northville Police Chief Rod Cannon, who recently received his masters degree in Criminal Justice from the University of Detroit-Mercy. The chief has been attending night classes to get the degree. He deserves a pat on the back for his efforts. k



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Remember the Mainel To hell with Spain!\*

That cry echoed through America, including Northville, in 1898. propelling our nation into the Spanish-American War, one of the most popular – and least known – conflicts in U.S. history.

THAT'S ODD, really, because the war was both a cause and a sign of profound changes in America. It was part of the reason why an agricultural backwater of a country was rapidly transforming into an economic, industrial and political power to be reckoned with.

FIRST, A FEW TIDBITS: 1898 was a time of the Klondike gold rush, with tens of thousands pouring into Canada's Yukon Territory in search of the precious metal. One of them was March Norman Abbey of Novi. who returned home after a few months near the Arctic Circle. bitterly disappointed that "the great stories of gold finds proved absolutely false," The Northville Record of March 4 that year reported.

Oil was first struck in Texas in 1898. The first blow for Prohibition, a goal completed 20 years later with the passage of the 18th Amendment, came when temperance advocate Carry Nation

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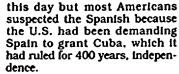
Samuel Longhorne Clemens, better known as Mark Twain, spun his incomparable classics while those lousy rotten newspapers were at the height of "yellow journalism," featuring sensation-al headlines and outright fabrications of stories.

Big business basked in the sunshine of corporate welfare as Republicans passed a series of protective tariffs on imported goods. Meanwhile, shades of Ross Perot: a populist movement was afoot and on fire in America, seeking to throw out the politicians in both parties who wanted to preserve the status quo.

William McKinley, one of four presidents in America history to be assassinated, was in the Oval Office (the fourth one, for you non-trivia buffs out there, was James Garfield). Ninety-seven years ago this week he stood ready to sign a peace treaty in Paris to end the struggle with Spain.

IT ALL BEGAN with a bang literally. On Feb. 15, 1898, the U.S.S. Maine, a battleship, sank to the bottom of the harbor in Havana, Cuba, after a pair of explosions ripped its hull open. The blasts remain a mystery to

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Among the more than 100 sailors killed was Elmer Meil-strup of West Bay City, who offered an ironic prophesy in a letter printed in The Northville

Record after the explosion. "He would not be surprised," the parents said, "If she should be blown up any day" by torpedoes placed all over Havana harbor. "Picket boats were out all night watching the Maine," he added.

An investigation into the blast sought out "signs of Spanish treachery." The Record said, noting that "it is well known that there has been a very bitter feeling among the Spaniards in Cuba against the (presence of the) Maine."

It all gave birth to a groundswell of support for war all over the fruited plain. More than 100,000 men enlisted in the armed forces. The Record helped the effort when it published a full-page section just two weeks after the sinking, explaining "how the war with Spain would be successful in a short time" through the use of naval blockades and land invasion.

The pundits were right: the European forces were smashed by August. Cuba was freed and the United States as part of the treaty signed that December picked a little real estate from Spain: Guam, Hawaii, the Philippines and Puerto Rico, to be precise.

### **Lecture focuses** on American art

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The Northville Arts Commission is sponsoring the 1996 Michael Farrell lecture series entitled "As American as Apple Pie." The series consists of three art lectures Jan.

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11, Feb. 15 and March 21, 1996. The Jan. 11 lecture is entitled "National American Art," featuring woodland Indian objects of rituals and everyday use that establishes these works of art as the first exponents of the American genius.

The Feb. 15 lecture will feature the Wild West experience; the enduring legend of the American West; how artists captured the vision in paint and in print form from the 19th to 20th centuries.

The final lecture on March 21 will feature the American architecture of Frank Lloyd Wright, the most individual designer of public and domestic architecture in our history.

Michael Farrell is associate professor of art history at the University of Windsor, adjunct curator at the Detroit Institute of Art, and instructor at the Art House of Detroit. His captivating style and knowledge have made him a recognized art authority. Only season tickets are available

in advance of the season and are \$24 per series (\$8.50 at the door). All lectures take place in the Northville High School Forum at 774 N. Center Street in Northville at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets may be obtained by call-

### LightFest offers great seasonal show

Wayne County LightFest, the Midwest's longest drive-through Holiday light show, is ready for its third season. New displays donated by corporate sponsors will add to the excitement and are sure to thrill visitors of all ages.

Winding along four miles of Hines Drive in the Middle Rouge Parkway. Wayne County LightFest

attracted nearly 300,000 visitors last year. An even bigger turnout is expected as the event increases with the addition of three new displays

Wayne County LightFest is open nightly Nov. 13 to Jan. 1, 1996. (closed Dec. 25) from 7-10 p.m. Traffic will enter Hines Drive at Merriman Road in Westland (about

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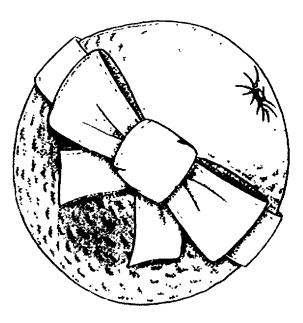
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### **'Toys for Tots' program** offers chance for true giving

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### By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Here's a brainteaser in keeping with the season: of all the toys you got as a child on all those Christmas mornings past, which one was your favorite? You know, that gift that meant so much to you that you can still see it in your head today?

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Was it a doll? A train set? Or as in the case of one Northville Record reporter - a never-fear. never-fail genuine leather Little League Spalding baseball glove with the reinforced stitching and extra-deep well?

Remember the feeling as you tore off the wrapping and saw it. felt it, knew it was yours? Well, you can give that gift - that joy - to a child right here who really needs it this Christmas.

In a way, this story really began in 1947 with a Marine colonel named Bill Hendricks. He'd met a needy child in Los Angeles and wanted to make sure the boy had a toy for Christmas. He found many agencies and organizations that provided food, clothing and other staples but no one was specifically set up to distribute toys to poor kids.

That changed when Hendricks founded Toys for Tots. In the half-

century since his organization, backed by tens of millions of caring donors, has provided Christmas toys to an estimated 100 million children.

The effort continues in 1995 right here with the Novi/Northville Coalition for Toys for Tots. The group kicked off its annual drive last weekend and is looking for your support.

Lots of folks could use a little help this Christmas, more than most people know," program cochair Rebecca Yarbrough said.

We tend to look at this community like it's not "needy." In reality we just hide them well but it's there and this is our way of being able to stretch a hand out to our neighbors.

"For a lot of kids this will be the only toy they get."

Yarbrough, part of Northville American Legion Post 147, chairs the Coalition with Ed Sytsma of Novi Post 19.

Toys for Tots aims to collect 100,000 toys in the southeast Michigan area this holiday season. Novi/Northville's goal is 5,000 and they're already 20 percent there, Yarbrough said.

If you want to help them get the rest of the way, you've got several options. The best, most personal

way is to buy a new, unwrapped toy and bring it to one of the businesses or civic groups in Novi and Northville who are collecting items for Toys for Tots.

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Remember, please don't wrap the gifts because volunteers need to sort toys by age and sex.

The final collection day in this area is Friday, Dec. 15, Dec. 21 for all of southeastern Michigan.

The toys collected in Novi and Northville will be distributed to those in need both here and in nearby communities including Livonia, Plymouth, Wixom, New Hudson, South Lyon, Milford, White Lake, Highland, Farmington and Farmington Hills. To date. Yarbrough noted, the Coalition has already received more than 600 requests for toys.

A variation several businesses are trying this year are holding inhouse Christmas parties where employees, instead of giving gifts to each other, donate toys to the program.

Another way to take part in the effort is through giving cash donations.

Toys for Tots very much prefers toys to money, Yarbrough said, but if you want to donate dollars, here are three ways to do it:

• You can join the Coalition's

Novi/Northville Coalition, to 24048

deposit directly into Toys for Tots'

the Coalition, however. There's one on Seven Mile Road in Northville and on Novi Road in Novi.

If you have any questions or want to help out in the sorting, call Yarbrough at 477-6449.

### NOTICE --- CITY OF NOVI **REQUEST FOR BIDS DIESEL ROTARY MOWER**

The City of Novi will receive sealed bids for a DIESEL ROTARY MOWER according to the specifications of the City of Novi. Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. prevailing eastern time, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1995, at which time proposals will be opened and read. Bids shall

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The City reserves the right to accept any or all alternative proposals and award the contract to other than the lowest bidder, to waive any irregularities or informatives or both, to reject any or all proposals; and in general to make the award of the contract in any manner deemed by the City, in its sole discretion, to be in the best interest of the City of Novi.

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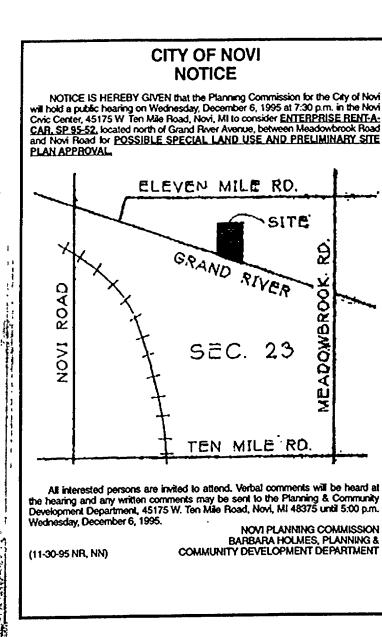
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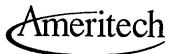
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# **OCC** sets sights on new chief

### By TIM RICHARD Staff Writer

What's in a chancellor?

Besides having an earned doctorate, the next chief executive of Oakland Community College must have experience as a president or senior administrator in a multicampus district.

The CEO must be able to work with the board of trustees, business leaders, labor unions, legislators (especially those who write the budget) and diverse sectors of the campus community.

Oh, and the CEO must believe in shared governance and affirmative action – particularly at a col-lege where 57 percent of the 30,000 students are women. Those were the qualities OCC was looking for in 1991, and most of them will be on the list this year as a new chief to replace Dr. Patsy

Calkins is sought. In a memo to 750 college employees, interim Chancellor Anthony Jarson asked, "Help us finalize a new profile that meets our need today by forwarding your suggestions for change to my office

"A search committee will be formed that represents a broad spectrum of our college community to assist the board of trustees in selecting a new chancellor."

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The chancellor is chief executive

of the five-campus, two-year col-

lege with a nearly \$100 million

budget. Some trustees dislike the

title because it smacks of Hitler's

title in Germany's Third Reich. There may be a change to chief

executive officer (CEO), as in many

The board of trustees, contend-

ing that Calkins failed to consult

them on such matters as contracts

and personnel changes, is likely to

amend the profile - in reality, if

selecting a new chancellor."

#### Interim Chancelor

-Anthony Jarson

not on paper - to pick someone who will be more attentive to the seven folks who faced the voters.

And since voters opted to nearly double the property tax rate, OCC has \$25 million more a year for renovations and new equipment. So the new CEO will probably need to know something about dealing with design, facilities and contractors. Trustees clearly want periodic reports about how the capital is being spent.

problem at Oakland University, the University of Michigan and other units around the state, but not at OCC. Finalists have been interviewed in public sessions, as required by section 8 of the Open

Open meetings have been a

Meetings Act.

Campus interest has been intense, though the public isn't allowed to ask questions of the candidates.

Since medieval days, "college" has meant a representative assem-bly - hence the Catholic Church's College of Cardinals and the U.S.'s quadrennial Electoral College. Autocrats aren't popular at colleges. That interest is sure to continue

at OCC, where faculty representatives have a comment or report at every meeting, and where students have a non-voting advisory seat on the board.

At U-M, the faculty served the governing board stern warning that it expects the successor to James Duderstadt to come from academia, not finance or industry. So far the OCC board has set no

target date for a hiring. Typically, the search can take six months; the 1990-91 search took nine months. U-M spent 14 months on its last search before picking the man who was already No. 2 on the Ann Arbor campus.

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Western Townships Utilities Authority **Board of Commissioners Study Session Synopsis** 10:30 a.m., Thursday, November 16, 1995

Meeting called to order at 10 30 a m Present Thomas Yack, Karen Baja, Kathleen Keen-McCarthy The topics discussed were debt service allocation and excess flow The meeting adjourned at 11 50 a m.

THOMAS YACK, Chairman

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### Cable to show DIA program

Omnicom Cable has announced that it plans to televise the 11th annual Governor's Arts Awards from the Detroit Institute of Arts. The program was held on Nov. 16.

The playback date is scheduled televise a 30-minute version or Friday, Dec. 1 at 7 p.m. The nationally on Wednesday, Dec. 6, for Friday, Dec. 1 at 7 p.m. The program will be shown on WLOC-Channel 8. Bravo has also committed to

at 10 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. and again on Friday, Dec. 8, at the same times.



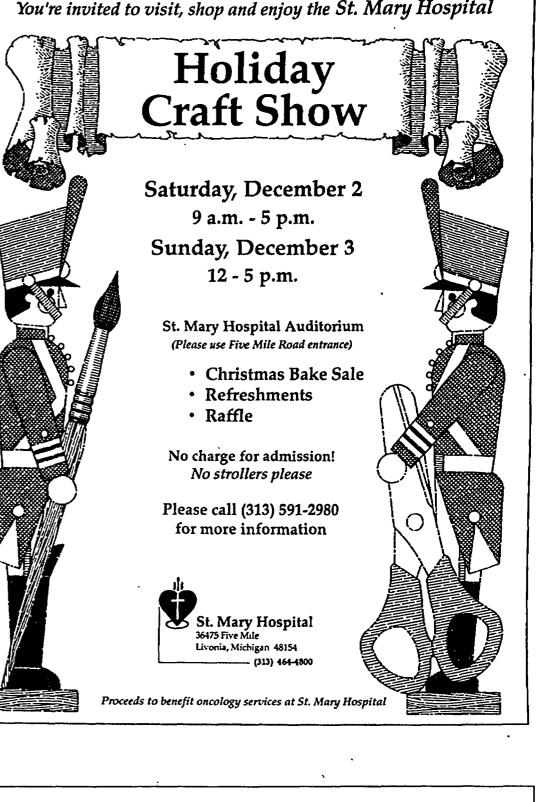
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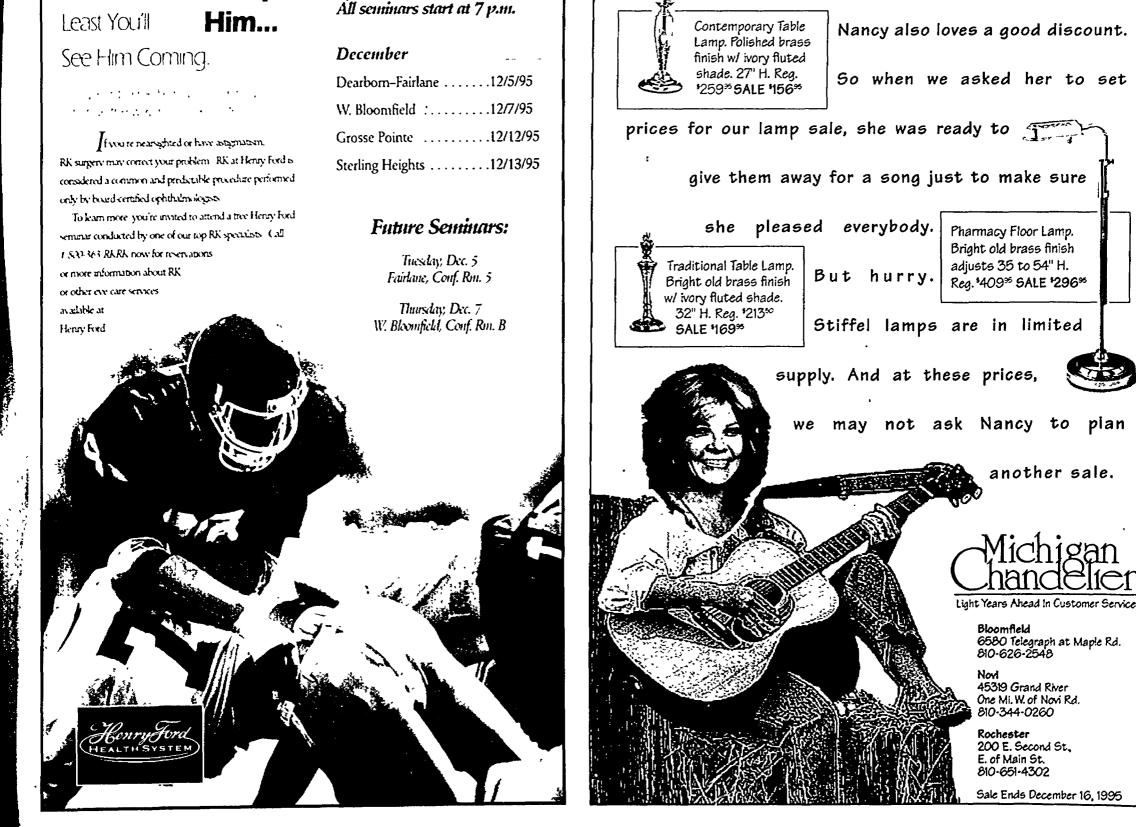
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### **Education Notes**

Now through Friday, Dec. 1, Madonna University's Learning Center is accepting applications for its winter term which will run from Monday, Jan. 22, through Thursday, April 18.

The 12-week tutorial sessions are designed for first through 12th grade students who are experiencing difficulty with reading and its related skills. Individual or group sessions, consisting of two to three students, are available.

Participants will meet once a week on whichever day is most convenient: Mondays. Tuesdays, or Wednesdays from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.; or Thursdays from 4:25 to 5:30 p.m. (The extended class time on Thursdays make up for Holy Thursday when there will be no class.) There will be no classes the week of March 4.

Prior to admission, each student will be informally assessed, and a tailored remedial plan will be designed. Instruction will include strategies for reading, process writing and study skills, and emphasis will be placed on text comprehension.

With over 42 years of providing services in reading. Madonna University's Learning Center has assisted thousands of children, from public and private schools representing some 20 different school districts.

Costs include a \$20 registration fee, a \$20 materials fee, an \$85 assessment fee, and \$168 for the group session or \$204 for the individual session.

Students who are continuing the program from the fall term do not need an assessment.

For further information, contact the Learning Center at (313) 432-5586. Madonna University is located in Livonia at 1-96 and Levan Road.

### Novi adopts tough youth alcohol laws

### Fines for possession increased

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL Staff Writer

Teenagers in the city of Novi had better start pinching their pennies If they plan to buy, consume or possess alcohol.

Changes in state law regarding minors and liquor recently passed by the Novi City Council substantially increase the amount of fines and classify the infractions as a misdemeanors instead of civil violations.

"It means kids won't be able to come in and pay a \$25 fine and not tell their parents they got a ticket for that," said Judge Brian MacKenzie of 52-1 District Court in Novi.

Before, when the penalty for a minor in possession was simply a ticket with a small fine attached. teens could easily pay the charge and be done with the incident.

But now, the teen plus alcohol

combination becomes a little more expensive. Fines for a first violation are

increased from not more than \$25 to not more than \$100.

Fines for a second offense increase from not more than \$50 to not more than \$200. And fines for a third or subse-

quent offense jump from not more than \$100 to not more than \$500. In addition, now that the penalty is a misdemeanor, teens can be charged with a crime and get fail or probation. It also stays in the

person's record as a conviction of a crime. MacKenzie is happy the new changes allow him more freedom to address the problem. Now, he and other judges can use the opportunity to assess the prob-

lems and give teens an full evalua-

tion. According to the law, police officers who have reasonable cause to believe a person under the age of 21 has consumed alcohol, can require the minor to submit to a preliminary breath test.

A result of .02 percent indicates the minor has consumed or possessed alcohol. The officer can seize the illegally possessed liquor and issue an appearance ticket to appear in court for the alleged violation.

If the minor is under the age of 18, the police must notify the the parents or legal guardian by phone, letter or in person within 48 hours of learning the minor's age.

For a first violation, judges can impose a fine of not more than \$100 and the teen may be ordered to undergo substance abuse screening and assessment at his or her own expense and perform , community service.

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Before, when the penalty for a minor in possession was simply a ticket with a small fine attached, teens could easily pay the charge. Now, the offense becomes a little more expensive.

For a second violation, besides the fines and possible screening, therapy and community service. the courts can suspend a minor's driver's license for not less than 90 days and not more than 180 days. A restricted license may be granted after 30 days.

SUE A. HILLEBRAND, CLERK

### Area man charged with Southfield killing

### By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL Staff Writer

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Southfield police arrested a former Novi man in the murder of an apartment manager on the afternoon of Nov. 21.

Leroy Williamson, was arraigned Nov. 22 in 46th District Court on charges of felony murder and first degree murder in what appears to be an armed robbery gone bad.

Police said they responded to the Woodcrest Apartments on a report of an armed robbery just in time to

observe a black male fleeing from the rental office.

Officers pursued the suspect on foot and after a lengthy chase stopped and wounded the man with gunfire.

used in the fatal stabbing, was

recovered from the man. He was arrested and taken to Providence Hospital for treatment.

The manager of the complex. Corrine Levitsky, was pronounced dead at the scene from an apparent stab wound.

Detective Reginald Phillips said the 35 year-old suspect was first A knife, believed to have been reported by the media as a Novi resident according to his driver's

license but it was later discovered he moved to Southfield within the last 90 days.

Williamson lived at the Woodcrest Apartments a year ago. moved to Novi and several months

ago moved back to Southfield, said Phillips. Phillips said a not guilty plea

was entered on Williamson's behalf and he is being held without bond.



**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE** BOARD OF TRUSTEES SPECIAL MEETING

NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE **CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE** 

The Charter Township of Northville Planning Commission has cancelled their

meeting of Tuesday, November 28, 1995, and rescheduled it for Tuesday, December

Date: Thursday, November 16, 1995

### Operation can-do

On Nov. 4 the Cub Scouts and Tiger Cubs of Pack No. 712 went door-to-door to distribute empty plastic bags for the residents of Highland Lakes, Quail Ridge and some of the houses north of Seven Mile to fill with canned acods. On Nov. 11 the boys set out to collect the bags of food residents left on their porches. Pack No. 712 collected 219 bags which were delivered to the Six Mile and Newburgh Big Boy restaurant. There was a collection truck there for all areas to drop off their collections. Big Boy/Channel 7 News sponsored the "Can-do" project to feed the hungry in southeast Michigan.



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### **OCC** union gains new labor agreement

### By TIM RICHARD Staff Writer

A pleased group of classified employees has a new three-year contract with Oakland Community College after relatively easy bargaining.

Submitted photo

The 218 employees are members of AFSCME Local 4024 and do everything except teach and serve food. They are secretaries, switchboard operators, parts crib attendants, word processors, library technicians, bookstore clerks, records keepers, bindery workers,

payroll assistants, financial aid records keepers, graphic artists and registration specialists.

The OCC board gave the pact 6-0 approval on Nov. 20 with trustee Pamala Davis, an AFSCME official, abstaining. Union members earlier

approved the pact, 151 to 13. Edward Callaghan, executive director of human resources for the two-year college, said the agreement is retroactive to July 1 and expires June 30, 1998.

Workers will get wage increases of 2 percent the first year. 3 percent the second year, 3 percent at the beginning of the third year and 2 percent in the middle of the

third year. Classified employees have five pay grades with step increases for five years.

Last year class I workers ranged from \$8.87 to \$13.43 an hour; class V from \$12.43 to \$17.87 an hour.

In other business, the OCC board approved Interim Chancellor Anthony Jarson's staffing plan adding 47 employees for a total of

Three administrators will be added for a total of 43; eight to the faculty for a total of 285; 11 to management for a total of 113: 11 to classified for a total of 229; nine to maintenance for a total of 94; two operating engineers for a total of 11; and three public safety officers for a total of 17.

Trustees praised Jarson for not dipping into contingency funds for any of the new hires - a sore point with the plan of former Chancellor Patsy Calkins.

### **Novi election**

# was wild affair

### By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL Staff Writer

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Election year 1995 was said to be one of the zaniest years in the Novi's recent history.

The arrest warrants issued for two local people close to one mayoral candidate clinches it.

A man who uses the same Novi address as recent mayoral candidate Carol Mason has been asked to turn himself in along with one of Mason's associate realtors for allegedly tearing down the opposing candidates political signs on Election Tuesday, Nov. 7, police said.

Arrest warrants have been issued for Gene Parker Brooks and Josephine Catalanotti regarding two instances of larceny under \$100. Both suspects were asked by police letter to appear at 52-1 District Court yesterday to face arraignment.

"I don't have a comment," said Mason from her office on Tuesday. She said Brooks used her address "for the purpose of the campaign."

According to police reports, on Nov. 7 at 10 a.m., off-duty police officer Scott Tewes was leaf letting for Mason at the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church at Nine Mile and Meadowbrook when he observed a gray van pull up to another van displaying political signs.

A white woman with long dark hair, identified as Catalanotti, exited the van and took the signs while the driver, a black male, alleged to be Brooks, videotaped the incident.

The pair then pulled up to the officer, without knowing he was a

police officer, and asked if he wanted a cup of coffee. The officer recognized her from earlier that morning. They had met at a gath-ering of Mason supporters, stated the report.

After a brief conversation, the woman told him she intended to steal other signs and the pair drove back over to the white van, took off additional signs and drove away.

A half an hour later, a pair with a similar description, except this time driving a Mitsubishi Mirage. showed up at the Faith Community Church on Ten Mile.

According to the police report, off-duty Novi police officer Brian Leutike was passing out leaflets, when he noticed a black male and a white woman with long dark hair drive up to a van displaying signs supporting Kathy McLallen for mayor. The woman got out of the vehicle, tore the sign down and left.

At 11 a.m., Officer Tewes met up with the couple again at Mason's business office when he went to turn in extra fliers.

According to the report. Tewes informed the woman she would be charged with larceny under \$100.

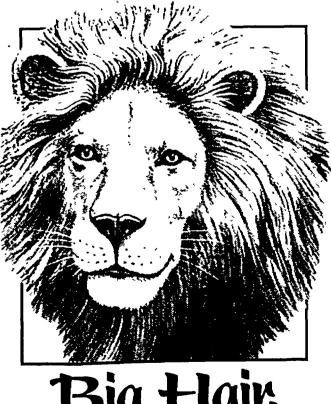
According to the report filed by Det. Ken Meier, when Catalanotti was questioned at Red Carpet Keim, Carol Mason Inc. office she replied the signs were in violation of the ordinance and she thought she could take them down.

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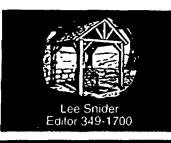
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# RECORD **OPINION**

Lee

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### **Our Opinion**

# Nastiness on 'Net warrants monitoring

It came to light this week that a for-mer Northville High School student has matter is they can't catch everyone. been sending threatening electronicmail messages to a current student at the school.

While the messages included violent suggestions and references of a sexual nature, it seems apparent that the 19year-old never meant to carry out his threats.

The police acted promptly to make sure the situation didn't get out of hand, and school officials took steps to see to it that the 15-year-old student didn't receive any additional threatening remarks.

Northville High School administrators maintain the incident is an isolated one and no further security measures will be taken to police the school's computer network system. They do admit, however, that misuse of the system is on the rise.

According to NHS Principal Tom Johnson, a few students have been disciplined for using the Internet to obtain files of a sexual nature.

"We discovered a computer disk with some of the most disgusting things you'd ever want to read," he said. "The student was immediately suspended.

"It's frightening the things kids can find on the Internet. We do not have a pervasive problem here, but the potential concerns me," Johnson added.

Although high school officials are quick to act in handing out punishments to students who abuse their

Even if they could, the effort required to check every e-mail message on the system would be enormous. It would also force the school to wrestle with another, more potentially damaging, issue - the right to privacy and freedom of speech.

That's a road the school, and the district, really don't want to travel down.

But there is a more reasonable solution to the problem. The high school could simply limit access to the Internet.

By allowing students to access only areas of the 'Net that provide education-related information, students couldn't tap into pornographic materials or the sites that provide information of a violent nature.

Would this solution smack of censorship? We believe not.

After all, schools provide computers to students to enhance their ability to learn and communicate, not to provide opportunities to indulge in perverse or violent behavior.

If parents allow that kind of activity in the home, on their own personal computers, society has no right to intervene.

It does have a right, however, to step in when that activity threatens the rights of other students. Perhaps high school officials should take the time to study different options to curb the abuse.

### If you can't use it give it away

All right all ready, I'm sold on the idea. You know how it happens that someone comes along

to trip your conscience and you're sure you'll never be able to live with yourself until you've

gone and done what you should have done before?

Well, that happened to me last week and I'm happy to say this time I heeded the inner voice. I went and served notice to my relatives that should I pass this earth with anything about me even remotely intact. medical science can lay claim to it all.

Eyes, ears, nose, arches, ball joints, nuts and bolts - anything and everything - they

get it freely and without reservation. Why not? You can take it with you after all (I'm hoping that applies to debt, too).

This latest guilt attack resulted from my interview with Dr. John Romanik, the former Maybury pediatrician who underwent heart transplant surgery last month.

I first met Dr. Romanik last June when I was researching a retrospective piece we were preparing for the 20th anniversary of Maybury State Park, the site of the old tuberculosis hospital. I went to see him in his home off Beck Road and listened to him talk about recent strides in combating infectious disease.

I was truly impressed with the depth of his learning and the quality of his mind. Yet, even as he was wonderfully responsive to my questions about 20th century medicine, he would occasionally grow tired and lower his head as if he was about to drop off to sleep.

His ticker was weak and he needed a new one badly.

Thankfully, he got one while there was still time. You might have read the story I wrote about Dr. Romanik in today's paper. He was really tolerant of me while I pumped him with prying questions and sent a photographer to invade his home for a picture of him and his wife, Carol.

Truth be known, though, he put up with the pestering for a reason - he wants to get the word out by any means possible that organ donation is a matter of life and death.

And he's absolutely right. This one's a complete nobrainer. Few things are this clear-cut. Donating just makes sense.

As near as I can tell, the only reason anyone wouldn't bother to sign on as a donor is that there's nothing in it for them. If they have nothing to lose by donating, they have nothing to gain either.

But I'm not so sure that's true.

Everytime I hear an interview with people who've lost organ donors under tragic circumstances they all say the decision to donate helped them cope with their almost unbearable grief.

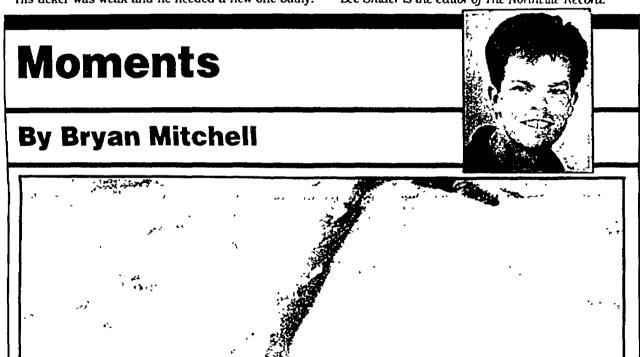
Organ donation gives meaning to what can seem a senseless loss, and that in itself makes the whole thing worthwhile.

Dr. Romanik says he's going to try to contact the family of the man who donated his heart. He wants to express his appreciation for the new future they helped give him.

My guess is that the family members will be more than happy to speak with him. In an ironic but very real way, their lives are now permanently interconnected.

Arranging to become an organ donor is simple. To register, call the Gift of Life Agency in Ann Arbor, (1-800) 482-4881.

Lee Snider is the editor of The Northville Record.



### Friends need friends to stay active, alive

We admit to being taken aback by work the Friends do, it would be more Parks and Recreation organization was considering disbanding.

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The reports, luckily, didn't hold up when we looked into them, but there are still problems. The booster commission is experiencing a lack of inter-

rumors that the Friends of Northville than a mere disappointment if the organization folded. The commission's role in support of public recreation programs is vital. Not only does the group provide funds to supplement the public dollars used to promote recreation activities, it also furnishes indis-

est, prompting officials to look into the possibility of scaling back on commission-related events.

It's not unusual for the same handful of people to do the lion's share of work for any volunteer group. But it's another matter when the number of active members is so low that there's talk of cessation.

Considering the importance of the

pensible creativity and manpower.

Fortunately, Friends' mainstays like the annual dinner/auction are still viable, as are projects to enhance Fish Hatchery and the new Beck Road Park.

But it's clear the commission is in need of additional volunteer assistance. If you're interested, call Friends' president Marv Gans at (313) 462-4413.

### Charter school concept stretched to extremes

Michigan's public schools are targets 500 charter schools will be formed. of a counter-revolution. From the mid-1980s to 1993, we reformed school finance to give non-industrial districts the same kind of per-pupil funding that the richest districts had.

We passed laws for curriculum standards, diplomas that meant something, innovations like student portfolios. We required schools to have improvement plans and to be accountable to the voters through annual reports.

The counter-revolution would repeal most of that.

But are signs that the counter-revolution, slapped together by state Senate Republicans, will be stalled in the House. There, Education Committee leaders are splitting the school code changes into bite-sized modifications. Other representatives, including Republicans and Democrats, are asking hard questions about the Trojan horse called "charter schools" that senators should have discussed.

The House Education Committee has set a Dec. 5 deadline for voting on its version of improved school quality.

As the Legislature revises, updates and pares down the school code, it is time to ask some hard questions about SB 679, the Senate's vehicle:

• Michigan has 35 charter schools, and the Senate bill will take off the lid.

But what research is there to show that charter academies actually are offering better education?

• The pro-charter literature says charter schools are supposed to be reconstituted public schools. Many aren't. It turns out that many charter schools were private schools until 1994. They're just getting state aid now. It looks more and more like the charter schools are just a devious way to get around the Michigan Constitution's ban on aid to private and parochial schools, not a market response to parents' desires for more choices in education.

 As charter schools drain off more and more of the state school aid fund, aren't we actually diluting the amount of money going to true public schools? And isn't this defeating the purpose of the voter-approved Proposal A to save school funding?

• The Senate school code bill says the school year will be lengthened by 15 days. Wonderful. Now where will the money come from? And how will we pay for longer school years when 400 or 500 charter-private schools are draining their shares?

We in Michigan have barely reequipped public schools to do their job. This is no time for our representatives to yield to the ideological hidden agen-Charter supporters estimate 400 or da of the "charter" counter-revolution.



Novi's Jamie Vandermass gives it all he's got while competing in the state swim meet.

### Sure-fire way to get into the spirit

We've cleared Thanksgiving, people, which means that's broken and it's a tricky thing to accept that fact that Christmas cheer is here in abundance. Cool!



Yes, I'm one of those types who gets insufferably happy about the holidays every year. Counting the days is still SOP for me. It's something that binds us to our pasts and our futures, a time to reflect on what's been and what's to become.

I'm lucky: all of my Christmases have been good ones. Unfortunately, not everyone's track record is so good. There are families right here - in our own community - for whom

this time of year is hard.

Some folks have to spend these special days worrying about getting enough decent food to eat. Giving the kids a toy to unwrap on Christmas morning is right out of the ballpark.

That's life, though, right? Bad things happen to good people all the time.

Yeah, but don't miss the rest of the equation. What about the fact that sometimes good people are spared bad things because of the caring of others?

You know, I could be wrong and Madison Avenue could be right but I think that's why this whole Christmas thing got started in the first place.

It's a hard thing to be a realistic idealist - or an idealistic realist - in this world. You can't fix everything

while still believing that the fight to fix what you can is a battle worth waging.

Fear not, however, because your friendly neighborhood reporter is a man with plan.

Now, this doesn't involve sprinting for the nearest phone booth to tug on a superhero costume. No, just two simple acts that I'm going to do this week. I invite you to do the same.

First on the agenda is donating food to the Salvation Army. They need non-perishables like canned goods or dried pasta and basic hygiene items such as shampoo and soap.

I take my stuff to the Army center in Plymouth, 451 Main Street just south of Ann Arbor Road. They serve several communities, including Northville. Call there at (313) 453-5464 for more information.

You Novi folks can call the Salvation Army's facility in Farmington Hills at 477-1153 for info.

Next on the hit list: Toys for Tots. You know this name, too. The toy you buy and give to the program will go to a kid who otherwise wouldn't get anything to open Christmas morning. Look for my story on this subject in today's paper to find out how you can make a donation.

Imagine a can of creamed corn or a Buzz Lightyear action figure turning into a little miracle for somebody who lives right here in my town.

Cheap at the price, don't you think?

Randy Coble is a realistic AND idealistic staff writer for The Northville Record.

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### Letters

# Where's the accuracy in coverage?

I would think that two reliable benchmarks for the evaluation of a local paper would be accuracy and consistency. Based on the coverage of the board of trustees by Mr. Jackson with regards to the CCODA issue, I would have to score The Northville Record with a "D." His latest article was filled with disingenuous and misleading statements.

Fact: The salary increases that are alluded to in this article do not take effect until Nov. 20. 1996 - the day a newly elected board of trustees will be sworn into office. The salaries of the supervisor, clerk, and treasurer as stated were voted on in 1992 by the previous administration.

Fact: "Governmental Parenting" or any "Big Government" concept is not embraced by this board of trustees. Unlike the City of Northville, which has non-partisan elections, the charter Township of Northville electors know with which political party their candidates are affiliated and one could assume which political philosophy them embrace.

Fact: The direction given to Ms. Johnson at our Nov. 9 meeting was to ask the Parks and Recreation Commission if they cared to donate funds from the dedicated mileage that the electors of this community voted on in 1994. If that is the direction that is requested, the board of trustees would approve that the \$500 come from their account as stated at the September and again at our November meetings. we will not endorse this money coming out of the general fund.

Fact: It has been stated numerous times that the schools will provide bus transportation. If one would care to examine the budget of this program, one would discern that the program is paying the school district \$1,000 for bus transportation. Could The Record please define provide?

Also, it has been reported that this program has the support of the Parks and Recreation Department - they did apply for and receive a \$5,000 mini-grant to fund this program, but they will pay themselves \$4,480 to run the program: \$1,200 for gym and meeting room rental: \$2,180 for salaries and fringes; and \$400 for grant administration.

Fact: This board of trustees has embraced a tried-and-true program to help the youth of this community, namely D.A.R.E. The school district will not permit D.A.R.E. in the elementary schools thus not allowing a grant to provide funding. We fund this program, in an amount exceed-00. (the primary expense

desired. Based on the 350 kids borhood." No one can doubt the that queued up at the Parks and Recreation Department a few Saturdays ago to pay \$80 to sign up for ski club, and that doesn't cover lift tickets (\$15-\$20 a week), ski rental (\$15/week) or spending money, one could assume that this is a community willing to finance wholesome activities for their children.

### Gini Britton Church expansion plan is obtrusive

### To the Editor:

I didn't intend to have an ongoing correspondence when I wrote my first letter objecting to the expansion of OLV in a residential neighborhood. However, after the Nov. 16 letter defending the project and the implication that I am "criticizing the church" I must respond.

This is not about the "church." It is not about morals, or family values, or freedom, or religion. It is about a building in an inappropriate location. It is about a gymnasium, a recreation center, a kitchen and classrooms. It is about a behemoth, one-thirdagain bigger than the library presently being built in town. Unobtrusive?

It is about changing the whole complexion of the neighborhood. It is about disregarding the master plan developed by the city which designates this area as residential. It is about traffic and parking and sewers and safety considerations.

I am in favor of motherhood. apple ple, trying to make better people and neighborhood churches. I just don't think the corner of Orchard Drive and Main Street is the best place, or the only place, to bring it about.

Margie A. Davis Articles tell only one side of story

#### To the Editor:

Recent editions of The Northville Record have contained articles and letters that have inaccurately portrayed the proposed Our Lady of Victory expan-sion. For example, in reading the article that appeared in the Oct. 19 edition, one gets the impres-sion that OLV has made every effort to keep the neighborhood abreast of its plans from the beginning and that it has included its neighbors in its decision making. This is not accurate.

The article suggests that OLV presented its neighbors with three proposals. Careful reading reveals that the proposals we architect and that only one artist rendering was created. This concept was the only one shown to the neighbors. Although I was not present at the September neighborhood meeting held at OLV, my neighbors, to a person, inform me that options were not presented. Rather, OLV essentially made a statement of intent, informing the neighborhood of the church's plans.

sincerity of the Father's statement, but his assessment of the situation is not shared by most of his neighbors. Petitions circulated for blocks around the church show overwhelming opposition to this expansion. It is important to emphasize that it is the expansion that neighbors are opposed to, not the current church and school.

A recent letter to the editor from William and Carl Jean Stockhausen is headlined "How can you criticize a church?" The headline suggests that every decision a church makes is correct and is therefore beyond criticism. I would submit that churches are composed of people and that people can make mistakes.

The Stockhausens state that the proposed building is not obtrusive and will be built into an existing gully. This paints the picture of a cozy little building. nestled into the trees in a small clearing in the gully on the property. This is a completely inaccurate portrayal. The proposed building will be approximately 200 feet long and almost as wide. A good comparison is the MainCenter building. It is approximately the same length. from Main Street to Cady, as the OLV proposal. Mentally place a building of this length and equivalent width within a block of your own home and decide if it meets your definition of cozy and unobtrusive. Despite the immensity of the current proposal, there is still the question of the additional properties that OLV has recently purchased or is trying to purchase. I ask again, why is OLV purchasing even more property adjacent to the proposed facility?

It is true that the current church and school were here before most of its neighbors. Following the same logic, it is also true that the neighbors were all here prior to the earliest glimmer of the concept of expansion. The opposition to this structure by neighborhood residents is vehement. Is it not important for the church to consider its neighbors and their property?

There are some who say that Northville will reap the benefits of an expanded OLV school. City residents should be aware that one only has to be a parish member, not a Northville resident, for their children to be eligible for the school. The OLV parish extends far beyond the Northville area in all directions. Further, one does not even have to physically live within the parish to be a member. The parish area large tra ່າາກ made to the church by their oped property that are much more suitable for a development of this size and usage. If the proposal goes forward as planned, however, it will be the City of Northville that will bear the entire burden of infrastructure support. Finally, Northville must consider its property tax base. Properties that are converted for church use are removed from the city tax rolls. Increasing the burden on those remaining. Our city has a tiny tax base and reduction of that base by even a few homes is a serious matter. I ask Northville residents to

consider whether they would appreciate developments of similar size in their own neighborhood. A 40,000 square foot community center might be an example. Without the appropriate protections in zoning and master plan, it is possible that a similar development could end up being your next door neighbor. Please contact your city council person and express your concerns.

Michael McClish Do schools really seek consensus?

#### To the Editor:

It is no secret that the Northville Public Schools (NPS) and I are adversaries when it comes to raising our school taxes. So imagine my surprise when I read in The Northville Record that Superintendent Rezmierski sent out hundreds of invitations to a meeting in order to bring together "all the factions," and "put everything on the table - the good and the bad." Not only did Dr. Rezmierski leave me off his list of invitees, to date he refuses to carry on a dialog with me. Unless a response is required by law, any questions I have of the NPS are just ignored and left unanswered. If this is the NPS's way of bringing the community to a consensus, it won't work.

it's apparent that the NPS is not attempting to build a consensus. Under the pretense of being independent, the NPS hired a 'facilitator' that has helped other districts in their attempts to sell bonds/millages to their respective voters. The NPS is trying to build just enough support to sell its own bond/millage.

Meetings or no meetings, 'independent" facilitator or not, the bottom line is that the NPS wants to expand and there will be a bond/millage election in 1996. Historically, it has taken little more than 10 percent of the eligible voters to pass a school millage. That is the consensus that counts. The only way to get a true consensus is to heed Dean Lenheiser's call to exceed a 50 percent voter turnout.

**Robert Bernard** 

### *Resolve* problem at rec center

#### To the Editor:

On Saturday, Nov. 11, the Northville area experienced high winds and heavy rain and sleet. Nevertheless, I accompanied my children, ages three and five, to swimming lessons at Northville of as we have done for the past three years. The lessons are provided through the Northville Parks and Recreation Department. Although we have generally had few complaints, on the above date the classes were in session the parking lot was full, and the outer doors into the building were all locked. Since the doors are particularly heavy, we initially thought they may have been stuck but pulling with yet another stranded adult was unsuccessful. Continued knocking and attempts at other doors were similarly unsuccessful. My chil-

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### **CITY OF NOVI** NOTICE OF ADOPTION **ORDINANCE NO. 95-136.01**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Novi City Council has adopted Ordinance 95-136.01, an Ordinance to amend sections 3-4 and 3-5 of the Novi Code of ordi-nances, to amend those provisions pertaining to the furnishing to or consumption by underaged persons of alcoholic liquor.

This ordinance is declared to be an emergency ordinance which is immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and shall become effective immediately upon adoption. The Ordinance was adopted on November 20, 1995. A complete copy of the Ordinance is available for public use and inspection at the office of the City Clerk. (11-30-95 NR, NN) TONNI BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK



This informative talk will focus on the stages of grief, how a person is affected by a loss, and specific coping techniques for the holidays.

being the D.A.R.E. officers salary), which is currently being utilized by the private schools in our community. In February 1996, the school

district will have the opportunity to join us in embracing a new D.A.R.E. program for the middle schools which would reach all of the children, not just those identifled as "at risk." As you have stated, Mr. Jackson, "anything for the kids."

Realizing that not all families could justify even \$1 a week for their children to attend this program, one could hazard a guess that the majority could if they so

Also in your Oct. 19 article. OLV's Father Porcarl states that there was no intent for the building to be "arrogant, overpowering, or detrimental to the neigh-

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### No end to medical system frustrations

I found myself thinking a lot about my give patients more say in how to end their father and my mother over the Thanksgiving weekend.



Phil Power

filled with bright memories of my carving father's turkey and the smell of my mother's pumpkin pie baking in the oven.

Part, however, were sad. Both my parents died, a couple of years apart, just before Thanks-

giving. They died at home, more or less at peace and with dignity. In fact, I remember vividly my father's saying to me, just a week before he passed away: "I'm not afraid to die. i've had a good life and a long life, and it's time to go.

But for most people, it's hard to die with dignity these days.

That's the disturbing message of a major study published in the Journal of the American Medical Association just before Thanksgiving. It found that after years of discussion about the right to die with dignity, nearly half of terminally ill people in America still die alone, in pain, or hooked to mechanical respirators against their wishes.

In particular, the study calls into question the effecting of Living Wills, "Do Not Resuscitate" orders and other devices intended to

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lives. Although it has been 25 years since the living will movement began, the study con-Part of my refleccludes that such safeguards against unwanted medical treatment offer virtually no protions were happy. tection.

> Nearly one-third of patients in the study, for example, did not want to be resuscitated in the event of a crisis. But less than half of their doctors knew of their preference.

Worse, a follow-up study showed that even after an intensive program to improve communications about preferences in dying, there was essentially no change in the ways patients died. "The results ... shocked me," said Dr. William Knaus, a coordinator of the study.

My parents offer a case in point. They had a fine and caring doctor, who knew and endorsed their wishes to die with dignity at home. Living will documents were drawn up and repeatedly amended to keep up with constant legislative changes. They had to be signed and posted on the refrigerator door, together with the doctor's order not to resuscitate.

But it was a constant struggle. The fear, of course, was that some nurse or ambulance technician, motivated by a compelling mixture of a wish to help and fear of a lawsuit, would insert a breathing tube or an IV. "Once that happens," the doctor warned, "I'm not entirely certain we can ever legally get them out, even though that's what they want, that's what you want, and that's what I want to do."

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Part of the problem is that doctors' and nurses, hospitals and EMS technicians are all trained to make patients well, not to counsel and comfort them as they die. Another factor is the tremendous advances in medical technology that make it possible to save patients from crises that would have killed them only a few years ago. And the pervasive infestation of medicine with fears of malpractice lawsuits cannot be overstated.

It's exactly this troubling situation that has led to such interest in physician-assisted suicide, as practiced in Michigan by Dr. Jack Kevorkian. In the mind of a person about to die, the argument has a certain elegant logic: If most people are going to die in pain and without dignity, and if the medical system and legal system, for that matter - don't respond much to the wishes of people about to die, why not find a doctor who is willing to help out?

Most physicians I talk to are appalled at Dr. Kevorkian's antics. And many want to do what they can to help their patients die with dignity in the manner and place of their choosing.

But most are frustrated at an increasingly complex medical system that has failed to adapt to the realities of the times and outraged at a legal system through which just one misstep by a doctor trying to follow the wishes of a patient can lead to a malpractice case that could ruin a career.

Phil Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His Touch-Tone voice mail number is (313) 953-2047 ext. 1880.

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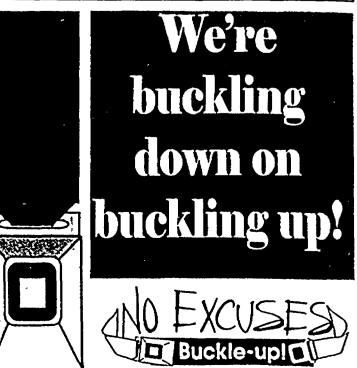
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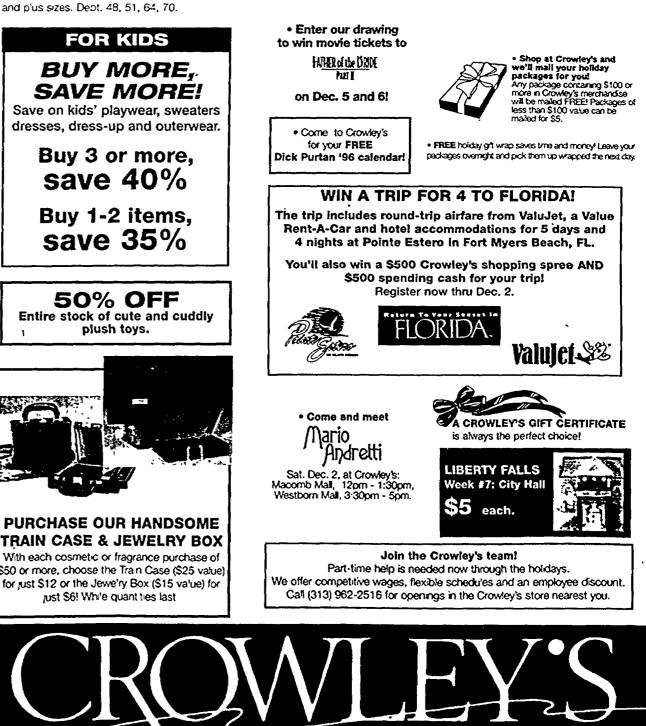
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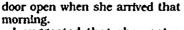
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dren asked to stay and wait to see if relief would come from inside, though none of us were prepared for a lengthy stay outdoors.

After 15 minutes outside and having missed half of one of my children's classes, we were about to leave when we noticed several people from a previous class exiting the building.

We entered, propped a nearby trash container for others that followed, and notified the instructors of the situation. The individual in charge of the lessons informed me that the door was locked but that a floor mat was used to prop the outer



I suggested that she post a note on the door indicating that the door would lock if not kept ajar.

Later, while my children completed wheat remained of their lessons, I noticed two additional families arrive and complain about being locked out after I had propped the door open. Apparently someone had

removed the trash container and the door had remained locked to those outside.

On Monday, Nov. 13, I telephoned the Northville Parks and **Recreation Department and**  relayed the incident to Nickie Ross. She informed me that the custodian is paid on an overtime basis to provide access to the high school building(s) on Saturdays when school facilities are being used.

Since we had also been locked out of the changing area on at least two previous occasions, I suggested that the custodian be furnished with a beeper or that he/she be present at the pool area to eliminate this occurring in the future.

In conclusion, I strongly urge the Parks and Recreation Department to resolve this potentially serious, but easily

overcome, problem. Imagine what could have occurred if a parent had dropped off his/her child during those conditions, simply assuming that the doors were unlocked.

### Phyllis Rose Nodler Christmas Walk was terrific

#### To the Editor:

As a resident of Northville Township for 25 years, Sunday, Nov. 19, was a most rewarding and enjoyable one.

For almost one hour myself and so many others were enter-

tained royally during the annual Christmas Walk.

Kudos to Mrs. Joyner and the Novi High School Choir for a most heartwarming and uplifting presentation of Christmas hymns and carols.

Many thanks to you all and God bless you for your generosity in sharing your glitedness with so many others.

Rosaline E. Carbott

Get on board with unity push

To the Editor: Kudos to The Northville Record's editorial and Mr. Jackson's article last week concerning City Hall involvement in the newly formed Central Business District Association.

A strong and healthy down-town is the lifeblood of any community and city manager Gary Word has taken a big step toward that end.

It amazes me that merchants and citizens could question the attempt to unify the two.

Some look out their windows and say why. To those I say Lead, follow, or get the hell out of the way!"

John Genitti



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ber through January a poor time to buy or sell a home. However, despite what the conventional wisdom says, there are some very good reasons why the holiday season might be just the right time to be in the housing market.

In fact, all you have to do is talk to a few real estate professionals and they can explain some of these benefits to you. For example, Corbin Elliott, a realtor with Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate in Northville says the holiday season can be a boon to the home buyer

Elliott says, "While it's true many people would rather not sell their homes during this period, there are still quite a few listings on our books. In many cases, these are families who are required to relocate for business reasons." He continues, "Obviously, these

### **On mortgages**

people are very interested in selling their homes quickly. For the home shopper, this can translate into an opportunity for a great deal on the kind of home they've always wanted."

On the other side of the coin, there are those who contend the holiday season is particularly advantageous for the seller. One of these is real estate professional Don Hamlin, from Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate in Northville. Hamlin points to several reasons why this time of year can result in a sellers' market.

"It's as basic as the law of supply and demand," Hamlin says. There are fewer listings during November and December, so there is not as much competition for sellers as there might be in the spring."

But the major advantage. according to Hamlin, is the attitude of the winter home buyer. He explains, "During the spring, you have a lot of people who are just looking. They decide it's a nice day for a drive, so they decide to look at a few homes while they're out and about.

However, if people are going to

make the effort to go out on a cold, blustery day, you know they're bound to be more serious about buying a home. For example, several years ago, I showed a condominium to two couples who came out to see it during a raging snowstorm. Both of them made an offer on it that day.

Along with these factors, you should keep in mind some other benefits to selling a home around the holidays. First, thanks to holiday decorations, many homes "show" better in December. Twinkling lights, holly wreaths and candles can add a warmth and attractiveness to a home.

Second, remember, even if you make an offer on a home around Thanksgiving, chances are you still won't actually move until well after

New Year's. Just considering the normal amount of time it takes for all of the paperwork involved means you won't have to worry about disrupting your home or family until the end of January or early February at the earliest.

Another potential benefit, from the mortgage perspective, is that interest rates don't usually fluctuate very much during this time of year. Generally, you don't see a lot of movement one way or the other.

So, if you're interested in buying or selling a home and think you have to wait until spring to get the best deal, this may be a good time to reevaluate your position. Maybe a new home could make this your happiest holiday season.

David Mully is a Novi resident and a Sentor Loan Officer for Source One Mortgage Services Corporation in Farmington Hills, For more information about home mortgages, call David at (810) 488-7664 or fax him at (810) 488-7590.

### **Education Notes**

### Police academy graduation

Following 14 weeks of intensive training, the Oakland Police academy will graduate its 69th Basic Police Training class Dec. 1. The academy is located at Oakland Community College's Auburn Hills campus.

Nine of the 42 students in the class are from police agencies in the greater metropolitan area, including Novi, Farmington Hills, Ferndale, Lapeer County and the Oakland County Sheriff's Department. The other graduates are independent students deemed certifiable by the state of Michigan.

Some students enter the academy as officer trainees after they have been accepted for employment by a law enforcement agency. The agency then sponsors the trainee in the academy's basic police training program. In other cases, however, the students are accepted directly, and then find employment after graduation.

"Our tracking studies show that more than 87 percent of our graduates find employment in the field of law enforcement," said Police Academy Director Richard Tillman.

Commencement ceremonies begin at 8 p.m. in the Oakland County commissioners auditorium, 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac. The Hon. James H. Brickley, Chief Justice of the Michigan Supreme Court, will be the principal speaker.

The Auburn Hills campus of OCC is located at 2900 Featherstone Road, approximately two miles east of the Pontiac Silverdome. For further information about the Oakland Police Academy contact Tillman at (810) 340-6663.





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Admission to the show is \$7 for adults, with children 12 years and under free. Tickets will be sold at the door. Show hours are Friday, noon to 7 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Sunday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

In-depth three hour seminars will be held in conjunction with The Woodworking Show. The following have been scheduled:

Marc Adams started with a shop in his garage in 1983 and turned it into a thriving multi-million dollar company with 25 employees. Marc Adams' Indiana based company, Adams Fine Wood Products, specializes in quality custom cabinets and fine furniture. In his comprehensive sessions on "The Business of Woodworking," "Working with Laminates and Veneers," "Joinery" and "Chair Construction," Adams will explore many facets of woodworking.

Mitch Kohanek, woodworking instructor at Dakota County Technical College featured in the January 1992 issue of Wood magazine, will teach "Preparing the Sur-face for the Finish" and "Finished and Finishing Techniques." These intensive seminars will cover the highlights of the 10-month prohighlights of the 10-month pro-gram taught at the college, includ-ing surface preparation, coloring agents application techniques, fin-ishes and finishing techniques, problem solving and basic repairs. "Table Saw and Router Tech-niques" by John Pritchard, profes-sional tabinet/furniture maker and instructor, will teach you how the versatility of the router and table saw can enhance your pro-

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table saw can enhance your pro-jects. In this seminar, Pritchard will start with basic fundamentals such as what to look for in a router, how to set-up and select the right blade and table saw and advance to joinery techniques, working with jigs, fixtures, router bits and cutting techniques.

These sessions, to be held Friday, Dec. 1 and Saturday, Dec. 2 were developed especially for the woodworkers in Metro-Detroit in



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The cost of each three hour seminar is \$70 when registering at the show. Advance registration is just \$55 and can be charged by calling 1-800-826-8257, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Pacific Time). Registration includes show admission (\$7 value).

Numerous local organizations invited to feature special displays of selected members' work include the International Wood Collectors Society, Michigan Woodcarvers and Michigan Woodworkers Guild. In addition to the displays, members will be demonstrating their crafts, answering questions and sharing techniques.

Fourteen free workshops for the beginning and advanced wood-worker will be led by local crafts people. the topics include Beginning Woodcarving by Jay Craw-ford: Working With Exolic Woods by Doug Kenney; Carousel Carving by John Nicholas; Making Wooden Trains by Doug Kenney; Beginning Woodworking by Joe Antone; Tune up Your Hand Plane by Tom Kearns; and Build a Wooden Clock by Scott Pritchard.

All attendees will be eligible to enter a prize drawing for a new Ford Escort.

### Colts team sells Christmas trees to raise funds

The Northville-Novi Colts Junior Football league is back in the Christmas accessory business again this year.

The Colts are selling evergreens of all types - trees, wreaths and roping - to benefit the privatelyfunded league.

Their stand is located at the Intersection of Cady and Main, 201 S. Main, Northville,

The lot is open from 6-9 p.m. week nights and 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. The sale will continue through Dec. 22,

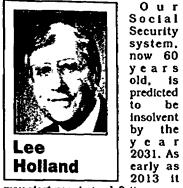
The Colts provide football and cheerleading opportunities for boys and girls ages 9 to 14. It is an independent organization receiving no public funding.

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Karl Borden, an economics professor at the University of Nebraska, wrote: "The system design

itself is fatally flawed and cannot be repaired. It will fail because it violates basic principles of financial economics.

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Since today's workers cannot depend upon social security benefits, it is very important that they start saving and make maximum use of 401(k), IRAs, and other retirement plans.

Lee E. Holland is a Certified Public Accountant and Certified Financial Planner practicing in the Novi-Northville area. He is the senior partner of Lee E. Holland & Associates, P.C.

### **Health Notes**

### **Botsford** accredited

The American Osteopathic Association's Bureau of Healthcare Facili-ties has again granted Botsford Hospital accreditation. As in the past, Botsford was accredited for the maximum three-year period.

The AOA accreditation is significant because it is required by many third-party payors for hospitals to participate in their health plans. It also means that the hospital has fulfilled Medicare and Medicaid certification needed for reimbursement.

"Accreditation is a seal of approval," said Marilyn Kuncz, administrator of hospital services utilization and Botsford's accreditation coordinator. It demonstrates to our community that we have met and exceeded standards intended to serve as a measure of our organization's ability to provide a high quality of care."

The AOA accreditation survey was conducted in early May by a panel of three inspectors. They reviewed the departments' procedures, policy manuals and records as well as the facilities.



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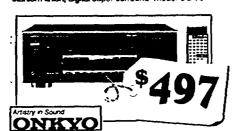
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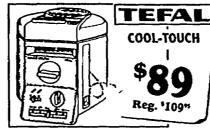
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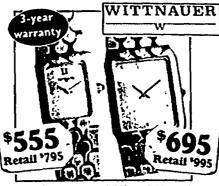
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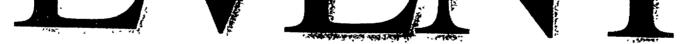


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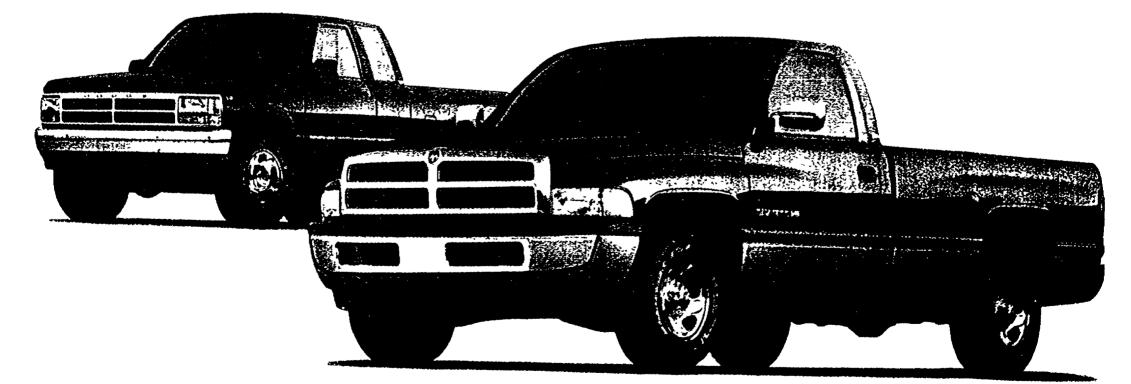


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# RECORD **OUR TOWN**



# (it's educational)



Alexandra Jagger gets a hands-on look at Toobers and Zots at Ultimate Toys.

#### **By CAROL WORKENS** Staff Writer

If you had educational toys when you were growing up, chances are your memories are of a game that was boring.

When you were younger, educational games were like food, if it was good for you it probably left a bad taste in your mouth Tell your kids that spinach is full

of good vitamins and they'll probably refuse to eat it. Same with educational games, tell them that it'll improve their math skills, and they

just tuned you out.

tional toys that your kids won't see advertised on television on Saturday morning.

We focus largely on toys that aren't advertised (on television)," said Lilienfeld. "That's why we keep the samples out in the store so the kids can try them and see that they're really fun

Lou and Cindy LaChance, owners of Ultimate Toys in Northville, are also convinced that toys sell themselves best through hands-on-

To make you an informed consumer of the educational toys available, here's a sampling of Christmas gift ideas that will teach your kids a thing or two while they ame time

lar at both toys stores according to their owners.

The interactive electronic learning game can be played by one to three people. The challenge is to answer questions on an electronic board. The player can choose the number of seconds it will take to answer the question. The electronic game is about \$99 and comes with 20 activity boards. Additional boards are also available on such subjects as Spanish, French, higher math, exploring, stamps, science and geography. The age level is about three or four and up.

Schools in the area use the geography as a learning aid," said Jodie Mellos, manager of the Novi White Rabbit Toys store.



Eric Rothman discovers the joys of a Brio construction set at White Rabbit Toys.

it card in the cash drawer. Originally manufactured for the school market, Learning Resources has recently made the cash register

called Wild Goose is the Out to Lunch, Brain Ticklers, Crash and Burn, and Slime kits for ages 9

A science line by a new company include Mystery Rock, Easter Island and Expeditions for Dinosaurs.

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When they first came out with educational toys it was very dry and it was something that sounded like it would be great for the child but the kids hated to play it so what good was it," said JoAnn Lilienfeld, owner of White Rabbit Toys in the Novi Town Centre. "Now I think we're into our second generation of educational toys."

There are toys and games that are academic, and others that are designed to develop eye-hand coordination, memory and strategy. There are whole lines of educa-

#### EYE-HAND COORDINATION

Toobers and Zots, which develops eye-hand coordination, are a foam covered construction toy that can be formed into any kind of shape. Designed for people age 3 to 100. Toobers and Zots come in several kits called Zippy. Zany. Zowy and Oobles.

Toobers and Zots have been out for about a year and a half, according to Lou LaChance.

#### ACADEMIC

GeoSafari is proving to be popu-

GeoSafari Jr. is a smaller kit geared to younger kids.

Although not a toy, a new line of books at Ultimate Toys is the Frank Schaffer's Book line for age preschool through grade 6.

They have the opportunity to review everything from phonics to reading skills to reading in general to mathematics, pre-calculus, prealgebra and geometry." Lou said of the selection in the series.

Learning Resources has a solar powered cash register with doubles as a calculator. It includes very realistic looking money and a cred-

available to retail consumers.

#### SCIENCE

Smithsonian science kits include crystal radio, weather, bugs and crystal growing for ages 8 and up and chemistry sets in different sizes for ages 10 and up.

This type of chemistry set doesn't have anything in it that will blow up the house or any of that kind of thing." said Cindy. "There is no flames or glassware, it's just something to get the kids started to see whether they're interested in chemistry."

and up with adult supervision.

They are taking things that kids are very much interested in like slime and using it to teach them chemistry," said Lilienfeld.

The deluxe Magniscope can be used as both a table microscope and when the eye piece is taken from the stand it can be used as a hand-held, on-site microscope.

For children interested in geology, there are kits that let them uncover minerals and rocks embedded in sandstone with tools and information on the item discovered in the sandstone. Kits

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### BOARD GAMES

Board games teach a variety of skills such as strategy, counting, memory, history, geography and biology.

The LaChances began stocking a game called Take Off when a customer came in and specifically asked for it. Take Off, which is also carried by White Rabbit Toys, teaches geography and has a full world updated map for ages 6 to adult.

"I have one grandmother that

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### **Volunteer book work** goes beyond shelving

### By DOROTHY NASH Special Writer

The interview was supposed to be about the Library Outreach Department of the Novi public Library, but Barbara Willis is too enthusiastic to be limited.

She helps take books to nursing homes. There are two trolleys full of books.

The Friends of the Library is a wonderful place to work. You're not pressured. Do what you want."

The Friends? It's a group of volunteers - women, who help raise money for the library. There can be men, but right now there aren't any. They raise money through \$5 dues and the sale of books for things that don't fit into the budget.

The book sale "goes on all the time," she said. "It's an opportunity for people who can't afford new ones. I've helped sort books."

In the Outreach Department, Willis said. I've gone to the senior complex in Novi village, and I do enjoy helping with that. We have light conversation with the people, and they look forward to our coming.

At Christmas time the Friends decorate the library. "I help with the Christmas decoration," she said.

Also at Christmas time there's a special children's gift from Friends of the Library," Willis said. "We buy books from Border's at 20 percent off and give them to the Free Press for children every year.

"We did have a program in the Library Outreach Department," she said - "Reading at nursing homes, but it didn't take off."

But because "nursing homes do need the contact, the library does continue to take books to them."

"I help with the mailings, too."

The Novi Library, Barbara Willis said, "is a fun place to be. You can spend as much time as you like."

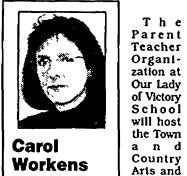
To be a friend of the Library in Novi, call 349-0710.



Barbara Willis

A STARLEY STAR

### In Our Town Benefit for school brings back favorite crafters



Show

The cost is \$1. Food and refreshments will be available all day.

Craft

The works of 12 local artists from Northville and Novi will be featured along with crafters from Plymouth, Canton, Livonia, Indian River, Adrian, Saline, Alden and Toledo, Ohio.

Spices from Alden Mill House, pottery, watercolors, chocolate, tole paintings, hand painted clothing for women and children, country angels, punched tin, hand painted porcelain, jewelry, dried and silk flower arrangements and gift baskets will be among the works available during the show by over 60 crafters.

All proceeds will benefit the PTO. For more information call the school at 349-3610.

Historic buildings to be topic at woman's club meeting

Kathryn Bishop Eckert, Michi-

NORTHVILLE CHRISTIAN

ASSEMBLY

The gan's state historic preservation officer, will speak on "Historic Buildings of Michigan" at the Northville Woman's Club meeting Parent at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 1 at the Northville Presbyterian Church in Boll Fellowship Hall. This meeting is open to guests of club memwill host bers.

Eckert, who is the author of Buildings of Michigan, which is published by Oxford University Press, has been an architectural historian and historic preservationist for 20 years. She has traveled throughout Michigan studying buildings and cultural landscapes. She is especially interested in the sandstone architecture of the Lake Superior region.

Born and raised in Detroit, she received a bachelor of arts degree from Mount Holyoke College and a master of arts degree in art history as well as a doctorate in American studies from Michigan State University.

If you are interested in attending, contact a Northville Woman's Club member.

Chairpersons of the day are Betty Griffin and Lois Housman.

> Women's group to meet for Christmas luncheon

The Highland Lakes Women's

Club will hold its annual Christ-

mas luncheon at 1 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 7, at the Wyndham Gar-

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A special celebrity guest will play to 100 dancers performed at Cobo Santa and install the club's new officers.

An announcement of where the proceeds from the Fall Fashion Show will go will also be made at the luncheon, which is for members only. The cost of the luncheon, which is open to members only, is \$11.

One hundred and one people attended the Fall Fashion Show which raised \$400, according to president Stella Seiden. Fifty prizes were given away and all the funds raised will go to local charities.

#### Dancers entertain for the holidays

Center Stage Dance Company has kicked off its 13 show Christmas Tour with recent performances at Our Lady of Providence. Sarah Fisher-St. Vincent and Marywood Nursing Center in Livonia.

Thirty-five dancers entertained as part of the festivities for the Christmas Walk in downtown Northville on Nov. 19 dancing to Santa Claus is Coming to Town, Hark the Herald Angels Sing and a lively country western rendition of Amazing Grace, among others.

The largest group of between 80

Hall on Nov. 24 as part of the Festival of Trees, which is a fund-raising event for Children's Hospital of Detroit.

This is the eighth year the studio has been involved in the project. During the second year, performances at nursing homes, senior residences and children's homes were added to the schedule.

Upcoming shows include Plvmouth Court Nursing Home on Friday, Dec. 1, at 7 p.m.; Charterhouse of Farmington on Saturday. Dec. 2, at 3 p.m.: Novi Village on Friday, Dec. 8, at 7 p.m.; Charterhouse of Novi on Saturday, Dec. 9, at 3 p.m.; Hope Lutheran Church on Monday, Dec. 11, at 7 p.m.; Whitehall Convalescent Home on Friday, Dec. 15, at 7 p.m.; Botsford Hospital on Saturday, Dec. 16, at 10 a.m.: and West Bloomfield Nursing Home/Convalescent Center on Sunday, Dec. 17, at 2 p.m. For more information, call the

studio at 380-1666.

#### Toys for Tots program in full swing

Three local merchants have joined forces with the United States Marine Corps Reserves for this year's "Toys for Tots" cam-

#### palgn.

The Toys for Tots program collects new, unwrapped toys and distributes them during the holiday season to children from economically challenged homes.

Toys will be collected at the Mailboxes Etc. store at 118 MainCentre in downtown Northville, and at Town and Country Eye Care, 2212 Novi Road in the Oak Pointe Plaza in Novi. As an additional incentive to this program, any toys purchased at Ultimate Toys and Gifts at 107 N. Center, also in downtown Northville, for donation to this pro-

gram will receive a 10 percent discount. For further information about

this program, call Mailboxes Etc. at (810) 344-1980.

#### Author to sign cookbook at book store

Sunetra Humbad will appear at Bookstall On the Main from 2 to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 2, to sign her cookbook Indian Vegetarian

Cooking at Your House. Since a typical Indian meal consists of small portions of many dishes, the recipes in the book are written in these smaller servings, but can be increased for larger portions.

Each of the 125 recipes contain the per-serving breakdown of calories, fat, protein and carbohydrates.

The book includes Sunetra's helpful hints, a pantry set up and glossary for ingredients and seven sample menus.

One does not have to be a vegetarian or Indian to enjoy the recipes.

Many of the ingredients used are famillar ones such as peanuts, coconut, ginger, onion, garlic, cin-namon, cloves and hot peppers, and are available in most good supermarkets. The dishes can be a supplement to a regular American meal.

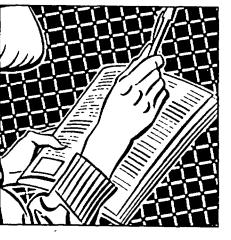
Humbad lives in Novi with her husband, Niranjan, sons Nikesh, Shailesh and Parag, and daughter, Mikhila.

Bookstall On the Main is located at 101 N. Center Street in downtown Northville.

For more information, call (810) 348-1167.

If you have story ideas, accomplishments, awards, trips, etc. you would like to share with your neighbors and friends in Northville, call Carol Workens at 349-1700 or urite The Northville Record, 104 W. Main Street, Northville, MI 48167.





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# Time to take a second look at educational toys

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came in and bought one for each set of her grandchildren," Cindy said. "She just loves the game and has a good time with it and they are all learning something about the world."

An Ann Arbor company called Aristoplay has a line of educational board games, some of which are carried by both toy stores. In Herd Your Horses, two to four players ages 8 and up learn about horses and the western states.

We've had a few teachers come in that do in-house teaching and they've asked us to get a few of the games," Cindy said of the Aristoplay games.

Another Aristoplay game is Made for Trade which is about early American life and bartering. Hall to the Chief teaches about government for ages 10 and up. Constellations, a popular game for Girls Scouts who do a badge on constel-lations, is for ages 10 and up.

Into the Forest teaches about nature's food chain to children age 7 and up and the Hummingbird game is for ages 8 and up.

Ravensburger board games.

Some of these are for younger children so it's not a matter of a winning type thing, it's a matter of playing the game, getting along and learning how to do that type of thing as opposed to you have to win."

Cindy said. 'Little children sometimes don't understand that type of thing, if they don't win they're very unhappy.

Included in the Ravensburger line is My Body, Race to the Roof, Snall's Pace, Secret Garden and Ghost Party.

The Ravensburger developmental games for the youngest player include matching and sorting games such as All About Baby, All About House, Things I Can See.

For the 4 year old and up set, there's games on nutrition and the human body where children learn as they play. There's Dino Builders, a eye-hand coordination game where the players build a 3-D dinosaur.

In Mothers and Their Bables, children have to match the mother animal up with her baby.

adding and subtracting game where players use two cards, one with the problem and the other with the answer written on one side and a picture of the answer on the reverse side. Children can count the number of items in the picture to check if their answer is correct.

A strategy and counting game is an African stone game called Mancala which was believed to have been played in Egypt by the hs at least 3,000 years ago.

make sets by color, shape and height of the piece in Quarto.

What we've found in these games is that adults have no advantage when they play with children which is a really nice aspect to them," Lilienfeld said.

A visual perception card game called Set requires players to make non-traditional sets in a different way, using shape, shading and color.

If your children like science and Trivial Pursuit, they can find both in Nova True Science, which is like science fact game played in Trivial Pursuit style.

Like Trivial Pursuit you can play it with just the cards also," Lilienfeld said. "The questions are really fun like the one on the cover, 'can eating too many tomatoes and carrots can make you turn orange \_ true or false?" (The answer's true).

"It's a sneaky way of introducing children to a lot of science." Lilienfeld said.

You pick up on a lot of facts that you don't really know at the time you're learning." Mellos sald. For those interested in learning

Another popular series is the how to play chess are several sets

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brings the product (to market) so that everything is as authentic as it can be," Lilienfeld said. "The designs are authentic so that she's not teaching children incorrectly.

"With the explosion in arts and crafts, it's tempting for companies to just ignore authenticity, and they're (Curiosity Development Company) very careful with it."

Children learn to be creative, use their imaginations and fine motor skills in arts and crafts type

when you combine it with the multicultural, it's teaching them about the different societies," said Lilienfeld.

All the kits from The Arts Series come complete with everything needed to finish the project. The Paper Recycling Kit allows the child to take scraps of things found around the house, such as newspaper and paper towels, and make their own paper. Using the Make Your Own Book kit, children learn how to make their own book from sewing the binding to writing the story. Other kits include Marbling. Art with Sand and Stained Glass

"With these kits you don't have to go home and have ten items

you don't have home.' Lilienfeld said. "If it calls for scissors, there are scissors inside and if they call for JoAnn Litienleid tape, there is Owner tape inside," Mellos said. White Rabbit Toys The Colorations paint

line is a tempera paint that paints on absolutely everything and is washable in a variety of vibrant colors in big 16 ounce square plastic bottles in which the top can double as a dish.

For older kids, Water Colors for the Artistically Undiscovered is a watercolor instruction drawing book complete with Reeves watercolors and a brush.

Reeves paints are very high quality English watercolors," said Lilienfeld. "It (the book) takes them through actual watercolor tech-

niques. "I think it's important because they feel successful when they do the techniques it's teaching them something that allows them to be successful in their painting," Lilienfeld said.

#### NATURE

An assortment of bugs from the World of Nature is the Insects Collection. Bugs are a fall project for some area junior high school students. Also available, are bug catchers and magnifying glasses.

The Safart line of animals comes complete with a booklet of information on each animal.

For the bird lover, there are window mounted bird feeders and see through bird houses.

The birds can't see you but you can see them from the inside of your house." Cindy said of the bird feeder.



The Safari line includes the zebras above and includes an information booklet.

and up.

Robotixs is a motorized modular building system in a variety of kits sizes which are upwardly compatible with other sets for ages 7 and

Brio is a puzzle solving train building set which uses magnets for the train coupler.

Thomas the Tank from the television show of the same name has the faces of the characters on each train piece and is compatible with the Brio line. Children as young as 2 can learn

about tools, construction, gears and wheels using the Brio MEC system.

BIRTH TO PRE-SCHOOL For the young child, there are Lauri puzzles with letters and animals.

Lamaze Infant Development System is separated into an infant's developmental phases and provides activities for each entitled Sensory Awakenings, Birth of Doing and Birth of Exploration.

Primetime Playthings includes an activity cube, wheel and center with rattles and a floor roller. Each toy has at least two activities and is made in bright primary colors.

Educational Company of Canada has a line of non-traditional but appropriate puppets such as women police officers, a female doctor as well as more traditional puppets like Red Riding Hood and Goldilocks.

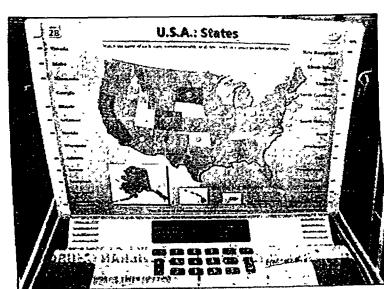


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### GeoSafari is an interactive learning game for 1 to 3 players.

dinner table any more. A line of wipe-clean, educational place mats can be used in between meals to learn about multiplication, subtraction, periodic table of elements, the human body, the Presidents and jungle animals for the younger with the answers on one

War II, birds, turtles, insects, horses, minerals, the atom, tropical rain forest and the solar system.

Both Ultimate Toys and White Rabbit Toys believe in the handson use of toys and encourage the aunts, uncles, grandmothers and grandfathers to get right in there

which include instructions - The Kids Chess Set, Playing Chess and **Quick Chess.** Quick Chess, has fewer pieces and the game board is slightly dif-

ferent. Included is the history of the pieces and some of the basic strategies of chess, for ages 6 to adult.

"It doesn't seem as difficult so you feel more confident when you're playing it and it does go quicker than chess so if you have someone who would like to learn the strategy of the game but doesn't really have the patience, it's a really good introduction to it." Mellos said.

#### ASTRONOMY

The Stellarscope includes over 500 stars and 70 constellations.

There's a couple different things Math Magic is a self-correcting ~you can put into the Stellarscope adding and subtracting game like where you live in the United States and then you dial up the date and and it will show you on the inside of the Stellarscope what the stars are supposed to look like," Cindy said.

Star Gazer and Cosmic Observer can be used inside or outside. Discs of constellations are inserted into both the gazer and observer.

#### ARTS AND CRAFTS

A lot of research goes into the National Geographic Curiosity Kits

"In some parts of Africa, they still play the traditional way which was to take a stick and make divots in the ground and pick up anything they had nearby which were stones or leaves and play that way," Mellos said. "You can drop and do it right there."

Other strategy games are Quarto. Pyraos and Quixo where the strategy. Players age 8 and up

such as World Geo Puzzles. Ancient Cultures, American Indian Moccasins and bead kits.

The moccasins are authentic Algonquin Indian moccasins for all ages which are heavy enough for the maker to wear.

The kits include information on the history of each of the projects.

The person who started it player is learning sets, subsets and (Curiosity Kits) is very careful to research the culture before she

The see through window bird houses enable the child to see inside of the bird house and the bird as it makes a nest or feeds its young.

#### BUILDING SETS

Whitewings is a collection of paper and cardboard assembly kits for airplanes and rockets for ages 8

MISCELLANEOUS Place mats are not just for the side of the mat.

"This is something we can't even keep in the store," Cindy said.



### Scholarships are available to Wayne County students

Olivet College has announced that scholarships of up to \$6,000 a year are now available for students in the Wayne County area who demonstrate responsibility through community service, either individually or in school, church, civic or youth organizations in their communitics.

Michigan, Olivet is a small liberal Students who are actively involved in activities such as arts college offering a wide range of majors, from business administra-Junior Achievement, scouting, tion to environmental science to Habitat for Humanity, tutoring. church youth groups, or who perteacher certification, and a variety form individual acts of service are of extracurricular activities, from intercollegiate athletics to choir to urged to contact the college at (616) 749-7635.

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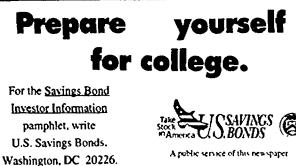
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with their younger customers to try out games and toys before they give them as a gifts.

### Engagements



### **Kyle Pepino/Matthew Misiak**

Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Kyle Lynn, to Matthew John Misiak, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Misiak of Clarkston, Mich.

The bride-elect is a 1995 graduate of Central Michigan University

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Pepino of and is currently employed by EDS/Buick Motor Division. The prospective groom is a 1994 graduate of Central Michigan Uni-

versity and is in the systems engineering program at EDS. A September wedding is

planned.

### **On Campus**

Denison University sophomore JULIE ROMINE, the daughter of Ken and Sharon Romine of Northville, has been selected to serve as an admissions tour guide.

Admissions tour guides are nominated by faculty, staff, and former guides, and go through a rigorous selection process in the spring.

Romine, a 1994 graduate of Northville High School, is a sociology major at Denison. A Heritage Scholar, she is a dean's list student and a member of the Honors Program. Romine is the recipient of a National Merit Scholarship. She volunteers with the Basic Adult Literacy and New Beginnings committees of the Denison Community Association. A member of the Chapel Advisory Board and College Life, a non-denominational Christian fellowship, she has served as a hostess for the Admissions Office. Denison University is located in Granville, Ohio.



### William Hayes/Jocelyn Wiedman

Drs. Jon and Jolene Jacobs of op position as an industrial engi-Northville announce the engagement of Jolene's daughter, Jocelyn Aileen Wiedman, to William Tole Hayes, the son of Jimmy Hayes of Bloomfield, Mo.

The bride-elect graduated from Northville High School in 1991 and was affiliated with Alpha Chi Omega while at the University of Michigan. She is employed in a co-

### neer for Northern Telecom. Raleigh, N.C.

The bridegroom-elect graduated from Bloomfield High School in Missouri. He is a sergeant in the U.S. Army stationed at Fort Bragg.

N.C. The wedding will take place on Dec. 30, 1995.

### Birth

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Ellen and Dave Deneau of Windsor, Ontario, are happy to announce the arrival of their first born, a son, Mitchell James on Oct. 18, 1995, at Grace Hospital in Windsor, Canada. Mitchell weighed 8 pounds, 11 ounces and was 22 and a half inches long.

The proud grandparents are Tom and Betty Broderick of Northville and Carl and Mary Deneau of Amherstburg, Ontario.

The first-time mother had just arrived in Wyandotte to visit the family when she went into labor, three days earlier than doctors had expected. Ellen and her sister Eileen immediately left for Canada.

"By the time they got to the bridge her labor pains were three minutes apart," Betty Broderick said. "Traffic was terrible so they went through the truck lane.

Upon arrival at Grace Hospital, Mitchell was born an hour later.

Singles

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SINGLE PLACE, an adult ministry for single people, meets at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville Sunday at 9:45 a.m. for a Sundaŷ morning gathering, followed by a worship service at 11 a.m. and brunch at Northville Crossing at 12:30 p.m.

The Make It, Bake It, Grow It, Sew It Auction will be held Wednesday, Dec. 6, at 7:30 p.m. in Boll Fellowship Hall. There is no cost for this activity but plan on buying items being auctioned off.

On Dec. 1, 15 and 29, from 9 to 10:30 p.m. the group will meet for Vol+ leyball at the Northville Rec. Center, 303 W. Main Street. The cost is \$4. . A night of bowling has been planned for Friday, Dec. 8, at 8:30 p.m. at

the Novi Bowl on Novi Road between Eight and Nine Mile Road. A Games Night is planned for Saturday, Dec. 9, from 7:30 to 11 p.m. at the church. Cost is \$5 and includes food and beverage. In the spirit of the season, Single Place is giving gifts of personal care/toilet articles to patients at Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital. So bring an article for a man or a women (please no sharp or breakable objects). Wrapping paper, ribbons and tags will be available at the church for gift wrapping the item.

For further information about any of the Single Place programs or to register, call 349-0911.

HOLY FAMILY SINGLES is a group for separated, divorced, widowed or never-been-married persons.

For more information, call the Church of the Holy Family, 349-8847.

SINGLE POINT MINISTRIES offers a unique opportunity to join more than 500 persons of varied backgrounds in a class about Jesus Christ.

The group meets at 10:45 a.m. each Sunday in Knox Hall of Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, on the corner of Six Mile in Livonia. The Rev. Paul Clough will lead with scripture messages relevant to single living.

Talk it Over" is held on the second and fourth Fridays of each month in Knox Hall.

Those interested in subbing for a bowling league at Flesta Lanes in Westland on Ford Road east of 1-275 can call (810) 669-2259.

For further information about Single Point Ministries call (313) 422-1854.

FARMINGTON SINGLE PROFESSIONALS is a non-profit group for singles ages 25-40 who share common interests and want to form new friendships. Membership is not limited to the Farmington area. The group participates in over 200 activities per year.

For more information about Farmington Single Professionals call (810) 478-9181 or the FSP hot line.

THE CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB is a singles club for Catholics who are 4-year college graduates and free to marry in the Catholic Church. For more information call Teresa, (810) 557-2781, Don at (810) 879-

1429. or Mark at (810) 352-7353.

EXPRESSIONS, an adult discussion group, meets from 7:30 to 11 p.m. on the second and fourth Fridays of each month at First Unitarian Universalist Church, 1917 Washtenaw in Ann Arbor. The program is not church-affiliated. The group is open to those ages 21 and older.

For more information, call (313) 930-6361. Admission is \$5.25 and includes refreshments.

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### **Church Notes**

A week of "R & R," refreshment and renewal, will be held at ST. ALEXANDER'S parish, located on Shlawassee Road just north of Grand River between Middlebelt and Inkster roads in Farmington Hills beginning with weekend Masses on Dec. 2 and 3.

Presentations will begin on Sunday evening from 7:30 to 9 p.m. and continued with a different presentation each evening through Wednesday, Dec. 6.

Based on the theme "Letting Our Hungers Lead Us to God," Father Bill Burkert, ST, and Brother Loughlan Sofield, ST, will focus on three needs shared by all human beings: the search for meaning in life, the hunger to belong and the hunger for purpose in our lives.

Registration is not required, and all are welcome to attend. There is no charge, but free will donations are always accepted.

For more information, call St. Alexander's rectory at (810) 474-5748.

The Christmas Sponsor-A-Family program will be made available after all the Masses through Dec. 10 at CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY, 24505 Meadowbrook Road in Novi.

The future nursery/child care/smile room is in need of specific toys and equipment such as two cribs, two playpens, an adult rocker, wooden blocks, preschool games, Little Tykes (or comparable) climbing equipment and kitchen sets, among other items.

For more information or to make a donation call Lynda Roy at 347-6371.

Seventy people attended the 1995 Road Rally. The team in the winning car was Dan and Betty Jane Blossfield, Kathy Hagenian and Tim McDon-ald and Karen and Mark Simonich, who earned a perfect score. Second place finishers were the Hart family.

The parish Holiday Family Christmas Dance will take place from 8 p.m. until midnight on Friday, Dec. 1. featuring Glenn Porzadek's Breakaway Band. The cost is \$10 per person and a dish of hors d'oeuvres to share. Tickets may be purchased at the church office.

The Novi Area Community Clothes Closet located next to Novi Meadows School is closed until early January.

For more information, call the church at 349-8847.

Project Angel Tree at FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE, 777 West Eight Mile Road, will be displayed in the Hall of Opportunity on Dec. 3. Gifts for children of prisoners should be wrapped and returned to the church no later than Dec. 10. The Angel Tree is a Ministry of Prison Fellowship program. • For more information, call the church at 349-1144.

• NEW LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH, a forming congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, celebrates at 10 a.m. in the fellowship hall of the Masonic Temple, 730 Penniman, on the park square in downtown Plymouth.

Interested persons are encouraged to stop in.

For more information about Sunday services or the mission, contact Pastor-Developer Ken Roberts at (313) 459-8181.

Parishioners of OUR LADY OF VICTORY CHURCH, 770 Thayer Boulevard in Northville, will have an opportunity to make a meaningful contribution to one of five charities with the "The Jesse Tree" holiday project.

Individuals at the Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital, Northville Star Manor Convalescent Home, St. Christine's Soup Kitchen, Catholic Social Services and Our Lady of Providence Center will benefit from the gift giving program which concludes Dec. 10.

A tree will be placed in the atrium area of the church which will contain tags with an individual's age and gender appropriate gift suggestions. Those interested in participating may take a tag, purchase and wrap a gift and return the wrapped gift to the church for distribution. For more information on The Jesse Tree, call Nancy Kuzma at 344-4583 or Sue McCambridge at 348-8625.

An Advent Bible Reading program will be held at CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS, 46200 West Ten Mile Road in Novi, on Dec. 6, 13 and 20, at 7 :30 p.m. The Vicar will be discerning passages of scriptures used during the Advent Season. All parishioners are invited.

For more information, call 349 8847.

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH, 46325 Ten Mile Road in Novi, will present a special Christmas Concert presented by St. James Parish Fam-Dec. 17.

loners, their friends and neighbors.

### Modeling is back

Drop in on a Sears Model's Club session and you'll see preteens and teenagers coordinating wardrobes, practicing modeling techniques and starting this fall, perfecting their etiquette skills. But what's really going on is an exercise in personal self-confidence.

Now in its fourth year, the club has expanded by adding a second series of workshops to its schedule. Also designed for preteens and teens, the new workshops focus on etiquette and manners appropriate for today's lifestyle. These new workshops cover such subjects as introductions, conversation techniques, telephone and answering machine tips, table manners, etc. During the final workshop the teens will be introduced to a live audience wearing Sears fashions.

Both Sears programs resemble the "teen boards" traditionally featured by department stores ... with one very big difference. While teen boards typically involve only a handful of participants, Sears Model's Club is open to any 8- to 17-year-old who is interested.

The original modeling and fashion workshops continue to be very popular. In these fashion workshops, club members receive basic tips on skin care, makeup application, hair care and fashion and color selection, with the emphasis on expressing one's own individual style. A substantial portion of this program is devoted to learning the "freeze" (or mannequin) and runway techniques used by professional models, including various poses, walks and turns. And each teen participates in fashion shows. modeling outfits he or she has put together from Sears' apparel and accessories.

These moments in the spotlight have a way of turning even shy, uncertain youngsters into "stars" ... which is the real point of the programs.

"Before I took this class, I used to be scared," said one 15-year-old. After the Model's Club program, she was bolstered by enough new confidence to sing a solo in front of her high school classmates.

One father saw a similar turnaround in his 12-year-old daughter, who, at 5 feet, 10 inches towers over her peers. He said the program helped her "develop a sense of self and be confident in who she is."

Parents also see the programs as a healthy alternative to the negapreteens' and teenagers' behavior.



### Half a century of dedication

Lonna Lemmon, right, recognized Naomi recognized but not present at the luncheon

Northville Woman's Club vice president club's opening luncheon in October. Also Atchinson for 50 years of service at the were Fiorence Schulz and Grace Hanchett.

### School News

#### WILLIAM ALLAN ACADEMY

three-part video series and discussion for parents on How to Talk So Your Child Will Listen."

A special assembly of all William Allan Academy students and several parents was held Nov. 6 to commemorate Veterans' Day. Veteran Ken Wilcox talked to the students about what Veterans' Day means and why it is observed.

This was combined with a surprise birthday celebration, complete with a huge cake and cards from the students for his wife, Buddy Wilcox. Buddy has been a long time friend of William Allan Academy and founder of the school's Santa's Secret Store held every

Grades 1-5 visited Henry Ford Museum in Dearborn on Nov. 27 for a field trip.

Parent/Teacher conferences were held on Nov. 29. This was also V.I.P. night for the 4-year-old preschoolers who brought a very important person of their choice to a special evening at school.

Santa's Secret Store will be open to William Allan Academy students from 9 a.m. to noon, Saturday, Dec. 2. Parents will be on hand to help students with gift selections and students may also have all their purchases gift wrapped.

Students and parents can also purchase books dur-In November, William Allan Academy hosted a ing the Scholastic Book Fair on Dec. 1 or 2. The book

fair will be set up in the library. Special assemblies will be held on Dec. 4 and 11 with students presenting short programs on holiday customs from around the world.

The Honors choir will be visiting Allen Terrace on Friday, Dec. 8, to entertain the residents with holiday music.

On Saturday, Dec. 9, the students will be treated to two shows of Cinderella at the school by the Russian-American Marionette Theater. This is the principal's gift to the students this year. For the other part of her gift, principal Val Hambleton is presenting each class with an endangered animal sponsorship which will include whales as well as dolphins and wolves. Each class will be receiving details soon of the animal they

will be sponsoring. The fourth and fifth grade classes will be taking a trip to the Marquis Theater on Dec. 12 to see class-mate Michael Rose perform in *The Wizard* of Oz as the lunchkin Mayor. Break a leg, Mikel

There will also be a short program of holiday sons for parents at William Allan on Friday. Dec. 15, just prior to the class Christmas parties. Christmas recess commences on this day at 3:15 p.m.



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# RECORD DIVERSIONS



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### Northville church presents '40s style Broadway musical

Occasionally a Christmas production comes along so fresh and unique you can't wait to see it. This holiday season you will not want to miss Hope is Just Around the Corner, a Broadway-style musical, complete with live orchestra, choir and drama.

The Big Band sounds of the 1940s and those wonderful golden days of radio will literally come to life before your very eyes. You'll be captivated with the story of how one family dealt with the uncertainty of war through faith and hope. You may just find your feet tapping, your heart full of laughter, and a jazzy way to celebrate the true spirit of Christmas.

Northville Christian Assembly will be presenting Hope is Just Around the Corner at 7 p.m. on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 8, 9 and 10, and an afternoon

### HOPE IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER

Performances are on Dec. 8, 9 and 10 at 7 p.m. and Dec. 10 at 4 p.m. Northville Christian Assembly 41355 Six Mile Road Northville For tickets, call 348-9030.

performance on Sunday, Dec. 10, at 4 p.m. Young and old alike are cordially invited to attend.

Northville Christian Assembly is located at 41355 Six Mile Road one mile west of I-275 in Northville. For tickets or information, call (810) 348-9030.



Kathleen and Vince Sagona of Livonia get into the '40s style for the musical 'Hope is Just Around the Corner.'

### In town

Submit items for the entertainment listings to The Novi News/Northville Record, 104 W. Main, Northville, MI 48167; or fax to 349-1050.

### AUDITIONS

**NEW HORIZON COMMUNITY CHURCH:** The church is looking for actors and actresses to occasionally participate in Sunday morning dramas and skits based on topical issues.

Scripts are provided and minimal rehearsal time is needed. All creative input is welcome.

A local community church featuring a contemporary format, the church meets, at. the, Novi Town Center General Cinema Theaters in Novi. Those interested should call Ann Marie Frey, (810) 348-3563.

### SPECIAL EVENTS

HOLIDAY ARTS AND CRAFTS: The Walled Lake Western High School PTSA is sponsoring a Holiday Arts and Craft Show from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 2, at the high school located at 600 Beck Road. There will be

through Friday, Dec. 26 through 29. All performances are at 2:30 p.m. Tickets are \$6.50. Children must be 3 1/2 years of age.

The Marquis Theatre is located at 135 E. Main Street in downtown Northville.

For more information, call (810) 349-811

**GENITTI'S:** Santa's coming to Genitti's for lunch on Dec. 2, 3, 7, 9, 10, 16, 17 and 23. After lunch, children will go into the theater to be entertained by singing elves and holiday characters.

"Genitti's Holiday Office Party" began Nov. 24 and will continue through Dec. 31. It's Christmas Eve at the Genco'World Headquarters and time for the annual office party. The white collar crazles must try to keep their tempers, passions and alcohol down before they kill each other while trying to discover who "Fanny Photocopier" really is before the boss fires them all. Reservations are available weekly and every weekend.

Genitti's "Hole-in-the-Wall" and restaurant is located in downtown Northville at 108 E. Main St., just east of Center Street.

Call (810) 349-0522 for reservations. in Novi.

**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.

**SUNSET GRILL:** The Tuesday night blues "jam" hosted by the Sunset Blues Band has been moved to Wednesday beginning at 9 p.m. All musicians are welcome. Wednesday night is also Ladies Night.

The grill is located on the corner of Thirteen Mile and Novi roads. For more information, call (810) 624;8475.3:53 re 000 t

### ART

ATRIUM GALLERY: Atrium Gallery is located at 109 N. Center in downtown Northville. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 4 p.m. on Sunday.

For more information, call (810) 349-4131.

BACKDOOR GALLERY: Farm-

mance will be at 4 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 3, at the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 W. Church Street. Tickets are available at the door for \$4.

The second performance will be at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 16, at St. Matthew's United Methodist Church of Livonia, 30900 Six Mile Road. Donations will be accepted during intermission.

Under the direction of Donald Stromberg, featured selections will include A Christmas Cantata, by J.S. Bach, African Noel, O Come, O Come Emmanuel, along with traditional holiday selections and a Christmas carol sing-along.

A string ensemble, flute, traditional folk instruments and handbells will accompany the choir, -, - | For further information, call the

choir president, Shari Clason at (810) 349-8175.

**BORDERS BOOKS:** Upcoming events at Borders Books and Music include: Firebird Balalaika Ensemble performs at 7 p.m. on Dec. 12; Don Shall will present a free origami workshop for all ages at 11 a.m. on Dec. 2; Media specialist Gary Price will give CD/ROM software demonstrations at 1 p.m. on Dec. 2; classical guilarist David Cocagne entertains at I p.m. on Dec. 3; the French Club will meet at 7 p.m. on Dec. 5; The American Institute of Graphic Arts hosts its annual graphic design book fair with hors d'oeuvres at 7 p.m. on Dec. 6. Book fair attendees should bring a book to donate to Children's Hospital. Judson Center and St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center. Kevin Trudeau will conduct a mini-seminar on improving your memory at 7:30 p.m. on Dec. 7:



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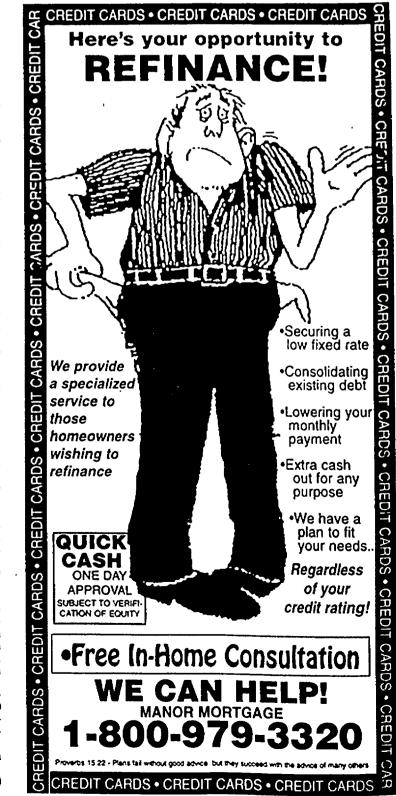
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**CRAFT SHOW:** St. Thomas A'Becket's Women's Club will host its annual craft show from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 1. The show will include over 75 crafters, hourly raffles and bake sale. Lunches will be available. The building is wheelchair accessible and strollers are welcome.

Admission is \$1 for adults, 50 cents for seniors and children 12 and under are free.

St. Thomas A'Becket is located at 555 S. Lilley Road in Canton.

For more information, call (313) 981-1333.

#### PERFORMER'S SHOWCASE:

The public is invited to attend the Performer's Showcase performances which are held prior to select city council meetings in the Novi Civic Center at 7:30 p.m. On occasion, performances may be taped by Time Warner and cablecast to residents.

Musicians, actors, poets, dancers, etc., are invited to submit application forms and audition tapes, if available, to the Novi Arts Council.

For further information, contact the arts council, 347-0400.

CARRIAGE RIDES: Northville Carriage Co. offers carriage rides throughout the year and packages for holidays and special occasions. For more information and reservations, call Northville Carriage Co. at 380-3961.

#### THEATER

MARQUIS THEATRE: The Frank L. Baum classic tale of the adventures of Dorothy, the Scarecrow, Tin Man and the Cowardly Lion as they follow the yellow brick road to the Land of Oz in The Wizard of Oz continues on Saturdays and Sundays through Jan. 14.

During the Christmas break, performances will be held Tuesday

MUSIC

COUNTRY EPICURE RESTAU-RANT: December entertainment offered in the lounge with full bar and dinner menu with no cover charge from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. on Friday and Saturday evenings will be Wilbert Peagler's Jazz Trio, featuring vocalist Sandra Bomar.

Country Epicure Restaurant is located at 42050 Grand River in Novi.

For more information, call (810) 349-7770.

CICERO'S ITALIAN RIS-TORANTE & BAR: Cicero's Italian Ristorante & Bar is located on Novi Road just north of Ten Mile. Reservations are suggested on the weekends.

For more information or reservations, call (810) 380-0011.

TUSCAN CAFE: Tuscan Cafe presents light jazz music on Friday and Saturday evenings.

Upcoming performances are: Jason Quick, jazz, Thursday, Nov. 30.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday performances are 8:30 to 11 p.m. Friday and Saturday performances are from 9 p.m. to midnight.

Tuscan Cafe is located at 150 Center Street in Northville. For more information, call 305-8629.

CAFFE BRAVO: Caffe Bravo features the talents of many artists performing everything from classical guitar, jazz and blues to contemporary and folk music every Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The cafe is located at 110 Main-Centre in downtown Northville.

Call 344-0220 for additional information.

FRIGATES INN: Frigates offers live music every Tuesday at 8 p.m. featuring 2XL Band. Dance with The Globe at 9 p.m. Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays. Frigates Inn is located at the corner of Fourteen Mile and East Lake Drive ington's Backdoor Gallery on 37220 Eight Mile Road specializes in unusual art dolls. The gallery is in the home of co-owner Kathy Landers. She and the other owner, Kathleen Bricker, are both artists. Hours are 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays; 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturdays, and by appointment. Call 474-8306.

LITTLE ART GALLERY: The Little Art Gallery at Genitti's Samuel H. Little Theater in downtown Northville features two shows a month.

Michigan fine artists who would like to display their works are encouraged to contact gallery manager and artist Julie Giordano at 348-0282.

The Little Art Gallery is at 112 E. Main St.

**PAINTER'S PLACE:** A display of Northville Christmas cards over the years is featured in the window of Painter's Place, Studio & Gallery of Caroline Dunphy, 140 N. Center Street in Northville.

The cards feature various views of Northville's historic buildings on Main Street and in the historic village, Mill Race.

The new Christmas card for 1995 is also on display and is in the gallery. Gallery hours have been expanded for the pre-Christmas shopping season to Tuesday through Saturday from noon to 5 p.m.

Call 348-9544 for more information.

GATE VI GALLERY: Gate VI is located in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center. Hours are Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. On the weekend, the gallery is open if the building is open. Call 380-0470.

### NEARBY

HOLIDAY PROGRAM: Schoolcraft College Community Choir will offer two performances of A Christmas Interlude. The first perforBorders is located in the Novi Town Center off Novi Road just south of I-96.

For further information call (810) 347-0780.

CHRISTMAS TOUR: The Canton Historical Society includes five historic homes, two one-room schoolhouses and a church decorated for the holidays in the 1995 Christmas Tour "A Canton Country Christmas" benefit to raise money for the pole barn at the Bartlett-Travis house.

The tour is scheduled for 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 2. Tickets are on sale at most Canton area florists, Willow Brook Inn B & B and the Canton Historical Museum.

Tickets are \$12 in advance, \$15 at the door and \$10 for senior citizens. Refreshments are included and will be served at Cherry Hill School. There will also be a craft show at the Canton Historical Museum.

For more information, call (313) 451-1126.

BRIDGE ENSEMBLE: Schoolcraft College's Music Club will present the Bridge Ensemble with Mihail Schmidt, violin; Susan Gulkis, viola, David Tonkonogui, cello and Karen Sigers, plano on Wednesday, Dec. 6, from noon to 1 p.m. in Schoolcraft's Forum Building Recítal Hall, F 530, 18600 Haggerty Road in Livonia. All concerts are free and open to the public.

"A Meet the Artists" reception will follow the performance.

For more information, call (313) 462-4400, ext. 5218.

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FEMALES

TALKING THE NIGHT AWAY WWW, 55, IVS loves onmade deneral long waits, picrics, water sports, cuiding in front of a fre-place, seeking hones, secure, committed SM, for possible reliationship. Add 2958

FAMILY OPENTED

SWF, 50, 5'4', 130bit, red har, green eyes, honest, sense of humor loves doncing, music, traveling animats seeking SWM, smilar qualities Adl 6392

COMPARIONSHIP WANTED SAF, 20, seeks attractive SWM, 20-27, who likel art, reading, writing, films, atternative and classic rock, for klendship. Add 8095

TALK TO HER SWF, 20, 5.7°, dthoctive, not overweight, likes movies, pool, book stores, music, theories sking, cord games, seeking SM, to spend time together Add 1974

INTO HEALTH SWF, 20, 57°, brown hax green eyes, encors movies, coffee shore, inecters, arts, book stores, taing, walks, doos, interested in M, to spend some time together Ads 1974

FIRST SWF, 20, 5'7', 1580, N/S, occosonal drinker enjoys music, club, danang, bowing, snowmabi ing, pool nomanic evenings, seeks SWA, 21-29, for triendship, posible relationship later on, Add 9513

FINANCIALLY INDEPENDENT

SWF, 20, 572, 13054, enjoyi donong quiet times, fishing, cottee short and good convenations, tiponfanely, seeks fun, honest energetic SM, with love for the, to build a trendship, posible relation-thip. Add 7295

TRY ANYTHING?

SWF, 25, 6", auburn har, blue eyers, studens, seeking phietic SWM, lines to lough, Add 1449

GOOD MORALS OWE 48, 5 3°, 115bs, sholer waning to gut, non-dhilet South Lyon area earyoning, undertand-ing, comp. good humoed; seeks tot, arrachive not overweight SWM, 40+50s, for possible relation-ship. Add 8045

# DINGS WORK OUT\_

SWF, 20, 5,5°, dork hor/eyes, enjoys fahing, long walts, poot ploying basi effoat, pordering, oero-bots, roos, animats, seeking SWM, 20-30, N/S, non-dimited for possible electronistip. Addr 1141

BND AUTOHATVE MUSIC SWF, 18, 519°, blond/brown hat green eyes, enjoys car rocing, pool hockey, animal, seeing caring SWM, 18-23, adventurous, for hending or relation thip. Add 1312

NEEDS & DADDY DWF, 21 mother of two sincere serious seeking serious, good-looking SM, for a serious commit ment, kinnly Add 5467 1400

SWF 25.5.6", blonde holt, green eyes, lit et cubs, trovel, cocking, concerts, playing pool sport, hav-ing a good time, seeks SWM, for literating, maybe more AdJ 9453

UKE 10 HEAR FROM HIM SWF, 20, 5 2°, long dark hak blue eyes, liket hock-ey gong up north, anmat, music, dancing seek ing never momed 34, 21 29, for frendship first, pos-sble relationship. Add 3122

SEEKING A MJ. SWF, 35. officiency, honed, officiency, ochve liter noture, church, music, concerts, hang, seek-ng heathy, ochve SM, who liter working out for frending, posible relationship. Add 5443

MOM OF ONE SBF 18. enjoys comping wolks, romanic dinners, music, dancing seeking SM with sense of humac for thendinys, possible relationship. Add 3251

NOTHING SEEDUS SWF, 29 Bet wothing out, playing music, running in the srow playing in the woter seeining lumioning sporty SML for daring ham age. Additional INTERSTED?

SW man of two, 34 works a lot, enjoys line danc-ing country music, motorcycles, cuading, wals in the park, movies of home seeks SM, to share inter-ents and possible relationship. Add 7395 LOOKING FOR LOVE

SWF, 47, attractive, enjoys movies, dring out, cud-dling of home, seeks honest, faith/J SM, to enjoy the logether Add 4774

FANTASTIC PERSONALITY SWF 49 heath care worker, likes line dancing, art. "country seeking SM, for companionship, Adv 1334

A GOOD LISTENER station conversion romantic moment ADVENTUROUS SPIRIT DWF, 51, 511, 115bs, N/S, social drinker, home owner sports-minded, educated, sportlang person-alty strong values, ambibus, seeks DWA, 38-50, for shared interests, maybe more. Add 6559

WORDING COLLEGE STUDENT SWCF. 23, N/S, intelligent, enjoys sports, shows, guiet watchtalta, going out with friends, seeks hon-est, corrag, mature SWCM, to shore interests, for possible reliationship. Add 9567

BE MY FRIENDI SWF, 56 years young reddish/brown hair, blue eyes, ff, seeks SVA, to share hiendship and life s erper-ences together. Adil 6666

LIVINGSTON COUNTY DWC mon 40, 5 2°, overoge figure, spontaneous, creative, affectionate, enjoys booting, roller skat-ing, window shooping, antigung, bowling, seeks D/SWM, for fun, companionsha, maybe more and with

AC# 4655 LOOKING FOR MR. GOODLAR Attractive WWWF, young 40k tit, enjoys working out, doncing, plays, comping, wolks, concents, teels employed, anciens, commined rait, fis M. no heavy dinkers, for possible relationship. Add 2264

OPEN TO ADVENTURE 47, attractive, infelligent, hard worked down-to earth, emposis concerts, theatre, long works, danc-ing, working out, seeks SM, similar qualities and inferests. Add 4101

FRENDS FIRST SWCF, 44, 5 4", weight-proportioned, blonde hax blue ever, seeks strong SCM, for thendship, daring, and possible relationship. Add 3232

LOOKING FOR A BOYTRIEND

ST 19, 4 11°, 1200s, blonde har blue eyes, seeks SM, for Jun, friendship, and possible relationship Add 6909 A SPECIAL HEART

SWF 49, employed, weas hats and boots, has special heart for people, eryors country music or dancing, seeks honeyt, sincere SW, for trendsh relationship Add 3144 HOWELLAPEA SW mom, 29, outgoing, eryors time of home occasional nights out formly activiting, football four social nights out formly activiting, football four social discriming wells SM, with smillor rifer ests for possible relationship. Act 2429

JESUS IS NUMBER ONE SWF 40, 112bt, blonde has basel eves banes sing and children, enjoys camping, motorcycles, oving no children, enjoys camping, motorcycles, orardas, dining, the water, cambins, seeking SCM, who feels the same. Add 3322

GOOD LOOKING

5' 39' 5'2', brown hat green eyes, enjoys movies, musc, outdoor activities, seeking SM, open-mind-ed, honest towing, series of humos for heindship possible relationship. Add 8285

**10 SHARE EVENINGS** 

57, 50% micheod, green eyes spiritual, energetic, boes lads, family enjoys loaveling, plays, long wats, mover, music, dancing seeking SM, for a good hend. Add 5241

NEW TO THE AREA NEW RU LINE ANDA SWF, 35, toll, Thin, honest outgoing, sometimes a homobody enjoys music, seeks SM, to hang out and share activities, possibly develop a relation-step. Add 1426

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COMES AS A PACKAGE SW mom. 28, 5.4°, enjoys booting, waks, toks, bik ing, seeks secure, arthochve, thendry SA, sinkar inferest, for possible relationship. Add 1981

COOK BOOK AUTHOR

DWF, 39, pette, big blue eves humorous, great attrude on Me, lover boarng spors, movies, romantic dimers, cooking seesing kind, sensitive M, nutrumg personative, with common interests, for possible relationship. Add 6789

DWF, 50. 5'2, 1145t, articulate, affectionate, attractive N/S social drinket health-conscious, worldy-spirated, seeking DWM, under 55, for adventure romance, possible relationship AC# 8372

WEEKEND BAND MEMBER DF. 29. no loss enjoys snama working out sponto-neous activities dancing simple things in \$6, seek-ing husly SM, 27-34, 57-672, for casual dating possible romance. Act 8859

SEEKING SOUD FRIENDSHIPS WWW, 60, attractive, encys during out, theatra, and good conversation, seeking nothing more than friendly relationship with church-going, N/S, WM, 61 or olders 5111 or lotler Act 2715

METHODIST CHURCH MEMBER D mom of the

nom of Iwo, 38, 5'6', molved with teen and sm-parent church groups, enjoys long walks and is seeking stable, sncere, employed M, 34-44, friendship leading to relationship. Ad#,5263 OUTGOING AND ACTIVE SWF, 25, 5127, N/S, tocid drinker, blue-green eyes, blonde has athens build, enjoys boating and sk-ing, seeing honest, energens, hun-loving M, for menchic possible relationship. Add \$169

HAPPY-GO-LUCKY DMF, 37, 6, morn of 2, professional, easygoing, seeks SM, for dating, companionship possible rela-tionship Add 2420

DEDICATED CHRISTIAN

SWF 20, 12504, brown har/eyes, loves musc, doing things outdoors, seeking SVM 19-26, loves the tord, interested in being in the ministry for pos-sible relationship. Adl 6144

LIVES IN BRIGHTON SF 46, 5 5", N/S, non-drinker, no lods, loves the out-doors, seeking gentiemen, N/S, non-drinker, triend-ship fint Adt 1036 MALES

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FINDS TIME FOR FUN SWM, 29, 510°, husty build, smoker drug/dicohol-tree, honest, sensitive, composisionate, loves table, enjoys boat races, surset barbecues, seeks SF, to share activities, possible relationship. Ad# 1266

COMPATIBILITY IS IMPORIANT COMPATIBILITY IS IMPORIANT SWM, 42, 5'11", 1750s, black hak fit, handsome, athletic, confident, enjoys most summer/whiter sporting and outdoor octivities, seeking attractive, fit, odiventivous SWF, tids welcome, age unimpor-tant, Jackson/Livingston area, for friends first rela-tionship. Add 4040

LETS TALK SOON SWM, 42, 5'9', medium build, brown hor/eyes, secure job, enjoys country music, movies, drining out, long walks, seeks 5', to share interests and pos-sible relationship. Add 14:59

NO COUCH POTATOES SWAL 32, 614", 280bs, brown hak hazel eyes. Briton/Southfield area, good personality, enjoys outdoors, seeks 55, sumfar interests, for friendship, possible relationship. Add 5466

NEW FRIENDS WANTED

SWA, 25, 611, 15915s, Northville area, recently out of Army, seeks 57, 10 share interests, possible rela-tionship Ad#.8286

BRITTON/HOWELL AREA

SWM, 25, college student, enjoys quiet times of home, most outdoor activities, seeks SWF, 21-26, to shore interests and possible relationship. Add 1985

BETTON/ANN ARBOR BETTON/ANN ARBOR SWCM. 38. 6: engos musc. movies. 60/70/803 rock working out, going to church, seeks SWCF, 25-38. N/S, similar interests, for possible friendship Ads/2345

I WANT TO CARE SM, 34, 6'2', husky build, blue eyes, brown hox, enjoys backpacking, hiding, fishing, seeks honest, sincere SF, similar interests, for possible long-term relationship, Adit.1315

FIFTY/FIFTY RELATIONSHIP

DW dod, 40, 5197, 155bs, smoket light dinket enovs lids sports picnics, barbecues not into bar scene, seels stender 55, 35-405, who likes family activities, smoket social drinker. Ad# 4524

SUM MUSCULAR BUILD

SM, 27, 6', 165bs, black hac athletic, enjoys moun-tain blang, swimming, watching movies, tenns, seeking attractive F, 21-28, NS, for possible relo-horship <u>Adt 4217</u>

FAMILY IS PRIORITY D custodial dad. 33, 577, professional, enjoys bowl-ing, volleyball, barbecues, fishing, computers, seeks honest, respectful, heattiny SF, who loves lids, for possible relationship. Add A321

YOUNG AND ACTIVE SWAL 60, 5'9', well-propondoned, N/S, non-drinker, self-employed, well-educated, postwa, strong love for God and the church, many interests, seeks triendship first with a SF, 40-60 Ads 1245

WILL THIS WORK7? DW custodial dad of one, 29, restaurant owner, too shy to go out and meet women, seeking triandship with Dr, with or without kids. Adit.0152

CHRISTIAN GUITARIST SM, 30, never manifed, no lids, in the ministry, finan-cially secure, seeks attractive SCF, no lids, for triendship, diming, church, efc., musican or singer a plus, Ad# 5328

LET'S HAVE FUN SWM, 36, 5'10", 145bs., enjoys zoos, walks in parks, cars, soft music, seeks 5°, similar interests, for possi-ble relationship. Addis 2040

SW custodial doci. 39, very fit, attractive, home-body, seeking attractive & fit SCF, who likes home-tie & wants to have a family, loves lids, for triend-ship, possible relationship. Adlf.5357

COMES AS A PACKAGE DW dod, 28, 6'2', medium build, blue-eyed blond, professional, enjoys sunses & sunsets, evening walks, holding hands, long loiks, seeking o 5f, fo treat special, with love, safety & security. Adf 1717

LET'S TALK SOON SWM. 25. 5'9', 170bs, brown har blue eyes, seek-ing a S5. for friendship, fun times, conversation. Adil 9669

STRONG PRESBYTERIAN VALUES

SWM, 26, N/S, non-drinker, Penn State alumni, pro-fessional, enjoys golf, fitness, boaring, woodwork-ing, seelang SWF, 2020, with high self-esteem, for daring & thendship, Adil 1960

WHADDYA THINK? SWM, 35, 6', 2000s, blond hax, blue eyes, enjoys camping, blang, bowling, seeking artectonale, horiest, good humored, blue eyed blands SWF, for possible long-term relationship, Add 1425

LIKES WRITING POETRY

SM, 40, 611, blue eyes, attractive, works w/young people, enjoys sports, gospel & classical music, seeking attractive, intelligent S, who is interested in growing together in possible relationship Add 4451

REFRESHINGLY DIFFERENT SWM, 44, available early days or late rights, old-fashioned values, seeking to spend quality time with SF, smilar qualities, AG#.4839

CIRCLE THIS AD

SWM, 26, enjoys watersports, fishing, movies, long walks, fitness, seeking SF, to share interests and pos-sible relationship. Add-2846

HUBBY & CALLI SWM, young 61, 5'11', 175bs. N/S. non-drinkec enjoys music, golf, swimming, animots, walits, quiet evenings of home, seeking 5', to share interests & possible relationship Ad #.7355

LOOK NO FURTHER

SWM, 36, 67, 2901bs, blond har, blue eyes, seeking SWF, offectionate, attractive, good humor likes to cuddle, for long-term relationship. Add 1256

LEAVE ME A MESSAGE SM 40, 5%, 100bs., block har/muslachs, hazel, eyes, romanic, good personality, General Motors employee, enjoys hiking, concerng, water-sking, hoking hands seeking to enjoy life with the right S-Adil 9031

EASY TO TALK TO? SM, 26, 5'6', 1600s, blond har green eyes, athlet-ic, enjoys outdoor activities, seeking SF, who is easy to get along with, for possible relationship Add 1295

ROMANTIC ITALIAN

SWM, 27, 6\*27, 1708x, dark brown hait, hazel eyes, enoys terns, bilding, dining out, dancing, anhaue cas, seeking banest, caring, humorous SWF, 25-30, for thendhing & possible relationship. Add 5273

SEEXING SUMMER COMPANION SEEXING SUMMER COMPANION SWAL 18, 6', 1250s., blond hox, blue eyes, seeking SF, N/S, 10', 1250s., blond hox, blue eyes, seeking SF, N/S, 10', 1250s., blond hox, blue eyes, seeking Ada 7439

THIRD GRADE TEACHER

MAL 29, 518, 16500 TEACHER enjoys job, long conversation, good laughs, jog-ging U of M footboll, afternative music, seeking honest F, with similar interests and quolities. Add 2256

INTERESTED IN FUN

M. 23. social drinket smoket enjoys going out, hunt-ing, fishing, comping, seeking F of smilor qualities and interests for possible relationship Ad# 1212

A HEART THAT CARES DM. 44, 5°, N/S. Ight dinker overage locks, but very caring, enjoys picnics. The outdoors, index out in the country, seeking that special F, honest, cour-feous, N/S, who wonts to enjoy life with me Adl 4724

SEEKING FUN-LOVER

SWM, 28, 6<sup>°</sup>, 1930s, brown hairyers, in the med-ical field, enjoy reading, movies, working out, long walls and being outside, seeking athletic, N/SF, 22-32 for companionship. Ad#.8115

NO PSYCHOS PLEASE SWAL 23. 6\*2\*. 1900bs. beautiful hazel eyes, new to the network, seeking honesty above all else from SF, for possible relationship. Add 1155

ATHERC PROFESSIONAL DWM. 40. 5 %, 12005... N/S. romanic, sensitive, car-ing, loves lidd, enjoys sports, walks of night, seeking S., with similar qualifies and interests, for possible relationship. Add 3379

PEFER FAMILY ORIENTED SWAR, 36, 67, 2005s. blond holk blue eyes, likes camping, bilding, bowling, seeking SWF, blonde, blue eyes, affectionate, honest, good sense of humor. Add 1258

18751005 URLS RUS SWAL 29, overage height/weight, dark complex-lon, brown har/eyes, professonally employed, seeking SWF, who enjoys outdoors, boaring, more, in Brighton area. Add 5425

FIRST TIME CALLER SWM, 27, seeking SF, who will give 50/50 relation-ship, is active, enjoys life & fun times, to possibly build a relationship. Ad#.6158

INTERESTED? CALL SWM, 31, 617, 2005s, block hak professional enjoys dancing, travel, autocor activities, sports, movies, seeks 55, to share interests and possible relationship. Add 8499 AFFECTIONATE, FAITHFUL

AFECTIONALE, Ministra 5 dod of one, 36, 5%, N/S social drinker, open, honest, respectful of others, enjoys quality time of home, weekends away, campites, cudding, talk, seeks 5%, kds okay, for companionship, possible relationship, Add, 1276

SEEKING SPECIAL SOMEONE

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HOLDING OUT

SWM, 26, never manied, no lidas, waiting for Ms. Right, lives on a lake, enjoys outdoors, boating, camping, spending time in the woods, sporting even's quiet times at home, seeks SWF, for possible relationship. Ad#.2727

ENJOYS GOOD CONVERSATION SM 28, 55, 190bs, muscular build, enjoys working out, bowling, golf, darts, billands, karaoke bon, seeks fun-koving, communicative SF, 22-30, for triendship first, maybe more, Adl 1028

SWM, 22 6'1', blond/brown hac bue/green eyes, N/S, social drhike dhiefic, eijoy boofing, sking, reading, cooking, bowling, seeking come, com-passionate, SWF, for triendship, possible relation-ship. Add 9099

READY FOR A RELATIONSHIP SWM. 30. 5'10", dark har/eyes/complexion, enoys outdoors, boaring, snowskiing snowmobiling, seeks caring, hanest, spontaneous SWK, under 30. hots okry, for possible serious relationship. Adif.3131

LOOKING FOR ME? SWM, 22, 6', N/S, occasional drinket, great person-ality, enjoys swimming, concerts, togethemess, motorcyching, widdle, seeks SWF, any age, for triendship, possible relationship. Add 9659

A GREAT CATCH DW dod, young 50, 5\*10°, 1658x, handsome, oth-lebc, Britton area, sincera, appreciative, profession-al, loves life, lida, triends and family, seeks sincera, honest, drittactive, isender ourdoorsy SF, who might be his soul mate. Adit.4848

LIKES OUTDOOR ADVENTURES

SWAL 25. tall, honest, outgoing, enjoys music, can-dielit dinner, spontanethy, seels compassionate, offectionate SWF, 10 hang out, share activities, pos-sibly leading to a relationship. Add 9799

SERIOUS ABOUT LOVE

WWM, 65, 61, N/S, secure, financially stable, outgo-ing, enjoys dining, dancing, long walks and talks, concerts, seeking to stare the set of his few with the right SF, who shares similar interests. Add 2851

WOW WOM SMM, 24, handsome, francoly secure, profession-al, enjoys coffee shops, movies, noves, theatre, adventures, wishes to make all dreams come true for the right SWF, any age, for a wonderful, loving the together. Add 9899

NEVER MARRED SWM, 24, seeking educated, coring, sensitive SWF, any age, who enjoys shopping, swimming, soccet, billing, for relationship, Ad# 9259

ENJOY THE FINER THINGS? SWAL 25, 6°2°, 1800ss, long sandy bland har, mas-culne, enjoys Harteys, comping, stat, animats, seeking F, who likes to have a good hme. Adl 6555

BUDE EYES SWM, 27, 61", 1500ct, enjoys special evenings, playing guitac backtubs, footbal, seels good-natured, sincere, caring SWF, 19-28, for possible relationship, Add 2204

SWM, 28, 572, 1200bs, blue-eyed blond, enjoys rock music, massage, swimping, dancing, cud-ding, movies, seels down-to-egorff, SWF, 19-28, to share interests, possible relationship. Ad#2970

FEEL THE SAME? SWM, 29, 1900s, honest, loving, no kids, enjoys comping, motocycles, swimming, dning out, oni-mats, comvicts, seeks SWF, with similar qualities and interests, for possible relationship. Add 9499

SEE WHAT DEVELOPS SWM, young 3a, Brition area, employed, enjoys walks, camping, Briting, battecues, pianics, seeks 55, smoker olay, non-driket for fitendship first, per-haps more. Add 1152

HOWELL AREA SWM, 34, 6°, 2000bs, honest, sincere, hardworking, enjoys weightifting, relating at home, fishing, camping, seeks tuskworthy 9°, 25-33, not obese, who is easy to talk to. Ad#.4461

LOOKING FOR FUN SWML 29, 6", dark hair/muslache, green eyes.

FLEXOBLE INTERESTS

SM. 42, very active, enjoys roller skating, blung, bl

ANSWERS ALL CALLS

SWM, 30s, medium build, clean-out, never marries college graduate, humorous, enjoys solim, snow/watersting, autumn cobor, frepioces, ouc ding, seeks SF, for possible relationship. Ad# 4539

CONTENT MATTERS MOST CONTENT MATTERS MOST SW dod, 35, 5°10°, 100bs, enjoys restoring over walls, talks, time with lids, sporting events, seeks D/SWF, age/loaks not as important as content in the heart, lids kay, for triendship, maybe more Ag#6532

LIVINGSTON COUNTY

SWM, 37, down-locarin, sncere, honest, affection-ate, enjoys sporting activities, quiet evenings, af-ing out, seeds 57, who appreciates being freated like a lody, for possible relationship. Ad# 2423

LOOKING FOR MS. RIGHT SWML 33, 522, brown hat blue eyes, seeks good-humored 55, who enjoys loughter joking, spiritual conversation, living life to the fullest, for possible relationship. Add 1962

INTERESTED IN A RELATIONSHIP? SWM, 27, 5'8", 135bs., N/S, occasional drinker, col-lege graduate, heatiny lifestyle, enjoys working out, travel, outdoor acchines, Kensington, seeks honest, attractive SF, with good humar. Adl 5885

READY FOR FUN

DW dod of one. 36 strole-minded, down-to-earth, enors drining out, outdoor activities, seeks SF, to share interests and activities, possible relationship later. Add 9876

PLAY ANY INSTRUMENTS? SWM, 20, spontaneous, seeks music-oriented SF, who enjoys partyling, movies, concerts, to share fun, triendship and possible relationship. Ad# 1922

NEW TO NORTHVILLE SM 21, 5'11", 150bc, blond/brown hat blue eyes, curgoing, enjoys doing things togethet, horseback riding, ORV riding, seeks SF, to share interests and possible relationship Ad4,7936

LOOKING FOR FRIENDS

SM, 28, words in Howell, enjoys rock and roll, out-door activities, seeks 55, to share interests and activities. Add 2856

MOM-TYPE WANTED

DW dod, 40, 5°, 1556s, stroker Kint drhker loves kds. enfort sports barbecues, picnics, quiet evenings of home, cooking, seeks senders mol 5°, 35-low 40x who likes family octivities. Add 9991

OPEN TO ALMOST ANYTHING

SU 22. 6<sup>1</sup>, 1600s, blond hok easygoing, enjoys social gatherings, chubs, the lake, romantic evenings, hanging out with therafs, seels, 57, to share interests, possible relationship. Add 9022

DOWN-TO-EARTH

SWM, 34, heathy, employed, down-to-earth, out-going, enjoys going to church, natura, outdoors, tids, sciences, teels 57, for Hendship, possible long-term reliationship, Ad9,3454

FUN TO BE WITH

SW, 19, 6'3', 1850c, blond hok hazel eyes, honest, sncere, affectionate, enjoys hockey, skoteboard-ing, snowboarding, molocyclas, seeking SF, to be that special someone. Add 90%

LIVES ON THE LAKE SWML 42, 5'11", 1700s. attractive, physically fit, enors booting, mowincbilling, motorcycling, seek-ing attractive, S70WF, 21-34, physically fit, with simi-tor interests. Add 3838

NEW 10 NORTHVILLE SWAL 21, 5'11", 1550s., a real country boy, enjoys honeback riding, travel seeks a real country Sf, with similar interests. For possible relationship Add 7936

mLOOKING FOR A COMPANION SWAL 25, 57°, 145bt, NS, non-driket seeks SWF, who enjoys the simple Ke, to shore activities and companionable. Add 8587

LIVES NEAR BRITTON

DWM, 41, 6', 1805. N/S, no tids, contra, giving, enjoys long walks, outdoors, noture, music, frowel, seeks S, with similar interests, for friendship, possibly leading to long-tasting relationship. Ad#.1117

liards, swimming, motorcycling, seeks SF, to interests and possible relationship. Ad#.5555

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for possible relationship. Ad# 1217

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LOVE TO GET TOGETHER

SWM. 40, rebellious, intelligent, knd, potent, loves life, seeking attractive, bright, spinted SF, for com-panionship, maybe more. Ad#,4451 SEEKING NEW ADVENTURES

SWM 33. SWM, 33, dark brown har/eyes, honest, caring, loves the outdoors, seeking S/DWF, 18-33 Add 1199

SEEKING SPECIAL SOMEONE SWM, 24, 6', 1850s, Brition/Howell area, enjoys outdoors, hunting, fahing, camping, sports, seeks honest, incere Sr, for triendship, possible relation-ship. Add 1571

ADDICTED TO WATER SWM, 53, 577, 1800s, N/S, drug-free, loyal, tust-worthy, dedicated, healthy, not without imperfec-hons, seeks S, with smillar qualities, for possible relationship. Addr 9454

BE HEARING FROM YOU SWM, 42, 5°P, 166bs., brown has blue eyes, look-ing for good F, to develop good friendship, poss-ble relationship afterwards. Add 1152

DON'T STREE OUT Methodat DW dod, 34, 62°, 190bs, NS, non-drinket church-goet outgoing, coring, friendly, heipht, easygoing, seeks deep, honest relationship with a newer married S, who enjoys history, docu-mentaries, exercise. Ad#Add1

"Acquaint thyself with Him, and be at peace; thereby

good shall come unto thee." Job 22:21

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#### LIKE TO HEAR FROM YOU

SWF, 18, 5 97, green eyes, lites animals, pool, meet ing new people, rock music, going out, seeking SM, 18-23, for damig. Add 7777

#### CALL ANTWAY

SWF, 18, 519°, brown hok green eyes, enjoys hock-ey, musc, animats, outdoors, poot trovel, going out with fiends seeing SWA 18-22, for thinduite, e possible relationing. Add 1312

#### MANY INTERESTS TO SHARE Smam of two teens 42, 59°, stender home owner, temployed, enjoys reading, cooking, loaging, and malt, long wats and talks, seeks special SM, with similar interests, for trendship, and maybe more Adl 7107

#### RETURNS ALL CALLS

W mom of two, 21, 572°, 100bs, very attractive, enors movies talk dancing, romanic evenings of home seeks SWM, to share interests and possible redonatiop Adl 2155

#### GOOD OUTLOOK ON LIFE

SNF, young 59, N/S, non-dimiser employed, roman-tic, enjoys walks together, dining out quet evening at nome, cudsting works romanic SVM, N/S, who likes to be parapered, for com-spanionship, maybe more. Adt 3450

#### AWAITING YOUR CALL

DWF, 65, energietic useford, honest, enjoys danc-ing, romanic evening, trovid, soeks sincere SMM, 15565, NG, dup thes social dirikers okay for posi-tole relationship. Add 1920

SWF, 30 5.5", enjoys honest, personal growth, Jeamna, sprituality nature walks, kishc cabins, reading, talks, wood burning stoves, oil kamps, Seeks SM to share interests and possible relation-iship. Adl 2245

#### PROMISE KEEPER WANTED!

Provides and SW non. 31, attractive, strong faith in Read, strong family values, enjoys Christian rock, roukdoors, sports, seeks adventurous, professional must growned SWA, to become proyer partner mand companion. Adf 9830

#### WORKS AFTERNOONS

Works All tencors SWF 40, encys doing things for other people, seeks SSCM, with similar values, who enjoys long slow works in the park, zoos music, quiet times together with using conversionon, for possible relationship what is 42

#### NEW TO HOWELL/BRITON

SW mom of two, 21, 5'2', 1600a, long blonde hor steels affractive SWM, who enjoys tids, romance adapting, movies, for possible relationship doncina Adl 2444

#### LOVES ATTENTION

I LOVES ATTENTION "SWF, 37, 55", good personality/humor, enjoys movies, drinng out, travel, workching sursets, quiet times together, seeks lowing, affectionate, finan-tolaty states SWM, 30-48, for companionship, possi-ble relationship, Add 2058

#### INTERESTED? CALU

SWF. 20. enjoys reading, withing poetry, contempo-ray Chistrian music, concerts, wolls in the park, seeks that, sweet, understanding SV, for honest, tpecial relationship. Add 1313

#### FAMILY VALUES A MUST

SW mom of two, 31, 59°, medium build, enjoys abudoor octivities, suriests, spending time with form-dy, seeks SM, 30-40, with some same values, for sposible relationship. Add 3308

#### YERY PETTE

TEXT FILLS 3WF, 20, 5'4', 120b, eriors nature, movies, quiel trates of home, concerts, music, seeks honest, sin-trates SM, who isnows how to head a loay right, for franching, possible relationship. Add 2233

SPARTING PERSONALITY TOWE 50, 52°, 1156s, IVS, local dinket energelic, sortionaric, ambitus, shong volues, home ownet, enclose peak theoloce evening, knows sochs, steeks and back theoloce evening, knows sochs, steeks and holdows. Add 8372

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#### LIVES NEAR NOVI

SWCF, 3d, 5°8° 13005, never married, 'N/S. Protestant, seeks contrig, honest financially secure III SCM, 35-40, N/S, never married, for posible sor-our relationship leading to marriage. Adl 8658

BEAUTIFUL HEART A MUST SWF. 24. 5.7°, 12/2024, enjoys wotersking, canoeing, whitewater rafing, toxel, seeks honest, canog SA, a genterinan who isoves how to treat a lady, for posible relationship. Add 2227

BUE-FTD BLONDE SWF, 19, 5.7°, 1190bs, affectionate enjoys hot hub-bing shopping cudding giving massages, meet ing people, seeks horeat, romanic SM, 18-30, N/S, preferino lads. Add 7359

SOUND APPEALING? SWF 23, 5,5°, 1200s, enjoys hiking, water sking, animati, cooking, movies, meeting afferent peo-pie, seeling horiset caring M. 18-35, with similar interests, for possible relationship. Add 1200

RAISED IN GEORGIA SWF 29, 5.8", 140bs errors hone back riding, inopping romanic annes Southern took teek honest, caring M. for possible relationship ing hone Add 6263

#### LIFE'S MEEN GOOD

Let 3 set in GOUD SW mort, 31, 52°, 1450s, outgoing, nutruma, affectionate, spontaneous, erfort being active socializing, picnics, canivats, seeks SM, to share activities and companionship. Adl 3311

NUE-EYED SLONDE SWF 22, 517, 11855, social and outgoing, enjoys meeting people, club, parties, seeks SM, to have interests and possible relationship. Act 8998

LOOKS DON'T MATTER SWF, 18, 5.8°, 125bs, recent high school grad, seeks honest, non-concered SM, beautiful riside fun to be weth, goad conversionarist? for possible relationship. Add 4001

#### WANTED: BEST FREND

Pette DW mon of one 29 N/2 charsmatic, hon-est, haeligent, enjoys adventuresome fun racing, hung, seed SWA 2540, some qualities for poss-ble relationship, no games, no pressure. Adit 1616

ACITYE MAN WANTED IF, 22, 57°, 1450s, brown har/eyes, seeks wentrous SM for hang, switting, possible nance Adj.1600

#### LOVER OF ADVENTURE

CUVER OF ADVENTURE 57 (8, 5%), 1300s, too many bod past relation-shop, anjoys concerts, clubs, parties, quel rights, alone, seeks SM, 18-24, sindlar therests, who knows how to tread a woman right. Ad8 2222

#### DOESN'T LIKE COOKING

SF, 34, tall, voluptuous, no kids, enjoys sports. U of M football, music, seeks tall, easygoing SWM, 28-38, smilar interests, for possible relationship. Ad4 2510 PRE-MED STUDENT

SWF, 19, 5.8°, 1600s, lover to lough, enjoys rugby, bliding, rollenblading, works, seeks SW, to share loughter and fun times, possible relationship Add 1024

#### BORN AGAIN CHRISTIAN

SWCF, 38, never married, professional, home ownet enjoys old movies, animals, renovating home, reading, seeking Bam Again SCM, to share interests & possible relationship. Add 3903

LOOKING FOR MR. RIGHT SWF, 43, 514°, medium build, enjoys bowing, quel times at home, much more seeking honest, caring SWL smillor interests, who wants to feel special Ad4.3455

#### POSTTY WOMAN

SWF, 40, 5'2', brown hax green eyes, coring, lensi-ave, honest, loving, enjoys comping, walks, roman-sc dinners, seeking SM, with lense of humor, who will be loving, honest & coring with his more Ads 1213

#### SHARING LIFE'S DREAMS

SF, 29, professional, enjoys rollerblading, volleyball, barbecues, darts, billiards, dining out, seeking matwated, yet easygoing SM, to share interests possible relationship. Add 3579

#### VERY PETITE LADY

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DWF, 40, big blue eves, blonde has profesional, enors outdoors, theatria, dining out, plays seeking positive SN, kind, sensitive, nurkning good istener & conversiononalist, with God list in his Ne. Add 5101

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LOVES THE OUTDOORS

DWM, 32, 5°10°, 145bs, enjoys evenings cut, camping, animats, voteybal, most sports, quiet evenings home, seeking D/SF, 18-33, for dating, maybe more Adil 3462

CERTFEDE

SWM, 53, 577, 1800s, rednead, N/S, drug/alcohol tree, enjoys scuba diving, seeking F, with smilar interests, for relationship. Add 5205

LET'S HAVE COFFEE

SWML 35. 6", 165bit, hardworking, secure, erroys comping, fishing, bowling, outdoors, dring out, open to other octivities, seeking SF, for triendsho, dating, Add 1947

GOAL-ORIENTED SWCM, 25, 5 97, 1700s., blond hax blue eyes, hon-est, enjoys hockey, movies, seeling SCF, with a positive artitude, honest, caring and mature, for triendship first Ads 1239

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER SWM. 29, 58", 160bs, bue-eyed blond, attractive, seeks intelligent, fun, articulate, mentally/physical-ly fit St, with a good sense of humor, for possible relationship. Add/2256

HONESTY A MUSTI DWM, 60, looks 50, 175be, N/S, non-drinke, Howell orea, enjoys most sports, quice evenings, dring out, seeks SF, 40-56, to share interests and possible relationship. Addr.4245

WANTS A SWEETHEART SWM, 24, 6°, 1908s, blond hor, blue eyes, enjoys sports, culdoors activities, wolks, gulet evenings of home, seeking sincere, honest SF. Ads 1571

CASUAL OR DRESS UP

SWM, 40, strong family values, likes animals and children, country music, dancing, outdoors, poet-ry, photography, seeking 55, similar interests. Adl 2331

FIT THE BILL? SWM, 36, 6', 2001bs, blue-eyed blond, enjoys comping bling bowing seeks offectionate, hon-est, blue-eyed blonde SWF, medium build, with good sense of humot for possible relationship Add 1279 FIT THE BALL?

A GOOD LISTENER SWM, 24, 6', college groutore, honest, respectful, open to trying new and exciting things, enjoys roc-quetball, walks, dhing out, seeks caring, smart, hun-to-be-with SF, for relationship based on triend-ship and trust. Add 9683

CARING AND SENSITIVE

SWAL 26, 519, college graduate, enjoys movies, dining out, rocquetball, nature, seeing coring, warm-hearted 55, for fitendship, possible long term relationship Adl 1589

WORKS FOR FORD SWM, 43, 59°, short brown holt brown eyes, medi-um buld, file music, long wolks, quiet evenings, movies, horing a good time, seeking interested F. Adf 1212 WORKS FOR FORD

INTERESTED? CALL

SWCM, 37, 67, 2008s, blue eyes, brown hac enjoys reading, kids, pets, dining out, movies, spending time of home, seeks 57, to share interests and pos-sible relationship. Add 6540

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#### SEEKING CATHOLIC MAN

Never maned SCF, 24 seeking SCM, 25-30 college educated, who enjoys socces, billing, singing, for possible relationship. Adl 1971 WILL ANSWER ALL CALLS

Young ochieve down to earth 57, 47, 57, enjoys music dancing bowling movies seeking snoere comg SNL with smilar interests, possible relation-ship Adt 3528

#### HOME FOR SUMMER

SWF, 20, enjoys performing arts, outdoors, seeking humorous, confident SM, with similar interests, for summerime tun. Add.6245

#### SEEKING OUTDOORSMAN

SWF 26, 5 3°, brown hait blue eyes, enjoys comp-ing, lover kds, seeking hardworking SM, 25-32, for possible relationship. Ad# 1969

#### HOLLOW AREA

SWF, 31 5 2°, small build, light blande has mother employed enors walk, camping, fishing, barbe-cues, buighing, seeling honest, caring, SWM, 27-37, non-drivite for their dship. Add 7214

#### QUIET TIMES TOO

SWF. 25. enjoys car racing, outdoors, camping, seeking SWM, who likes children, for possible relahonship Adl 3333

#### CALL SOON

SWF, 19, 5 5°, 125bs, enjoys romantic nights, danc-ing, dring out, shopping, good times, seeking hon-est, lovat, funny SWM, 20-25, for triendship, maybe more Adt 5907

#### DON'T BE ALONE

CUT I BE ALONE SWF, 45, petite enjoys curdoors, works, seeks hon-est, SWM, easy to takk with, no game players, for long term relationship. Adl 2223

#### WHERE ARE YOU?

White Are YOU? Spril-filed SWCF, 30, 5'11', self-employed, sponto-necus, vivacious, intelligent, enjoys comping, ten-ria, rating, talks, seeking tal, heavy, SWCM, 27-35, spril filed, no drihlers, shokes, divorcees, must shore love of the Lord. Add 2442

#### LIKES EUCHRE, PINOCHLE

LINES EUCHRE, PINOCHLE SWF, young 55, 5 4°, blonde, N/S, enjoys music, dancing reading booting swimming, walls, trav-el, seeking SU, to share activities and interests. Add 8335

CHRIST CENTERED DWF, 40, 5'2', blonde, blue/green eyes, enjoys bowling, movies, music, family, church octivities, seeking SWM, 39-55, for committed relationship Adl 4555

#### SEEKING CHRISTIAN

Values DW mom, 35, reddshybrown hak blue eyes, queen-sted, seeking intelligent SWAL with a good sense of humor, for possible relationship. Add 3600

#### WRITES POETRY

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SWF, 20, 5'5', brown hait blue eyes, enjoys reading, movies. Christian rock, seeking SVL 20-26, kind, sweet and understanding, who likes poetry. Add 5005

#### BIG BEAUTIFUL WOMAN DWF, 45 looks 35, 5'8', very romantic, financially secure, loves to pamper seeking good-hearted SW, for possible relationship. Ad# 7481



# RECORD MOVIES



# **Twins create comic chaos**

Takes Two," Diane Barrows, played by Kirstie Alley, is looking for the love of her life. Not merely an available guy, but the Real Thing: that home-run, hit-it-outof the park feeling that only comes with the knowledge that he's the one. And once she finds him. Diane is ready to settle down for good and raise the family she's always dreamed of.

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But the Real Thing doesn't come along every day. So, in the meantime, Diane pursues her career as a case worker at an orphanage in New York City. She loves her job. and she especially adores one of the kids - nine-year-old Amanda Lemmon (Mary-Kate Olsen), a feisty, streetwise urchin who loves Diane right back.

Diane wishes she could adopt Amanda, but the authorities think the little girl should have a family. And a family is something both Diane and Amanda wish for every night...

Roger Callaway, played by Steve Guttenberg, is a successful businessman with a nine-year-old daughter, Alyssa (Ashley Olsen), who is his pride and joy. Unfortunately, since the death of his wife several years ago. Roger hasn't met another woman who can hold a candle to his memories of wedded bliss.

On top of that, Roger has been busily running a multi-million dollar corporation and hasn't been able to spend as much time with Alyssa as they'd each have liked.

Roger thinks Alyssa needs a mother, and the excruciatingly ambitious (and child-hating)

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In the romantic comedy "It socialite Clarice Kensington (Jane akes Two," Diane Barrows. Sibbett) has decided she'd be per-layed by Kirstie Alley, is looking fect for the job — especially because the fringe benefits seem so enticing. So Roger, Alyssa and Clarice are spending the summer together at the Callaways' magnificent lakeside vacation home in upstate New York, the better to get acquainted - before Roger and Clarice get married.

Across the lake from the Call-away mansion, Diane, Amanda and the rest of the group from the East Side Children's Center are spending the summer at fun-filled Camp Callaway. One day, the inevitable happens: Amanda the orphaned tomboy and Alyssa the manicured heiress come face to face - and they discover, to their astonishment, that they look exactly alike!

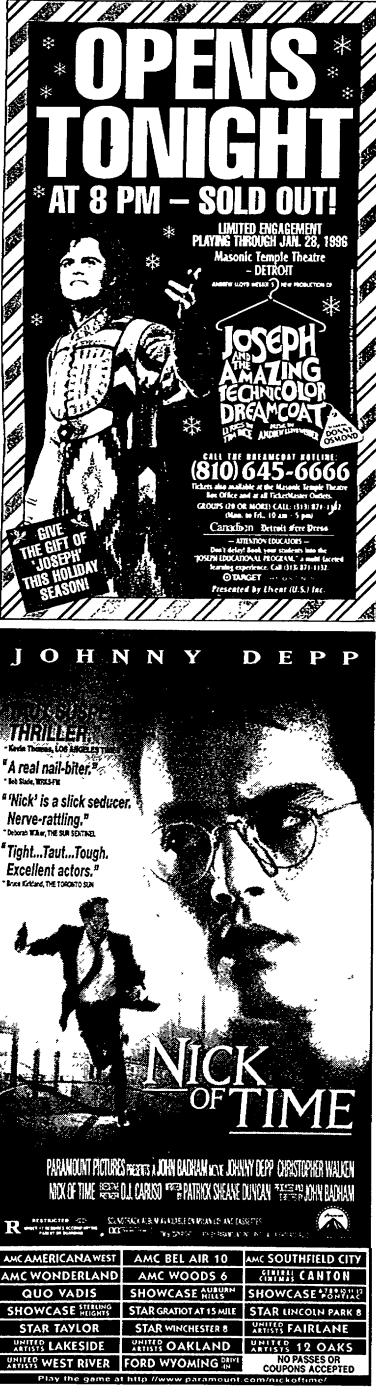
Hoping that this twist of nature can help bring them the parents they've longed for, the girls imme-diately decide to switch identities and, working behind the scenes, to orchestrate a meeting between Roger and Diane — before Clarice drags Roger down the aisle. Can two little girls turn the best-laid abase of a group of groupup

laid plans of a group of grownups into comic chaos in less than 24 hours? Should Diane and Roger even consider risking their entire lives on their secret wish for that Real Thing, home-run, hit-it-out-

of the park feeling? Well, if two heads are better than one, just imagine what two identical girls can do to help true love work its magic...especially when the magic is aimed at a couple who already believe in its power...



Alyssa Callaway (Ashley Olsen) and Amanda Lemmon (Mary-Kate Olsen) help true love work its magic in "It Takes Two."



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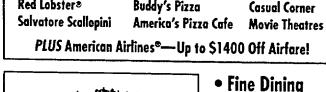


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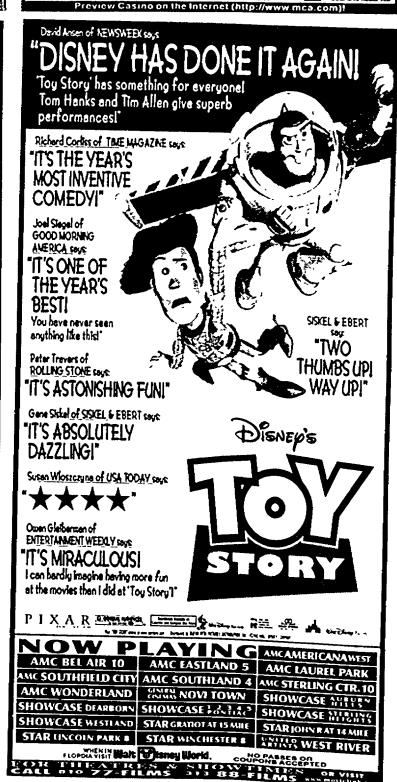
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# Pet detective takes to the African jungle

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ACE VENTURA: WHEN NATURE CALLS By Heather Wadowski Northville

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Jim Carrey is back as Ace Ventura, the pet detective that put him on the road to success.

When the movie begins, viewers find the pet detective in the Tibetan Ashram, where he has sought spiritual comfort after failing to prevent a raccoon's death. He is soon called away to go on a mission in Africa, where he is to find the spiritual white bat. If Ace cannot find the bat, a war between the two African tribes will break out.

The only thing keeping Ace from finding the bat is the kidnapper who will do anything to keep the bat...even kill Ace.

Like most sequels, "Ace Ventura: When Nature Calls' reuses the same jokes and stunts as the original "Ace Ventura: Pet Detective." Still, Jim Carrey makes the movie viewers laugh so hard, it's like they've never seen them before. With a few new jokes added in. \*Ace Ventura: When Nature Calls\* gets almost as many laughs as the original, and enough laughs to make it a huge hit.

Ace Ventura: When Nature . Calls" receives four and one-half stars out of five, with five being the highest. If you loved the original "Ace Ventura," see the sequel. If you hated it, don't bother.



LORENZO'S OIL By Robert B. Ziegler Novi

Susan Sarandon. Nick Nolte. Heard of them? Did you love her in "Thelma & Louise?" You thought he was pretty fantastic in The Prince of Tides?

But have you seen "Lorenzo's Oil"? If not...Well, as the saying goes, you ain't seen nothing yet. Simply watching Noite and Sarandon perform together on screen would be enough to sing about. But what if you threw in a gripping, emotionally wrenching story? And what if it was based on a true story? Could it get any better? Yes.

Remember the post-apocalyptic action film "The Road Warrior?" As directed by George Miller, it was one of the most intense and trend-setting films to ever grace



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Pet detective Ace Ventura (Jim Carrey) makes new friends in Morgan Creek Productions' "Ace Ventura: When Nature Calls."

the genre. So what did the director do next? He took a sobering true story.

namely that of a five-year-old boy stricken with a rare terminal disease, and turned it into a dynamic and compelling film. Sounds great, but getting back to Nick Nolte and Susan Sarandon...

That's the best part, and I've saved it for last. They've delivered the most impassioned pair of performances I have ever seen put together in one film. Remove either one and you would still have a dynamite movie.

But with both of them going at full-throttle for two hours and sixteen minutes, it is a near masterpiece. With Zack O'Malley Greenburg just as dramatically effective

as the dying young boy, you would be very hard-pressed to find a more involving and powerful cinematic experience.

Don't be frightened off by the true-story, childhood disease aspect. Do yourself a favor tonight and watch something meaningful. something exciting, and something boiling over with power and conviction. Go to the video store and rent "Lorenzo's Oil." You can thank me later.

#### FLUKE By Heather Wadowski Northville

"Fluke" is the heartwarming family story that has viewers wondering if there is life after death.

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Fluke is a dog (played by "Full House's' Comet) who was a man in a previous life. As Fluke grows up, more and more dreams haunt him of his past life and he soon realizes that his family is in danger.

Soon Fluke is on his way to find his family ... and he runs into his share of adventures.

He gets caught by the dog pound and a bad guy who sells him to an animal experiment center, befriends a homeless lady and a junk collector, and makes a lifelong friend in an old dog. Rufus. 'Fluke" has its surprises, its humor, and its touching

moments. That's why "Fluke" receives four stars out of five. "Fluke" is no "Benji," "Lassie," or

\*Homeward Bound: The Incredible Journey," but it definitely deserves its spot among the classics.

#### **TOY STORY** By Katie Piet, age 10 Northville

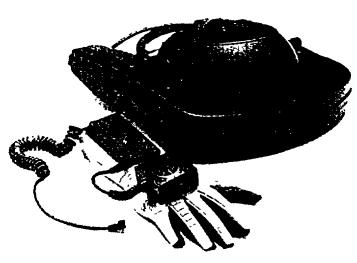
My family and I were one of the many families to see the movie Toy Story over Thanksgiving break. We were looking forward to seeing it and we were not disappointed. I thought it was cool because it was computer animated. The movie was also very funny. Some of the toys that came alive I had when I was younger. I recommend the movie "Toy Story." I hope you enjoy it just like I did.



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# Pacino, De Niro turn up the 'Heat' in L.A. crime story

"Heat" is a sweeping detective/crime story set in contemporary Los Angeles. Written and directed by Michael Mann, "Heat" stars Academy Award-winners Al Pacino and Robert De Niro and features a supporting cast that includes Val Kilmer, Jon Voight, Tom Sizemore, Diane Venora, Amy Brenneman, Ashley Judd, Mykelü Williamson, Wes Studi and Ted Levine.

Robert DeNiro portrays Neil McCauley, a hardened professional criminal who has spent many years behind bars and is determined never to go back. A highly focused loner. McCauley lives a transient existence — he allows nothing in his life that he can't walk out on in 30 seconds flat. He and his crew of ex-convicts — Chris Shiherlis (Kilmer). Michael Cheritto (Sizemore) and Nate (Voight) — are putting down a series of well-planned, high-number robberies around Los Angeles.

Al Pacino plays Vincent Hanna, a lieutenant of detectives in L.A.P.D.'s Robbery/Homicide Division who "sifts through the leavings of a crime for the scent of his prey and then hunts them down." These are the elevated experiences in his life — the rest is disorder. Married three times, divorced twice. Hanna's current union is already precarious as he focuses all his attention on Neil McCauley.

When Neil McCauley and his team rob an armored truck of bearer bonds and three guards are

killed. Vincent Hanna takes the case. The first characteristic of the crew's M.O. that Hanna recognizes is that they are good. McCauley's precision makes him nearly impossible to track down. But through Hanna's network of informants and the life of each man - wives. wives' lovers, failures and dreams, betrayals and vendettas - generate details Hanna is able to track. Soon, Vincent Hanna and his detectives and Neil McCauley and his crime partners are driven towards a doomed confrontation from which only one side will survive.

"Heat" examines the characters of two extraordinarily driven men whose actions tear through the fabric of Los Angeles.



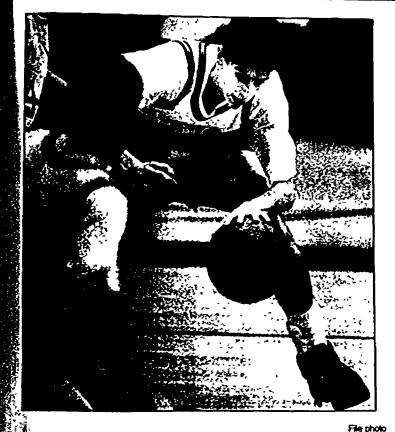
Robert De Niro plays top-level cold-blooded career thief Neil McCauley, and Val Kilmer plays Chris Shiherlis, his trusted crew member in Warner Bros.' and Regency Enterprises' sweeping crime story, "Heat," written and directed by Michael Mann.





# RECORD **SPORTS**





Mark Sander will be a main cog for Northville this winter.

# **Cagers start Tuesday**

### By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

If experience counts for anything, the Mustang boys' basketball team should be in for a successful 1995-96 season.

Northville High will start five seniors this winter in hopes of improving on last year's 11-10 record. The Mustangs will be under first year coach Tim Turner, who replaced now athletic director Larry Taylor.

"I think this league, at the top, is a difficult league," said Turner, "with Canton, Walled Lake Central and Salem."

Like his predecessor, he hopes to keep the Mustangs running with those powerhouse clubs.

We hope to challenge," Turner said.

A counselor at Northville High, Turner coached at South Lyon a year ago. Ironically, the Mustangs play his old team in the season opener Tuesday at South Lyon. That'll be really weird," said

Turner While he's new to Northville basketball, the coach isn't in the dark

about the Western Lakes Activities Association. Turner's been friends with several coaches around the league.

"I'm not coming in blind," he said. "I'm pretty familiar with most of the league."

He's spent the last few weeks getting familiar with his new team. The Mustangs will carry a dozen players this winter, six seniors and six juniors. Northville will need all of that experience to be competitive.

Turner said he's not sure how deep his team will be. One thing is for sure, though, the Mustangs are vertically challenged.

We do have a huge size problem." Turner admitted.

Northville will have just two players taller than 6-foot-2, Ben Szostek (6-4) and Jeff Ahrens (6-4). The Mustangs will try to work around that shortcoming with multiple defenses and offenses

According to Turner, Northville will definitely not be lacking in once crucial area - point guard. Senior Aneil Kersey is back to run the Mustang attack.

"With his speed we'll try to run the floor," 'said Turner. "We do hope to play up-tempo and get the ball to Aneil."

Kersey has the most important job on the floor, he added.

"In high school," Turner said, 'you need a point guard more than anything else. We think Kersey is that."

Mark Sander will be taking a lot of passes from Kersey. The 6-1 senior will play shooting guard.

"He's a wonderful scorer," said Turner. "Him and Szostek have to fill it up. I expect Mark to score a lot.'

Sander has lots of range to shoot three-pointers and good first step to the basket. Szostek will help Sander with the scoring load.

"He's an outstanding player," said Turner. "There's not many big people that will be able to guard Ben.

Like Sander, Szostek has good range and can drive to the basket. He's also got good moves around the basket, said Turner.

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#### MUSTANG BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

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Dec. 5 - At South Lyon
Dec. 8" At Edsel Ford
Dec. 15 BRIGHTON
Dec. 19 Northville Tournament
Dec. 20 Northville Tournament
<u>Jan. 5</u> At Salem
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Jan. 12 N. FARMINGTON
Jan 19 CHURCHILL
Jan: 23 At John Glenn
Jan: 26 At Canton
Jan. 30 FARMINGTON
Feb. 2 At Franklin
Feb. 6 at Central
Feb. 9 WESTERN
Feb. 13 STEVENSON
Feb. 16 At Harrison
Feb. 23 WLAA
Feb. 27 At WLAA
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Home games are at 7 p.m.

### Chiasson makes area 2nd team

It wouldn't be surprising to see the members of the 1995 East All-Area girls basketball second-team driving the team bus or cleaning up the locker rooms at their respective arenas.

Not that these super hoopers have a lot of extra time on their hands. They're probably busier than most high school students but these girls do just about everything else for their teams so what's

a little extra duty? Versatile is the only way to describe our second unit. Whether it's defense, rebounding, scoring or just plain hustle — this second team has got all the bases covered on the court and all players have gone to great lengths to improve any weaknesses in their games.

Here's a closer look at the members of the second squad selected by the sports editors of The Milford Times, The South Lyon Herald, The

# **Pair of Mustangs** make all-area first team in '95

The 1995 HomeTown Newspapers' East All-Area Basketball First Team isn't tall in stature. But, by gosh, they're big on talent.

Led by player of the year Samantha Leger, our club features skill, versatility and determination. During this year's fall campaign, Leger teamed with Lauren Metaj to form a deadly one-two punch for Northville.

Our guard-oriented squad also features South Lyon's Koren' Kastamo. The senior had a fine allaround season, averaging 13 points a game and more than three assists. Kastamo was also one of the area's best three-point shooters.

Jessica Kenny and Stephante Uballae round out our '95 team. Kenny, a sophomore, was a leader for Novi playing point guard while Ubailae was probably the Kensington Valley Conference's premier

post player. hile Hon

#### LAUREN METAJ Northville, soph. guard

Still just a sophomore, Metaj played beyond her years this fall. She switched from playing with her back to the basket to running the team at point guard. Wright

said she did it without a hitch, too. \*To make that transition was great," said Wright. "Nobody really

gave her any problems." Metaj was voted to the WLAA All-Western Division squad - and rightfully so.

She averaged 15 points, six rebounds, 4.5 assists and 3.6 steals a game. In other words, Metaj was a fine all-around player. 'I forgot she was a sophomore at times," Wright said. "She really

#### JESSICA KENNY Novi, soph. guard

takes care of business."

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all-area squad will never suit up together on the floor, we're sure it would be a winning combination. So here's a closer look at the players as chosen by the sports editors of the Novi News, Northville Record, South Lyon Herald and Milford Times:

#### SAMANTHA LEGER Northville, sr. guard

The senior was simply in a class by herself this year.

An All-WLAA selection for the second straight year, Leger put together an awesome season. The 5-foot-8 guard led the area in scoring and was among the best in nearly every other category.

Coach Pete Wright Leger really turned it over the last month of the season.

"Late in the year she was outstanding," he said. "She started playing defense a lot better and that triggered her offense.

"It got her into the game more. Once she gained her confidence she felt she could do anything she wanted to on the floor."

Area team.

Jessica joins our first teamers for the first time. Her sister. Kristin, was a perennial choice for the first team.

At any rate, the younger Kenny more than earned her spot.

She led Novi in scoring and assists and was the third leading rebounder.

She used her skills well to compete all season," coach Dennis Cichonski said. "She exceeded my expectations."

Kenny made the All-KVC second team. Cichonski said she'll likely be at the point next season, but not necessarily as a guard.

She could be the new Grant Hill," he said in referring to the Detroit Pistons' "point forward."

#### KOREN KASTAMO

South Lyon, sr. guard Kastamo met almost all of the goals she set out to accomplish this season as she led the Lions' attack from the point.

Northville Record and The Novi News.

#### BROOKE RATHS

South Lyon, fr. center Raths became only the second player to ever start on the Lions'

varsity team this fall and she did a marvelous job in her rookie year. She led the team in scoring, putting up 12.9 points per game.

She was also tops in rebounds, hauling in 8.5 caroms per contest. Her .447 field goal percentage was best on the Lions and she was the leading foul shooter at .584 percent this season.

She's not only one of the best freshman I've ever coached," Lions' skipper Ron Shanks said, "she's one of the best players I've ever coached.

With the absence of another big player for SL Raths had to get a quick education in the post this season. Shanks said Raths did remarkably well for a first-year player and he thinks she has the

Continued on 12

Continued on 12 Samantha Leger made all-conference for the second time and was our player of the year.

# local residents compete in state football finals, win big

### By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

The Mustangs didn't make it to the state football finals this year. but that doesn't mean Northville wasn't represented at the Silverdome last weekend.

About a half-a-dozen local residents played in the finals from Class AA to Class B Friday and Saturday in Pontiac. As fate had it, all of the young men walked away champions.

Mike Ambroziak, Bill Ford Jr. and Chris Bohm played for undefeated AA titlist Redford Catholic Central. Ambrozlak, a starting wide receiver, said the Shamrocks had something to prove.

We went 6-3 last year," the senior said. "It was a real bad season. We came back with revenge." Ford agreed.

"The entire team came through," said the starting fullback. We set a goal at the start of the season to make it to the championship game.

We came through on our goals." The Shamrocks were on a mission all year.

Top teams like Brother Rice. Orchard Lake St. Mary and Detroit St. Martin De Porres all fell to Catholic Central during the regular season. A 24-0 blanking of Holt Saturday completed the mission.

It feels real good," Ambroziak said of the championship.

CC ran the ball about 80 percent of the time this season. That didn't leave many opportunities for receivers to catch passes.

But Ambroziak finished with two catches, both in the Brother Rice game. His main duties, like the team's other receivers, came in the area of blocking, he said.

We had fun out there," said Ambrozlak, who plans to study engineering in college, "and got our

blocks down."

Ford was another guy concerned with blocking. The senior helped open holes for all-state running back John Spolsky.

While Spolsky and Greg Alcala were the main ball carriers, Ford showed he knew what to do with the ball, too. He carried twice in the championship game for 13 yards.

Playing at the Silverdome was almost getting to be old hat for Ford. Saturday's game was his third this season.

Ford overcame a large obstacle to play at all this year. He had surgery to repair a hernia and missed the team's first four games.

"I lost a lot of strength," Ford said, noting that he wasn't allowed to lift weights after the surgery.

But he recovered enough to help out in the backfield. Ford carried 14 times for just under 100 yards

in the regular season. Saturday's state final was bittersweet for Ford.

"It was my last game of football," he said.

Northville resident Jim Imsland's career probably will continue into college. But, for now, the Detroit Country Day senior is enjoying a Class B championship.

Along with twin brother Brett, Imsland helped DCD knock off Muskegon Orchard View 28-14 in the finals Friday. The 6-foot-3 defensive end made five tackles and returned a fumble 42 yards for a touchdown in the second quar-

The brothers will get a ring for their accomplishment. But it won't be the first.

The Imslands have won state crowns in basketball and baseball as well.

"It was nice to win in each



**MIKE AMBROZIAK** 

football the most."

sport," said Jim. "But I wanted

With their high school careers

**BILL FORD** 

over, college is on the horizon. Jim said the University of Pennsylvania is interested in signing both him and Brett.



### Sports Shorts

#### LETTER WINNER

Heather Huizing, a 1995 Northville High graduate, earned a letter as a soccer player for Hope College this fall. She played four years of varsity soccer for the Mustangs.

#### **COACHES NEEDED**

Coaches are needed for the 1996 Northville Junior Baseball travel program. Please apply in writing to David Jerome, president, Northville Junior Baseball, P.O. Box 220, Northville, Ml. 48167 prior to Nov. 27.

#### NORTHVILLE YOGA

Yoga classes are held at the Northville American Legion Hall through Dec. 14. Registration is currently under way. For more information, call director Diane Siegel-DiVita at (810) 344-0928.



**HEATHER HUIZING** 

#### **Recreation Briefs**

#### WINTER BROCHURE

Look for the Northville Parks and Recreation winter activities brochure to be delivered the week of Dec. 18. If you do not receive a brochure please come to the office. We will have extra brochures available in the office and in the lobby of the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main.

#### NEW ATTITUDE AEROBICS & STEP BENCH

New Attitude Aerobics is offering aerobics and step bench classes at the Northville Community Center continuously throughout the year. Classes are held daily.

For information regarding specific days and times call New Attitude Aerobics at 348-3120 or the Recreation Office at 349-0203.

#### SCUBA

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Northville Parks and Recreation will be offering SCUBA instruction through Don's Dive Shop at the Northville High School pool. Classes are Mondays and/or Wednesdays from 6 to 10 p.m. and run for three or six weeks.

The fee is \$78 (non-resident fees apply). The class fee does not include equipment rental, handbook (approximately \$110), and open water training (approximately \$135). You must be a good swimmer to enroll in this class. Register at the Community Center, 303 W. Main Street.

#### YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUES

All girls and boys in 6th-9th grades are invited to join basketball leagues sponsored by Northville Parks and Recreation. Games will be played on Saturdays with practices held during the week.

The registration deadline is Wednesday, Dec. 6. A late fee of \$10 will be charged for any registrations accepted after that date. The fee is \$72 (non-resident fees apply). Register now at the Community Center. 303 W. Main Street. Coaches are needed for all of these leagues!

#### ADULT VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE

Northville Parks and Recreation is offering a winter volleyball league for adults. Competitive leagues will be offered on Monday evenings and intermediate leagues on Wednesday evenings beginning in September. The fee is \$160 per team. The non-residents' fee is \$15 per player. Applications are available in the Recreation Office, 303 W. Main Street. The registration deadline is Dec. 21 at 4:30 p.m. or until the league is filled. For more information contact the Recreation Department at 349-0203.

#### WINTER REGISTRATION

Winter registration for Northville Parks and Recreation programs will begin on Thursday Jan. 4, 1996, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Community Center, 303 W. Main Street. After this date you may register during regular business hours, Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Northville Parks and Recreation accepts cash, personal checks, and Mastercard/Visa.

#### TURKEY SHOOT FREE THROW CONTEST

On Saturday, Nov. 18 the Northville Parks and Recreation Department held its Second Annual Turkey Shoot Free Throw Contest. Twenty-eight teams vied for first prize of a turkey, second prize of a chicken, and third prize of a cornish hen. All prizes were donated by Shopping Center Market. Teams were made up of one child paired with one adult. Teams were broken into groups by the child's age. Listed below are the winners of each age group.

#### Age 4-6

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First, Terry and Kellen Miglio; second, Mark and Matthew Wegzyn; third, Kevin and Kyle Hayes.

Age 7-8

First, David and Joshua Trent; second, Ken and Andy Koupal; third, Rick and Ricky Birdsall.

### **Mustangs** compile 16-6 hoop record

### By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

After a turbulent start, 1995 turned out to be a fine season for the Mustang girls' basketball team. Northville High won 14 games

during the regular season then went on to take two more in the state tournament. Salem ended the Mustangs' run in the district final.

Not bad considering the team changed head coaches early in the season. Gary Schwan resigned after the Mustangs got off to a 2-1 start, citing personal reasons.

Pete Wright, a former assistant in the early '90s, stepped in and settled things down. The coach said it took more than a month for the team to get comfortable with the style of play he wanted.

"It took awhile for them to know what I expected," Wright said, "and what they expected of me." Northville hit its stride in mid

October.

We really improved steadily I thought," he added.

Expectations were high going into the campaign. With Samantha Leger and Lauren Metaj leading the way, the Mustangs lived up to that early season optimism.

After a slow start, Leger caught fire the last month of the season. An improvement in her defense sparked her offensive game, Wright said.

Leger, who made all-conference for the second straight year. averaged nearly 20 points a game. She was also among the area's leaders in steals and assists.

Metaj, a sophomore, was nearly as solid as Leger. She took over or two if he'll be back.

games at times with her fine assortment of skills - ball handling, shooting, passing and defending.

With Leger graduating, Metaj will have even more responsibilities next fall. Wright made it clear. though, that the other team members will have to step up their games, too.

This year's team revolved around Leger and Metaj, without question. But players like Gina Chiasson, Lyndsay Huot and Christine Herndon will play a more central role next fall.

If he were starting the season tomorrow, in fact, Wright said he would probably go with Herndon, Chiasson, Huot and Metaj.

That fifth starting position is the one up for grabs. An assortment of players could fill the role.

Karla Kalso, Brigid Bowdell, Lecia Harmer, Laurie Albertson. Julie Fliss and Kristen Dawson are all candidates.

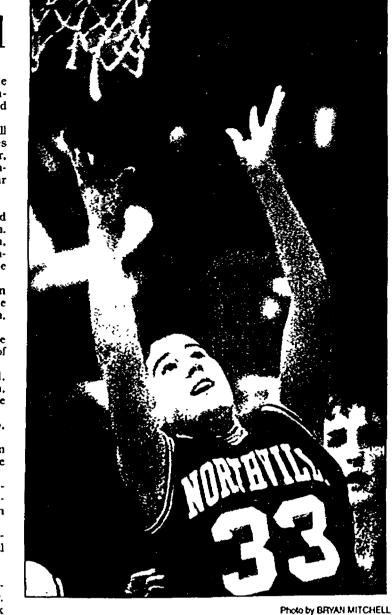
No matter who wins the job. everyone will see playing time.

"I think we'll be a deeper team next year," Wright said. "We'll have 10 to 12 kids that can play.

Northville will field a very talented team next year. The only question remaining is who will coach them.

Wright took the job on an interim basis. He hasn't decided if he'll be back.

He'll have to weigh how continued coaching will affect his family. He said hell decide within a week



Lauren Metaj was Northville's second leading scorer.

Cagers set to open season Tuesday at S.L.

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Szostek will play power forward. Kyle Hitchcock, a 6-1 senior, will play the other forward position.

"He's a strong kid," said Turner. 'I expect him to get a lot of rebounds."

Garrett Carter rounds out the starting unit at the pivot. The coach described him as a blue collar-type of player.

"He's not a classic basketball player," Turner said. "But he's a coach's dream."

The new Northville mentor would like to get his entire bench into the mix. But, for now, he'll go with an eight or nine man rotation.

Phil Kozdron will be first off the bench. He can play both guard positions and will take over for Kersey when he needs a breather. "He's a solid guard and not a

bad shooter," said Turner.

John MacInnes figures to play in the back court. A 6-footer, he'll work at shooting guard or small forward.

said.

will fill in at the post.

"He's getting better by leaps and

"I think this league, at the top, is a difficult league with Canton, Walled Lake Central and Salem." TIM TURNER

Northville High basiletball coach

bounds," said Turner.

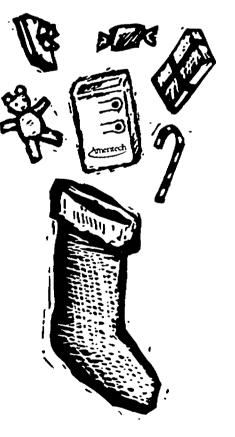
Depending on the opponent. Ahrens could see time in the starting lineup.

Jon Woodsum is another player that will work down low. Rounding out the squad will be juniors Dave Anderson and Alex Beachum.

Anderson plays small forward or

shooting guard. Beachum is a point guard.

Turner isn't sure where his team will wind up when all is said and done. But he'd like to compete for conference and district titles



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"He's a good offensive player and has been playing defense better than I thought he could," Turner

Scott Vigh, a junior, will fight for minutes in that same role. Ahrens

Age 9-11

First, Ron and Bryan Gutkowski; second, Todd and Luke Hutchins; third, David and Michael Trent.

Age 12-14

First, George and Kelly Greulich; second, Dave and Brandon Langston; third, Jerry and Kyle Wargo.

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## How to prevent back pain

"Oh my aching back!" is probably something you will cry in your life and you are not alone. Back pain has been around since prehistoric times. There are even drawings in prehistoric caves that illustrate back pain. Today, more than 80 percent of all Americans will experience back injury within their lifetime.

The costs associated with low back pain are very high. Chronic low back pain is the most common cause of disability in Americans under the age of 45 and it is estimated that it costs the American economy \$16 billion annually. The good news is that most back injuries respond to rest and conservative treatment, and they can be prevented.

#### What are the causes

The causes of back pain are many. It can be brought on by simply bending awkwardly, sitting in the same position for a long time, or trying to lift or move heavy objects. But, with few exceptions, back problems are the result of months or even years of faulty body mechanics such as poor posture and work habits.

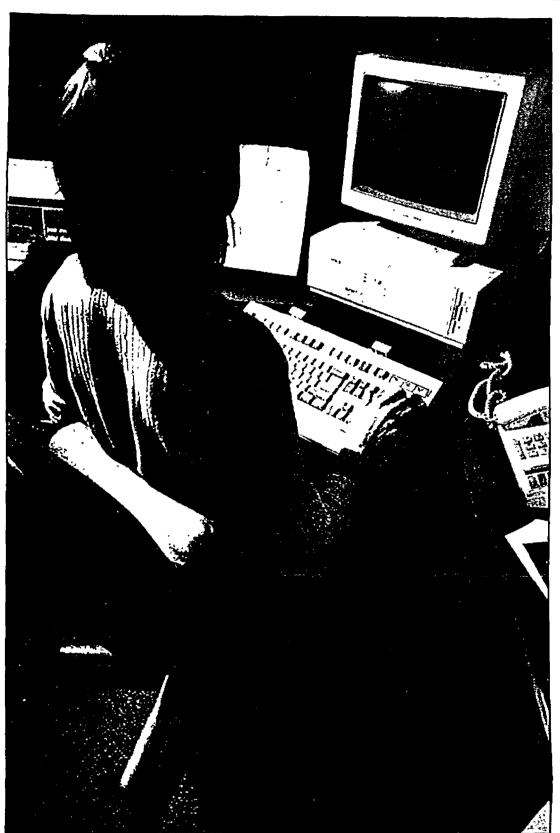
All these and more can cause ligament strains, torn muscles, damaged joints ... and all result in at ¿least discomfort ... maybe searing pain

#### What you can do about back pain

Remember, if you do experience back pain the sooner you seek treatment the better your chances are for recovery and healthier back In the future.

As simple as it sounds, the first thing you might do is determine what caused the problem and avoid that in the future.

For back pain, rest and the use of ice or heat are immediate treatments. Additionally, maintaining an inward curve to your lower back position will aid in the treatment process. In the case of accompanying muscle spasms or acute pain. your physician may also recommend the use of a back brace or medication. If the pain persists or



Using a lumbar pillow helps support your back while working in a seated position. habits usually mean a good back. Avoid stress, smoking - which restricts circulation and slows the ed most of the time and education Good posture and proper body mechanics are two important ways is the key. healing process - and high-fat to minimize or eliminate back pain.

This article was coordinated by Amy Middleton of Providence Hos-



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Preventing back pain

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### Talk with your children about sex



Cheryl Bord

ies, strengthen your children's skills to deal effectively with peer pressure and counteract the distorted view of sexual relationships depicted in the media.

TV shows.

Talking with your

children about sexu-

ality offers you the

opportunity to foster

safe, healthy attitudes

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How do you begin? Don't plan to have one discussion and assume that is all you will need to do. Sexuality education should be slow. gradual, and based on your child's age. Look for "teachable moments" - those naturally occurring events that can be used as a springboard to a discussion.

For example, TV is filled with distortions about sex and love. Use them as conversation starters: "What do you and your friends think about love at first sight?" or "How far would you go to help a friend?"

Studies show that And then listen. Don't lecture or preach. teens feel they are not Treat them and their answers with respect. Do getting enough Infornot criticize. The surest way to cut off communication is to dismiss their feelings and values. mation about sex from their parents, Use these times to share your thoughts, too, and maybe how your values have changed over and that they often get it from friends and time.

foods.

If you do not want your children to have sexual intercourse, tell them. By taking a stand and communicating your values to them they will respect you. Believe it or not, you are the most powerful influence in their lives. Abstinence is the best way to give dreams and goals for the future a chance to come true. It is the only way to guarantee avoiding an unwanted pregnancy, HIV or other sexually transmitted diseases.

Teens do not want to hear "just say no." Peer and partner pressure is very difficult to deal with and teens often feel coerced into having sex. Teens also believe that "everyone is having sex" and feel pressure to conform to the group's "norm."

It is true that many teens are engaging in sexual activities at younger ages than ever before, but half of all teenagers abstain from intercourse. Teens need parental encouragement and support to delay early sexual involvement. Help your child develop strategies for dealing with peer pressure.

Engage your children in role playing with

potentially difficult situations. Give them examples of responses to use when under pressure.

For example: 'If you love me, you'll have sex with me." Reply: "If you love me, you won't pressure me to have sex with you." Or: "Everybody is having sex." Reply: "Not everybody is ... I'm not." Leave them with the message: "Waiting is worth it."

One conversation is not enough. Seize all opportunities to talk - about anything. Helping our young people cope with their developing sexuality is one of the most privileged, private joys of parenthood. The best way to give your child information is slowly, over time, through informal and spontaneous conversations. It is the sum of those conversations that help to shape your child's values and decisions.

The Michigan Department of Public Health, along with numerous health and children's organizations, have formed the Michigan Abstinence Partnership. They have developed materials for use by parents and communities. For more information, free of charge, on how to talk to your children about sexual matters, call 1-800-626-4636.

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#### **Health Notes**

#### AIDS COUNSELING AND MARRIAGE LICENSES

Public Act No. 491 of 1988 requires all couples applying for a marriage license to show proof they have received counseling from a physician or local health officer regarding the transmission and prevention of venereal disease and Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) infection.

Providence Hospital and Medical Centers is offering a one-hour counseling session for cou-ples to discuss AIDS and AIDS prevention. At the end of the series, certificates valid for 60 days will be issued.

Counseling sessions are scheduled at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, 47601 Grand River (at Beck), Novi, on Monday, Dec. 4.

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from 7-8 p.m.

The fee for the session is \$25 per couple or \$15 for an individual. Advanced registration is required and closes one week prior to the session. Participants must bring photo identification to class. Call 1-800-968-5595.

#### WELL CHILD CLINIC

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Appointments are required. For more information, call:

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#### BREASTFEEDING BASICS

This workshop covers the "how to's" of breastfeeding - how to start and maintain successful breastfeeding, as well as answering the questions and concerns of women who are already breastfeeding.

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### Chiasson makes area 2nd squad

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talent to reach the level of the last Uons' freshman starter — former all-state player Andrea Nelson — In the future.

"She has tremendous potential as long as she keeps working hard and stays healthy," Shanks said.

#### CINDY HEINONEN Milford, jr. guard

After excelling as a role player last year. Heinonen had to alter her game as Milford's first option

this fall. Last year Heinonen was one of the top three-point shooters around, nailing more than 40 attempts from outside the arc. But the Redskins didn't have much of an inside game this year and teams began focusing on Heinonen on offense.

She still found ways to put the points on the board as she led the team in scoring with 10.7 points per game. One of the ways she did that was by getting to the foul line and once she got to the stripe she was deadly. Heinonen was the top foul-shooter on the team, connecting on .740 percent of her shots.

We tried to get the ball into her hands, especially late in the game if we had the lead because she's such a good foul shooter," coach Don Palmer said. "We also wanted her to handle it if we had a chance to win because we wanted her to make the plays with her experience.

Heinonen, a KVC honorable mention selection this year, has a chance to pass her sister, Kari, for second place on Milford's all-time scoring list next season - her fourth on the varsity squad.

#### ANGELA MULDER Lakeland sr. forward

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Mulder was the equivalent of a coach's dream over the last three seasons on the Lakeland varsity team.

She didn't put up the big numbers but she was always willing to do whatever was necessary to help her club win.

She works extremely hard and

### **ALL AREA BASKETBALL**

#### First Team

PLAYER	YEAR	POSTION	SCHOOL			
SAMANTHA LEGER	SR	GUARD	NORTHVILLE			
LAUREN METAJ	SOPH	GUARD	NORTHVILLE			
JESSICA KENNY	SOPH	GUARD	NOVI			
KOREN KASTAMO	SR	GUARD	SOUTH LYON			
STEPHANIE UBALLE	SR	CENTER	LAKELAND			

#### Second Team

CINDY HEINONEN	JR	GUARD	MILFORD
LINDSAY DRURY	JR	FORWARD	NOVI
BROOKE RATHS	FRESH	FORWARD	SOUTH LYON
ANGELA MULDER	SR	FORWARD	LAKELAND
GINA CHIASSON	JR	CENTER	NORTHVILLE

#### HONORABLE MENTION

South Lyon - Janie Agemy, Carolyn Kovala Milford - Anne Madden

Lakeland - Sarah Digsby, Erin Zwinck Northville - Carrie Dalziel, Lyndsay Huot, Karla Kalso Novi - Kristen Sullivan, Julie Britton, Megan Barton

Player of the year: Samantha Leger Coach of the year: Pete Wright

plays good defense and because of her smarts and savvy she would typically play one of the other team's top two players," LHS coach Paul Gmelin said.

Even though Mulder only averaged 2.4 points per game this season she was a monster on the glass, pulling down 8.1 rebounds a night. That's not an easy feat when you play on the same team with Stephanie Uballe — one of the top rebounders in the area.

Mulder also led the Eagles in assists with 4.4 per game and steals at 2.4 per contest. She showed her teammates just how much they meant to her last summer when she attended every camp and practice even though she wasn't able to play because of an injury.

#### LINDSAY DRURY

Novi, jr. forward The junior was, without doubt, Novi's spark plug this fall. Nobody played harder or wanted to win more than the 5-foot-9 Drury.

'Lindsay added a lot of spark to the team," coach Dennis Cichonski said. "She always energized our other players.

Drury, an All-Kensington Valley Conference second team selection, averaged just more than eight points a game. She was also one of the area's best free throw shooters. 'She's an excellent rebounder for

her size," Cichonski added.

Drury missed a couple of games with a hamstring injury. Cichonski

down some in the first half of the season. The coach believes her strong second half of the campaign will carry into next year.

of the season," he said, "will carry on to next fall."

#### **GINA CHIASSON** Northville, jr. center

It was a transitional year for the 6-foot-1 Mustang.

Chiasson moved from a shooting forward position to a true post player. Coach Pete Wright said playing with her back to the basket was a tough transition that she handled well.

She was a big presence in the middle," he added.

While the contact that goes along with playing center bothered her in the early going, Chiasson became more comfortable with the bumping and banging as the year went on.

"She didn't shy away from it later," Wright said.

Despite moving to center, Chiasson still scored in double figures. She also led Northville in rebounding with better than eight per game.

Wright said he wouldn't be surprised if her numbers increase in both areas next fall.

Chiasson made honorable mention in the Western Lakes Conference.

## Leger, Metaj earn top honors

team in scoring with 12.8 points

per game, first in assists with three

a game and third in rebounds with

For her career Kastamo, an all-

KVC first-teamer, finished among

the top 10 in seven different South

For three-and-a-half years

Uballe owned the paint for the

An all-KVC first-team selection,

Uballe simply dominated for Lake-

Lyon statistical categories.

STEPHANIE UBALLE

Lakeland, sr. center

4.2 per contest.

Eagles.

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After running the team for the previous two seasons, SL coach Ron Shanks said Kastamo wanted to improve on three basic areas this year. She wanted to cut down on her turnovers, increase her assists and make sure she shot better from the floor. Kastamo accomplished all those goals and she became more of a leader on the floor.

'I always feel that the point guard is the most important position on the floor," Shans said. "It's basically an extension of the coach and Koren did a good job in that respect this year."

Kastamo was second on the in points per game with 15, am in scoring with 12.8 points rebounds with 7.9 per game and blocks with 3.3 per contest. She was also the percentage leader for field goals (.501) and free throws (.630).

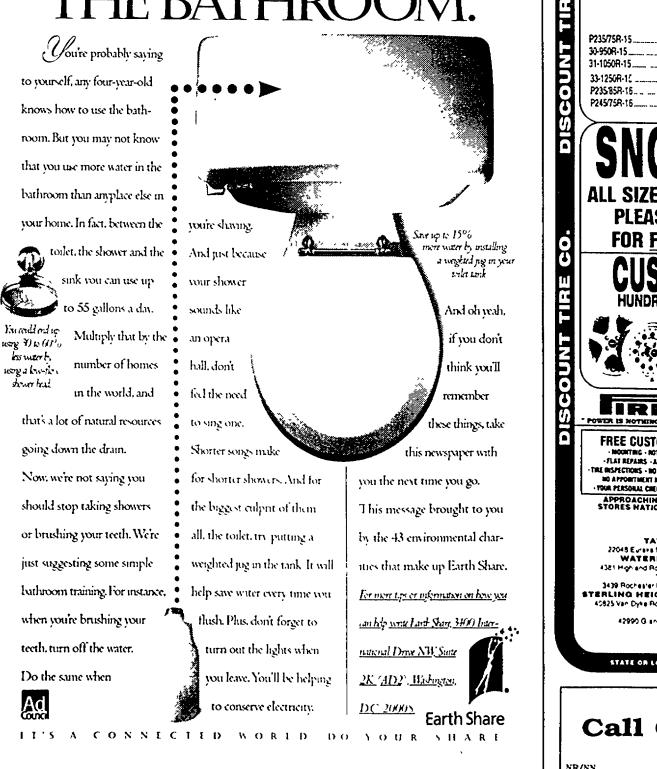
> For her career, Uballe put up 856 points which puts her among the top three players all-time for LHS.

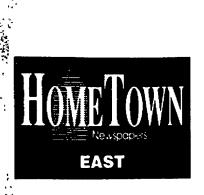
> She was just a pleasure to coach," Gmelin said. "She always worked real hard in the off-season and she developed her game every year. Those are the kind of kids you love to coach - the ones who are dedicated."



said that may have slowed her

"What we saw in the second half





# **REAL ESTATE CREATIVE LIVING**



### REAL ESTATE **Playhouse projects** have some benefits

By James M. Woodard **Copley News Service** 

Colorful mini-homes, some closely resembling houses described in classic stories, are popping up in residential back and side yards. They are designed as playhouses for kids, but sometimes reflect as much creativity as primary houses

The increasing popularity of playhouses is understandable. It gives the kids a great private place to play, think and dream. And in many cases it boosts the value of the residential property. Special-interest features are

often the hook that sells a proper ty, giving it an edge on other comparable for-sale homes in the area. And a well-designed playhouse can have a lot of appeal to a family with kids.

An indication of the growing interest in playhouses was seen in the recent "Project Playhouse" dis-play at the Fashion Island Mall in Newport Beach, Calif.

Professional home builders designed and constructed creative playhouses to be displayed and auctioned off as a fund-raising project for HomeAid, a nonprofit

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### Hendricks 3 features great room ideal for entertaining we also would catch a corner of the

By James McAlexander Copiey News Sorvice

The Hendricks 3 is a single-level. 1508-square-foot, two-bedroom, two-and-a-half bath house.

The exterior style is contemporary ranch, with a pleasing combination of brick and wood. The main entry has a covered porch. supported by two attractive architectural columns.A guest closet is conveniently located in the entry. which splits in two directions.

To the right, we move past the gas fireplace, touching the great great room on our way to the sleeping area.As we go down the short hall, we pass a full bathroom and linen closet on one side, and a good-size second bedroom on the other.

At the end of the hall is the large master suite, with private bathroom and walk-in closet. This arrangement is ideal for a couple with young children: It affords privacy, while still being close enough to supervise the children.

The heart of this home however, is the centrally located great room. where family and n er in the warmth of the fireplace to watch videos, listen to music or just enjoy the company. Located on the side of the garage is 236 square feet of space that may be utilized as an extra storage area or, for the do-it-yourselfer in the house, a shop.



Trish Whelan loves the covenience of her apartment above a business in downtown Milford.

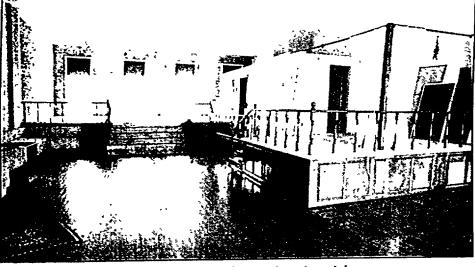
# **D • W • N • T • O • W • N**

#### By Jane Benskey

In these days of our dependence on cars to take us everywhere, it's hard to imagine the concept of a short dash across the street for a fresh pastry in the morning or a quick jaunt to the corner store to pick up a greeting card.

That's because for most of us in our sprawling subdivisions or rural retreats. a quick trip anywhere involves a set of

car keys. Whelan, All she Not so t

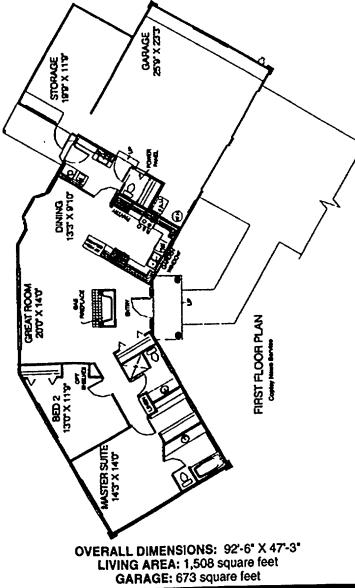


room, going toward a comfortable dining room, which touches the kitchen.

The U-shaped kitchen is efficient, with ample space, including a pantry and garden window looking out over the front landscape A nearby utility room, with access to the two-car garage, allows soiled clothes and muddy shoes to be dropped off before entering the house. Groceries may be brought directly into the kitchen from the garage without concern for the weather.

If we had gone left in the entry.

For a study plan of the Hendricks 3. 402.65. send \$9 to Landmark Designs, c/o HomeTown Newspapers, 323 E. Grand River, Howell. MI 48843. (Be sure to specify plan name and number when ordering.



do is walk down a flight of stairs from her apartment in downtown Milford, and she's within walking distance of virtually anything she needs from retail shops. restaurants, bakeries, banks and other businesses.

What's more, her cozy one-bedroom apartment, with its high ceilings and tall windows that look out onto Main Street. is the kind of apartment that many peo-

ple would give their lives for. "I absolutely love it." said Whelan. 34. The opera house boasts this spacious, airy apartment upstairs.

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STORY BY JANE BENSKEY + PHOTOS BY SCOTT BENEDICT

### Sweet pea success

By C.Z. Guest Copley News Service

G: I have had a love for sweet peas since childhood. Relatives grew them in greenhouses, and a friend in Maine grew them in her flower garden.

Please send information regarding places to buy these seeds, etc.

A: Sweet peas should be planted either in late fall or very early spring (mid-March). They need cool weather to grow to perfection. Prepare your soil 18-inches deep. Rotted or dehydrated manure or enriched compost must be mixed in. Seeds should be planted 2-inches deep in a 4inch furrow. As plants grow. the trench is filled in and supports must be provided for the vines to climb on use stakes, chicken wire or twiggy branches. There are also low-growing varieties that do not require staking.

Where days are hot and nights cool, do all watering infrequently, but always thoroughly and always before noon.

Try Burpee's Galaxy mixed seeds for best results. While most sweet peas prefer cool weather, their varieties perform in warm weather, too. A packet contains 40 seeds.

### GARDENING Q: I have had one of my

favorite plants, a stephanotis (S. floribunda), for three years; no flowers, only masses of shoots. It's located in a southwest-facing room with a night temperature of 60 degrees. Every time I cut the shoots I get more growth. How can I get it to produce those fabulous fragrant flowers?

A: Stephanotis flower buds are produced in the current season's growth, so you may have pruned your plant at the wrong time. You should trim and thin the vine in late winter before new growth begins. If you prune in spring or summer, you run the risk of removing the flower bud stems.

Perhaps you've been overfertilizing. If so, stop, because your plant seems to be growing vigorously already. Excessive feeding, especially with nitrogen, produces vegetative shoots at the expense of flowering ones.

**Q:** Is it possible to bring my caladiums inside during the winter? If so, how should I care for them indoors until I can plant

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#### Sweet pea success

Sweet peas must be planted in late fall or very early spring in full sun. They will need cool weather to get started right.

I Prepare soil deeply — 18 inches. Dry manure or compost should be mixed with soil. Dig a 4-inch furrow and plant seeds 3 inches deep. As plants sprout and grow taller, fill in the trench gradually. The plants must have something to climb unless you have the nonclimbing varieties.

If you have hot days and cool nights, you will need to water occasionally, thoroughly and always before noon

Burpee's Galaxy variety will tolerate heat quite well.

Lathyrus odorata

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# Stop getting bugged by tiny household pests

### **Cleanliness cures cabinets of bugs**

Tiny insects in pantries and cabinets often are brought in via contaminated foods. Cleanliness, coupled with pestproof containers, will cure most infestations.



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#### By Gene Gary **Copley News Service**

9. Please tell me how to rid my kitchen cupboards of little bugs that get in flour containers, spices and other dried foods. Is there a safe insecticide that can be sprayed on the shelves?

A. I would not recommend the use of any spray-on chemical pesticides in the kitchen area.

To get rid of the pests, first rid the area of infected foods, then vacuum and wash all surfaces thoroughly, the underside of shelves included. Throw away any old shelf-liners and replace with new liner after the shelves have been cleaned. Remove any bits of food that might have fallen behind shelves or between crevices. Use a vacuum cleaner crevice tool to get into cracks.

Throw out all infected foods. Place them in plastic bags and secure with rubber bands and deposit in the garbage. Any foods, including unopened cardboard boxes, that were near the infected area should be watched closely. Place them in individual plastic bags that can be sealed and watch them for several days for any signs of insect activity. If life signs develop throw them out.

If your refrigerator is large enough, you can store opened food stocks in it for a few weeks. Most insects of this type die after prolonged exposure temperatures

#### HOW-TO

of 40 F and below.

If you have a deep freeze with a steady temperature of 0 to 5 degrees, you have an all-purpose pesticide. Two to three days in deep cold will kill most pest species, and three weeks will destroy their life stages.

Lacking a freezer, use heat. Spread your staples in thin layers on flat pans with raised edges. Heat them for two hours in your oven at about 125 degrees. Don't let the heat rise much over that or you'll destroy some nutrients.

When you are rid of the infestation, try buying the smallest amounts of staples for a few months and use them quickly. Keep them separate from foods already in your kitchen. You might even want to use the heat or freezing method on all new packages to assure that your are not bringing further infestation home from the market (a common occurrence).

Keep your kitchen cool and dry. If possible, ventilate your cupboards. Many stored food pests need a humid environment and temperatures between 75 and 85 degrees to survive.

Packets of silica gel on pantry shelves help hold down humidity. Silica gel can be purchased at builders' supply stores or home

centers. Set the granules in a jar covered with a punctured lid. When they have turned pink, they have absorbed all of the moisture they can. Dry them out in the oven until they've turned gravishwhite again and reuse.

Store all nonrefrigerated foods in tightly closed containers. Be especially careful about pet food. a favorite with many pantry pests. A tightly lidded garbage can lock them out of kibble; for smaller amounts, a tin saltine box works fine. Plastic containers with airtight scals are ideal.

Spices and herbs are best kept in screw-top jars.

A final tip: eliminate any bird. wasp or rodent nests near your home. These often harbor storedfood pests that can migrate to the kitchen.

9. We are plagued by insects that look like bumblebees but bore into the wood making tiny round holes. A neighbor says they are carpenter bees, and that we should call a professional exterminator. Is there any way we can control these pests on our own?

A. Carpenter bees, which look like large, black bumblebees with smooth, shiny black bodies, bore into wood. They are particularly attracted to soft or weathered wood, building tunnels where

they raise their young.

The best way to control them is to spray with a ready-to-use wasp and hornet killer - one that contains an insecticide such a Baygon.

Apply the insecticide directly into the nest entrance. Spray in the evening when most of the bees are in the nest and less active. To ensure proper use, read and follow the directions carefully that are on the label of the insecticide.

You can avoid new infestations by keeping wood painted. Unfortunately, clear and semitransparent stains won't keep the bees away. If the infestation persists after you have sprayed, contact a professional exterminator for help.

A reader writes:

I enjoy your column very much, but you provided some erroncous information about pressure-treated wood. You stated, "Although the treated wood resists damage from wood-boring insects, it is still vulnerable to water damage."

I have had a problem this year with carpenter bees boring into Wolman pressure-treated wood on my deck. Officials of Wolman treated wood informed me that pressure treatment only resists insects that eat the wood. not those that bore into it.

Send inquiries to Here's How, Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190. Only questions of general interest can be answered in the column.

## Living it up in downtown Milford strengthens sense of community

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a nurse at Huron Valley Hospital in Commerce Township.

She added, "It's very open and airy. It faces Main Street. ... That's the big plus and advantage. The nice thing is it's a newer apartment in an older-type setting."

The apartment, which is located above The Milford Times, was renovated before Milford-born Whelan moved in over two years ago. Some of the updates included recessed lighting in the living room, track lighting in the bedroom, plenty of closet and storage space, and a small, but well-designed, kitchen.

Another advantage of her apartment, said Whelan, who is pursuing a master's degree in nursing: "I've got the front-row seat to any parade or activity in Milford."

Indeed, one of her fondest memories in recent years was a winter evening when she hosted a formal dinner party during Milford's annual ice show celebration.

Whelan cleared out most of the could go years without knowing furniture in her apartment. opened all the blinds and lined up several long tables by the windows. Her guests were able to watch the festivities below as they dined by candlelight.

Although Whelan's apartment and its location in downtown Milford are an asset, there is something perhaps less tangible, yet equally important, that makes downtown life so satisfying for her. It is the sense of community and the lack of isolation that make Whelan comfortable living downtown.

"The nicest thing is that you don't feel alone," Whelan said.

By living in and utilizing the downtown area, "everyone knows you. ... After a while those people (the merchants) become your neighbors.'

Which is worlds apart from Whelan's experience in other apartments she's lived in where "I

the guy 10 feet down the hall."

It is that sense of community and belonging that has embraced the owners of Milford's new bookstore. Read Between the Lines. and made them feel at home in the downtown area, both as business owners and residents.

Despite being new to Milford. Melissa Weisberg and Audrey Kowalski, who live in the 3,000square-foot loft apartment above their bookstore, agree that it didn't take long before they felt like part of the community.

Kowalski, 33, who has lived in other downtown areas, including Boston, Massachusetts and Birmingham, enjoys the small-town setting of Milford.

You walk down the street and you always see someone you know. It's very comfortable," said Kowalski, who grew up in Bloomfield Hills.

Added Weisberg. 30, who is orig-inally from Flint. "We've only been in town about a year now, and we feel like we've been here forever."

Their sense of attachment is clear as Kowalski tells of the many genuine<sup>-</sup> friendships that have developed since they've moved into their loft.

Like the friendship that bloomed between the two women and the building's previous owners, Archie and Margaret Noon. Weisberg and Kowalski grew so close to the Noons and their family that when Margaret died this summer, both Kowalski and Weisberg felt a deep sense of loss.

We both sat here and cried. We felt like a part of our family had died." Kowalski said.

Because their business is relatively new - it just opened in September - Kowalski and Weisberg are putting inordinately long hours in the store to become established. As such, they are not

able to spend nearly as much time as they'd like in their unique loft apartment. But those nights when they've

worked until 1 a.m. unpacking and shelving books. Weisberg and Kowalski are, undoubtedly, glad they only have to walk up a flight of stairs to get home.

The apartment, which was renovated by Noon, features 16-foot ceilings, brick walls, tall windows and, believe it or not, a stage.

At one time the second floor of the 125-year-old building served as the village's opera house. These days the stage, located at the rear of the apartment, functions as an immense (400-square-foot) dining room and kitchen.

Despite the almost cavernous proportions of their apartment, both Weisberg and Kowalski say there is a serious lack of storage space.

But storage concerns aside, the business partners/roommates rel-

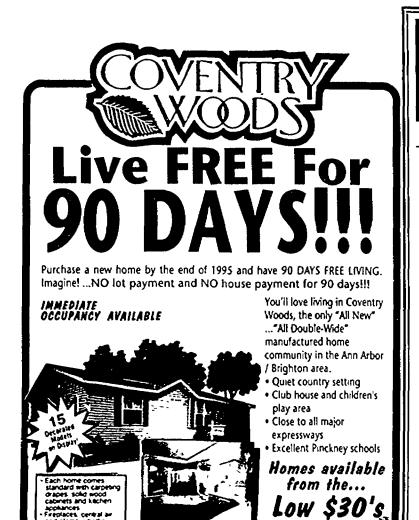
ish their proximity to all that the downtown area has to offer.

Asked how often they use their cars. Weisberg laughed and said she uses her car so rarely it was dead for two weeks and yet it didn't matter because she didn't need it.

Despite all the advantages of apartment living in the heart of downtown Milford, naturally there are some disadvantages. Finding a parking space close to the apartment can be a problem.

Lugging groceries up a flight of stairs is not for the faint of heart. Figuring out how to store the clothing of two people in an apartment with one closet is a challenge.

But in the case of Whelan, Kowalski and Weisberg, all three believe the advantages far outweigh the disadvantages, and they all feel quite fortunate to have found such a unique place to call home.



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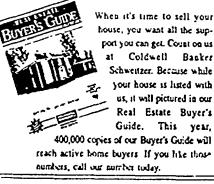
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# Farm tool shovels in hundreds

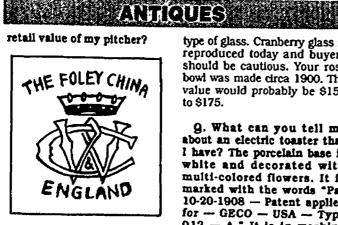
By Anne McCollam Copley News Service

9. Enclosed is a photo of a hand-carved wooden grain shovel that I have. It was in an old dairy barn that we bought several years ago. The barn was built in the early 1900s

My husband saw a picture of a similar shovel in an antiques magazine many years ago and thought it gave a value of about \$700. Is this possible and how does one go about finding a collector who might be interested in old farm tools?

A. Anything's possible, but \$700 for your shovel is unlikely. "American Family Farm Antiques" by Terri Clemens shows a grain shovel hand hewn from one piece of wood, at \$235. Your shovel was made in the early 1900s. "Maloney's Antiques & Collectibles Resource Directory by David Maloney, Jr., lists collectors of farm related items. Both books should be available in your local library.

9. This mark is on the bottom of a pitcher that I have. The pitcher is yellow and white and trimmed in gold. It is 7 inches high. On one side is the image of Shakespeare in relief and on the other is his place of birth. Could you tell me the approximate age and

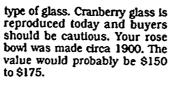


A. Your pitcher was made by Wileman and Co., Fenton and Longton. Staffordshire, England. They made porcelain and earthenware from 1892 to 1925. Your pitcher was made in the late 1890s. It would probably be worth \$95.

9. I have a cranberry glass rose bowl. It is 8 inches high and is in mint condition. The pattern is "Thumbprint." Any information you can provide will be appreciated.

A. Cranberry glass became popular sometime after the Civil War. Pressed, free-blown, and mold-blown pieces were produced. Powdered gold was added to molten amber glass to give it its color.

Copper was substituted for gold to produce a less expensive



9. What can you tell me about an electric toaster that I have? The porcelain base is white and decorated with multi-colored flowers. It is marked with the words "Pat 10-20-1908 - Patent applied for - GECO - USA - Type 012 - A." It is in working condition.

A. Early toasters with porcelain bases are very collectible. General Electric and Westinghouse were the first to manufacture porcelain based electric toasters. Yours was made by General Electric in the early 1900s. It would probably be worth \$185 to \$200.

9. I have a vase that is marked "Ruskin - 1912." It is 10 inches tall and 3 inches in diameter. The glaze is an iridescent orange with green and blue- green highlights. Could you please identify it and provide an estimate of its value?

A. Your vase is an example of Ruskin art pottery. It was made near Birmingham, England, from 1899 to 1935. The pottery was founded by W. Howson Tay-lor and named for well-known critic and author, John Ruskin.

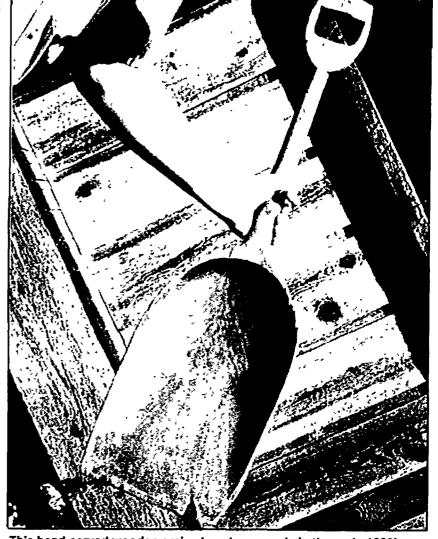
Most of the early pieces were marked "Taylor" in block letters and with the initials "WHT." Ruskin was one of the later marks. Your vase was made in the early 1900s. The value would probably be \$250 to \$300.

#### **BOOK REVIEW**

The new edition of "Kovels" Dictionary of Marks Pottery and Porcelain 1650 to 1850° by Ralph and Terry Kovel (Crown Publishers, Inc.) is now available. American, English, and European marks from 1650 to 1850 are presented in a quick and easy format. Each of the 5,000 marks is listed by prominent features and cross-referenced. Names, dates, locations, descriptions, types of ware, and methods of producing marks are all included in this unique index.

This book is a must have for identifying marks from 1650 to 1850. It is available in antiques shops and bookstores

Address your questions to Anne McCollam, P.O. Box 490, Notre Dame, IN 46556, For a personal response, include picture(s), a detailed description, a stamped, self-addressed envea time).



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# A playhouse in yard adds a touch of fairy tale charm

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organization affiliated with the Building Industry Association. The group, organized in 1989, builds and renovates shelters for the transitionally homeless.

Eight outstanding playhouses were displayed at the Project Playhouse function. One looked like the Hansel and Gretel cottage in storybooks. It even has an inside fireplace and hidden door.

Another playhouse resembles a lifeguard tower, complete with slide and surrounding sand with flag and surfboard. and a riverboat. Yet another looks like an old English flower shop, with color window panes, hardwood floor - even a cash register.

Most of the playhouses include built-in furniture items, lights and a doorbell. Some have stairs. One has its own garage.

One of the playhouses was designed and built by a group of about 24 children, ages 8 to 12. from a nearby elementary school.

The playhouses were subsequently sold at an auction, with proceeds going to HomeAid. Playhouses at the 1994 project sold from \$7,000 to \$27,000, according to Cindy Bowman with HomeAid.

\*Prices this year should be in the same area," Bowman said. "The Hansel and Gretel house will probably go for at least \$27,000."

The builders volunteer their time to the project, but often benefit by receiving playhouse construction orders from customers who saw their work at the display. Most of the construction materials were donated by suppliers.

A growing problem is surfacing in the

area of what brokers and attorneys call 'the procuring cause" of a sale transaction. It affects property buyers, sellers and brokers.

It involves cases where a broker might claim a commission if a house that was listed with him is sold by the owner to a person he initially introduced to the property. In other cases, a broker who hasn't even seen a property listed by another broker might claim a chunk of the commission, saying he played a distant role in producing the buyer.

Many times these claims are justified. In other cases they are illegal or at least unethical, and are motivated by greed.

One case was recently described by a broker on a computer on-line forum. A woman broker listed her son's home. The

broker brought in an offer-to-buy contract. While the owner considered the contract terms, another broker called claiming he was the buyer's agent (representing the buyer).

The broker was asked if he had seen the property or communicated details to the prospective buyer. The answer was no, but he was a friend of the buyer.

Who is really (and legally) the procuring cause of the sale, deserving all or a piece of the commission?

Sometimes several brokers are involved. The problem has grown to the point where several state Realtor associations are restructuring and clarifying their "procuring cause" guidelines. If you believe an unjustified claim for a

commission has been made by a Realtor. report it to your local association of Realtors. It has a grievance procedure set up to handle such matters fairly.

"Practically speaking, if a dispute can be settled informally to the satisfaction of all parties, that's the way it should be settled," said John Guerry, staff attorney for the California Association of Realtors.

"Many disputes that find their way into formal litigation can, and probably should, be settled through informal dispute resolution mechanisms."

Questions may be used in future columns: personal responses should not be expected. Send inquiries to James M. Woodard, Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190.

# Coaxing blooms from flowering plants

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them outside next spring? A: If you would like to save the caladiums in your garden to grow next season, they will need at least three months of dormancy. After the leaves die down, gently lift the ting mix. If you were growing the plants in containers, just take them inside and store in a cool, dry area. The best temperature range is 55 to 60 degrees.

After three or four months, move plants, lift the tubers from the soil the containers to a warm area (at and separate, then replant them

them in a container of soilless pot- ing the soil. After all danger of soil once more in early spring. frost has passed and the new leaves have begun to grow, move the plants outside to a shaded site

If you want to propagate the

C.Z. Guest, author of \*5 Seasons of Gardening<sup>®</sup> (Little, Brown & Co.), is an authority on gardens, flowers and plants. Send questions to C.Z. Guest, c/o Copley News Service. P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA



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NORTHVILLE - Lovely home in Northvalle Estates New roof, windows, baths, & other updates Large rm sizes, fin'd bsmt, 3 car-garage, rear yard is shad-ed and private w/patio & double grill, \$189,500 ML#539185 810-349-4550



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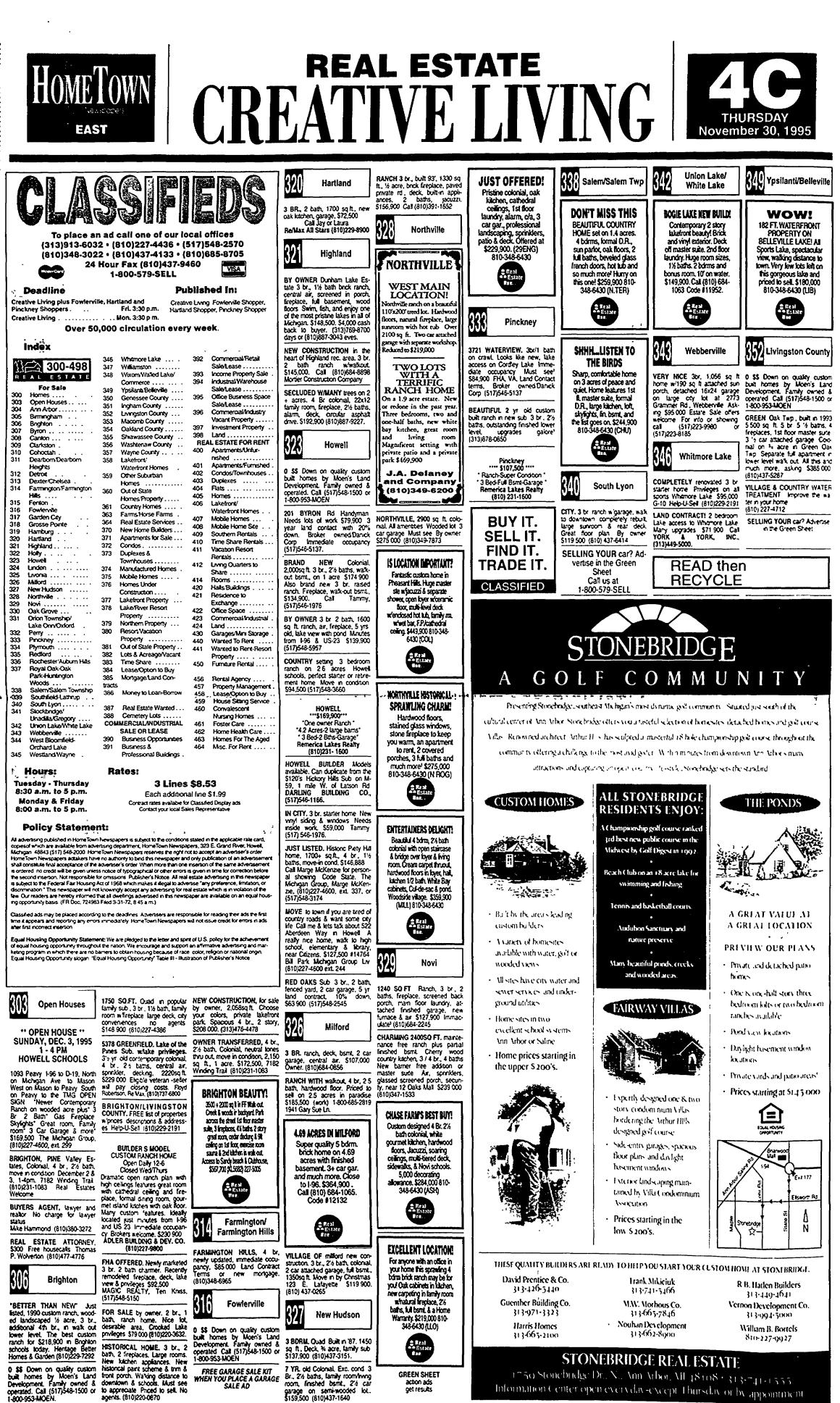
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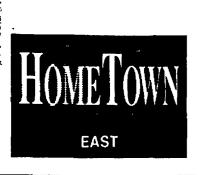
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Northville resident SANDRA L. **HERRYGERS** was named senior manager recently by DELOITTE & TOUCHE. A certified public accountant who specializes in quantitative methods, joined the firm in 1989 and earned a bachelor of science degree in management information systems and accounting from Central Michigan University in 1987.

Northville resident BEN **RODRIGUEZ** was recently named store manager for EXOTIC RUB-BER & PLASTICS CORP. He has a bachelor's degree from Concordia College in Ann Arbor and graduated from immaculate Conception High School in Hamtramack.

SUSAN WEBB was recently named vice president of human resources for the JERVIS B. WEBB **COMPANY** of Farmington Hills. She joined the company in 1985.

Northville City Attorney and Detroit lawyer JAMES R. KOHL has become a Fellow of the AMER-ICAN COLLEGE OF TRIAL LAWYERS, a national, by-invita-

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tion only association of 4,800 fellows in the United States and Canada. The college's purpose is to



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improve the standards of trial practice, the administration of justice and the ethics of the legal pro-



fession.

Novi-based BRASS CRAFT MANUFACTURING COMPANY recently announced the promotion of DOUG MIRTH to the position of director of marketing. He joined the company's marketing service in 1984. He is a Novi resident.

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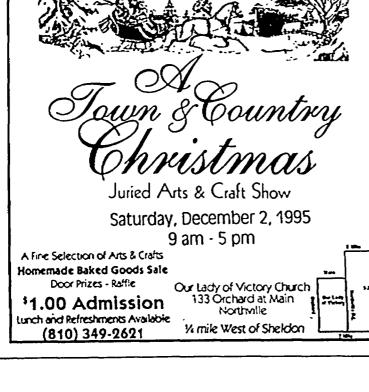
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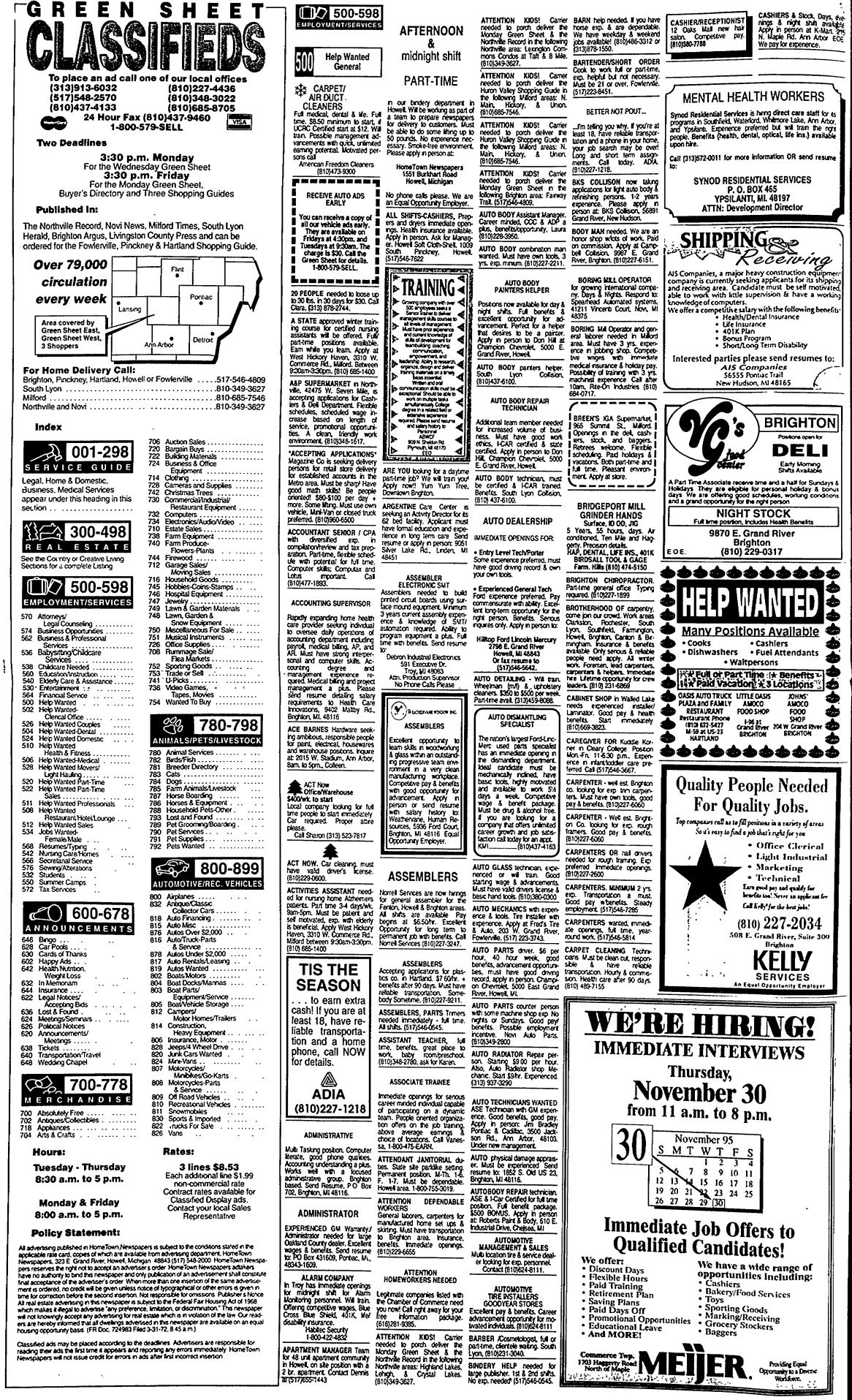
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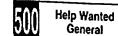
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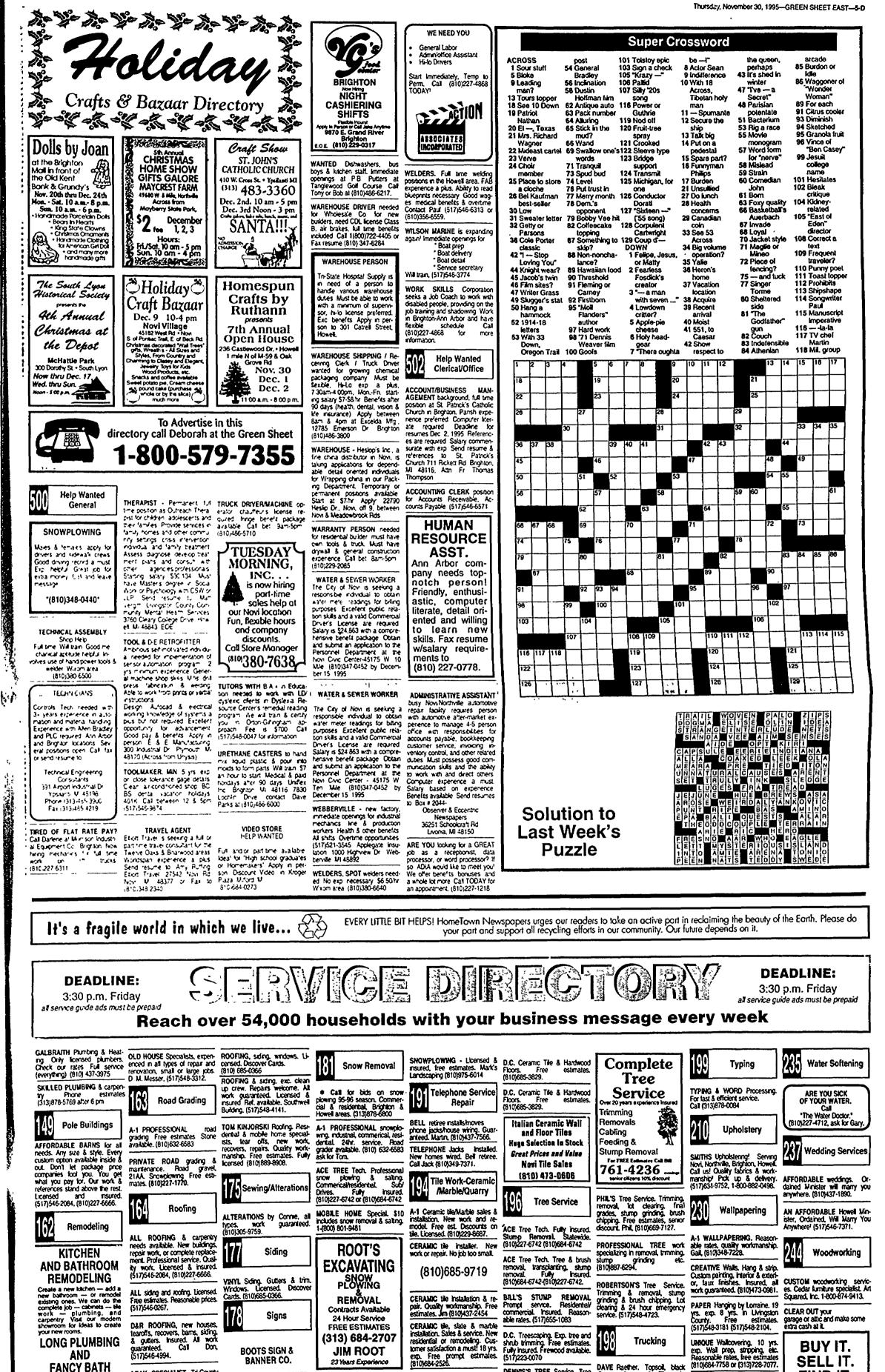


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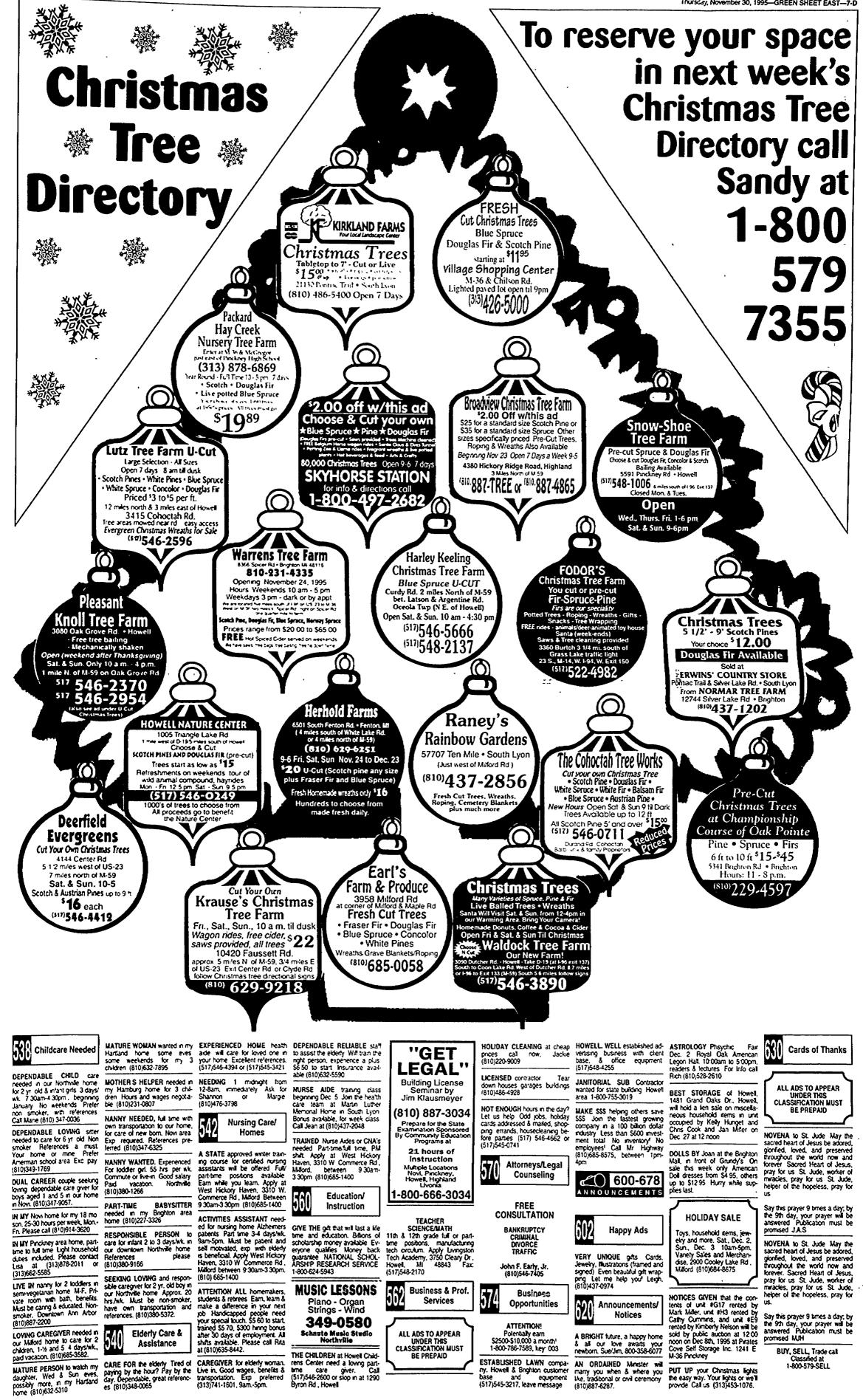
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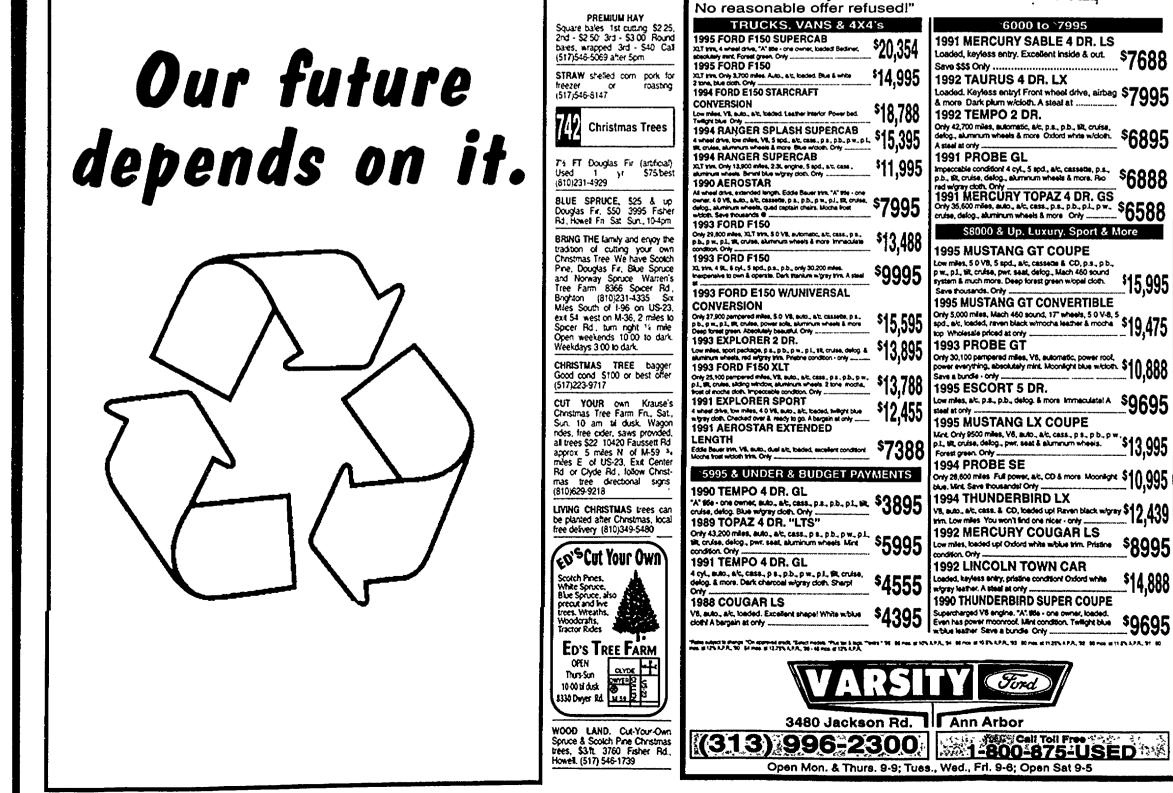


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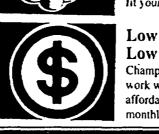
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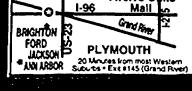
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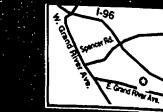
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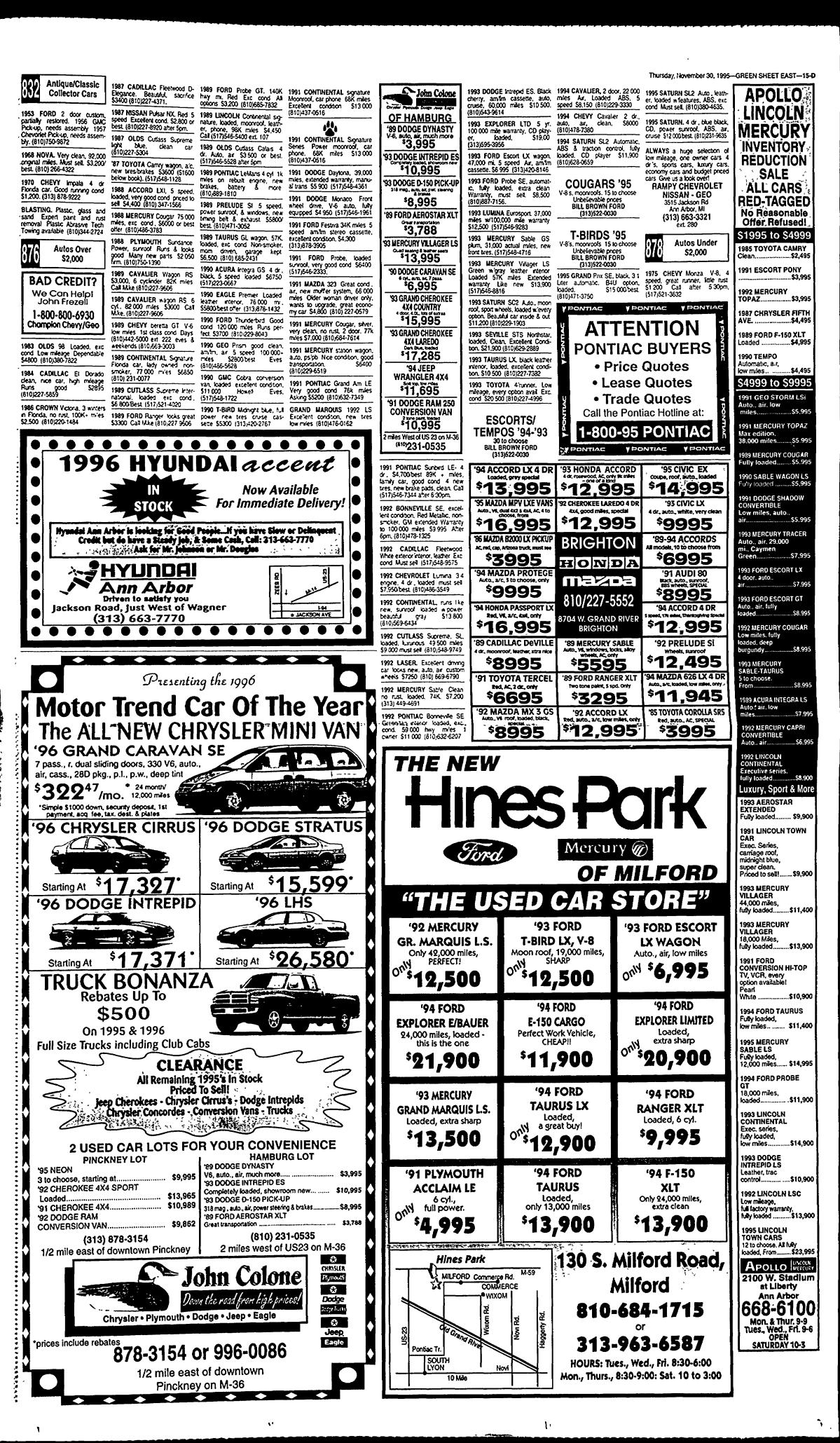
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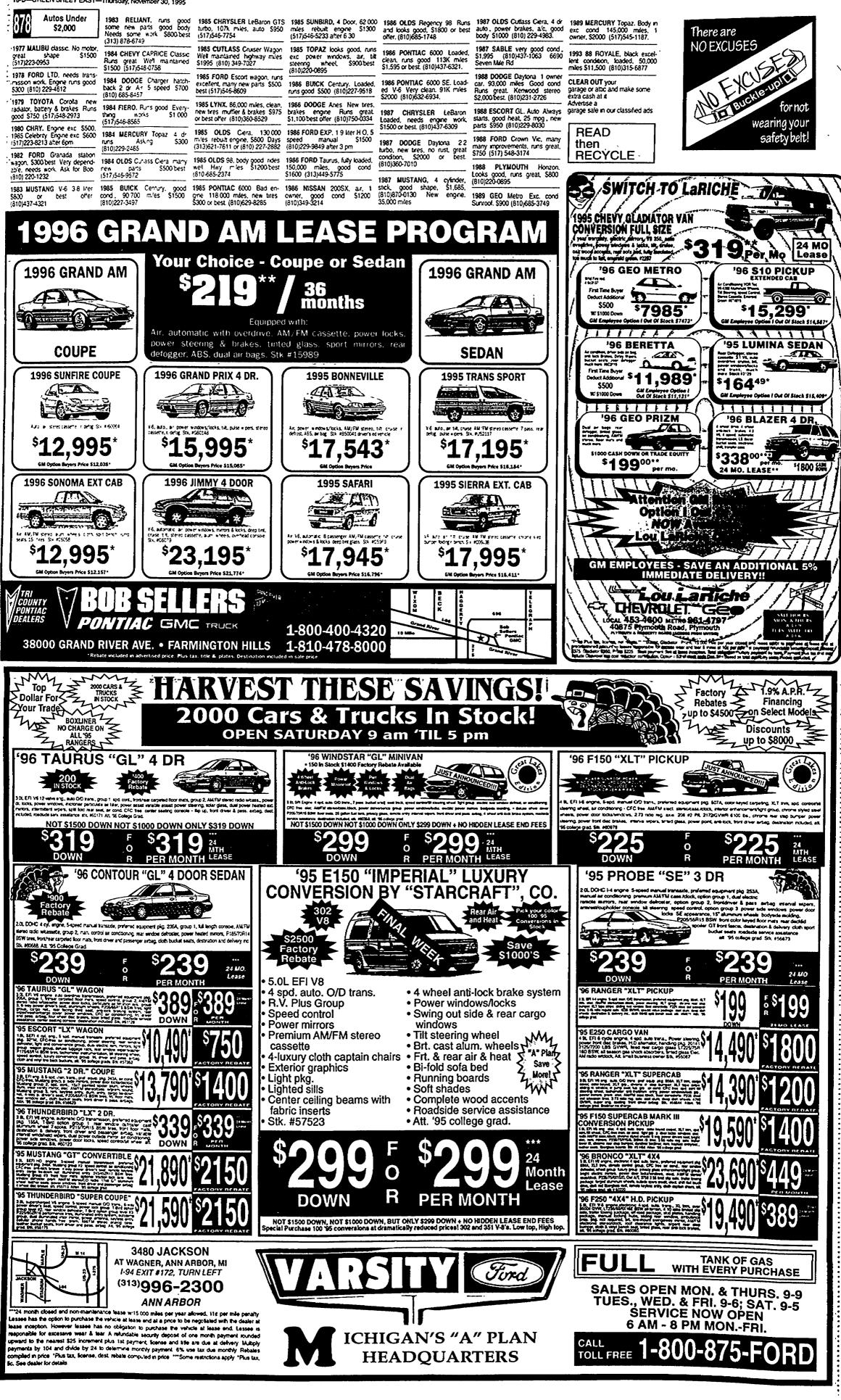
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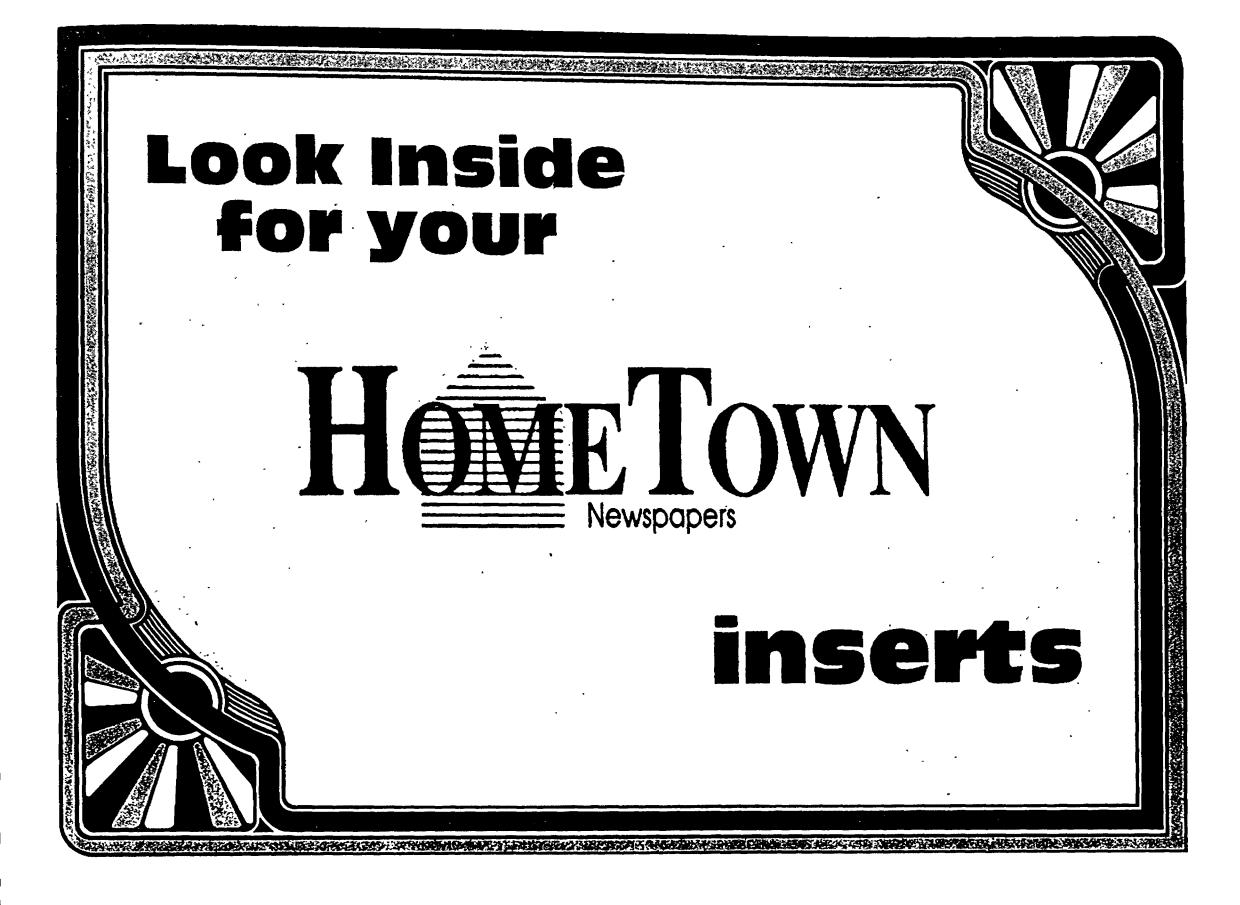
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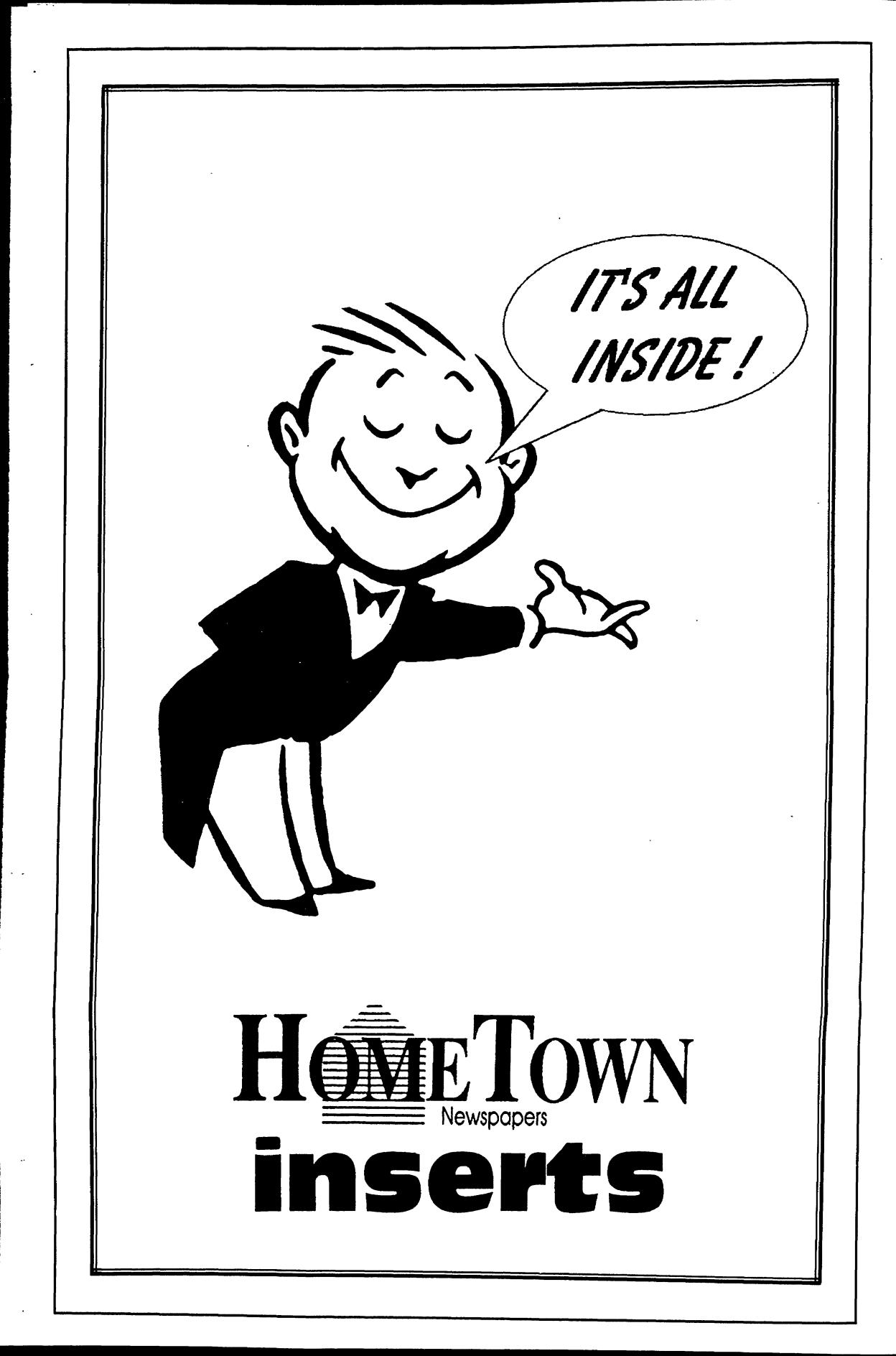
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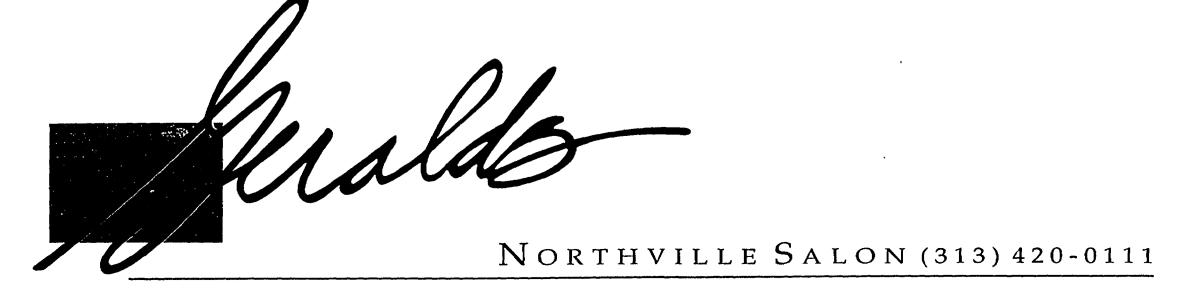
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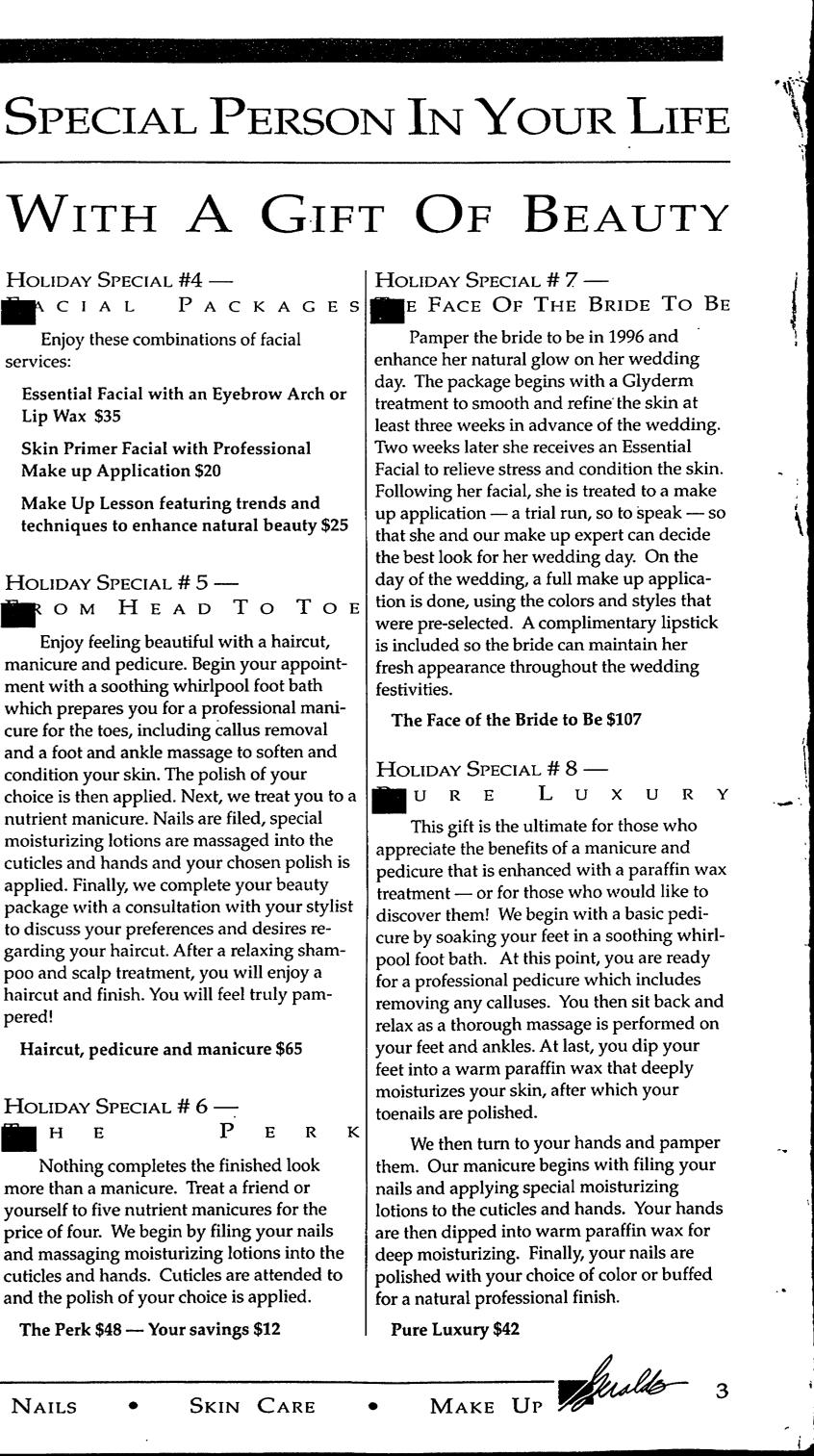
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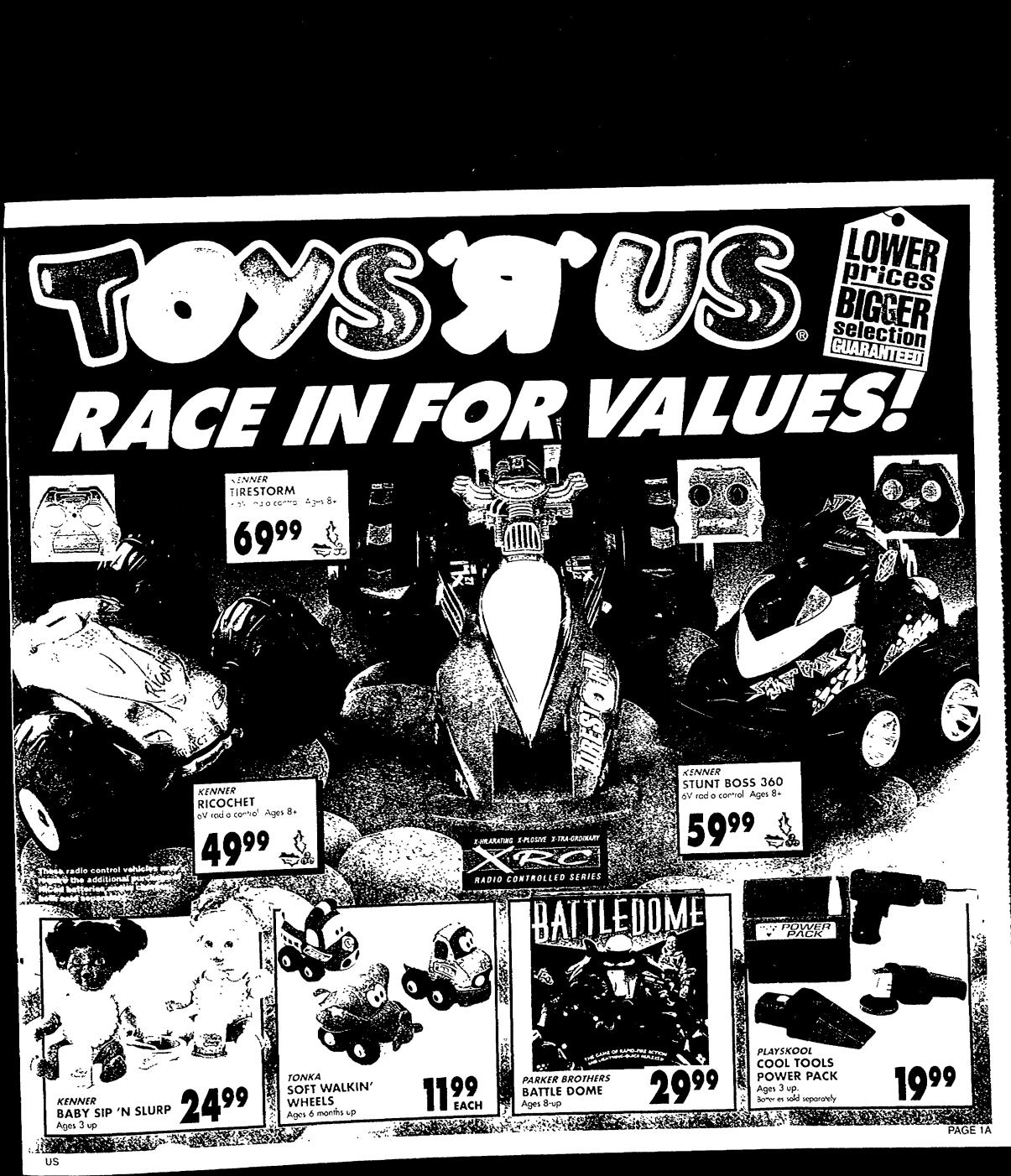
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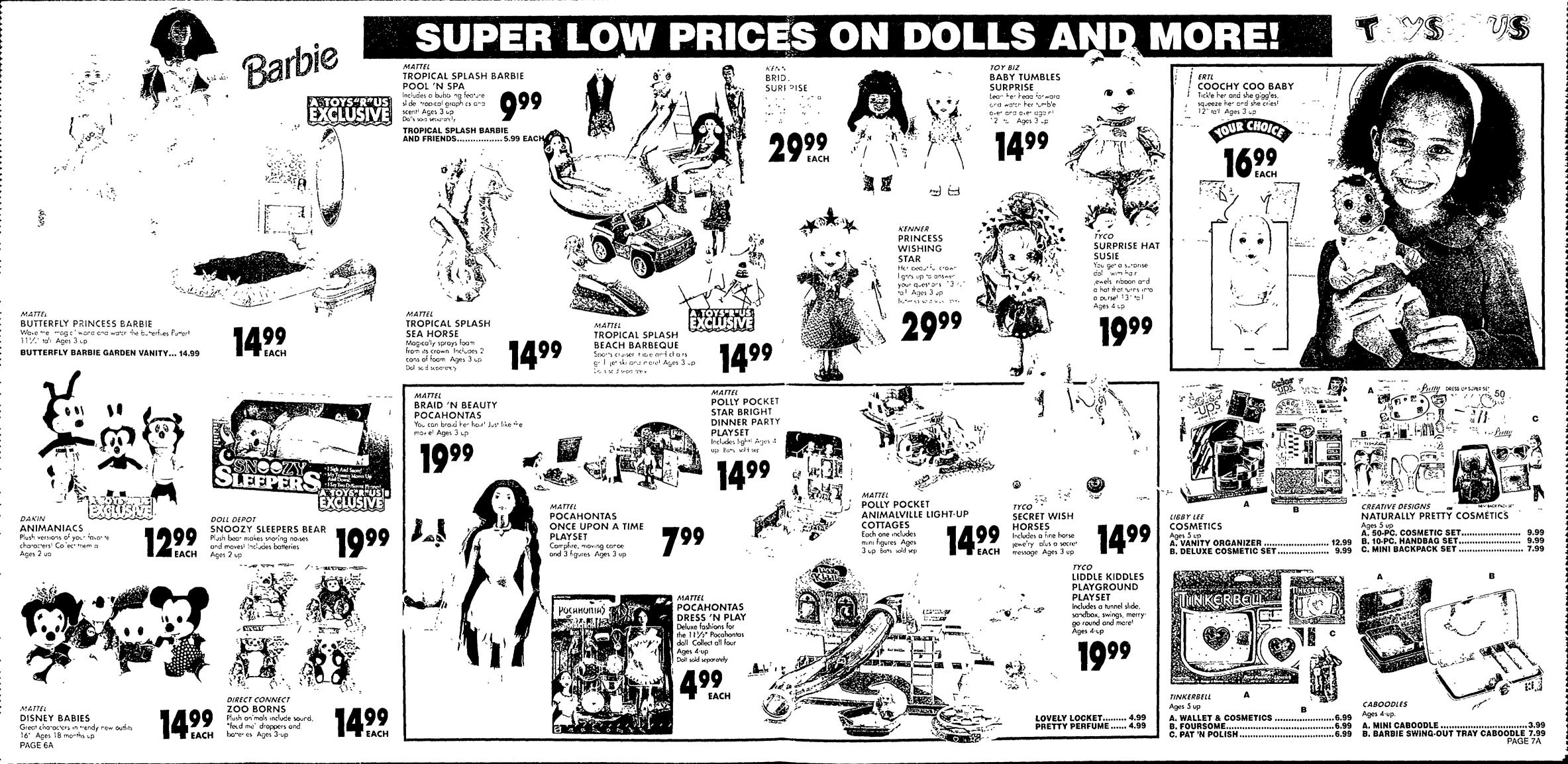


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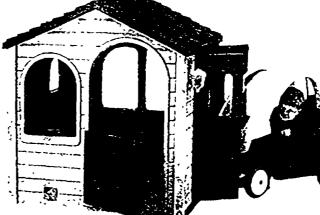
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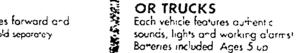






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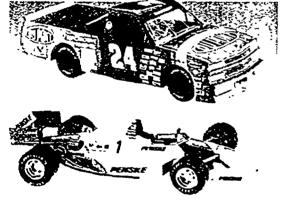
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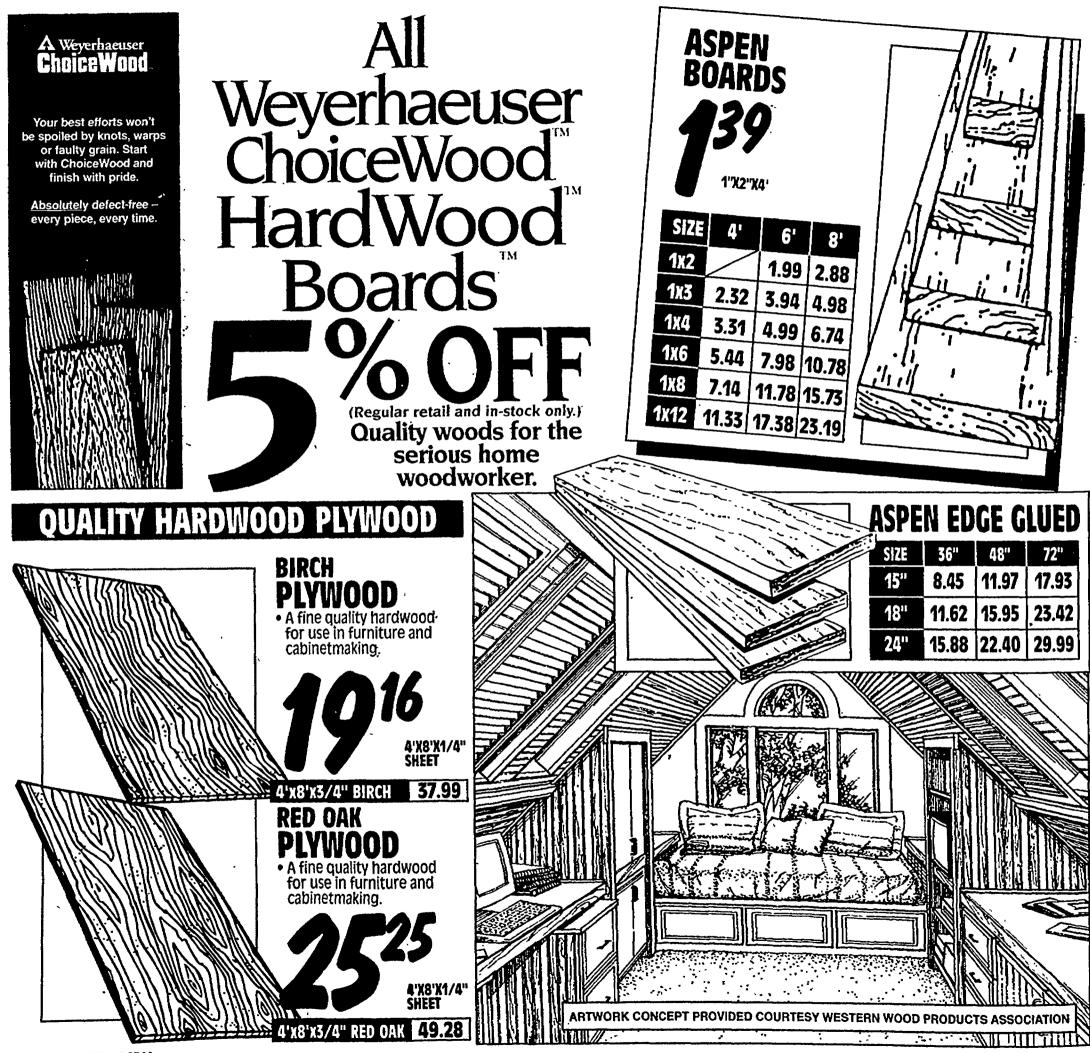




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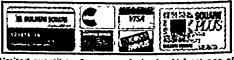


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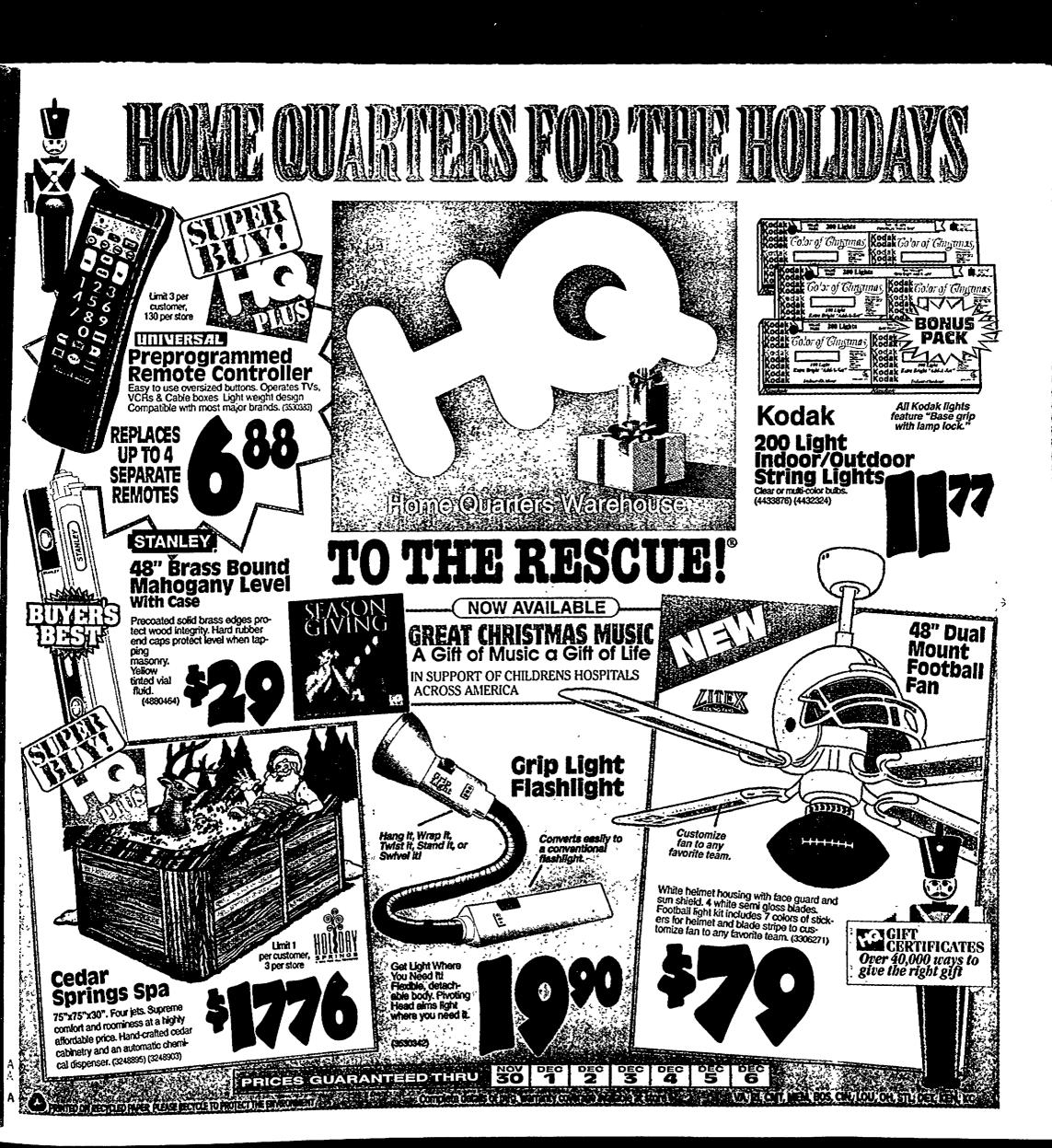


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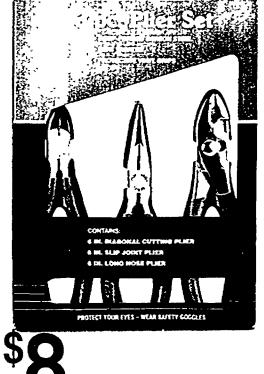
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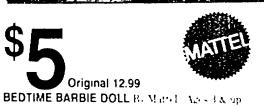


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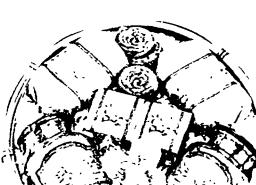
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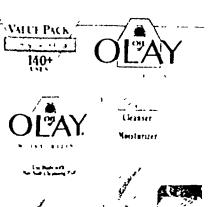






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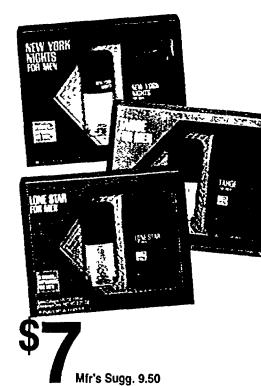
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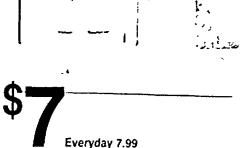








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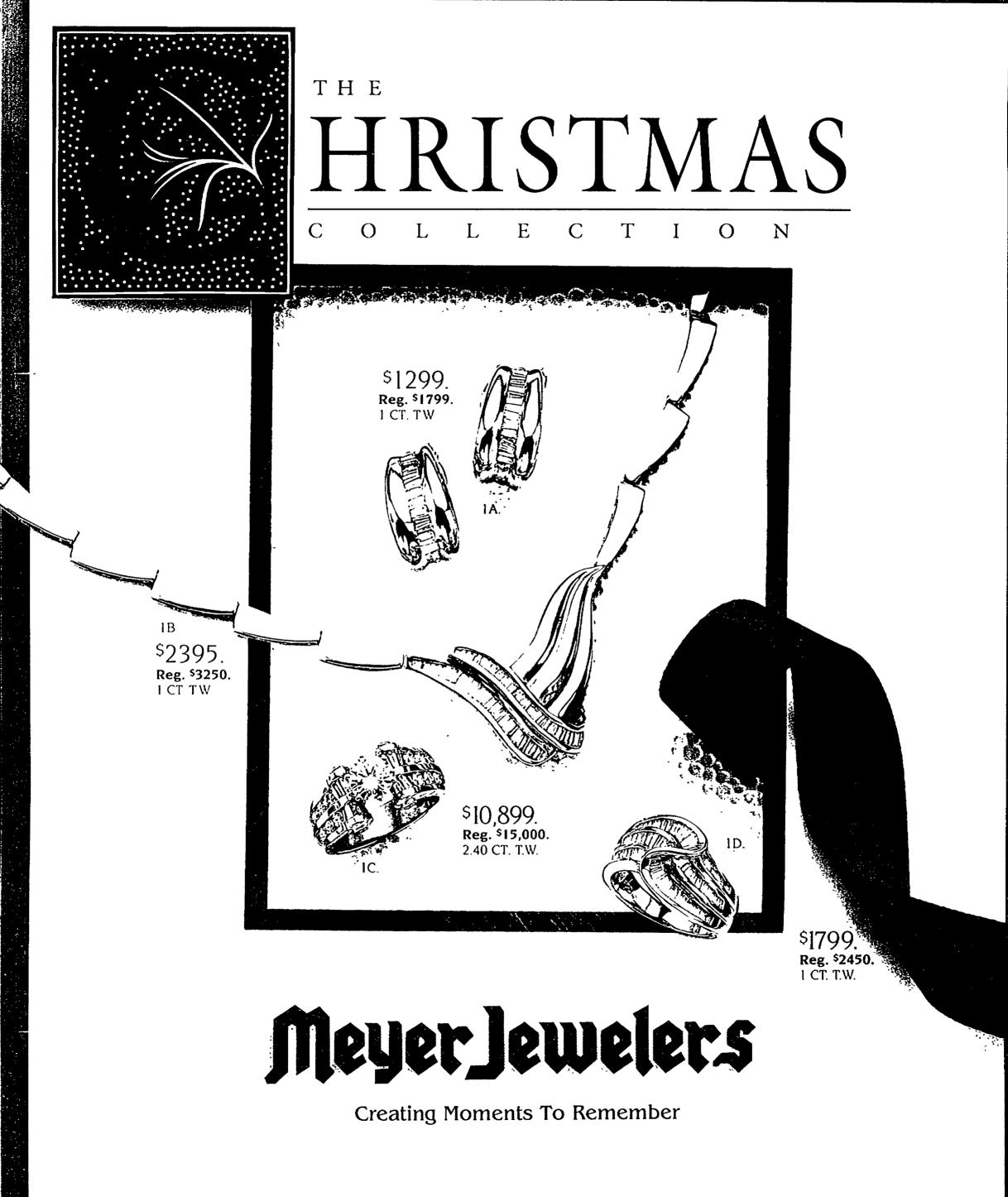


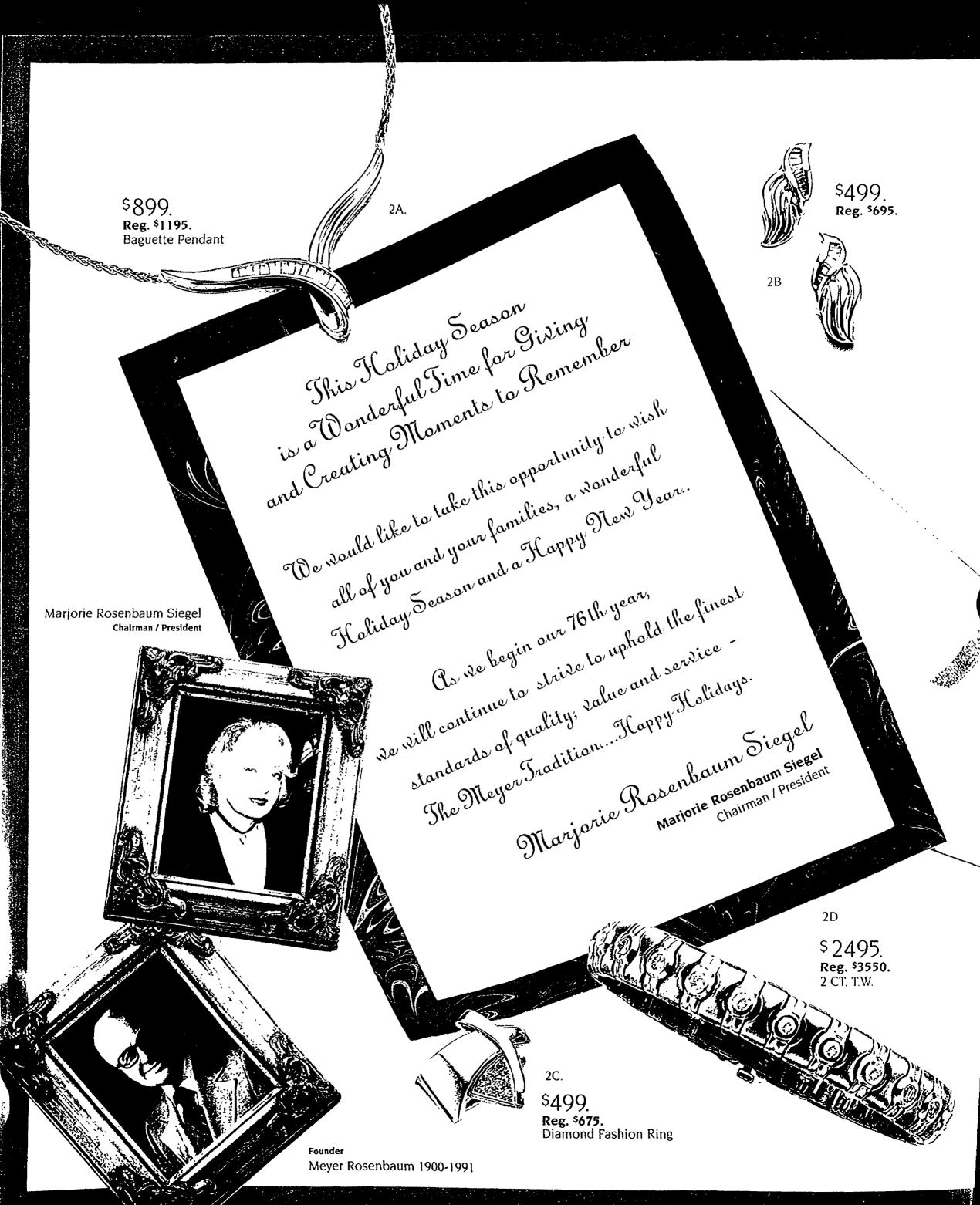


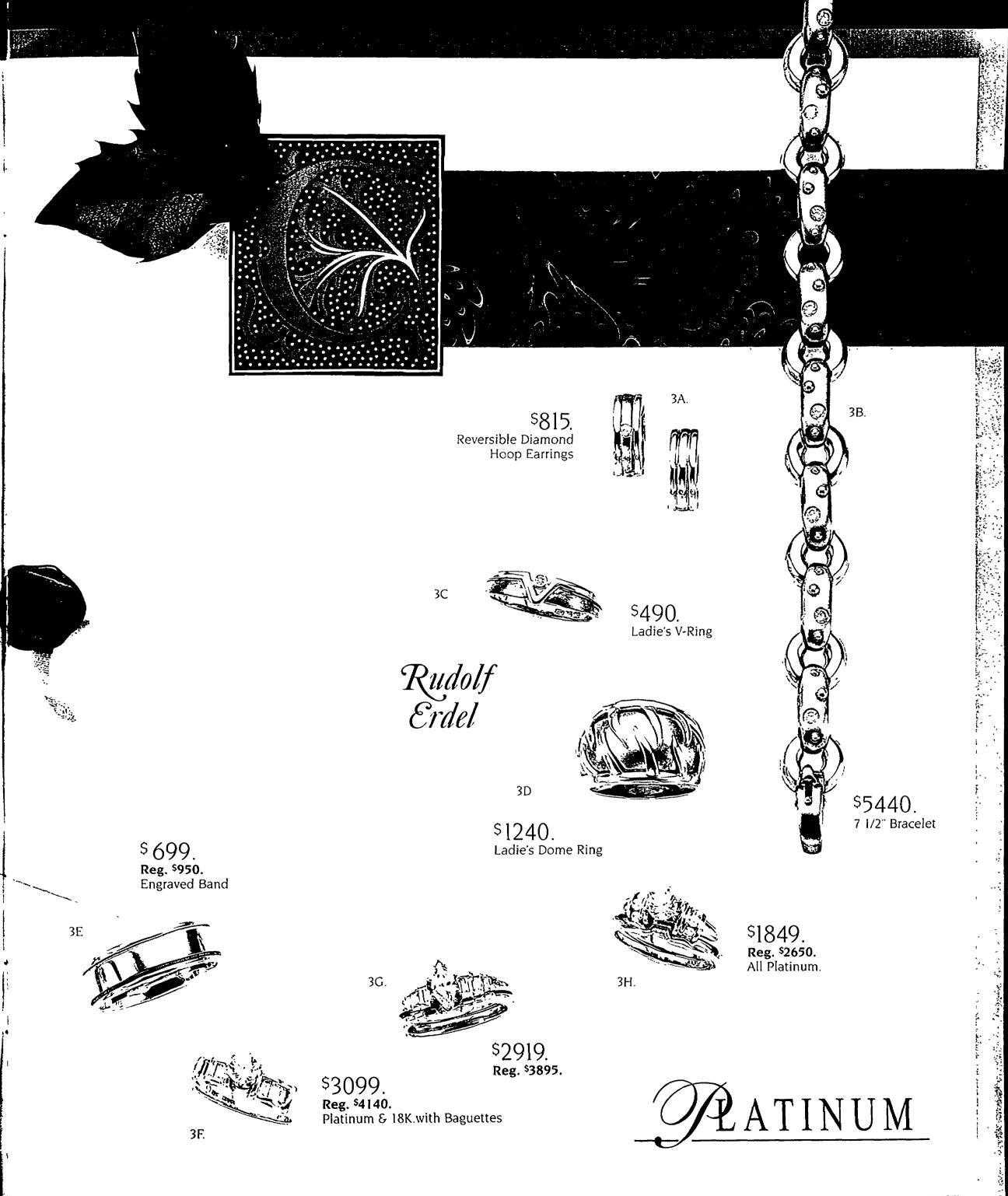
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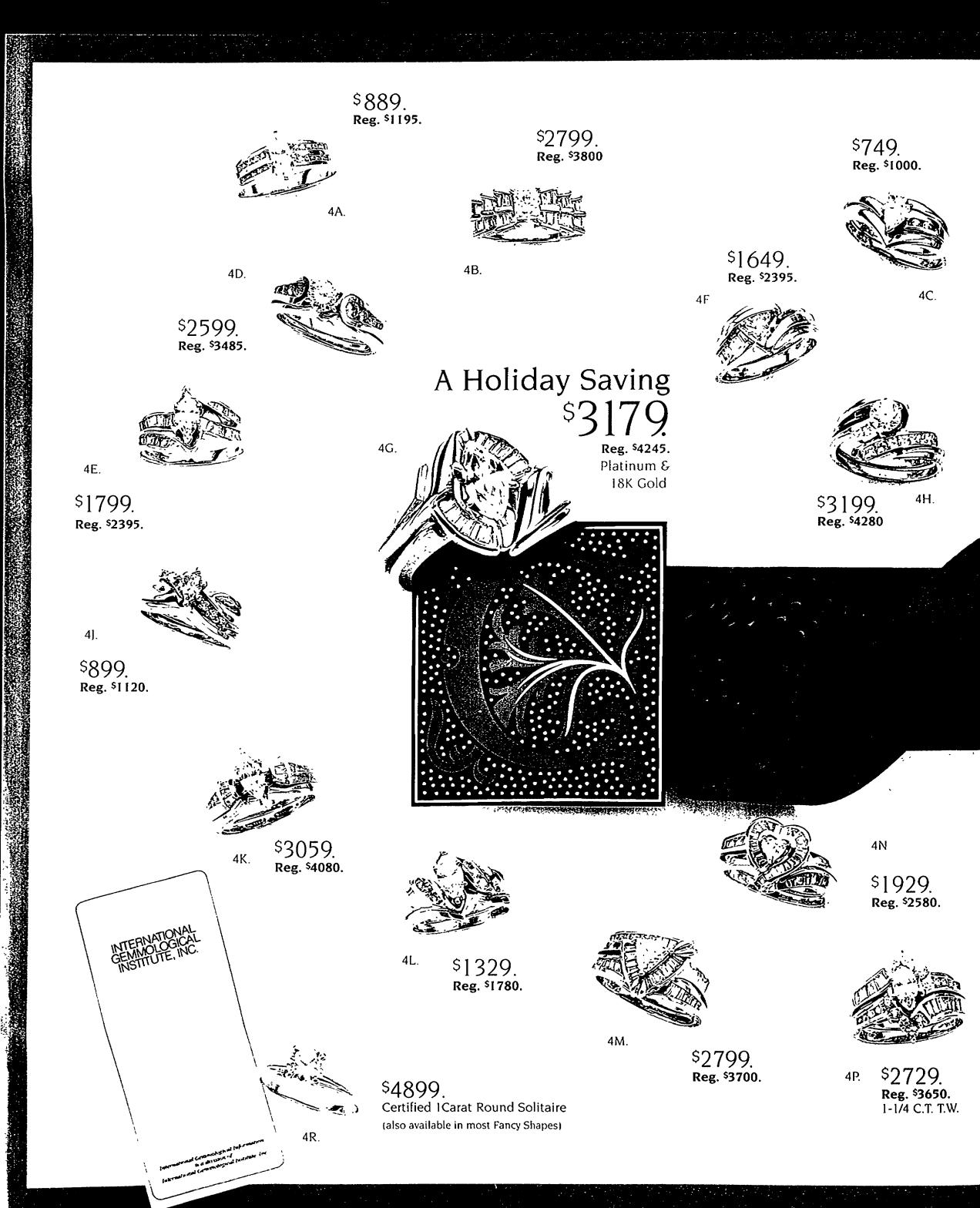
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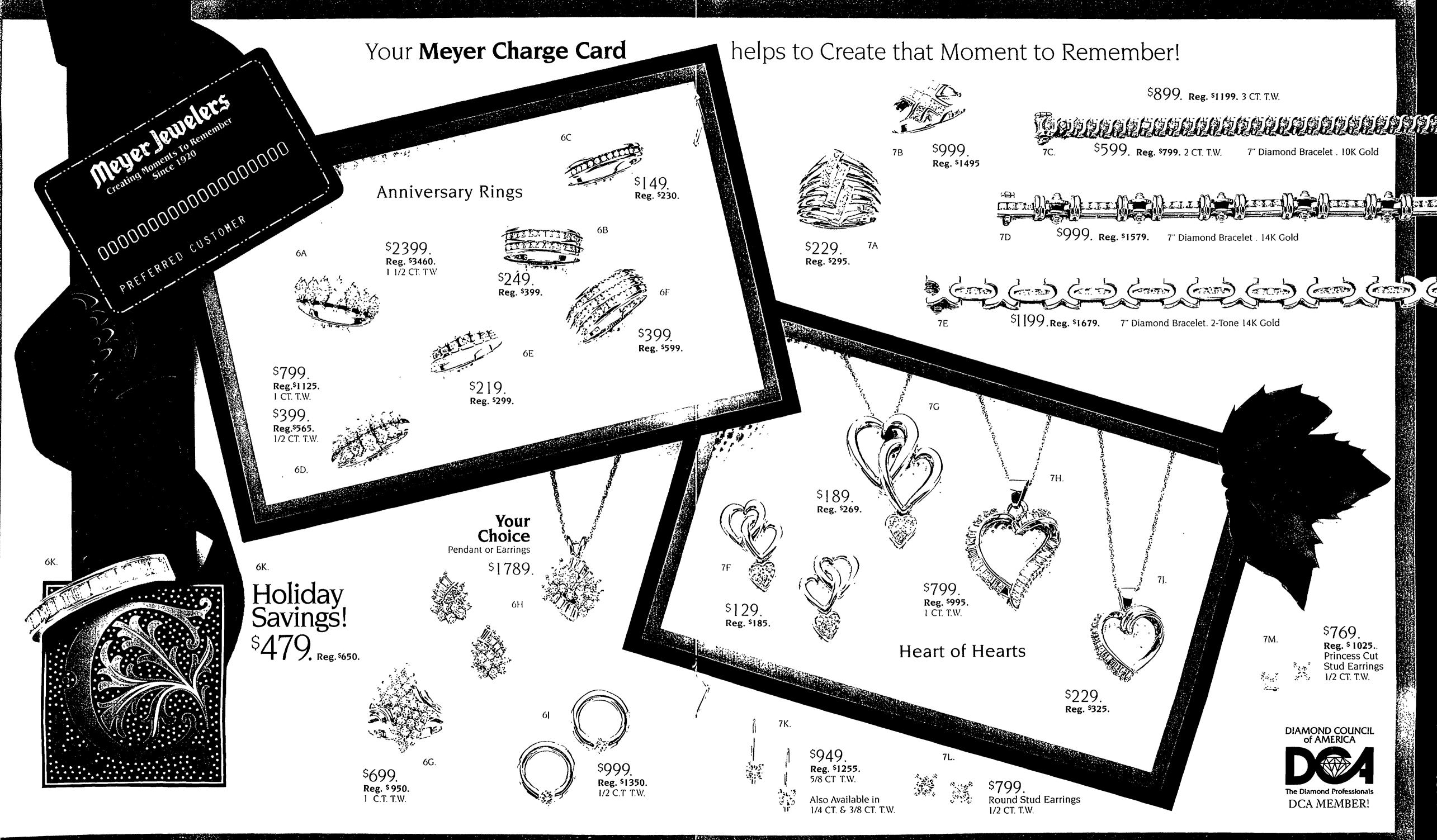


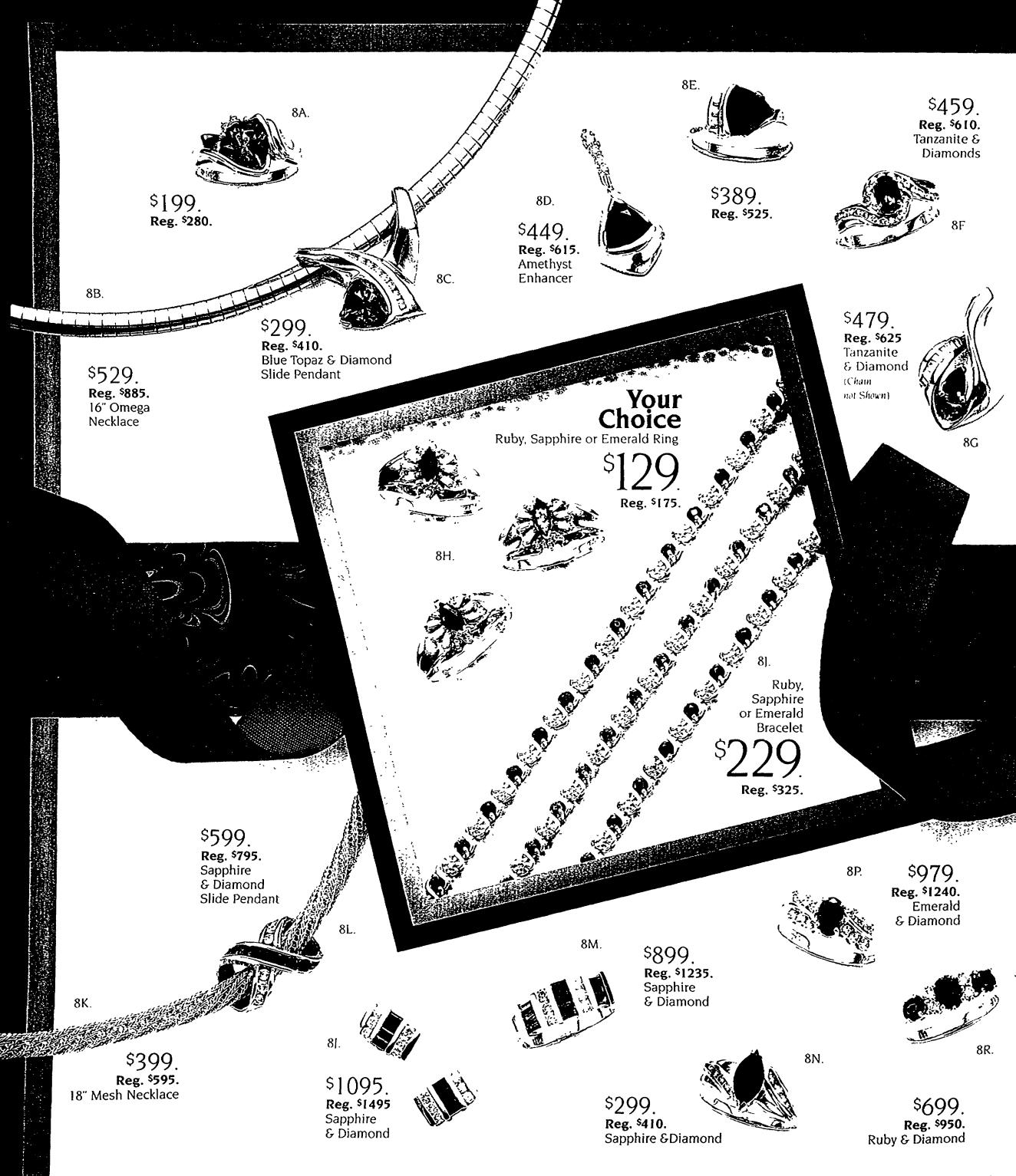


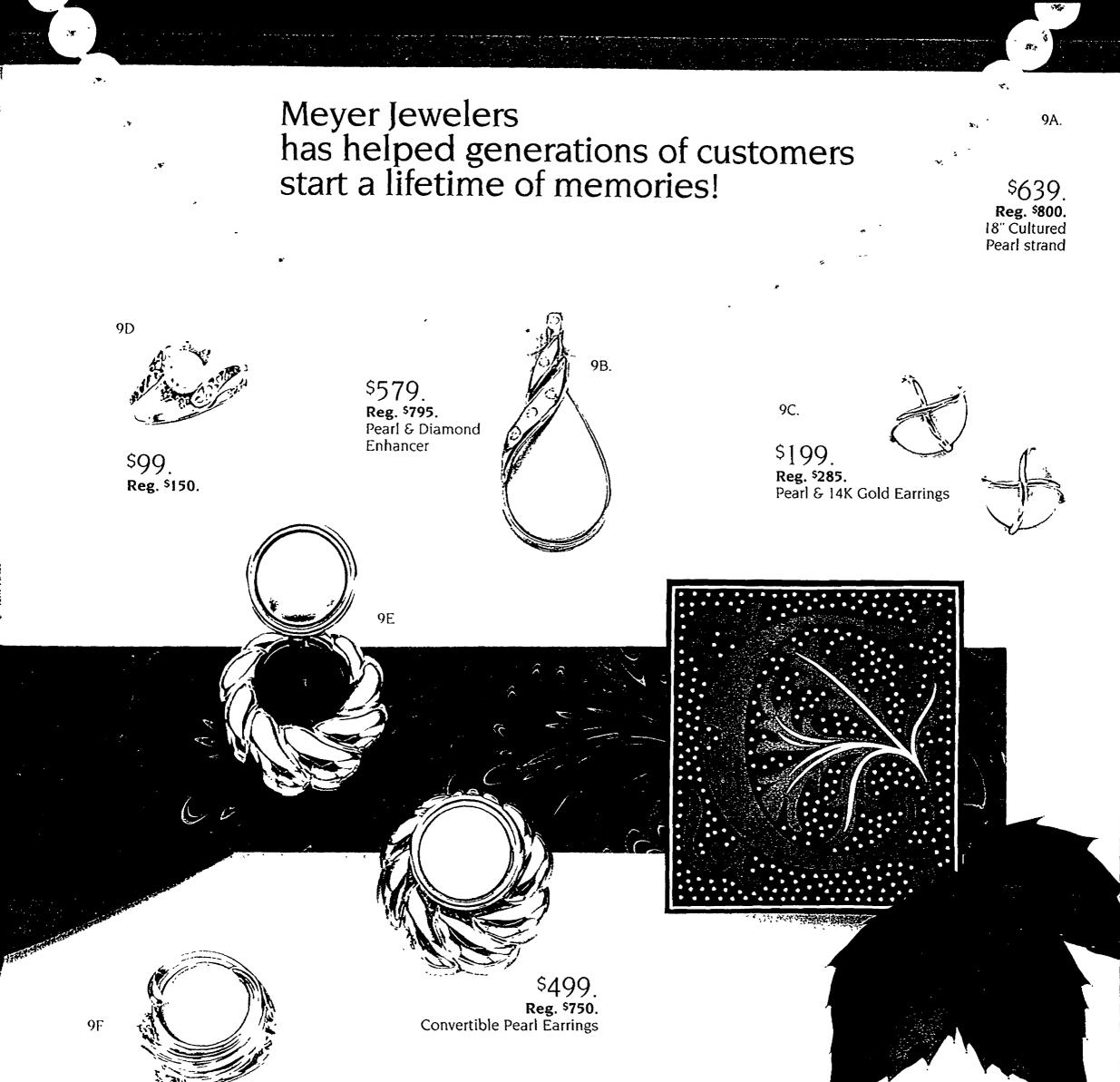
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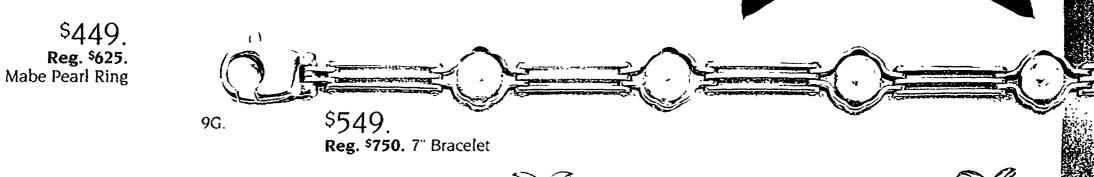














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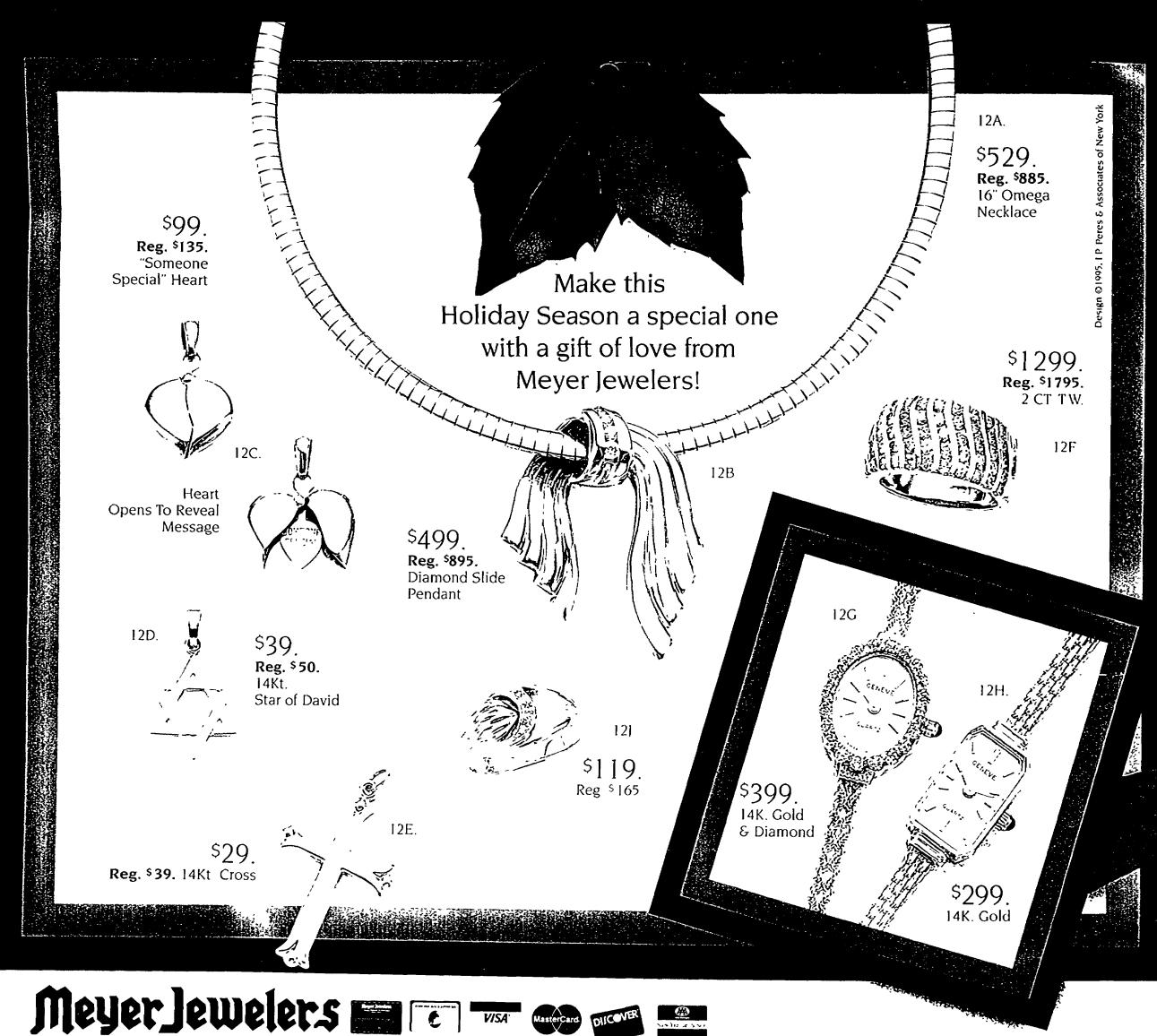
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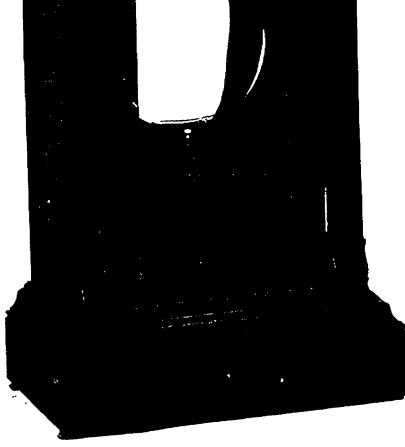
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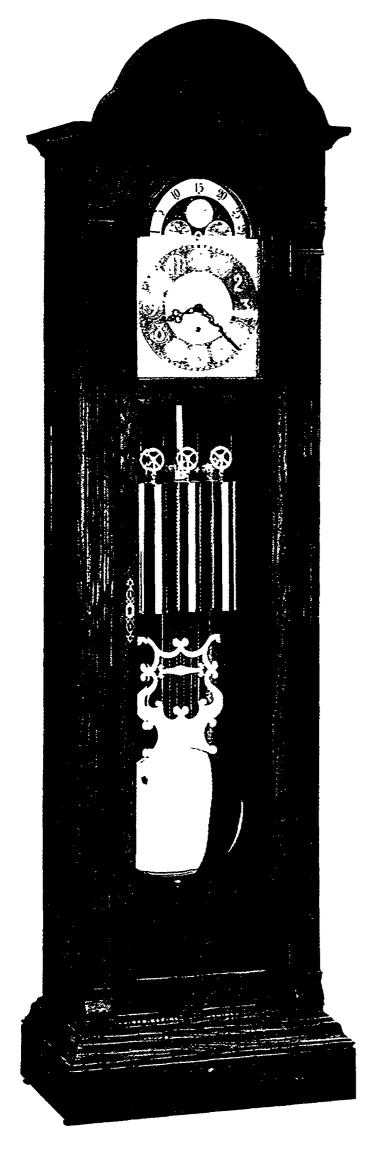
WINDHAM Andover Cherry 82'/<sub>4</sub>" H x 22<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" W x 13<sup>1</sup>/<sub>16</sub>" D Regular Price \$1920 Once-In-A-Lifetime \$9999



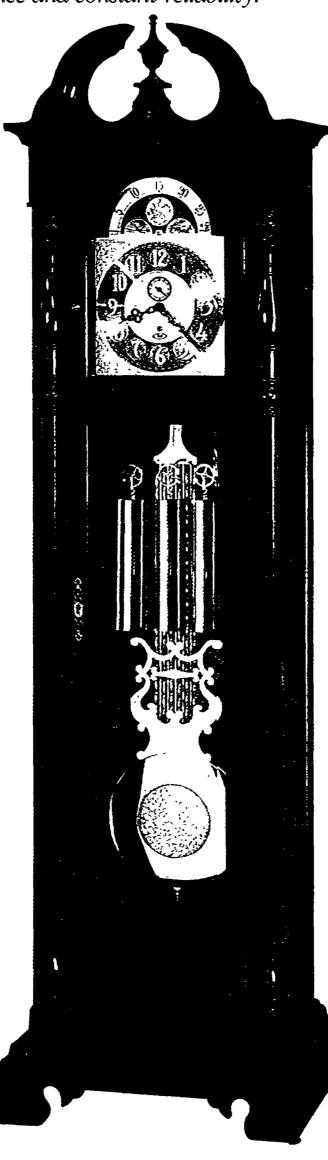
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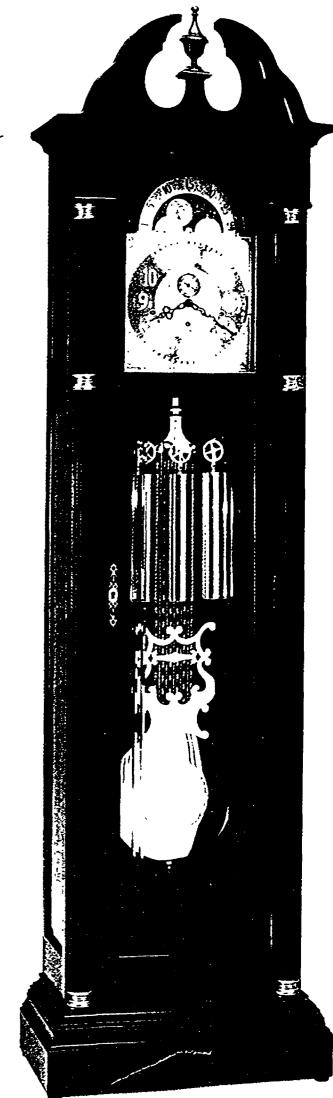
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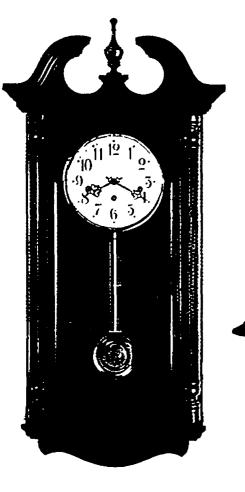
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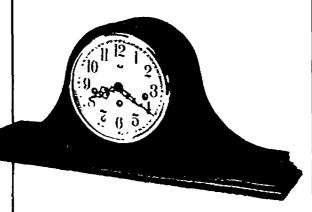
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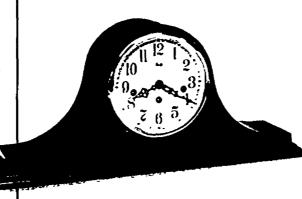
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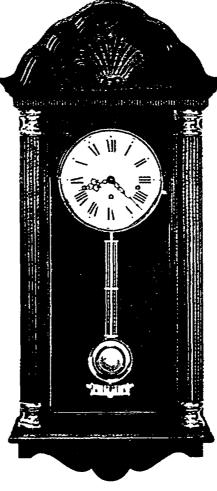


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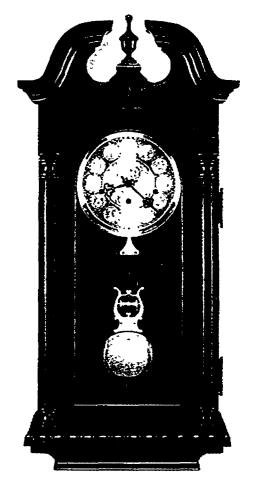


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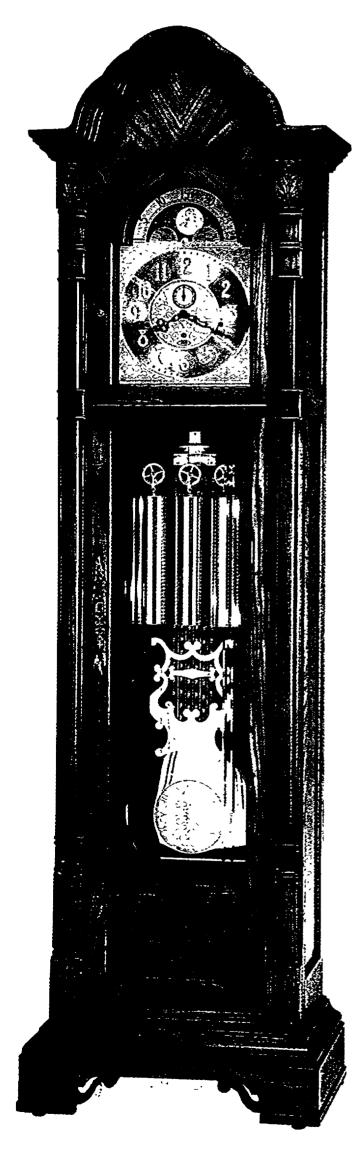
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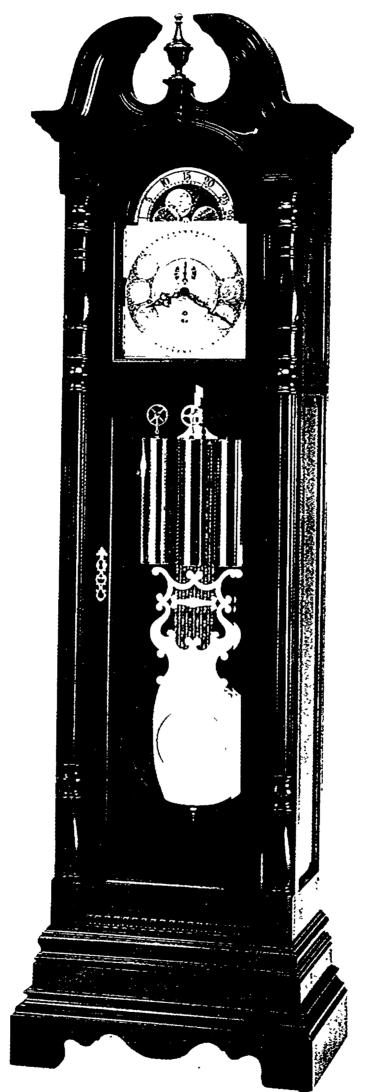




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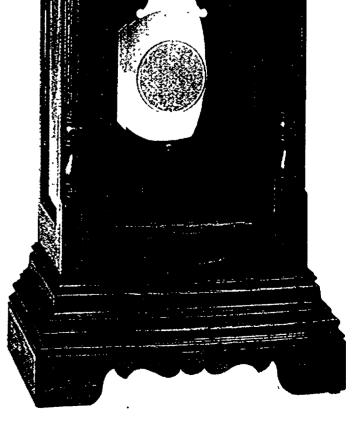




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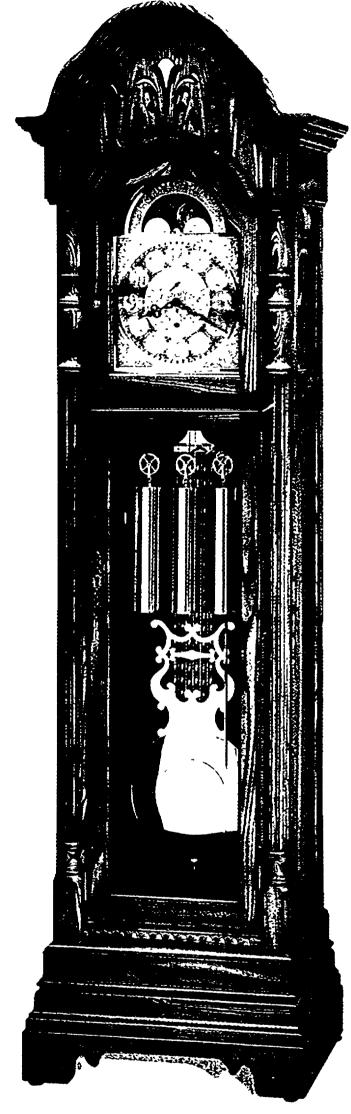
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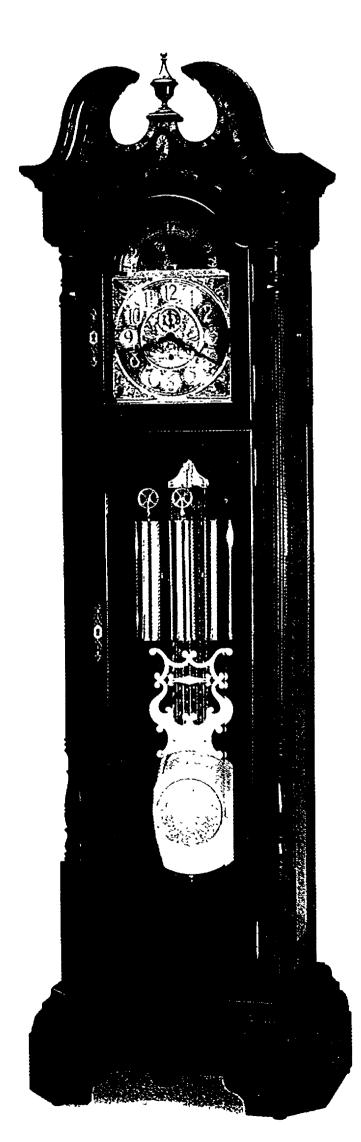


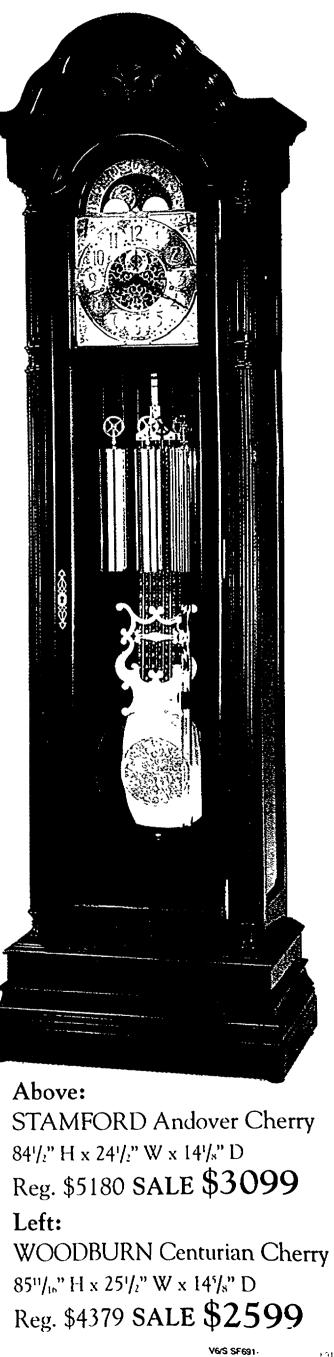
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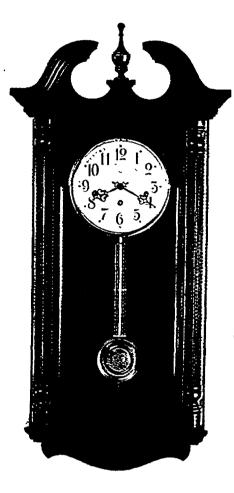


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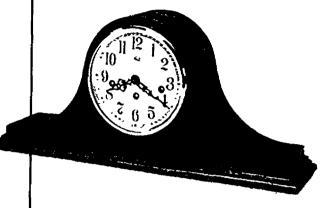
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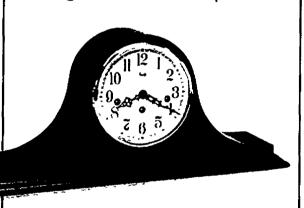


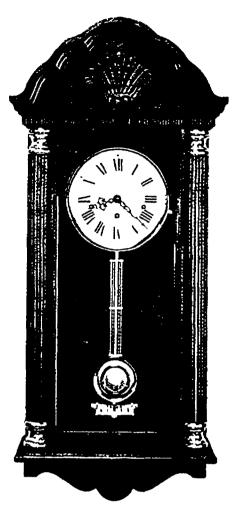
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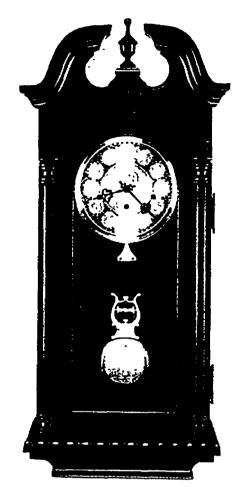
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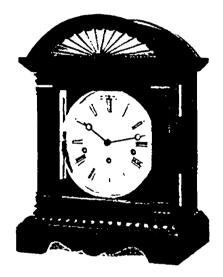
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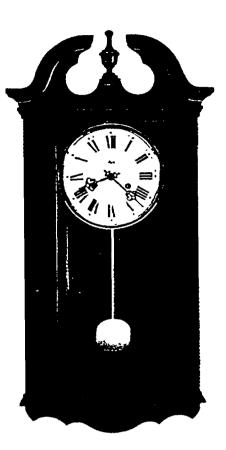
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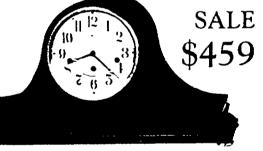
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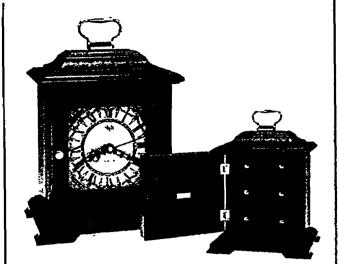


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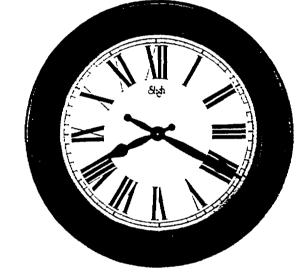
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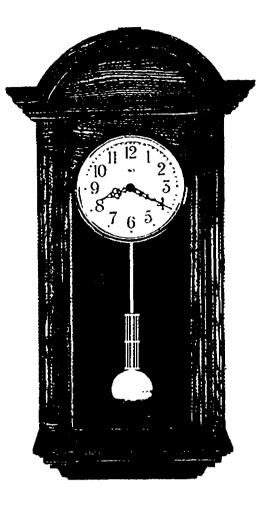




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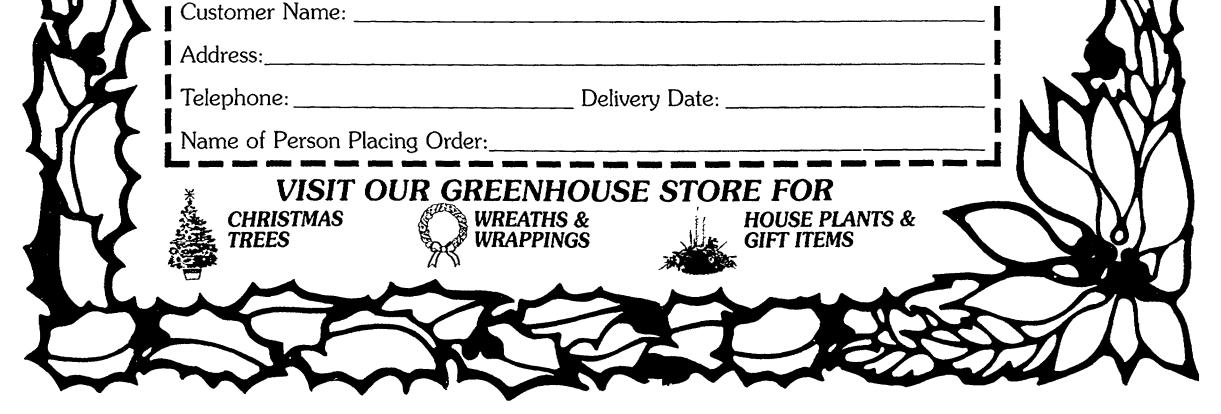
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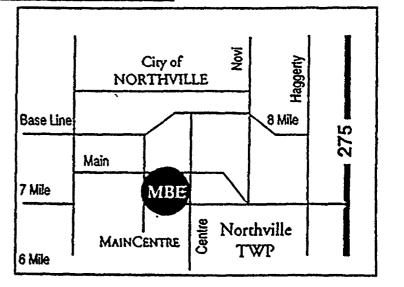


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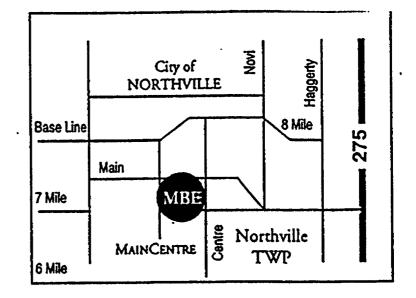
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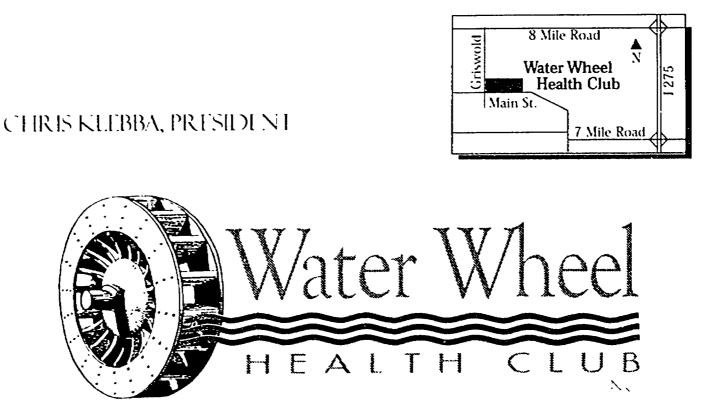
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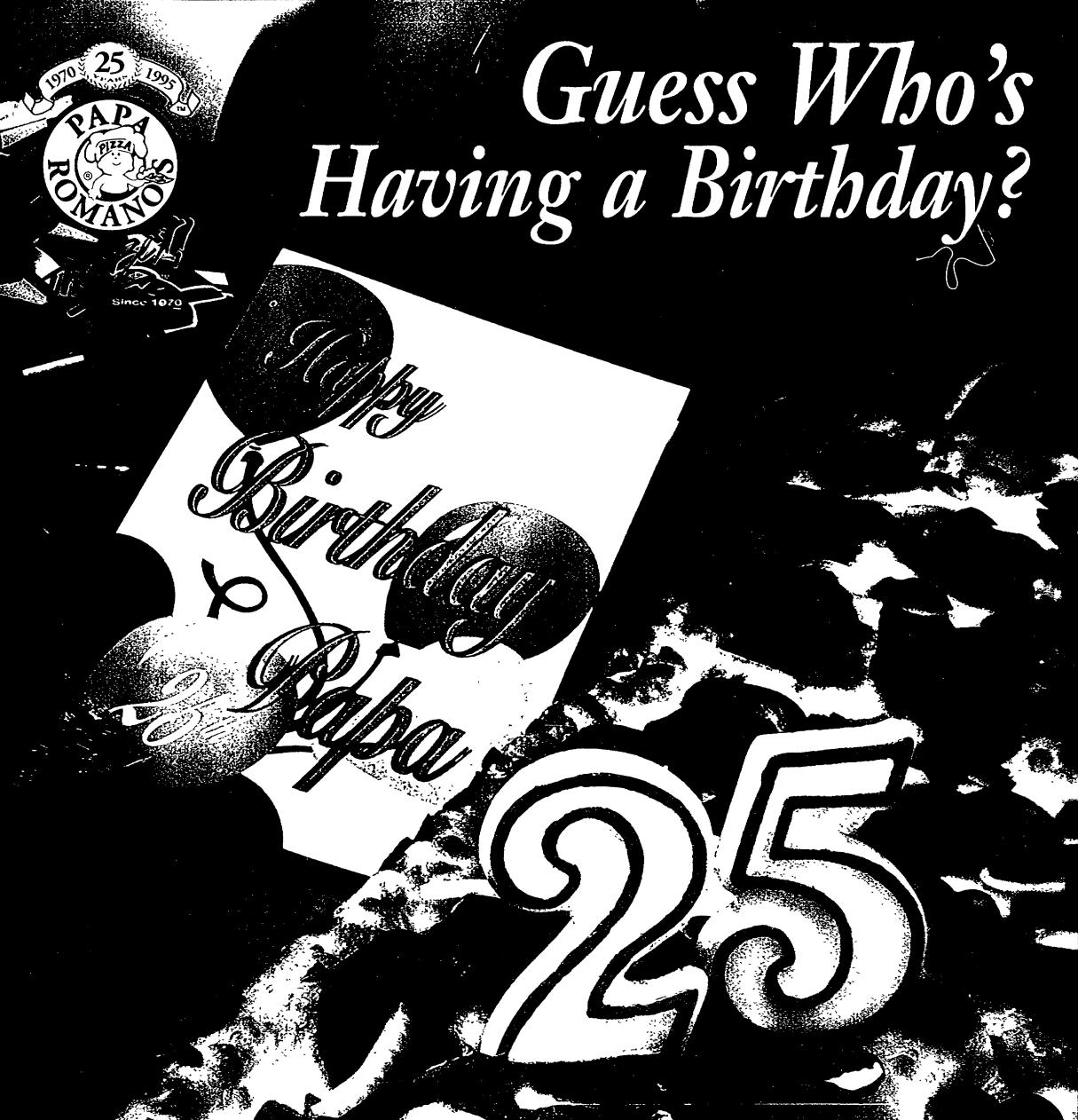
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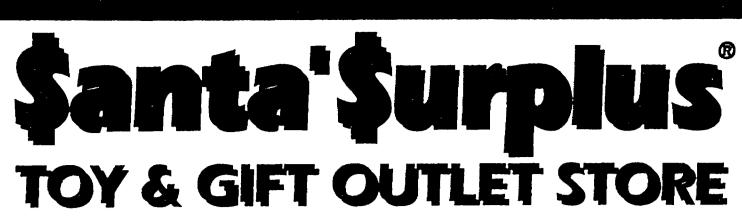
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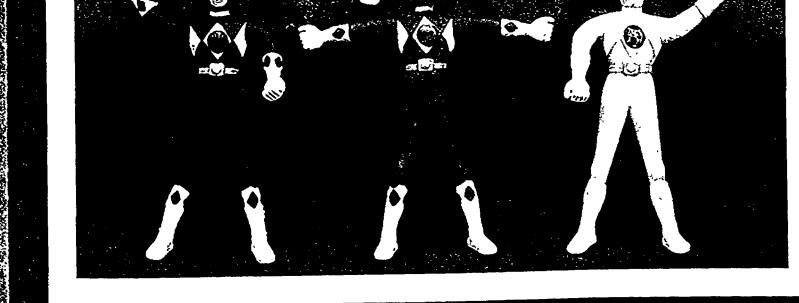
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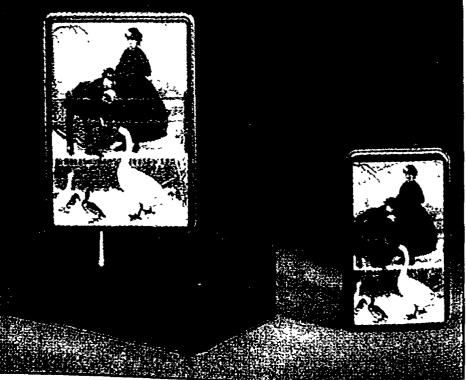
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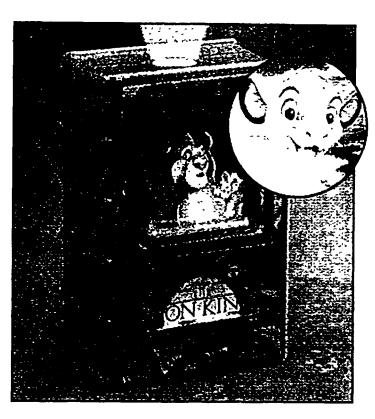
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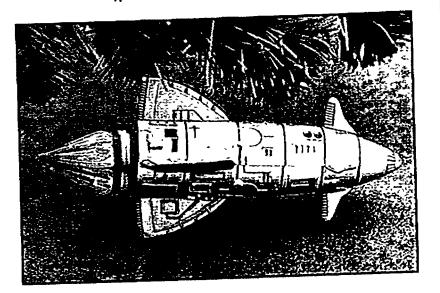


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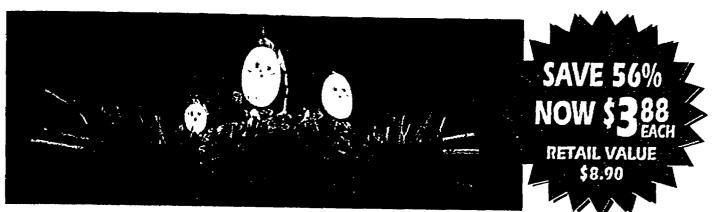
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