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Northville High School's Back Beat performs for visitors at Mill Race Village. Find more festival pictures on page 11-A.

Soaked, sloppy and Soupy

Festival still fun despite drizzle

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

Rain and a dipping thermometer may have kept a few folks at home but all in all this year's Victorian Festival was another smashing success.

Some estimates put attendance at this past weekend's festival as high as 9,000, a solid turnout but likely less than in past years that featured better weather.

Despite the rain the crowds turned out to browse, eat, bid and enjoy some special festival highlights such as Soupy Sales serving as parade grand marshal and Hal's Victorian performing baboon act.

An all day drizzlefest put a damper on festival doings on Saturday, but oddly enough while the rain probably kept some away from the streets, it apparently drove many a festi valgoer into the shops. Downtown merchants did a brisk trade.

"We did a lot of business, especially on Saturday," Debbie McDonald of Northville Diamond Jewelers said. "It was busy."

Local civic groups looking to raise money for projects and community activities at the festival may also have come out better than the weather might have suggested. McDonald indicated that the Kiwanis Club, for example, sold out of their new "walking tacos" on Sunday, while the high school cheerleaders cleaned house on lemonade.

Northville's Chamber of Commerce will get specific numbers from the groups in a few weeks.



Victorian Festival Queen Susan Bolls chats with Mary Kay Pryce.

Northville activist takes up assisted-suicide cause

By JAN JEFFRIES
Staff Writer

In the end, it was Merian Frederick's choice. Although the third anniversary of Frederick's death takes place next month, the event is something her daughter, Northville resident Carol Poentsch, still has difficulty coming to terms with.

On Oct. 22, 1993, Frederick, 72, in the advanced stages of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), or Lou Gehrig's Disease, died in the Royal Oak apartment of Dr. Jack Kevorkian.

The Ann Arbor grandmother was his 19th patient, the second immediately after Novi resident Tom Hyde.

Occasionally, Poentsch said in her Northville Commons home last week, she has second thoughts.

"We all have relapsed. We think maybe we could have done something to help my mom,

but it was her choice. She did all she could," Poentsch said.

"My mother had that right. Nobody should have to suffer like she did. If she were to choose to suffer, that was one thing, but if somebody was making her suffer, that's a crime to make somebody suffer."

Relapses or not, Poentsch is so committed to her belief that the terminally-ill and suffering

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BONDS FOR BUILDING

Decision time Voters hold key to future of district

By ROBERT JACKSON
Staff Writer

After four years of study and countless hours of discussion, the fate of the Northville Public School District's \$61.5 million bond issue and 1.95 enhancement millage now rests in the hands of the voters.

The polls open at 7 a.m. Monday, Sept. 23, at the six district precincts - Precinct 1, Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main Street; Precinct 2, Silver Springs Elementary School, 19801 Silver Springs Drive; Precinct 3, Winchester Elementary School, 16141 Winchester Drive; Precinct 4, Amerman Elementary School, 867 N. Center Street; Precinct 5, Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main Street; and Precinct 6, Moraine Elementary School, 46811 Eight Mile Road.

The polls will close at 8 p.m. At stake is the construction of a new high school, which would be built on district owned land at Six Mile and Sheldon Road, along with the conversion of the current high school into a middle school.

Renovations to existing district facilities, including the expansion of Silver Springs Elementary

■ A \$61.5 million school bond and millage issue is at stake as voters head to the polls next week. Get all the particulars about the multi-faceted request on pages 4-5A.

School and new technology are also included in the bond package. The enhancement millage will provide funds to support the new technology, according to district officials.

School Board President Martha Nield said she's hoping for a high voter turnout at the polls. "I'd really like to see at least 50 percent voter participation because what ever happened we would have a clear message from the community as to what they would like us to do and the direction we should be heading," Nield said. "I also think it's important that we stop and thank all of the people who have spent the better part of the last

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Toughness of test reflected in scores

By ROBERT JACKSON
Staff Writer

The newest proficiency test for high school 11th graders and the unproved Michigan Educational Placement Test for fifth and eighth graders, ended up being a bit tougher than school officials predicted.

That's what Northville Public School officials are saying this week as the state Department of Education released the results of the High School Proficiency Test and MEAP. Once again Northville was among the top districts in southeast Michigan but, according to Assistant Superintendent Dolly McMaster, there is plenty of room for improvement.

"There are areas that I believe we need to look closely at and make necessary adjustments to improve student learning," McMaster said. "I think the test is a good one. It was challenging for our students, and I think that is important."

"We can't just look at the scores and be satisfied with our perfor-

mance," she added. "We need to really look at the data and find ways we can improve the delivery of education to our students."

District fifth and eighth graders took the MEAP science and writing test in early March, and 11th

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MEAP RESULTS

Here is a breakdown of the Michigan Education Assessment Program scores by school. The test was given to fifth and eighth grade students and the figures represent the percentage of students scoring in the proficient category:

Elementary School	Science	Writing
Amerman	61.2	92.2
Moraine	71.1	97.4
Silver Springs	38.5	82.7
Thornton Creek	57.9	74.7
Winchester	49.4	87.1
District Average	55.5	85.8
STATE AVERAGE	26.9	55.6

Middle School	Science	Writing
Cooke	46.6	87.7
Meads Mill	36.2	91.4
District Average	41.1	89.7
STATE AVERAGE	21.5	69.1

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

FARMERS MARKET: The Northville Farmers Market runs from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the northwest corner of Seven Mile Rd. and Center St. A variety of plants and fresh produce will be available.

LEXINGTON COMMONS BOARD MEETS: The Lexington Commons Homeowners Association Board of Directors meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Lexington Condo clubhouse. Everyone is invited.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY BOARD MEETS: The Northville Historical Society Board of Directors meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Cady Inn in Mill Race Historical Village.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

LIBRARY FRIENDS: The Board of Directors of the Friends of Northville District Library meet at 9:30 a.m. in the "old" library.

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

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

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 Haveranek, MALLP, educator and psychologist.

SINGLE PLACE BRUNCH: Single Place will meet at 12:30 p.m. for brunch at Northville Crossing on Northville Road. 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.

MILL RACE OPEN: Mill Race Historical Village, on Griswold north of Main, will be open from 1 to 4 p.m. with trained docents offering tours.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

M.O.M.S.: M.O.M.S., a support group for mothers, meets from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church at 8 Mile and Taft. Rds.

The program is the Annual Fall Women's Social sponsored by U.M.W. and M.O.M.S. Quality child care is provided 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 today and Wednesday from 12:15-3:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, 215 W. Cady in the Scout Building.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN: The Northville Business and Professional Women meet at the Holiday Inn Livonia, Six Mile and Newburgh Rds. Networking begins at 6 p.m., dinner and program from 6:30-8 p.m. followed by a short business meeting. For additional information call Margaret Szewc at (313)455-1932 or Nancy Cameron at (810)344-9705.

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION: The Northville Public Schools Board of Education meets at 7:30 p.m. at Thornton Creek Elementary School, 46180 W. Nine Mile Rd.

NORTHVILLE MASONIC ORGANIZATION: The Northville Masons meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple, Main near Center Street.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

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

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.

F.E.M.A.L.E.: The Novi Chapter of Formerly Employed Mothers at the Leading Edge meets at 7 p.m. at the Providence Mission Health Center, 39500 W. Ten Mile Rd. For more information, please contact Marie at 486-1498.

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 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, SEPTEMBER 25

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

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

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

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

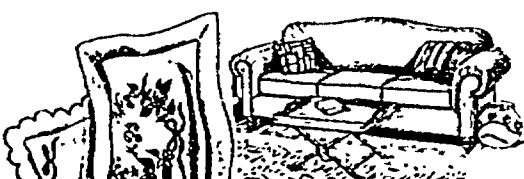
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

FARMERS MARKET: The Northville Farmers Market runs from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the northwest corner of Center St. and Seven Mile Rd. A variety of plants and fresh produce will be available.

TOPS: Take Off Pounds Sensibly for all ages meets at 9 a.m. at the Northville Area Senior Citizens Center, 215 W. Cady. For more information call 349-8354.

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 348-1761.

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



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SEPTEMBER 23, 1996

To The Voters of Northville Public Schools

On Monday, September 23, 1996 the voters in the Northville Public Schools District will have the opportunity to make an important investment in our community and its children. On that day two ballot propositions will be voted on - a \$61,520,000 bond issue and a one-year 1.95 enhancement millage. The bond issue will provide school facilities to meet the significant growth in our school-age population, as well as major repairs and renovations and educational technology, including computer hardware. The enhancement millage will assure the maximum return on the investment in technology by providing funds for staff and teacher training and for the hiring of technology support personnel.

The undersigned support the passage of both the bond issue and enhancement millage propositions. We encourage all Northville Public Schools residents to become informed on these issues and to join us in our support.

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17-lot neighborhood approved in township

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

Home buyers, you'll have another choice to consider soon as a new subdivision is on its way to Northville Township.

Pine Creek Estates, a 17-lot subdivision planned for a parcel off Beck Road north of Six Mile, won key approvals last week from the township board of trustees. The green light allows Pine Creek to begin construction pending final review by the township's legal counsel.

The Northville based firm of Pine

Hollow Inc., is building Pine Creek, which will sit on 11 acres just north of the Hickory Creek subdivision. Pine Hollow will develop the land using the township's open space development ordinance.

The open space design is a tradeoff of sorts and strictly optional: the township does not have to approve such a design, which calls for home lot sizes which are smaller than what normal site zoning allows.

The 11 acre site is regularly zoned for R-2 development, which would allow a maximum of 16 lots.

The tradeoff for the extra lot will be more than 20 percent of the parcel preserved as open space, including the entire eastern third of the land.

The homes will surround a single cul-de-sac and the board, before approving the design on a 4-2 vote, asked that buffer spaces, including landscaping, be put in to insulate Pine Creek from nearby homes in Hickory Creek.

The township attorney is expected to review the open space development agreement and give it final approval soon.

Senior housing complex gains initial approval for 7 Mile site

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

A proposed senior housing center has jumped its first hurdle in Northville Township.

Harbor Hills, tentatively planned for land off Seven Mile across from the Michigan State Police post, won a key victory last week when the township board of trustees approved a request from the developer for a rezoning.

The site was zoned only for single family homes but the board approved a request to rezone the land to allow senior housing development. Harbor Hills' next step is to submit a formal site plan to the township planning commission.

That plan will show key facts

like the total number of dwelling units planned, their design and other features like road layout and landscape buffering from nearby homes.

In a related decision the board last Thursday (Sept. 12) also voted to table a request from the owner of the Oasis Family Fun Center for a rezoning.

Located on Five Mile just east of Haggerty, the Oasis asked for the section of its property closest to Haggerty to be rezoned from its current office development classification to a general business category.

That, owner Brian Ashley maintains, would eliminate a lot of red tape. For example, the Oasis

must seek a waiver from the township to erect its golf dome each season.

It would also help to clear the way for possible future improvements at the site such as new entertainment features.

The board opted to hold off on an answer, however, pending consideration of a proposed commercial recreation ordinance. The brainchild of the township planning commission, the ordinance would be specifically tailored to better regulate recreational centers like the Oasis than a general business zoning classification could.

The proposed ordinance is expected to be sent to the board within the next couple of months.

Fallen classmates to be remembered

Student leaders at Northville High School are inviting members of the community to a short memorial service that will be held in memory of the four high school students and graduates who tragically

passed away within the past year.

The four - Chris Mudge, Matt Fenech, Steve Carter, and Jenny Glinksi - will be honored Sept. 24 at 7 p.m., with a candlelight walk

from the high school auditorium to the high school football stadium. A short program and ceremony will immediately follow.

For further information contact the high school at 344-8425.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Go way out

More than 60 athletes participated in the NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass & Kick Competition hosted by the Novi and Northville Parks and Recreation departments Sunday at Novi Middle School. Winners of the Girls Division were Krista Avantini in the 8-9 age group; Erin Carpenter, ages 10-11; Mary Sunisloe, ages 12-13. Boys Division

winners were D.J. Farrell, ages 8-9; Brandon Cigna, ages 10-11; Jonathon Fritzges, ages 12-13; and Jim Mize, ages 14-15. The winners will advance to a sectional competition on Oct. 12 in Canton Township. The championship will be held on Nov. 17 at the Silverdome. Above, Bret Schwarzlose rears back to heave a long one.

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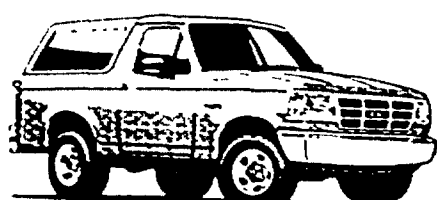
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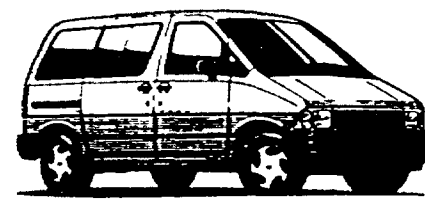
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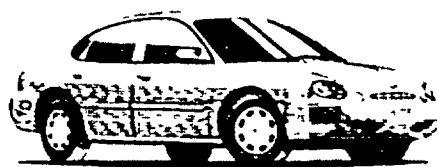
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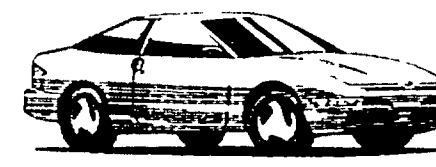
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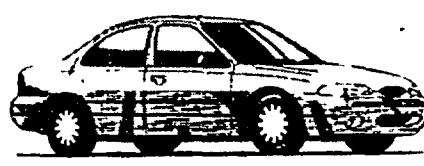
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New high school is centerpiece of proposal

Crowded building is greatest concern

By ROBERT JACKSON
Staff Writer

The big ticket item in the upcoming \$61.5 million bond issue could alleviate the school district's single largest problem - overcrowding.

Approval of the bond request next week would allow the district to build a new high school, move Cooke Middle School into the current high school facility, and make renovations and repairs to existing elementary and middle schools. The bonds would also provide new technology for classrooms as well as technology support and training for school personnel.

It is the construction of a new high school, estimated to cost \$48 million, that will have the biggest impact on Northville students. With population figures on the rise, overcrowding in the high school could result in some students going to class in portable classrooms.

To compound the problem, overcrowding at the middle schools and even some elementary schools will impact the delivery of education, according to district parent Robin Polletta.

"If we didn't add one single student to the middle school or high



Photo by SUE SPILLANE

Students file out of the cafeteria during a typical lunch period at Northville High School at the start of the new school year.

school population we'd have a big problem on our hands within the next one or two years," said Polletta, a member of Continuing Excellence for Northville Children (CENC), a citizens committee pushing for bond approval.

"Start adding new kids to that equation and we'll have real prob-

lems when it comes to maintaining the high level of educational quality our schools have enjoyed."

The district's student population increased by more than 160 this school year, according to statistics provided by school officials. With the current population hovering at about 4,800 students the new

additions would increase the total population by about 3 percent and result in an expansion of more than six classrooms.

District officials say projections show that the population will continue to increase, as more homes are built in Northville Township and the portions of Novi that lie

within district boundaries. Overall enrollment will increase 24 percent over the next six years, according to projections based on historical data and projected growth.

Nowhere is the problem more apparent than at the high school, where the student population this

"If we didn't add one single student to the middle school or high school population we'd have a big problem on our hands within the next one or two years."

-Robin Polletta
CENC Committee member

year comes close to exceeding the 1,456 capacity. District officials say the high school, built in 1959, wasn't designed to hold that many students.

According to Mary Rupley, who has spent the past three years studying the facility problem, adding on to the existing high school is not a viable option.

"You could never remodel that school enough to adequately address the future needs of students," she said.

"Adding onto the existing facility would only alleviate the overcrowding temporarily, and wouldn't address a lot of the concerns. Then when the student population grew to a capacity of 1,800 we would have to build another high school anyway."

"In the long run that option could prove almost as costly to the community."

If the bond issue is approved the school district plans to build a new high school on district property on Six Mile near Sheldon Road. Preliminary plans call for the original building to house 1,800 students, with a capability to expand to more than 2,200 students

Old computer units called an obstacle to tech instruction

By ROBERT JACKSON
Staff Writer

There may not be a shortage of computers in Northville schools, but chances are most of the units are no longer very useful to students.

Northville schools have classroom computers that can't run the new, state-of-the-art software and have a hard time accessing data on the Internet.

That's the dilemma school district officials now face as aging 8088 and 286 personal computers found in most district schools fail to provide students with the necessary learning devices in the rapidly changing world of computer technology.

About \$5.2 million of the \$61.5 million bond issue that goes before voters Sept. 23 is earmarked for new technology, including new multi-media computers. A 1.95 mill enhancement millage will add to the package by providing technology support.

Should the bond and enhancement millages fail, the district would have to dedicate about \$500,000 each year for technology expenses out of the general budget, according to school district officials.

Northville's technology problems mirror the results of a study conducted earlier this year for the U.S. Department of Education that looked at schools nationwide, and said that most schools use computers that are more than 10 years old.

The study concluded that educators need to begin attacking the problem head-on before students fall woefully behind in computer skills.

The report ranked Michigan 35th in the country with an average of 11.7 students per computer,

and 31st with an average of 37.3 students per computer with multi-media capabilities.

Northville schools have an approximate average of 6.9 students per computer and 39.2 per computer with multi-media capabilities, according to school officials.

"We have to face the facts, technology is constantly and rapidly changing, and computer technology has changed dramatically over the past five years," said Dolly McMaster, assistant superintendent for instruction.

"We, as educators, need to ensure that we adapt to those changes, and provide the tools necessary for our students to succeed."

The last time the school district was able to purchase updated computer equipment was in 1989, when voters approved additional millage for the purchase of new computers and the construction of a fiber optic network. As technology advanced in the early 1990s Northville found itself falling behind with outdated computers that could not run new educational software.

The citizens committee for technology report, presented to the school board last year, contained several recommendations to bridge the technology gap in elementary, middle and high schools:

- Elementary schools - The committee felt there was a strong need to develop one computer lab environment per elementary school, to promote more cohesive instruction using technology and ensure one-to-one coverage of technology to students and staff.

The labs would have the latest in desktop technology, with individual file and print servers available in each.

of consultant Dr. William DeJong. Several community dialogues were scheduled in an effort to build a community consensus for the future of Northville High School and the district.

The board decided to bring the bond and enhancement questions to the voters last May.

Nield added that the school board will host a citizens "phone-in" this evening (Sept. 19), concerning the bond and enhancement election.

She explained that board members will be on hand to field calls from residents who have questions or concerns on any of the issues. The program will run from 6:30 to 9 p.m., and the phone number is 349-3400.

TECHNOLOGY FEATURES

The school district will spend \$5.2 million in bond funds to purchase new technology components. Here are some highlights:

Elementary schools

- Four computer labs equipped with 33 new 486 personal computers (PCs) and two laser printers. Cost: \$71,000 per lab.
- One 486 PC per classroom (74 total). Cost: \$2,000 per unit.
- Upgrade 10 media center 286 PCs to 386 PCs. Cost: \$350 per unit.
- File server installed in each computer lab (five). Cost: \$25,000 per lab.
- New 486 PCs for administrative office (10). Cost: \$2,000 per unit.

Middle schools

- Add two computer labs with 33 486 PCs in each lab and two laser printers. Cost: \$71,000 per lab.
- Add one 486 PC per classroom (51). Cost: \$2,000 per unit.
- Upgrade 286 PCs to 386 PCs in classrooms (51). Cost: \$350 per unit.
- Upgrade media centers (two). Cost: \$10,000 per center.
- Suitcase video studios with editing and distribution capabilities (two). Cost: \$100,000 per studio.
- Fileserver installed in computer lab (two). Cost: \$25,000 per lab.

High school

- Four computer labs with 33 new 486 PCs and two laser printers. Cost: \$71,000 per lab.
- New Computer Aided Design lab with 25 CAD stations. Cost: \$3,500 per unit.
- New 486 PCs for classrooms (100). Cost: \$2,000 per unit.
- Media center with eight 486 PCs. Cost: \$16,000.
- Three CD-ROM towers. Cost: \$14,000 per tower.
- Two suitcase video studios with editing and distribution capabilities. Cost: \$100,000 per studio.
- Upgrade 286 PCs to 386 PCs (35). Cost: \$350 per unit.

Additionally, each lab would have color scanners and laser printers.

• Middle and high schools - Following the same approach, the middle schools would have a total of three computer labs, and the high school would have a total of eight, one of which would be designated a computer aided design (CAD) lab.

These labs would utilize existing

technology where applicable and supplement additional computer labs with newly equipped workstations.

In addition, the middle schools would have two portable video studios capable of video acquisition, editing, and distribution.

The new high school would have two video studios as well - one fixed in a set location and one portable.

Community uses are part of package

By ROBERT JACKSON
Staff Writer

Should next week's bond issue pass and a new high school get built, the school district is willing to make a portion of the existing high school available for community use.

District officials have been conducting preliminary discussions with city and township officials, as well as with members of various civic organizations, to identify options in utilizing about 51,500 square feet of space within the retrofitted middle school facility.

Once the new high school is built the district plans to relocate Cooke Middle School to the existing high school. According to Assistant Superintendent Dave Bolitho, the retrofitted building would have more than enough space to house 800 students - which the district projects will be the maximum population there - as well as other community functions.

According to a preliminary blueprint one of the two existing gymnasiums and the school's swimming pool could be run by the Parks and Recreation Department. Other amenities like community meeting rooms and a community fitness center, along with storage and office space, could be used by civic groups and the Senior Citizens Center.

Those spaces, according to Bolitho, would be set apart from the planned school area.

"We have designated 51,500 square feet as possible community use, and all we have to do is collectively decide how best to utilize

that space," Bolitho said.

Bolitho said that housing the Recreation Department and Senior Citizens Center in the school would not compromise the education or safety of Cooke students because there would be very little overlap between the school and community uses.

"We believe that there would be compatibility with the mixed use of that facility," he explained.

"If we build a new high school we will have plenty of available square footage for use, and we believe a partnership between the community and the school district in finding ways to use that space would benefit us all," Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski said.

Parks and Recreation Director Tracy Sinecock said she is excited about the possibility of utilizing a portion of the space, adding that the department is looking forward to continuing the discussions.

"We're still in the concept stage and what we have to do now is brainstorm to come up with concrete ways to utilize the space," she said.

The remaining 211,000 square feet will be dedicated school area, according to the plan.

Rezmierski said he'd like to see the space used by the community.

"We're willing to explore every option available to make this work in the best interests of everyone concerned," he said.

"The community has already paid for this building and if the bond issue is approved we will have the unique opportunity to put this space to the best possible use."

Special needs students could get new facility

By ROBERT JACKSON
Staff Writer

It might have taken more than 20 years, but the school district's special needs center will finally make it into district boundaries if voters approve next week's bond and enhancement millage issues.

That's because district officials plan to move the students and faculty of the Bryant Center, which now leases a facility from the Livonia School District, into the Cooke Middle School building.

According to district officials, passage of the bond proposal would result in the construction of a new high school. That would permit the conversion of the current high school into an 800 student capacity middle school and the transfer of the Bryant Center, a special needs facility, into the vacated Cooke.

The center currently has an enrollment of about 110 students, according to Assistant Superintendent Dave Bolitho, and has been a part of the school district since

"Programatically, the Cooke facility is more than adequate for the needs of the center."

-Dave Bolitho
Assistant Superintendent

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Bolitho said Cooke would be a perfect building for the center. The move would save the district transportation, food service and leasing costs, he added.

By utilizing the Cooke building the district would also receive federal funds.

"Programatically, the Cooke facility is more than adequate for the needs of the center," he explained.

"We feel we could accomplish the move with very little renovation work."

Voters to decide fate of longterm investment

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four years studying these issues. They worked extremely hard for this community and, most of all, for the children of this community."

The school district began exploring the bond question several years ago when they formed the Bond, Technology, and Enhancement committees, which studied the district's current and future needs.

The three committees presented their findings to the board of education last year, recommending the district call for a bond election last fall.

The board declined to seek bond and enhancement millage approval last year, setting the stage for the formation of the High School Future's Committee and the hiring

BOND HIGHLIGHTS

The school district's bond proposal language breaks down the proceeds of the \$61.5 million bond issue as follows:

- \$48.5 million to construct and equip a new high school to house 1,800 students (with a capacity for expansion to 2,200 students).
- \$7.8 million for remodeling and renovations and major repairs to the district's existing facilities, including an addition to Silver Springs Elementary.
- \$5.2 million for education technology, including computer hardware and software and support personnel.
- \$3.8 million to renovate the existing high school for use as a middle school.

Total adds up to more than \$61.5 million because the proceeds from the bond sale will accrue interest before the money is spent.

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One-time millage integral part of program

By ROBERT JACKSON
Staff Writer

The \$61.5 million bond question isn't the only issue voters will be deciding next week. The Northville School District will also be seeking approval for a 1.95 mill enhancement millage.

The issue has not received the same focus as the district's bond request, but according to district officials and members of a citizens committee seeking support for the issues, the enhancement millage is just as important as the bond question.

"The two issues are certainly related, and we hope voters understand that," said Assistant Superintendent Dolly McMaster. "A portion of the bond will get us the necessary technology, but we need to be able to use the enhancement millage to support that technology."

The millage would be levied for one year only and the \$2 million raised would be spent over the next five years to support the investment in technology. The costs of training teachers and staff and of hiring technology support people would be financed with the money, according to McMaster.

Funds coming from the bond and enhancement millage will not be spent on general operating expenses like teacher or adminis-

tration salaries, she added.

According to Mark Vernacchia, who served on the district's citizen technology committee, the district cannot invest in new technology without investing in the maintenance and support of that technology.

"Our district currently has teachers who are responsible for maintaining the computer system's hardware and software, and that takes the teacher away from his or her main responsibility," he explained. "The district needs to have personnel in place that can take care of the day-to-day maintenance and troubleshooting duties."

Vernacchia said the \$2 million will be used over a five year period and will fund a systems administrator, a hardware technician, nine building tech assistants, and a software assistant. It will also cover training expenses.

"By the end of that five year period the district will have built the costs of these positions into the general operating budget," he explained.

Although the funds will be used over five years, the millage will only be levied for one year.

By state law, it will be the last time voters can exercise local control over any enhancement millage.

PROPOSED RENOVATION FEATURES

The school district proposes to spend \$7.8 million in renovations to existing facilities and in the purchase of new equipment. Included in the proposal are the following features:

- Construction of a new addition to Silver Springs Elementary, consisting of six new classrooms.
- 12 new buses.
- Installation of air conditioning units to Amerman and Moraine Elementary schools.
- Replacement of chillers at Winchester Elementary School.
- Roof repairs on all elementary schools.
- Parking lot and sidewalk repairs.
- Playground improvements at all elementary schools.
- One Large Group Instruction (LGI) room addition to Amerman.

TAXPAYER COSTS

How much more money will taxpayers be required to pay if the bond and enhancement millages are approved? The following table outlines the estimated costs:

Market value	Bond	Enhancement	*Total
\$150,000	\$225	\$146	\$371
\$200,000	\$300	\$195	\$495
\$250,000	\$375	\$244	\$619
\$300,000	\$450	\$293	\$743

* Total will change after a year when the enhancement millage lapses. By state law that millage can only be assessed for one year.

Voters must weigh costs of proposal

By ROBERT JACKSON
Staff Writer

It will cost the average homeowner an extra \$25 per month if the school district gains approval for the \$61.5 million bond issue next week.

According to district Finance Director John Street, the bond request will cost taxpayers 2.35-3 mills per year, on average. That means district homeowners will pay about \$3 for every \$1,000 of taxable value on their homes.

The taxable value of a home is approximately 50 percent of its market value.

If a person owns a home valued at \$100,000, the taxable value of that residence is about \$50,000 and the homeowner would be taxed an additional \$150 per year - or \$12.50 per month - for the life of the bond.

Someone owning a \$200,000 home would pay an additional \$300 per year - or \$25 per month - and a person owning a \$300,000 house would pay an additional \$450 - or \$37.50 per month.

The enhancement millage is entirely different. If approved, the 1.95 mills would be assessed for one year only, and taxpayers can

apply the same formula - \$1.95 for every \$1,000 of taxable value.

A person owning a \$100,000 home would be taxed an additional \$97.50 a year, a \$200,000 home would run an additional \$195, and a \$300,000 home would cost the homeowner \$292.50 more per year in school taxes.

If both issues are approved a person owning a \$100,000 home would pay an additional \$247.50 for the first year - combining the bond and enhancement millages - and about \$150 per year for the life of the bond.

District officials project the life of the bond at 25 to 30 years. By the time the debt is retired, Street explained, taxpayers will have paid about \$120 million due to the interest on the \$61.5 million face-value of the bonds.

The district's millage rate is currently 9.5 mills, and if both issues are approved the rate would climb to 13.1 mills - 1.95 for the enhancement and 1.7 mills, which represents a prorated portion of the bond levy.

After the one year enhancement levy the rate would drop to 12.3 mills - 9.5 mills plus an approximate 2.8 mills for the bond.



Photo by SUE SPILLANE

School district officials say parking accommodations would be expanded at a newly constructed high school facility.

Complex blueprint five years in making

Study groups poured over data

By ROBERT JACKSON
Staff Writer

A group of Northville residents has spent the past six weeks attempting to convince voters to approve a \$61.5 million school district bond issue and \$2 million enhancement millage.

The group, Continuing Excellence for Northville Children (CENC), consists of several residents who served on the district's bond, enhancement, and technology committees. Some, like CENC Chairman Jerry Rupley, have spent the better part of the last five years involving themselves in school district issues.

"Some people believe that the people who served on the various committees were hand-picked by district officials, and that we were led by administrators to the rec-

ommendations we made to the school board," Rupley said. "That couldn't be further from the truth. Many of us wanted to sit on those committees to make sure that the whatever came out of that process would be in the best interests of the students and parents."

In all, more than 70 community members took part in the original committee process, including the High School Futures Committee, making up about 67 percent of the total committee membership of 108.

"This has really been a grassroots effort by a portion of this community that wants to ensure Northville schools continue to excel in educating our children," Rupley said.

Robin Polletta, who has also served on various school district

COMMITTEE COMPOSITION

More than 70 community members took part in the citizens committee process that studied the bond and enhancement questions. Here is the breakdown:

Committee	Community Members	District staff
Enhancement	15	5
Bond	18	3
Technology	18	10
Futures	22	17

committees over the past five years, said she hopes voters will base their decision on the information that came out of the committee process.

"I'm not saying that this community should vote to approve the bond just because a lot of people put in a lot of time studying these issues," she said.

"What I am saying is that the information that resulted from that effort represents a good plan for our future. In my opinion, and I hope people will take that into consideration."

Polletta added that the bond and enhancement issues are necessary

to accommodate continuing growth within the community.

"We're growing because our reputation as a bedroom community with quality schools is a magnet to people coming from out of state, and from other metro-Detroit communities," she said.

According to Rupley, the committee has conducted informal get-togethers, such as coffee meetings, to target potential supporters.

"We think that once people understand how much research has been done and they actually look at the plan, they will see that it makes sense to support the bond," he said.

PRECINCT POLLING PLACES

- Precinct 1 - Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main Street
- Precinct 2 - Silver Springs Elementary School, 19801 Silver Springs Drive
- Precinct 3 - Winchester Elementary School, 16141 Winchester Drive
- Precinct 4 - Amerman Elementary School, 867 N. Center Street
- Precinct 5 - Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main Street
- Precinct 6 - Moraine Elementary School, 46811 Eight Mile Road.

Polls open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. Voting questions can be directed to the school district business office at 344-8444.

State tests no cake walk for students

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graders took the High School Proficiency Test in late March. The results were released Sept. 13 by the state Department of Education.

District fifth graders performed extremely well in the MEAP science and writing tests, scoring 55.5 percent proficient in science and 85.8 percent proficient in writing. The state averages were 26.9 and 55.6, respectively.

The real surprise for district educators was the science scores posted by district eighth graders. The middle school students scored 41.1 percent proficient in science, well above the state average of 21.5, but well below the expectations of district officials.

"The eighth grade science scores were a surprise, considering our middle schools have the reputation of having award winning science programs," McMaster said. "We will have to analyze the data and find ways to improve those programs."

Eighth grade students continued to excel on the writing portion of the test, scoring 89.7, nearly 20 percentage points above the

statewide average.

At the high school level Northville scored well above the statewide average in reading, writing, math, and science, but the scores ended up being a bit lower than school officials would have liked.

High school juniors scored 70 percent proficient in math, 64.4 percent proficient in reading, 51.2 percent proficient in science, and 46.2 percent proficient in writing. The scores reflect the percentage of students who are proficient and will receive endorsements in those subjects.

The statewide averages were 34.4 percent in writing, 32 percent in science, 40.2 percent in reading, and 47.7 percent in math.

Comparing the scores to the statewide average is not a reliable way to gauge district success, McMaster said. "I'm more interested in how we compare to school districts similar to us in student population and per-pupil funding," she said. "That's a more reliable yardstick."

She also explained that some of the high school results are a bit misleading. More than 100 high

school students were allowed to opt out of the math portion of the test by their parents because they had already scored well on the math portions of the Michigan Educational Assessment Program test.

According to McMaster, those students were among the brightest mathematics students at Northville High School and probably would have brought the HSPT math scores well above the 90 percent mark.

"I am sure that our math scores would have been higher if those students would have been required to take that portion of the test," McMaster explained.

McMaster also noted that there were plenty of students whose scores were one or two percentage points below the cutoff for the proficient rating. "In some cases it came down to one question," she explained.

The High School Proficiency Test replaced MEAP for high school students last year. All 11th grade students are now required to take each portion of the test.

To receive state endorsed diplomas approximately 50 high school

High School Proficiency Test Results								
school	SCIENCE		READING		MATH		WRITING	
	proficient	novice	proficient	novice	proficient	novice	proficient	novice
Avondale	32.1	53.5	54.9	43.2	52.5	40.6	54.0	41.6
Berkley	37.3	48.2	53.7	38.9	56.3	35.3	36.2	51.0
Birmingham	52.7	43.0	64.4	33.8	72.1	25.5	70.4	27.2
Bloomfield Hills	59.5	37.4	71.1	27.1	80.7	17.1	74.1	24.4
Brandon	24.2	67.2	45.4	48.6	46.5	43.9	26.9	58.6
Clarenceville	27.6	64.4	46.0	49.4	42.5	52.9	31.0	63.2
Clawson	16.0	62.3	37.7	50.9	32.1	49.1	13.2	58.5
Farmington	44.5	45.8	57.7	39.0	63.0	31.4	53.3	43.0
Ferndale	19.7	53.9	31.3	50.9	34.4	42.4	29.1	53.0
Holly	30.5	55.8	51.1	45.1	52.7	39.1	36.0	55.4
Huron Valley	38.3	48.3	44.8	45.6	48.7	39.2	34.2	53.4
Lake Orion	42.7	49.3	49.8	39.9	53.8	38.2	45.5	43.5
Lamphere	24.8	60.2	41.0	54.7	46.9	44.4	31.9	57.5
Madison	10.0	55.8	14.9	67.8	21.8	58.1	20.3	55.3
Northville	51.2	46.4	64.4	33.9	70.7	26.6	46.2	51.4
Novi	52.4	41.6	52.2	43.1	73.6	20.3	55.3	36.2
Oxford	34.1	56.3	47.2	50.0	50.0	41.0	35.2	60.2
Pontiac	9.2	51.6	23.4	47.7	23.0	44.8	14.2	44.0
Royal Oak	32.7	53.5	38.8	49.2	47.1	33.3	25.7	47.7
South Lyon	37.5	55.2	46.5	45.8	61.5	33.0	46.0	46.7
Troy	50.7	45.4	54.9	42.6	75.5	20.4	52.4	40.6
Walled Lake	32.4	58.4	49.5	45.7	53.9	38.2	35.2	56.7
Waterford	31.0	60.6	54.3	41.9	59.9	35.3	40.7	53.6
W. Bloomfield	39.0	49.3	52.5	42.1	58.3	34.3	50.8	42.0

students must retake the math portion of the test; approximately 103 students must retake the

reading portion; approximately 150 students need to retake the science portion; and about 150

students must retake the writing portion, according to school officials.

Northville Township police officials checked the highway but were unable to locate the Chevrolet Beretta.

A computer check showed a

If you have any information about these or any other illegal incidents you can contact Northville City police at 349-1234 or Northville Township police at 349-9400.

Hourani, 17, ordered the stallion's attendant into the back room and tied him up. Yankee

Hourani, a Dearborn resident, was arrested that night in Dearborn by Dearborn police. The 19-year-old man who allegedly fled the station with him and is a rela-

A total of \$716 in cash and the station's security VCR was stolen. To date \$624 have been recovered.

Robert Frank Lawson, 43, was watching the child on the night of Aug. 23, according to Northville Township police, and struck her in

Lawson pled guilty to a single count of fourth degree child abuse and was sentenced to three months in jail and two years' probation by 35th District Court Judge Ron Lowe. He could have received up to a year behind bars.

That could change Sept. 26 when a probate court judge will hold a hearing to decide if the couple gets custody of the children.

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Township Briefs

News from the Sept. 12 meeting of the Northville Township Board of Trustees:

WASTE CONTRACT DELAYED: Trustees batted around bids for a new township garbage hauling contract and eventually decided to delay a decision for a month.

Bill Anderson, director of the Department of Public Services, recommended that the board award the four-year contract to the firm of Painter & Ruthenburg. That is the township's current hauler and the company put in a bid of \$1.7 million for garbage disposal, curbside recycling and curbside hazardous materials disposal service.

Representatives of BFI, one of the four other firms to bid on the contract, objected. They claimed that the township's estimates of how many residents would participate in the curbside hazardous materials recycling program was way overblown and thus affected the total bid price.

Using a more accurate, lower number, BFI said, would make its bid the most competitive. The trustees opted to shelve the matter until their October meeting and study it in the meantime.

WATER AND SEWER FEES HIKED: The board approved increases in the basic service rates for township water and sewer customers. The hikes, 4 and 8 percent respectively, will go into effect Nov. 25.

Basic water service will now cost \$2.18 per 1,000 gallons. That's up from \$2.10. Sewer rates, both metered and non-metered, will rise from \$1.86 per 1,000 gallons to \$2.01.

In addition, "flat rate" sewer service customers will now be charged \$50.25 bimonthly, up from \$46.50.

The cost to hook your home into municipal water or sewer lines is also on the rise. Capital connection fees for water service will now be \$1,800 per living unit, up from \$1,725. Sewer connections will increase from \$3,600 to \$4,000.

The cost climbs are based on anticipated customer use increases in coming years.

DON PABLO'S IS OUT: Northville Township will not be getting a Don Pablo's restaurant.

The eatery, proposed for the Northville Village shopping center at the corner of Six Mile and Haggerty roads, two weeks ago withdrew its application for approval by Northville Township, citing disagreements with township officials over architectural and design requirements.

APPOINTMENTS APPROVED: Trustees gave the nod to reappointments to the township's building department board of appeals and building authority. William Schultz will serve for five years, while Frank Magdich will fulfill a three year term.

The board also gave the nod to Jan Balogh, the township's planning department specialist, to become the new deputy clerk on the recommendation of Clerk Sue Hillebrand. She is expected to begin work late next month.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT CLOSED: The township building department will close on Monday, Sept. 30, to move from township hall into its new home in the Department of Public Services' new headquarters. The department will reopen for business on Tuesday, Oct. 1, in the headquarters, located on Beck road between Five and Six Mile.

Residents with questions can call township hall at 348-5800.

Township department beefs up

New grads will help maintain top program

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

The Northville Township Fire Department is red hot these days, what with winning international awards and honing innovative new in-house training programs.

Altogether, it's some tall cotton that Fire Chief Bill Zhmendak is happy to be in.

"I get pretty excited about this department. We're always working to improve, to find a new way to become better," he said.

Zhmendak represented the department recently at an international convention of fire chiefs in Kansas City, where Northville Township for the second year in a row picked up awards for outstanding effort in life safety programs. The township was one of only 17 departments in Michigan and 153 in the U.S. to receive the distinction.

More than 16,000 fire chiefs attended the event.

Besides that the first crop ever of new firefighters trained in-house by department personnel recently joined the staff. The group took advantage of a new program instituted by Zhmendak which offers qualified applicants all the training they'll need to pass official firefighter exams in return for two years of service with the department.

If you took that coursework through, say, Schoolcraft College it would cost you \$4,500. Fire Sergeant Guy Balok and Zhmendak conduct the department's training themselves, using a flexible schedule that results in exactly zero tax dollars being spent for the program.

The chief said his next goal is put every member of his depart-



Photo by AL WARD

Recent graduates of the Northville Township Fire Department's first internal training program are (from left, front row) Greg Gall, Mike O'Brian, Chris Madzik, Chief Bill Zhmendak; (back row) instructor Guy Balok, Kevin Robbins, David Zmich, Tim Cowher and Jeff Miner.

ment through the in-house training required to become an emergency medical technician (EMT), a program going on now.

Basic firefighting and EMT training will include 430 total hours of instruction for each candidate.

"Professionalism is a big deal to me and it's a day-to-day, ongoing target for all of us to shoot for," Zhmendak said. "This is a big milestone for us. They're calling us

the 'new' Northville Township Fire Department now."

If you've ever given thought to a career in firefighting, by the way, you can give Zhmendak a call. He's looking for recruits for future training classes. You must be at least 18, live in or near Northville, have a high school diploma or GED and "be able to perform the essential functions of a firefighter," the chief explained.

"If you're not sure of what the future has in store, fill out an application and let us become a first step," Zhmendak said. "You don't just go to school, you become a member of this department. When you go out into the community you take a piece of Northville Township with you."

Those interested in learning more should call Zhmendak at 348-5807.

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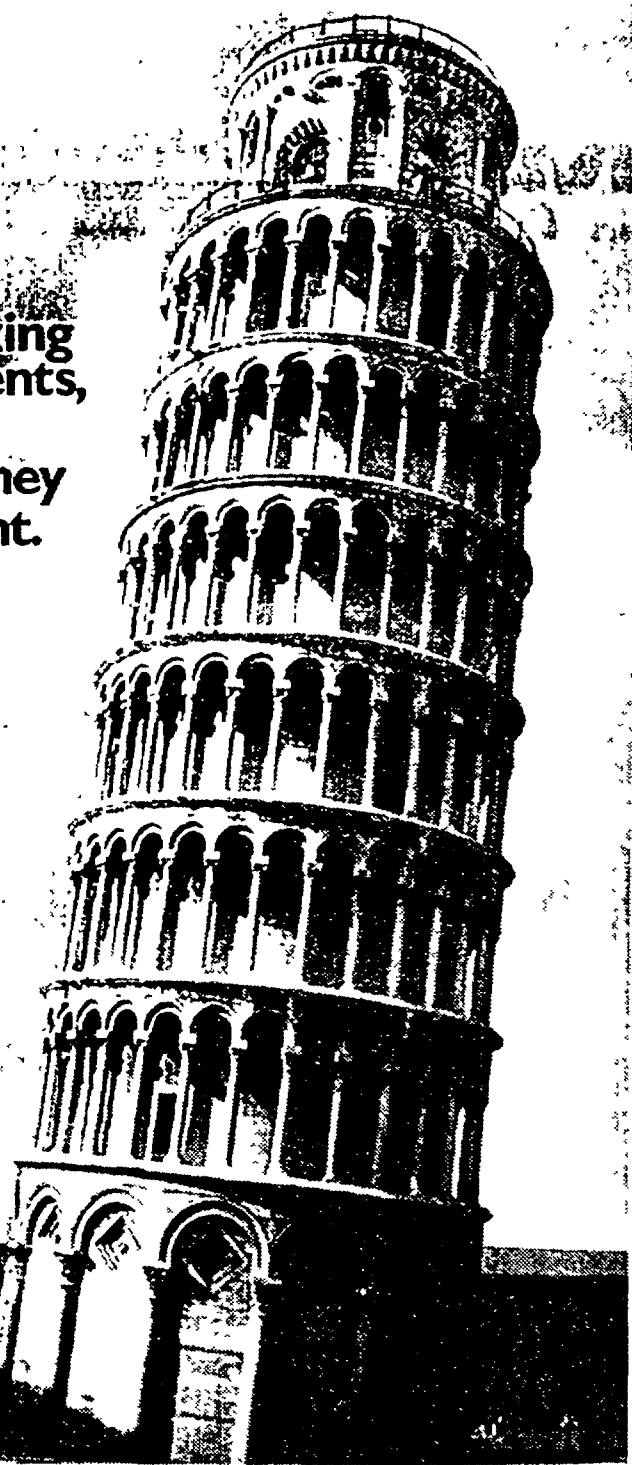
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Bullard to hold town hall meeting

If you're concerned about how the Novi/Northville area is represented in Lansing, here's your chance to speak out.

New state Sen. Willis Bullard, R-Milford, is holding a town hall meeting on Thursday, Sept. 26, at 7:30 p.m. at the Novi Civic Center.

Bullard represents Northville Township and Oakland County Northville in the state Senate. Bullard, who won the 15th District job in a special June election, said at the time that he planned the sessions to get acquainted with his constituency. He'll be offering a legislative update for the year and discuss public policy

issues now currently pending in Lansing.

"One of the major issues I wish for constituents to discuss with me is the infrastructure improvement package which may include the possibility of a state gas tax increase," Bullard said.

Public input is vital, he explained.

"A related issue is the funding formula between the states and local units of government. Oakland County currently contributes more in tax dollars than any other Michigan county, yet receives the least in return.

"I don't want to see that happen again with roads," Bullard added.

If you can't attend the Novi meeting but are interested in talking with Bullard, he's holding several other sessions, including one tonight in West Bloomfield, 7:30 p.m. at the West Bloomfield Township Hall.

After Novi, future locations include Milford, Walled Lake and the last session on Oct. 7 in Farmington Hills.

For more information on the meeting schedule, contact Bullard's toll-free number, (888) 736-2855.

Panel discusses pain management

Treatment for severe pain would be state regulated and covered by Michigan health insurers under legislation considered by a special Michigan House committee on pain management.

At a special hearing, several sufferers of chronic and severe pain, known as intractable pain, shared stories of uninsured treatments, physician apathy and skyrocketing debt due to pain.

State Rep. Gerald Law, R-Plymouth, committee chair and bill sponsor, said the proposed package addresses many of these shortfalls by making intractable pain treatment a fundamental component of medical care. It also requires insurers, health maintenance organizations and health care corporations to cover pain services and treatment.

"Sufferers of intractable pain would no longer be forced to suffer the additional burden of unjust medical bills," said Law. "This legislation offers Michigan patients options they've never had before."

Pain management legislation also:

- Designates that the evaluation and treatment of intractable pain

cannot be considered experimental.

- Requires doctors to advise patients about pain management centers.

- Recognizes the use of controlled substances in pain treatment and grants immunity to physicians prescribing narcotics for therapeutic purposes.

"The bills set a higher standard for care," said Dr. Joel Saper, chair of the Michigan Council on Pain.

Law's bill specifically creates the Michigan Commission on Pain to recommend pain management priorities, programs and policies.

"The members of this commission represent the interests of everyone involved in pain management from doctors to licensed professionals such as nurses and pharmacists to insurers, health groups and the general public," Law said.

"It will be an important watchdog as the issue of pain and its treatment progresses."

The special subcommittee on pain management's next public hearing will be announced soon and is planned for southeast Michigan.

Northville Democrats organize for campaign

Yes, there really are some Democrats in the community and they're ready to make themselves heard.

Following a recent organizational meeting, Northville area Democrats are asking all fellow party members to come out of the closet and become active in the coming elections.

"Though we are a small minority in Northville and Northville Township, it is time to refute the Limbaugh's of the area," said organizer Bill Kinnaird.

"Invite candidates out for house and lawn parties, display signs, write letters, talk up your national, state and local candidates. Refuse to be intimidated by your Republican friends and neighbors, and above all hold your head up high because you are in the right party."

Temporary officers were elected at the meeting and they include:

chairman, Kinnaird; first vice president, Jim Petrie; second vice president, Sam Long; corresponding secretary, Carolyn Totten; recording secretary, Betty Stoddard; treasurer, Ken Kaestner; and Northville Township Board of Trustees candidate, Shirley Klokenga.

Another meeting will be held Monday, Sept. 23, at 17888 Beck Road at 7 p.m.

Those interested in finding out more about the organization should call 349-0488.

Local Chamber board endorses school millage

The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce is on the record in support of the Sept. 23 school election.

The Chamber Board of Directors initially voted 5-1 to back the bond and enhancement millage requests, then took a second poll

of 9-0 (two members absent).

Chamber President Debbie McDonald said the Chamber will take endorsement votes on ballot issues, but will continue its past practice of not endorsing in candidate elections.

Education Notes

Schoolcraft College's Women's Resource Center will host a live-via-satellite national teleconference on "The UN Women's Conference One Year Later" on Saturday, Sept. 28, from 1 to 4 p.m. A local panel, a discussion, handouts and refreshments will complement the teleconference.

The event is cosponsored by the Northville-Novi and Livonia branches of the American Association of University Women and the Older Women's League of Michigan.

The teleconference will be held in Room 200 in the McDowell Center. There is no charge. The event is part of the President's Interagency Council on Women which is developing a National Action Agenda for the advancement of women and girls in the United States.

For information, call Renee L. Boving at (810) 349-3161.

Schoolcraft College will also host a live-via-satellite teleconference examining current trends affecting America's civic life on Thursday, Oct. 24, from 2 to 4 p.m.

The conference, "From Me to We: Renewing America's Civic Life in an Information Age," will examine such trends as declining civic participation, the growing financial gap among classes, and the perceived isolating nature of new technology.

Charlayne Hunter-Gault of *The News Hour with Jim Lehrer* will moderate a panel of distinguished civic leaders, activists and educators. Citizens nationwide may call in with comments. The conference is sponsored, in part, by the American Association of Community Colleges.

The conference will be held in Room 200 of the Liberal Arts Building. It is free, but preregistration is required.

For information, call (313) 462-4448.

Homeowners stage candidates evening

Northville Township residents had a chance to meet and talk with their elected representatives in a special town hall get together last week.

A new political action committee (PAC) organized by residents of the Blue Heron Pointe development on Beck Road hosted the affair, which included candidates for the Northville Township Board of Trustees.

Thaddeus McCotter, local repre-

sentative to the Wayne County Commission, also attended the event.

Held at Northville Township Hall on the evening of Sept. 10, the meeting allowed Blue Heron residents to get to know their elected representatives and air their concerns both for the township in general, and for their subdivision in particular, according to spokesperson for the organization Doris Colling.

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Resident supports controversial cause

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have the right to doctor-assisted suicide that she's become a political activist and organizer of Merian's Friends. The group seeks to put on the 1998 ballot a state constitutional amendment permitting assisted suicide.

"I want that option for myself. I will decide at what point, if I get one of these terrible diseases," Poenisch, a Boston Marathon runner, said.

"Only you can decide how much pain you can take."

From an office in her dining room, she is busy setting up statewide chapters, including one in western Wayne County. The organization already has attracted as honorary co-chairs former governor William Milliken, Coleman Young, retired UAW president Douglas Fraser and two state representatives.

After her mother died, the family was "hounded" by detectives, Poenisch said. She was a witness in February, when Kevorkian was tried and acquitted for Frederick's death.

"The only problem I had was with the prosecutor. I've never been looked at in such an angry way, like I'm a sinner and going to hell," Poenisch said.

While a Kevorkian trial is inevitably a media carnival, what

Northville woman champions rights of the dying

people don't see is how a family lives with it all. TV cameras don't show how behind the scenes Poenisch's oldest child, Kevin, 9, loves to stump Kevorkian with riddles at social events. Or how her youngest, Lisa, 6, as a 3-year-old was in charge of comforting Frederick by holding her hand.

The assisted suicide issue is not something Poenisch hides from her children.

"I tell them as much as they want to hear. They don't ask a lot of questions. They took it sympathetically. They understood my mother's suffering. The topic for them is something they don't worry about," she said.

Before Frederick contacted Kevorkian, Poenisch's family already experienced first-hand the anguish of watching a loved one die in pain. Her father, Julian Frederick, died of colon cancer in 1984. Merian Frederick's own mother was laid low by a stroke and spent five years in a nursing home until, suffering her third bout of pneumonia, the family instructed doctors not to give the elderly woman antibiotics.

While Kevorkian in the 1980s first put assisted suicide on the national agenda, Frederick had already discussed the issue with

her children while they were small. "She made it known by the stories her mother told her. When she was a small child, she remembered her grandmother sitting on the sofa, reading the newspaper and saying, 'here's another case of a husband who kills his wife out of love because she's suffering, so he's in jail,'" Poenisch said.

Frederick was diagnosed with ALS in spring 1992. It was more than a death sentence. It was a sentence of death through intense suffering. The disease is terminal and incurable, leaving the patient with a sound mind in a failing body. The muscles-attacking illness eventually destroys the ability to swallow and breathe.

By April 1991, Frederick could no longer speak and communicated by writing. Towards the end, she had trouble catching her breath and couldn't hold her head up. Support devices did not help.

"I don't think anybody can understand it unless you see it at a very personal level," Poenisch said.

Frederick, the mother of five and a former school vice principal, had always thrown herself into life. She was deeply involved in the 1960s anti-war movement and the nuclear freeze campaign. She helped

Central American political refugees seeking asylum.

In 1974, Frederick made a bid for state representative, winning throughout the district, except in Northville.

When she decided she wanted to hasten her death, doctors suggested Frederick could stop using her food tube and slowly starve.

Poenisch keeps in her living room the videotape of her mother's Oct. 12, 1993, interview with Kevorkian. With Poenisch supporting her head, Frederick, who couldn't talk, scrawled notes making it clear she wanted out.

Now, Poenisch is following in her mother's footsteps as a political activist. Merian Frederick would have approved, Poenisch said. "She would have supported it. She would have been at the mailing parties. She would have contributed money."

The legacy of Frederick's life and death also left her daughter with a commitment to enjoy life while you have it.

"You have to be happy with what you get. I celebrate birthdays a lot more now than I used to. I regard this as a celebration of life," Poenisch added.

If you're interested in getting involved, there is a general meet-



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Carol Poenisch displays a picture of her late mother, Merian Frederick, from whom Merian's Friends gets its name.

ing of Merian's Friends on Saturday, Sept. 21 at 9:30 a.m., 625 N. Main Street, Ann Arbor.

The organization's address is Merian's Friends, P.O. Box 272, Northville, MI 48167.

Organization shoots for ballot proposal in 1998

Merian's Friends hopes that in November 1998 it'll be up to the voters to decide the future of doctor-assisted suicide in the state of Michigan.

To get a proposed amendment to the state constitution on the ballot, the Northville-based group will need to collect petitions bearing 400,000 signatures.

The following is a working draft of the proposal.

A competent adult resident of Michigan who has a terminal illness has a right, after being fully informed of his or her prognosis and all feasible alternatives including pain control, to receive prescription medications from a written or recorded request and to receive assistance if requested. In the administration of such medicines with the purpose of ending her or his life and relieving

unbearable pain and suffering.

A "terminal illness" means an incurable and irreversible bodily disorder that will cause death within six months, within reasonable medical judgment.

Prior to prescribing the medications requested, two physicians licensed in the State of Michigan, medical or osteopathic, one of whom is treating the resident and one of whom is a specialist in the resident's disease, shall certify in writing the disease and its terminal nature in the resident's medical record.

In addition, a psychiatrist licensed in the State of Michigan shall certify in writing, as part of the same record, that the resident's request for the medications is not caused predominantly by depression or other emotional illness and that the resident is men-

tally competent to make the request. The physician who provides the requested medication(s) must certify this fact in the resident's medical record.

No prescription for medications that will hasten death may be issued until at least seven days have elapsed from the time of the initial request for such medication.

A person who chooses to end her or his life after complying with the provisions of this section shall not have her or his death classified as a suicide for any legal purpose.

A physician who reasonably believes he or she has complied with the requirements of this section or any other person who

assists in the administration of medications prescribed under this section in a reasonable belief that the requirements of the section have been met shall not be subject to civil or criminal penalty or any disciplinary action.

No individual or licensed health care facility shall be compelled to participate in the process described in this section nor shall a licensed health care facility be prevented from prohibiting the process described in this section within its facility.

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Recreation Briefs

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For more information please call 319-0203. The registration deadline is Sept. 26.

DOG OBEDIENCE: Dog obedience courses are being offered through Northville Parks and Recreation. Puppy training is for 8- to 16-week-old puppies. The class meets on Monday nights from 8-9 p.m. It begins on Sept. 23 and runs for six weeks at the Community Center. The fee is \$60 (non-resident fees apply).

Household obedience is for dogs ages 4 1/2 months and older. This class meets on Monday evenings from 6:30-7:30 p.m. at the Northville Community Center.

Classes begin on Sept. 23 and run for eight weeks. The fee is \$85. Registration is under way at the Community Center, 303 W. Main St.

COUNTRY & WESTERN DANCE: Northville Parks and Recreation is offering country and western line dancing on Wednesday evenings. The class began Sept. 18 and runs for six weeks. It is held at the Northville Community Center. The fee is \$32 per person (non-resident fees apply). Registration is under way at the Community Center, 303 W. Main St.

SCUBA: Northville Parks and Recreation will be offering scuba instruction 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 \$95 (non-resident fees apply).

The class fee does not include equipment rental, handbook (approximately \$100), and open water training (approximately \$200). You must be a good swimmer to enroll in this class. Register at the Community Center, 303 W. Main St.

OPEN SWIMMING: Northville Parks and Recreation will be offering open swimming at the Northville High School for \$2 per person, payable to the lifeguards. Open swim dates are Thursdays, Sept. 19, 26, Oct. 3, 10, 21, and Nov. 7, 14, and 21, from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Call the Recreation Department at 319 0203 for information.

HAUNTED FOREST - MAYBURY MADNESS RETURNS: Northville Parks and Recreation is proud to present the 1996 Haunted Forest at Maybury State Park on Oct. 25 from 7:30-10:30 p.m. and Oct. 26 from 7-10:30 p.m. Tickets will be available at the Community Center beginning Oct. 1.

Ticket price is \$7 and includes admission to the park, cider and doughnuts. Tickets (if available) at the gate will be \$8.

Groups or individuals who would like to participate in the Haunted Forest by designing and running a set or volunteering should contact Northville Parks and Recreation at 319-0203.

You will have a chance to win \$250, \$200, or \$150 if your haunted set is voted first, second or third place.



Photo by AL WARD

Sing out proud

Northville High School senior Beth Julen put some vocal energy into the pre-game festivities at the first home football game of the season earlier this month. Beth belted out the National Anthem to mark the start of the Mustangs' season.

Corrections

From the 9-12 edition of *The Northville Record*...

A list of candidates who are running in the November election did not include the name of incumbent Northville District Library Board member Barbara Glover. Glover is running for a 4-year seat on the board.

A photo caption under a picture of the new library indicated that the building will open on Oct. 5.

The opening date is actually Sunday, Oct. 6.

A story about Merian's Friends referred to the organization as "pro-Kevorkian." A group spokesperson corrected that wording, saying Merian's Friends is a citizens' group that is interested in legalizing assisted suicide under certain conditions.

The Record regrets the errors.

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and that's what the chain plans to give away, only the silver will be in the form of \$1 for each signature up to 10,000 to Boys & Girls Clubs of America.

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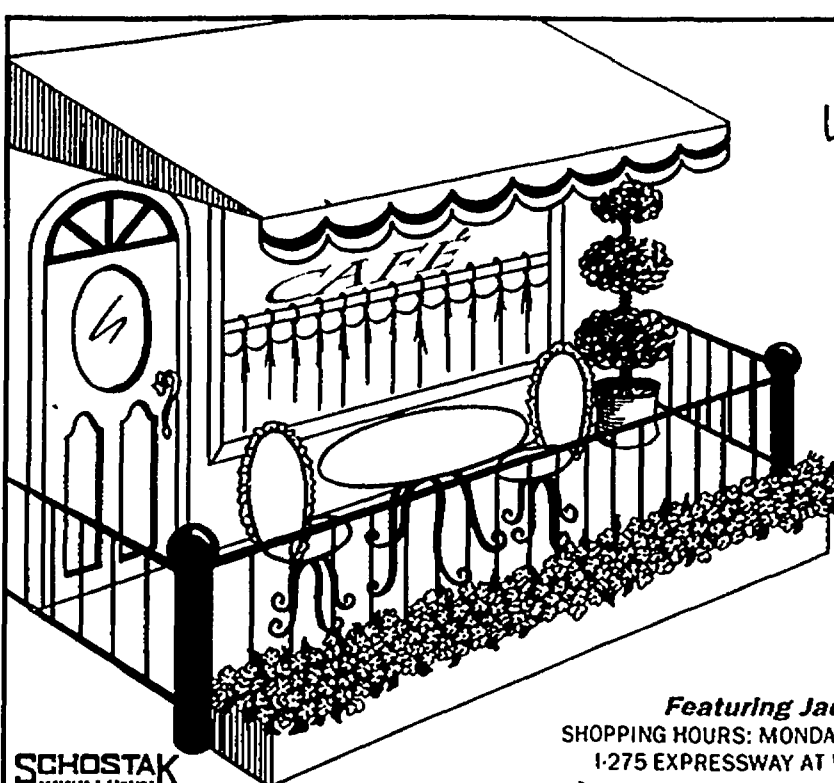
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Many couples still wore formal attire to the country dance Saturday night.



Donna Tinberg-Pallas (right), judging the Victorian hat contest, inspects the hat worn by Debbie Eleson who took first place for most outrageous hat.



Tim Calkings gets soaked while bobbing for apples at Mill Race Historical Village.



Eleven-year-old Julia Powell gets a thrill on the giant inflated slide in Kids' Row.

Photos by
BRYAN MITCHELL



On Sunday Northville resident Neal Hartshorne was making giant soap bubbles and the kids in town made great sport out of chasing after and popping them.



Soupy Sales served as grand marshal of the Victorian Parade.



It rained and rained all day on Saturday causing a low turnout at the festival, but crowding downtown stores and restaurants.

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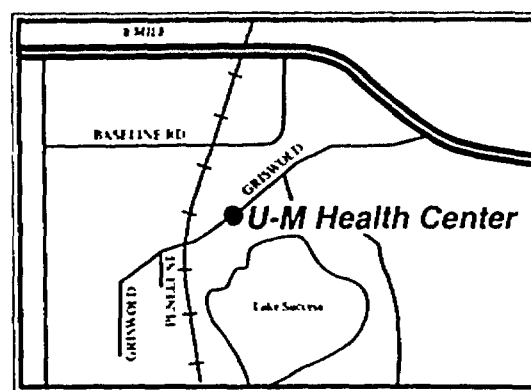
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Future focus

Northville High School instructor Ed Gabys of the social studies department talks to a group of parents and school board members at a forum held Monday. Freshman focus,

an idea brought before the Coalition for Student Success, was discussed. Freshman focus would bring the middle school concept into the high school.

Photo by SUE SPILLANE

Suspect named in recent robbery of rap group digs

Case involves Novi's Insane Clown Posse

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL
Staff Writer

Novi Police have arrested a 17-year-old former Novi student in connection with the overnight robbery of the Insane Clown Posse rap group headquarters in Novi July 22.

Police said Ryan Oswald, a former Novi High School wrestler, is being bound over to Circuit Court after an Aug. 23 arrest and district court arraignment on one count of receiving and concealing stolen property and two counts of breaking and entering in an unrelated case.

According to Detective David Molloy, a group of teens was seen outside a warehouse sporting Insane Clown Posse merchandise, known to have been stolen from the rap group's music studio because it has not yet been put out on the market.

The teens told police they'd received the merchandise from Oswald. Police also found \$1,000

worth of Insane Clown Posse merchandise in a friend's Beck Road home, where Oswald was reportedly living.

Oswald claims he received the property from someone at a local restaurant.

The Insane Clown Posse rap group was robbed just days after its management company, Psychopathic Records, moved from Detroit to Novi.

"Their intention was to complete a discreet move to a quieter location where they could enjoy some privacy and conduct their business," according to the July police report.

Someone entered an unlocked warehouse door, stealing thousands of dollars of hats, shirts and CDs and placing cryptic messages where they could be found.

Police did not arrest Oswald immediately but set up a police surveillance team and caught him, Aug. 23, allegedly burglarizing a Grand River construction site of \$700 worth of commercial wire. Gregory Cabadas, 18 and a Novi High School graduate with whom Oswald was staying, was also found with Oswald on the scene.

Both men have been incarcerated, unable to provide a substantial bond payment, according to Molloy.

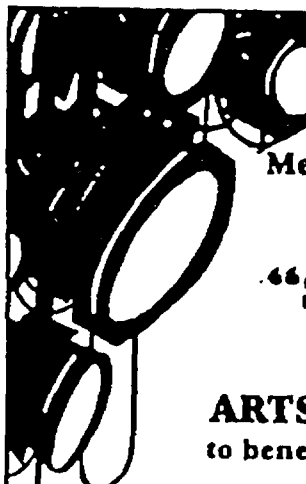
King's Mill Women's Club meets at start of new season

King's Mill Women's Club has begun its series of monthly meetings for the current year.

The club will hold its meetings in the clubhouse at 7 p.m. The business meeting will be followed by a coffee hour.

All women residents are invited to attend.

The meeting dates are as follows: Oct. 14; Nov. 11; December, no meeting; Jan. 13, 1997; Feb. 10; March 10; April 14; May 12; and June 9.



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Masonry meeting set

The Masonry Institute of Michigan will present "M-Day" 1996 on Thursday, Oct. 24, at the Novi Hilton.

The theme of the day-long seminar is "Masonry in the Environment."

Topics of timely interest concerning Michigan industry will be discussed by the following speakers:

• Dave Miller, marketing manager, Hellmuth Obata & Kassabaum Sport Facility Group, Kansas City, Mo., "Major League Brick."

• Chuck Ostrander, PE, executive director, Illinois Masonry Institute, Parkridge. "The Multifamily

Construction Advisory Committee of Illinois."

• Walter Laska, president, Masonry Technologies Inc., Downers Grove, Ill., "Flashings: The Do's and Don'ts."

• Todd Dailey, PE, president, Dailey Engineering Inc., Adrian, "The All Masonry Home."

Registration for M-Day 1996 starts at 8 a.m.

The seminar will close no later than 5 p.m.

The Novi Hilton is on Haggerty Road at Eight Mile.

For advance registration or information, call the Masonry Institute at (313) 458-8544.

Drunk driver pleads in fatal accident case

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL
Staff Writer

Jason Fraser Walker, 23, of Novi pled guilty in Oakland County Circuit Court Friday to one count of operating a motor vehicle under the influence causing death as a result of the Memorial Day accident that killed one of his friends, David Clemens.

Walker could spend from three to 15 years in jail for the felony, under a "Cobb agreement" entered at the time of the plea. Should the judge decide at the Oct. 18 sentencing that the penalty should be stiffer, Walker can withdraw the plea.

The former Novi High School basketball star stood before

Judge Rudy Nichols and broke down, sobbing as he admitted responsibility for being intoxicated while driving his friends home from the bar that night.

He said he had been drinking Sunday at the U.S. 500 car race in Brooklyn, Mich., and then drank four or five beers at the Cadillac Cafe.

"We were kicked out of the bar that night because we were visibly intoxicated," he told the judge.

At approximately 2 a.m. that Monday morning, Walker drove Clemens, 22, also a Novi resident, and three other men west on Freedom Road near Halstead Road in Farmington.

His car ran a stop sign,

swerved off the road and hit a telephone pole, instantly killing Clemens, who was seated on the passenger side. Walker and one other passenger were also injured.

Two of passengers walked away from the accident uninjured.

Police alleged that Walker's blood alcohol content found to be .24 — twice the state's legal limit, the mo acknowledged that his blood alcohol content was more than .20 percent at the Sept. 13 hearing.

"Yes, I was very affected," he told the judge, as members of Clemens' family cried silently in the back of the courtroom.

Walker's parents wept from the

front row.

"This wasn't a mistake," said assistant prosecuting attorney Jason Pernick this week, referring to Walker's previous drunk driving related incidents.

"This was a foregone conclusion. This was a crime. Call it a tragedy; it was. But it was not a mistake."

Nichols set sentencing for Oct. 18 at 8:30 a.m. in Circuit Court in Pontiac.

At that time, the facts of the case will be reviewed and the Clemens' family will have an opportunity to speak, said Pernick.

Walker will also have a chance to speak before the judge hands down the sentence.

PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF NORTHVILLE RESIDENTS "HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS DAY" SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1996 11:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

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PO #96-050

(9/12/96 NR)

DELPHINE GUTOWSKI
CITY CLERK

SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF
NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
WAYNE, OAKLAND AND WASHTENAW COUNTIES, MICHIGAN
TO BE HELD
SEPTEMBER 23, 1996

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that a special election of Northville Public Schools, Wayne, Oakland and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan, will be held in the school district, on Monday, September 23, 1996.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING AND CLOSE AT 8 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.

TAKE NOTICE that the following propositions will be submitted at the special election.

BONDING PROPOSAL

Shall Northville Public Schools, Wayne, Oakland and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Sixty-One Million Five Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$61,520,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of:

- erecting, furnishing and equipping a new high school building;
- erecting, furnishing and equipping additions to and partially remodeling, refurbishing and re-equipping school buildings;
- acquiring and installing educational technology system improvements and purchasing school buses; and
- developing and improving playgrounds, outdoor physical education and athletic facilities and sites?

(Pursuant to State law, bond proceeds cannot be used for maintenance costs, teacher, administrator or employee salaries, fringe benefits or other operating expenses.)

OPERATING ENHANCEMENT MILLAGE PROPOSAL

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Northville Public Schools, Wayne, Oakland and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1.95 mills (\$1.95 on each \$1,000.00) on taxable valuation for the year 1996, to provide additional funds for enhancement of operating revenue to be used for educational technology programs; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in the 1996 calendar year is approximately \$1,985,000?

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT THE BONDS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, IF APPROVED BY A MAJORITY VOTE OF THE ELECTORS AT THIS ELECTION, WILL BE GENERAL OBLIGATION UNLIMITED TAX BONDS PAYABLE FROM GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES.

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

PRECINCT NO. 1

Voting Place: Northville City Offices, 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan

PRECINCT NO. 2

Voting Place: Silver Springs School, 18801 Silver Springs Drive, Northville, Michigan

PRECINCT NO. 3

Voting Place: Winchester School, 16141 Winchester Drive, Northville, Michigan

PRECINCT NO. 4

Voting Place: Amerman School, 847 North Center Street, Northville, Michigan

PRECINCT NO. 5

Voting Place: Northville City Offices, 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan

PRECINCT NO. 6

Voting Place: Moraine School, 46811 West Eight Mile Road, Northville, Michigan

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, RAYMOND J. WOJCIWICZ, Treasurer of Wayne County, Michigan, do hereby certify that, as of August 28, 1996, the total of all voted increases in excess of the Constitutional fifteen mill tax limitation and the years such increases are effective are as follows affecting the taxable property of Local Unit:

NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Wayne, Oakland and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan
Portion located in the City and Township of Northville, Wayne County, Michigan

Local Unit	Date of Election	Voted Increases	Years Increases Effective
County of Wayne	August 7, 1990	1 mill	1996 thru 1999 inclusive
Wayne County Regional Educational Service	August 6, 1974	1 mill	1996 Indefinitely
Agency	November 8, 1988	1 mill	1996 Indefinitely
Wayne County Jail	August 2, 1988	1 mill	1996 Indefinitely
Northville Public Schools	June 14, 1993	22.63 mills	1996 and 1997
Dated: August 28, 1996			

Signed: Raymond J. Wojciwicz
RAYMOND J. WOJCIWICZ
WAYNE COUNTY TREASURER

I, C. Hugh Dohany, County Treasurer of the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, do hereby certify that according to the records in my office, as of August 21, 1996, the total of all voted increases in the tax rate limitation above the 15 mills established by Section 6 of Article IX of the Michigan Constitution of 1963 affecting taxable property in the Northville Public Schools, Oakland, Washtenaw, and Wayne Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

LOCAL UNIT	VOTED INCREASE	YEARS INCREASE EFFECTIVE
Northville Public Schools	22.63	1993 to 1997 Ind.
Township of Novi	1.00	Unlimited
	2.5257	Unlimited
Township of Lyon	1.00	Unlimited
	2.50	1995 to 1996 Ind.
	.75	1995 to 1996 Ind.
County of Oakland	25	1992 to 2001 Ind.
Dated: August 21, 1996		

PATRICK M. DOHANY
C. HUGH DOHANY, TREASURER
OAKLAND COUNTY

BY: PATRICK M. DOHANY,
CHIEF DEPUTY TREASURER

I, Melvin C. Laracey, Chief Deputy Treasurer of Washtenaw County, Michigan, hereby certify that as of August 16, 1996, the records of this office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of the Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in the Northville Public School System, Washtenaw County, Michigan, is as follows:

Unit	Millage	Dates
Washtenaw County:	25 mill (parks)	1988-future
	25 mill (parks)	1988-1996 (renewed for 1997-2006)
	1.0 (charter)	1941-2000
	0.18997 (drains)	Indefinite
Salem Township:	None	
Northville Public Schools	22.63 mills	1996-1997
Wayne Regional-Intermediate	1.0 (charter)	Indefinite
Schoolcraft Comm College	1.0 (charter)	1962-indefinite
	0.77 (charter)	1966-indefinite
	0.50 (charter)	1986-indefinite
Dated: August 16, 1996		

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This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Northville Public Schools, Wayne, Oakland and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan.

JEAN HANSEN
SECRETARY, BOARD OF EDUCATION

REQUEST FOR BIDS CITY OF NOVI COPIERS

The City of Novi will accept sealed bids for copiers according to the specifications of the City of Novi. Bids will be accepted until 3:00 p.m. prevailing eastern time, Wednesday, October 9, 1996 at the City of Novi Administrative Offices. All envelopes must be clearly marked "COPIER BID," and must bear the name of the bidder. All bids must be signed by a legally authorized agent of the bidding firm. Address all bids to:

City of Novi
Carol J. Kalinovic, Purchasing Director
45175 W. Ten Mile Road
Novi, Michigan 48375

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 informalities 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 of Novi, in its sole discretion, to be in the best interest of the City of Novi.

CAROL J. KALINOVIC,
PURCHASING DIRECTOR

(9-19-96 NR, NN)

CITY OF NORTHVILLE ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS — VOICE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Northville for the furnishing of voice communications systems. Proposals must be submitted to the Office of the City Clerk located in the Northville City Hall, 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167 at or before 11:00 a.m., local prevailing time, on Friday, October 4, 1996 at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bidding documents may be obtained on or after September 12, 1996 at the Office of the City Clerk.

The City of Northville reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informality or irregularity in any bid in the interest of the City.

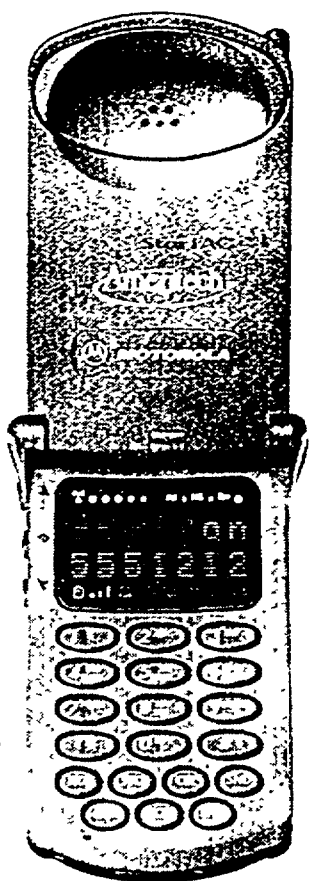
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Obituaries

LAWRENCE O. HINKLE
Lawrence O. Hinkle, age 80, died Sept. 10, 1996, in St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia, Mich. Mr. Hinkle was born on Jan. 12, 1916, in Kalamazoo, Mich., to Clyde W. and Mary (O'Meara) Hinkle.

Mr. Hinkle had been a resident of Northville since 1971. A graduate of Wayne State University Law School, Mr. Hinkle was in private practice for 15 years. He retired in 1982 as the attorney for the Wayne County Corporation Council. He was a member of the Michigan Bar Association.

He is survived by his wife, Christine M. of Northville; sisters, Margaret and Joan Hinkle of Bloomfield Township, and several nieces and nephews.

A memorial mass was held Saturday, Sept. 14, in the chapel at Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church with Father Ernest Porcari officiating. Interment was in Rural Hill Cemetery.

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

Memorial contributions to the

Michigan Cancer Foundation would be appreciated.

JESSIE NACCI

Jessie Marion Susan Nacci, age 72 of Northville, died Sept. 11, 1996, in Southfield, Mich. She was born Dec. 11, 1923, in Canada. Mrs. Nacci moved to the Northville community 11 years ago, a former resident of the Novi, Livonia, and Detroit areas.

Mrs. Nacci received her bachelor of science degree with honors from Western University in London, Ontario, Canada; her master's degree from Eastern Michigan University.

In 1983, she retired after 14 years of service as a math and science teacher at Redford Union High School. Prior to teaching, she worked for 20 years as a microbiologist at Parke-Davis Co. in Detroit. She was a member of the Lakepointe Bible Church, Plymouth, where she was actively involved in Vacation Bible School and as church organist and pianist. For the past 10 years, she

spent her winters in Mesa, Ariz. Surviving Mrs. Nacci are: husband, Carmen A. of Northville; daughter, Susan M. of Walled Lake; son, Edwin P. (Linda) of Northville; and sisters, Ruth Abbott of Wyoming, Ontario, Canada, Dorothy Hall of Hillcrest Heights, Ontario, Canada, and Hylude Deery of Sarnia, Ontario, Canada.

Services were held on Monday, Sept. 16, at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with Pastor Ken Belch officiating. Interment was in Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens, Novi.

Memorial contributions to the Upper Peninsula Bible Camp, Little Lake, MI would be appreciated.

HELEN L. CUSSON

Helen L. Cusson, age 66 of Novi, died Sept. 14, 1996, at Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills, Mich. She was born Nov. 30, 1929, in Northville Township to the late Elry and Maggie (Aungst) Greenhoe.

Mrs. Cusson was a homemaker

and also worked in the manufacturing industry. She spent most of her life in the Northville/Novi area, and was a member of Our Lady of Victory Church.

She was active in bowling leagues.

She is survived by her husband, Andrew; daughters, Justine Rose Boyer of Wayne, Vivian Marie Malby of Redford, and Yvonne Louise Cusson of New York; sons, Lloyd Andy of Inkster, Jeffery Lynn of Farmington, and Gregory Joseph of Shelby; brother, Ora Orman Greenhoe of Ypsilanti; sister, Jenny June Anderson of Florida; 12 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Services were held on Tuesday, Sept. 17, at Our Lady of Victory Church, Northville, with Father Ernest Porcari officiating.

Interment took place at Rural Hill Cemetery in Northville.

Arrangements were made by Casterline Funeral Home Inc., Northville.

BEULAH F. SPAULDING

Beulah F. Spaulding of Northville died Sept. 13, 1996, in Angela Hospice, Livonia, Mich. She was 89. Mrs. Spaulding was born Sept. 1, 1907, in Chelsea, Mich., to George and Francis (Taylor) Mast.

Mrs. Spaulding, a homemaker, moved from Redford to Northville two to three years ago.

She is survived by a son, Donald; sister, Pearl Miller of Kalamazoo; 12 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Spaulding was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph; son, Edward; and two brothers.

A service was held Monday, Sept. 16, at Our Lady of Victory Church, Northville, with Father Todd Lajiness officiating. Interment was in Sharp Cemetery, Deerfield Township, Mich.

Arrangements made by Casterline Funeral Home Inc., Northville.

Memorial contributions to the Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburgh,

Livonia, MI 48154 would be appreciated by the family.

MARIE A. SECORD

Marie Annette Secord, age 47, died Sept. 12, 1996, at her residence in Belleville, Mich. She was born in Ypsilanti, Mich., on May 12, 1949, to John W. and Frances (Tennant) Becktel.

Mrs. Secord had been a school bus driver for the Plymouth-Canton Public School District. She was a member of the Northville Eagles.

She is survived by her husband, Arthur; son, Anthony Nawrot of Bradenton, Fla.; father, John W. Becktel of Ypsilanti; and brother, John W. also of Ypsilanti.

Private services were held at Casterline Funeral Home, Northville.

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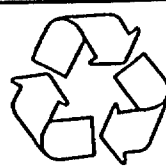
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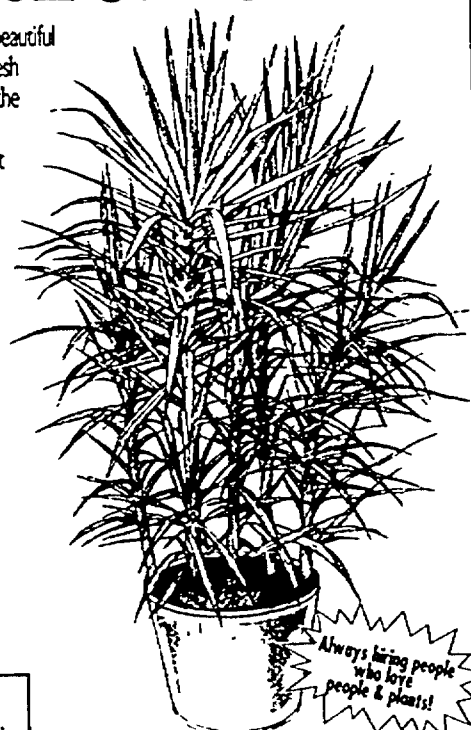
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Court has success in anti-abuse pilot program

By MICHAEL MALOTT
Managing Editor

One of the most dangerous times in domestic violence cases is just after the batterer's release following his arrest from the first offense. He may head home — more than 90 percent of those accused and convicted of battering spouses are male — and do it all over again.

It is often a "need to control" that leads the batterer to such behavior in the first place, according to 35th District Court Judge Ron Lowe. So the batterer may head home to cajole, threaten, manipulate or persuade his spouse to drop the case.

He may "externalize," blaming the spouse for his arrest, and try to take it out on her, according to Brian Smoly, Executive Director of the Livonia-based Education Training Research Services counseling service.

That's why 35th District Court in Plymouth, which serves the Northville community, has launched an early intervention domestic violence program designed to diffuse the hostilities between spouses in abusive relationships. The program — headed up by Judge Lowe and operated with the assistance of First Step, a Wayne County domestic violence shelter, and the private counseling firm ETRS — was launched in May 1995 and has since been used in some 275 domestic violence cases.

Already, there are some preliminary indications the program is succeeding. Seventy-three percent of the 243 victims contacted for

the program have participated. And 85 percent of the 178 batterers ordered by the court as a condition of bond to participate in the intervention program, have attended classes.

Although statistics on recidivism are still being compiled, court officials say they have seen only a few repeat offenders. Susan Ewing, Director of Probation at 35th District Court, said she recalls seeing only two or three accused batterers return to the court while the program has been in operation.

Lowe said the only repeaters he has seen are those who commit a second offense early on in the process. He said he's seen no repeaters among those who have completed the program.

The intervention program involves counseling services for both the victim and the batterer. Through the program, those accused of domestic abuse are required as a condition of bond to attend a Domestic Violence Early Intervene class, given by ETRS once every two weeks. The two-and-a-half hour session is designed to diffuse the battering, according to Ewing.

Those in the class are not assumed to be guilty, nor is therapy involved, but the defendants are informed of how the legal processes work. They're informed that the case is being brought by the prosecutor's office and is out of the spouse's hands. They're told the case will proceed even if the spouse refuses to testify

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—Brian Smoly
Education Training Research Services

The defendants are also educated about what constitutes domestic violence. According to Lowe, many of those accused of domestic violence are surprised to learn that the law considers it abusive if one partner even once strikes, shoves or restrains the other.

"I had one gentleman in my court who said he wouldn't have believed that he was a batterer," Lowe said. "But after going through the class, he realized he was and he pleaded guilty. Most people believe you have to beat the hell out of your spouse to be an abuser."

Lowe said he had expected to hear more objections to the requirement that defendants attend a class prior to conviction. Surprisingly few have argued this is punishment before conviction, he said. But Lowe noted the requirement is minimal and is intended to be informational in purpose, not assuming the guilt or innocence of the accused.

The class may be coupled with a "no contact" order from the court, barring the defendant from seeing

or talking to the victim. Lowe said he orders "no contact" in nearly half of all cases.

Lowe also said he is surprised he hasn't received more objections to the "no contact" orders from defendants claiming they will have no place to live. What he has found more often is that these relationships are often troubled, so the accused batterer already has an alternative place to live lined up. Or the relationship has already broken up, so the couple is already living apart.

More often, Lowe said, it is the victim who protests the "no contact" order.

The program has also changed the way pretrials are conducted. First Step counselors will meet with victims the morning of the pretrial to prepare them for the court proceedings. Victims are counseled on how to get personal protection orders through the court as well.

Ewing said that if the defendant pleads guilty, the court attempts to set sentencing for the same day. As a part of the program, the sen-

tence will include mandatory attendance of an intensive week-end workshop hosted by ETRS, as well as follow-up classes for 12 weeks or more. Smoly said the workshop and classes include therapy for the batterer as well as education.

"Usually they can begin to see the behavior for what it is, abusive, if not in themselves then in those around them," Smoly said, explaining the usefulness of the group sessions.

Likewise, First Step provides up to 30 weeks of counseling for the victim on a voluntary basis.

Of course, not all battering cases result in an end to the marriage or relationship. Smoly said he hears reports from both parties that the program improves the relationship. He's heard from spouses that the batterer began to "listen for the first time in years."

"Most people come in here and want to know how to avoid domestic violence," Smoly said. "Of course, that is the first goal, but there is a bigger issue. That's just crisis management. You can't wait until a relationship is to that point. You have to deal with the state and nature of the relationship to keep it from reaching the crisis stage. If you let it get to the edge, then it takes a superhuman effort to walk away."

There have been some surprises in the program for Smoly, too. Most of the battering cases seen by ETRS are not husband wife relationships. Instead, he said,

they are boyfriend-girlfriend relationships. He said they've also seen other types of domestic violence, in brother-sister relationships, as well as sister-sister and parent-child relationships.

Several problems have already been identified in the program. Ewing said some accused abusers have slipped past the early intervention class due to out-of-county arraignments. Those arrested on weekends may be arraigned in other courts, where judges are not using the program, she explained. But she said the program is attempting to pick up those defendants when the case comes back to 35th District Court at the pretrial stage.

A flaw in tracking recidivism has also pointed out a weakness. Ewing said the court can't be sure that defendants have not been charged with similar offenses in the past because some municipalities charge defendants under local ordinances rather than under state law. When they do, those incidents are not recorded with the state.

While that poses problems for compiling statistics, Lowe said there is a more important concern about the reporting gap — some abusers may be moving from one community to another, and abusing spouses in a series of different relationships without the court being able to spot the repeat behavior. Closing the gap will likely take state action to change reporting requirements.

Safety expo day coming

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

Have you ever wondered what the inside of an ambulance looks like or the kind of equipment a SWAT team carries? Would you like to pick up some valuable home, car and bike safety tips? How about winning a new TV or grill?

If any of the above fits you, you should make plans to pack up the clan and head to Northville Township's Public Safety Exposition this Sunday, Sept. 22.

"It's something to bring the family out for an afternoon of fun and safety tips," was how Fire Chief Bill Zhmendak put it.

Expo Day is your chance to check out the people and paraphernalia that make up the township police and fire departments. A slew of activities and displays will be on hand for your education and enjoyment from noon to 4 p.m. at Township Hall, located off Six Mile between Haggerty and Winchester roads. Food and drink will be on hand as well.

You'll see everything from Coast Guard and Med-Flight helicopter landings in the baseball field next door to the demonstrations of vehicle extrications, where a car is cut apart in a simulated rescue. The kids can clamber into a police car or fire truck and even sound the sirens.

Tours of the Department of Public Safety headquarters, located inside township hall, will be offered, including the new modernized radio dispatch center.

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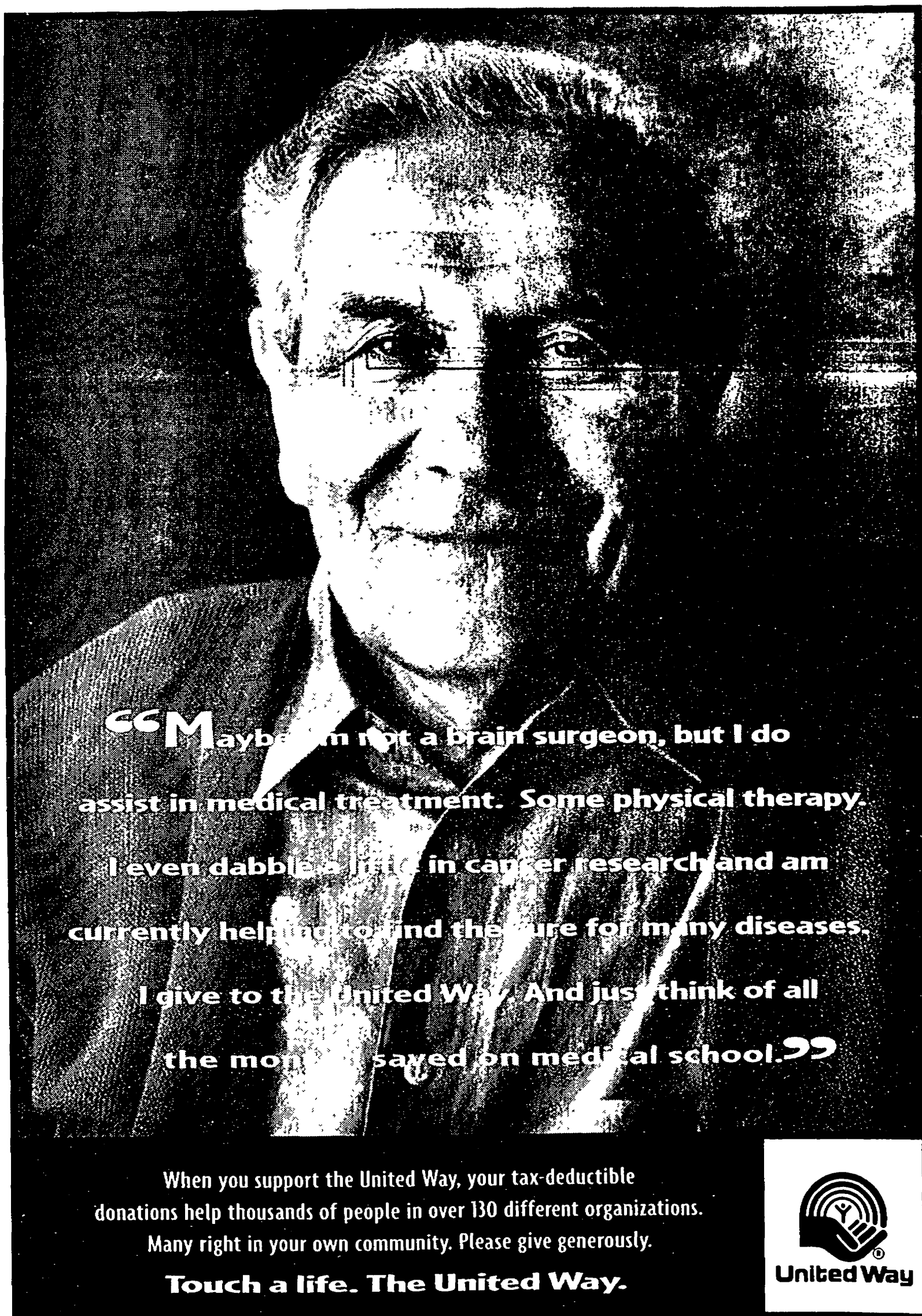
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Speaking of dogs, by the way, a police dog demonstration will be featured, along with a rappelling display by local SWAT team personnel. They will also exhibit and explain their weapons and gear. Other exhibits include displays on car seat and bicycle helmet safety and demonstrations on the dangers of kitchen grease fires and unsafe Christmas trees.

Police and fire personnel will be right there to show you around and answer any questions you may have. Besides that the folks from Oakwood Hospital/Health-care Center are going to hold health wellness checks and a special "teddy bear" clinic for the kids.

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"At this point it is believed to be ruled a suicide," said Sexton.

Sexton said Hoang left his Novi residence that morning. His car

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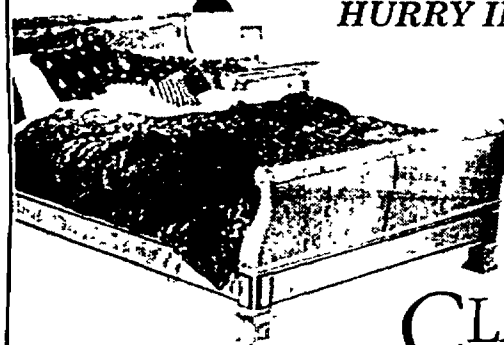
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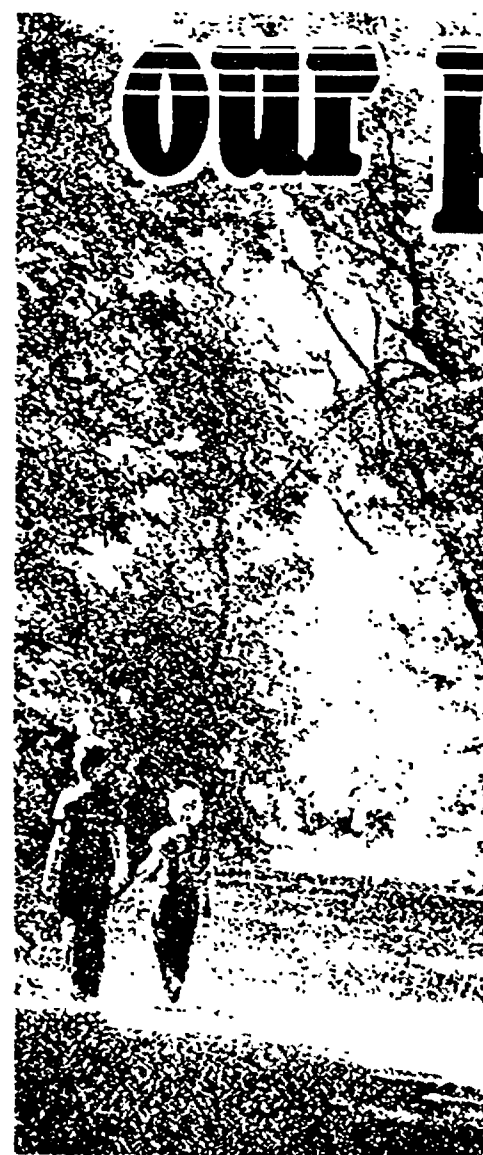


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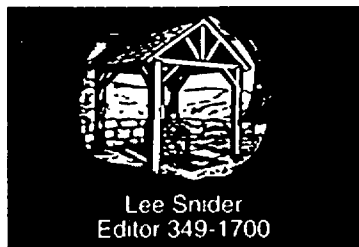
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Our Opinion

Voters to decide 'crossroads' issue

Common sense and the evidence of one's own eyes are enough to serve notice that the Northville School District is growing.

Northville Township, the district's largest single community, is in a development mode, with new neighborhoods popping up at a rapid pace.

This expansion is reflected in the latest student population counts. Northville High School is currently operating at approximately 98 percent capacity and can be expected to exceed recommended levels in roughly two years. Even if the construction of a new high school were to begin almost immediately, it is likely that there would be an interim overcrowding period before the new building would open.

Moreover, Cooke Middle School is already experiencing overflow, with the student population figuring at roughly 110 percent of optimum efficiency.

The situation is similar at the elementary level.

The question is not, then, whether new accommodations are necessary. They are, and soon.

The only real issue is whether the two proposals district voters will decide next Monday will produce the highest cost/benefit outcome for district residents and their school-age children.

We believe that a close and careful analysis of the issues leads inevitably to the following conclusion: Yes.

The main components of the two questions on the Sept. 23 ballot are well known by now. If approved, revenue bonds would be sold to finance the construction of a new high school, the conversion of the current high school into a middle school, and the addition of six classrooms onto Silver Springs Elementary.

This plan is well designed because it would ease the cramped conditions at all three grade levels largely through alterations to existing facilities. Only one new building would be constructed, and that would go up on land the district owns on Six Mile in Northville Township. The construction of at least one building, we believe, is unavoidable in managing the longterm influx of new students.

The main objections to the core elements of the bond issue evidence a preference for expansion options over more costly construction alternatives. Much nonsense has been muttered about how the study committees failed to consider this option or that during their deliberations. Whatever may be said about the three primary committees that devised the proposal, it cannot be claimed that obvious alternatives were overlooked. Committee members, most of whom were interested volunteers from the community, took great pains to examine all viable combinations of solutions. We are satisfied that their discussions were thorough.

More to the point, enlarging the high school and/or Cooke would take the district in a dubious direction, literally. Northville High could only be expanded to the north, with the addition of a new building on the opposite side of Eight Mile. This would require the relocation of the athletic complex to a remote site off campus.

Such a plan would result in minimal cost savings and an awkward configuration in the high school/Amerman vicinity. Expanding Cooke, which rests on a relatively small parcel, is also ill-advised.

If voters authorize the sale of the bonds at the polls, roughly \$48 million will be used to construct a new high school. The building would accommodate about 1,800 students with a capability of expansion to 2,200. The con-



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version of the high school into a middle school would provide a facility that is so spacious, meeting rooms could be leased to the city or to a shared service agency. Far from superfluous, such a development would provide much-needed community facilities for senior or youth groups.

These changes would also enable the district to house its special-needs students in the current Cooke building, eliminating the burden of leasing a facility in Livonia for that purpose.

Other capital improvements in the bond proposal include the replacement of chillers at Winchester Elementary, roof repairs on all elementary schools, parking lot and sidewalk repairs, and playground improvements at all five elementary buildings.

None of these improvements can be seen as unneeded.

The other main aspect of the bond and millage questions is new technology. Money from the bond issue would be used to purchase new hardware and information systems for students. Start-up costs for salaries for new support personnel are included in the one-year, nonrenewable 1.95 mill "enhancement" levy.

Critics have told us they believe the construction and technology aspects of the proposal should be presented as separate issues to maximize voter choice. Committee members respond by saying that technology features are as much a part of new schools as cafeterias and gymnasiums. We concur with the latter view. With all the talk about how our schools must do a better job of preparing graduates for the global marketplace, who can dispute the essential nature of computer instruction?

The 8088 and 286 personal computers that make up the bulk of current computer technology in the district are woefully inadequate. The number of district-owned computers does not permit sufficient student access, and the machines are limited in their ability to uplink the Internet and other networks. If voters approve the two questions on next week's ballot, new computers can be purchased to bring the district in line with current requirements. The units also belong to a new breed of machine that is upgradeable, thus avoiding wholesale replacement costs due to obsolescence.

And then there's the matter of taxes. If the yes votes prevail on Monday, district residents could see basic living costs in this community go up almost 5 mills for one year, then fall to a net increase of roughly 3 mills for the duration of the debt retirement schedule. This is no meager jump. But considering the overall rate will level off at about 12.3 mills, whereas the levy stood at 33.8 mills prior to passage of Proposal A just two years ago, the hike is within the range of acceptability.

Northville voters next Monday will decide not only what kind of schools they want, but what kind of community they envision for the future. We think the choice is clear: a community with substandard public school accommodations, or a community that retains its status as a quality place to live and raise a family.

We strongly urge YES votes on both the bond issue and enhancement millage proposals Sept. 23.

Weekend was wet but terrific

Steady rains and a chilling wind practically turned Northville into a 19th century ghost town last Saturday.

What a shame, I thought, as I pulled my jacket tight and walked through the open streets. All that advance planning and this - a late-summer day that feels more like mid-November.

Over at the bandshell singer/ventriloquist Marc Thomas performed to a small group of youngsters, all of whom accepted the invitation to go on stage and participate in an activity. And why not?

There was no risk of embarrassment since none of their friends were left in the audience. A smattering of parents gave the kids a hand after the silly-face routine was finished.

Mill Race Village, meanwhile, was abandoned, not a single frilly lady or dandified gent in sight when I visited around 3 p.m. All I could find was a youngster watching a demonstration in the blacksmith's shop. His choice of diversion was easy enough to understand. Inside the building was a stoking fire, a sure way to keep warm and dry.

Back in town a brave member of the Questers group was huddled inside the Crow's Nest information booth. Wisely, she had dressed appropriately and was protected by a heavy wrapping of shawls and knits.

There was no trace of the ponies on Kids' Row, just a few scattered piles of trampled straw in the street.

What a disappointment. The mild, agreeable weather of the last several years really spoiled us and made us forget how fickle the Midwestern climate can be.

But then came Sunday and all was right with the world. It was hardly picture-perfect, but compared to the day before it was pure Heaven. The crowds returned to Mill Race, a band played before a sizable audience at the bandshell and the ponies were back in their corral in front of Main Centre.

My niece and nephew were in their element as we sampled some of the fun. They talked me into going on the spinning apple with them, and when it was over my sister described my appearance in song: A Whiter Shade of Pale.

My niece hopped up on top of Coco the pony, as I took the rein and led them around the walk area. I'm not normally the nervous type, but I thought Coco kept looking at me out of the corner of his eye. I tried petting him gently with my free hand but it didn't work, he remained suspicious. Maybe he doesn't trust any human whose ears are nearly as big as his.

On to something safer - the food. Next year I'm going to suggest that they name Center Street Pigs' Row. I was a little hungry so I managed to force down an Italian sausage sandwich, a slice of pizza and a dumpling covered with whipped cream.

Then it was off to Murphy's for an ice cream cone to wash it all down with.

Of course, no Victorian Festival is complete without a cheering session at the duck race. We wanted to call our entry Daffy, but that name was taken, so we devised an affirmative action plan and named her Daphne. Daphne didn't win but she didn't wipe out on the banks of the stream either. The glass is always half full, don't forget.

From sad to salvaged, Saturday to Sunday. Despite the soggy conditions, for me this year's festival was pretty much like all of them. Frenzied, fun, curious, tasty, memorable. Great.

Lee Snider is the editor of The Northville Record.

Moments

By Bryan Mitchell



Victorian Princess

Twelve year old Kendall Bear shows off her winning hat at last weekend's Victorian Festival.

Accept responsibility for a youth

This poem by Ina J. Hughes captures how I feel about the Northville Youth Assistance program. I hope it impacts you as it has me.



Mary Ellen King

Who live in an X-rated world.

• We Accept Responsibility for Children
Who bring us sticky kisses and fistfuls of dandelions.
Who hug us in a hurry and forget their lunch money.
We Accept Responsibility for those
Who never get dessert.
Who have no safe blanket to drag behind them.
Who don't have any room to clean,
Whose pictures aren't on anybody's dresser,
Whose monsters are real.

• We Accept Responsibility for Children
Who spend all their allowance before Thursday.
Who throw tantrums in the grocery store and pick at their food.

Who like ghost stories.
Who shove dirty clothes under the bed and never rinse the tub.
Who get visits from the tooth fairy.
Who don't like to be kissed in front of the car pool.
Who squirm in church and scream in the phone.
Whose tears we sometimes laugh at and whose smiles can make us cry.

• And We Accept Responsibility for Those
Whose nightmares come in the daytime.
Who will never eat anything.
Who have never seen a dentist.
Who aren't spoiled by anybody.
Who go to bed hungry and cry themselves to sleep.

• We Accept Responsibility for Those Children
Who want to be carried and those who must,
For those we never give up on and for those who don't get a second chance.
For those who smother ... and for those who will grab the hand of anybody kind enough to offer it.

Please be the person who "grabs the hand" of a Northville youth - help a youth by giving of yourself by being a mentor. The next Northville Youth Assistance volunteer training session begins Oct. 2 and runs for five consecutive Wednesday evenings. Please call Mary Ellen King at (810) 344-1618 for further information.

Mary Ellen King is the director of Northville Youth Assistance, a joint service of Northville city and Northville Township.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Letters

Growth justifies expansion millage

There is no question that the growth in our school district requires the approval of the proposed financing for expansion and modernization.

In the past the citizens of Northville have wisely supported financing for schools and services in our great community and that's why we rank as one of the choice spots in the state of Michigan.

A recent article in the *Free Press* entitled "Location, Location" compared the cost of a 2,200 square foot house in 40 communities across the state - only two communities, Grosse Pointe and Birmingham were reported to have higher values than Northville. Following are some examples of the average house values reported for a few of the communities:

Detroit \$92,500; Traverse City, \$150,750; Southfield, \$149,079; Dearborn Heights, \$129,900; Plymouth, \$207,673; Northville, \$229,608.

The value of a home in Northville is significantly higher than in surrounding communities and can only stay that way if we continue to support the schools and services that are demanded by our citizens.

Let's take an example of a home assessed at \$100,000 with a market value of \$200,000. The bond issue will cost about \$300 per year and the enhancement millage will cost \$195 and is for one year only.

By contrast a drop in market value of 1 percent from the value reported in the *Free Press* for a 2,200 square foot home in Northville would result in a loss in the value of the home of nearly \$2,300. If the value of our homes dropped to the value of a similar size home in Plymouth, the loss would be \$22,000. Northville is a highly regarded community and can only continue to enjoy that reputation if we maintain our position of excellence.

It is important that we support the proposals which have been studied and recommended by the citizen's committee.

Vote "yes" on school millage Sept. 23.

Richard Ambler

School News has clear facts

To the Editor:

I wish to respond to the recent letters to the editor published on Aug. 29 regarding the issue of information distribution about bond/millage from the school district to the citizenry.

I have enjoyed receiving and reading the *Northville School News*. As I recall it contained very clear descriptions of all the options being considered for educating our students at all levels in the future. Having read this, this family is satisfied that the best option was chosen, i.e. a new high school.

And speaking of the need for a new high school, I walked through Northville High this summer, accompanying our daughter in getting her classroom ready. The building is a 37 year old structure, without air conditioning, which has seen heavy use. It is old, out-of-date in many areas, and needs work

no matter what level of student it is used for. It may look good from Eight Mile Road but inside it really deserves our millage money and attention.

The daughter I accompanied is a new member of the staff at the high school, part of the foreign language department. High school foreign language study is increasingly being required by colleges and universities for college preparation. This teacher is paid less than \$30,000 a year, brings five years of teaching experience in a foreign country (as a resident there) and 12 years total experience to the job.

Any prior teaching experience is not factored into the salary of a teacher in our district, unlike most companies which would take this depth of knowledge and experience into account. I include this in order to add my thoughts to that of another citizen who disagreed, as we do, with the statement that teachers are overpaid. We need to pay professional teachers professional salaries. Teachers today are giving more of their time and personally-purchased materials each year to their students.

With regard to the distribution of Northville Public Schools literature, I cannot see any harm done by sending it home with the children (saving postage), or mailing it to the citizens. As for using teacher time and school money to produce and communicate education issues, I consider student education to be a partnership between schools and their communities rather than an adversarial hand in my wallet. There must be communication for a successful partnership to occur.

Marilyn R. Dyer

Debt would soar under plan

To the Editor:

What seems to be missing in recent discussions of the \$61.5 million bond issue is its impact on the total existing debt. But then, as with a funding proposal, it is not always what is said but what is not said that is equally important.

At tax time this year, becoming curious about the "school debt" item on my tax statement, I contacted the school board office. Mr. Street told me the school debt was then approximately \$25.5 million. It was created by voter approval in various years between 1972 and 1993. It is scheduled to be paid off in stages by the year 2008.

Accordingly, at present about 14 percent of everyone's yearly tax bill is for "existing debt." If the proposal passes, that would increase by approximately 6 percent (1.75 mills) the first year. After that, it's a little difficult to calculate because, according to Mr. Street, the rate is actually "3 mills average over 30 years." This means it conceivably could be another 4 percent in some earlier years before 2008. Those numbers ignore all state or county education taxes and the enhancement millage (1.95 mills or another 6 percent increase). The net effect of both proposals is then more like a doubling of the existing 14 percent for some

years.

I find it interesting that if the proposal passes, the district will have some unique distinctions. It will have not only the highest paid administration in the area but also the highest debt (\$86 plus million). I ask, is there something wrong with this picture or am I just missing it because I'm not a baby boomer and unwilling to accept this as the norm?

Unfortunately, many individuals do seem willing to make the debt larger and larger. And why not - it won't be repaid by them but by others, even their children. I believe all voters need to make some serious inquiries, instead of blindly accepting questionable projections before accepting this proposal.

I say questionable projections because for several years during other bond proposals I tried to track the student populations versus the board's projections. I determined they were usually reliably unreliable. To date, I haven't been able to get any of the projections to add up either. It's sort of like trying to get a firm grasp on Jello.

In Mr. Jackson's recent articles, it was quoted that the high school "population this year is expected to exceed the 1,400 capacity." However, after the first week of school the actual number was 1,305 students. This means that projection was overstated by 7 percent. Also, in the same article the six-year high school increase was quoted as 30 percent but in the school board chart the numbers calculated to be about 19 percent.

The data often appears to be overstated (or understated if related to tax increases) and just never seems to be completely accurate. Likewise, historical high school data, the foundation for all the projections, is never presented although it's readily available.

Accordingly, we should all keep in mind, based on our own real world experiences, that projections by any entity seeking funding are usually optimistic and generally self-serving. Only after being convinced by all the data should we vote for incurring such a burdensome, extravagant debt.

Ed Paddock

Sky's the limit with new taxes

To the Editor:

Pop quiz to the voters of the Northville School District.

Do you want to increase the percentage of school debt millage by 67 percent?

The proposed school debt millage (2.35 mills) plus the proposed enrichment millage (1.94 mills) would increase the total millage payable to the school district by 122 percent. Additional cost for a \$250,000 residence = \$536 per year. Does this make sense to you?

Are you willing to ignore the fact that you increased your sales tax by 50 percent in 1994 to provide a stable funding base for all school districts?

Are you satisfied with the administration's ability to manage and allocate the proposed

\$61.5 million proceeds from the millage request? When answering this question, consider the published stories and letters from parents that document years of confusion reaching consensus on the high school strategy, curriculum, school day, etc. Even now, another group is wrestling with these issues at the same time you are asked to pay for a new building.

Are you comfortable with the district's use of a consultant that helped the Okemos schools build a new high school that resembles a resort? Need visual evidence or a refresher? Take I-96 west to exit 110; ask the locals for further details.

If you are concerned about what will happen to your property values if you do not vote yes, remember your answers to 1 and 2. Do you really think people will be attracted to one of the highest taxed districts?

Time is up - pass in your answers. Convert your answers to your vote on Sept. 23.

John O'Reilly

Writer way off on projections

To the Editor:

Last week in a letter to the editor, a writer, L. Haines, said that a new high school is not needed because, according to his projections, high school enrollment in 1998 would be at the same level as 10 years before. His projections are very unrealistic based on today's facts.

In the fall of 1988, Northville High School's enrollment was 1,181 students. Since then it has grown to 1,320. By the fall of 1998, students who are presently in grades 7-10, plus any new growth, will be our high school population. There are 1,422 students in grades 7-10 today (grades 6-9 are currently a group of 1,518).

So for Northville High School to have an enrollment in 1998 the same as 1988, 241 of today's students would have to leave. Plus, no new students would enter the district. This is a very dismal projection of our community. No new home sales, no empty-nester selling to families with children, and hundreds of families moving out.

Having served on the committee that worked on Northville enrollment forecasts, I know that the district's projections are based on a great deal of fact. We used historical enrollment patterns, birthrates, new housing starts, enrollment retention rates and housing turnover. The projections have been reviewed and confirmed by two separate professional consultants, and by the state of Michigan.

The bond proposal includes not only increased high school capacity but additional capacity at the middle school and elementary level as well.

This community has grown, is growing and all signs indicate continued growth.

Please vote Monday, Sept. 23, for the classrooms needed to maintain the quality of our schools.

Barbara R. Bennett

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Don't overlook educational races

Take it from me, I've been there.

The best known cure for a political swelled head is to run for one of the education posts that are elected statewide every two years.

It makes no difference whether you're running for the University of Michigan Board of Regents, Michigan State University Board of Trustees, Wayne State University Board of Governors or a seat on the State Board of Education. The reaction always is the same: "You're who? You're running for what?"

The system is bizarre. Nobody knows who you are or what office you're running for, let alone what your credentials or your views on education might be.

With the Nov. 5 ballot crowded with sexier and, to be sure, more important races, media coverage of the educational races is meager. Radio and TV ignore the contests entirely. Excepting endorsements in the Detroit papers and the Booth Newspapers, editorial analysis is perfunctory.

This year, the only news coverage given the nomination of candidates for education posts concerned a quarrel at the Republican convention over whether a hitherto unknown

lawyer with impeccable anti-abortion credentials should displace a distinguished woman from Grand Rapids who happens to be pro-choice. (He did. Please help me, somebody, by explaining what on earth one's views on abortion have to do with higher education policy.)

With the candidates and their views so little known, it's not surprising that few people bother to vote for educational posts. The usual fall off from the vote for governor to the vote for university boards is more than 20 percent.

That's too bad, because people on state education boards make a big difference. University boards deal with things like college tuition and whether a new football coach is more important than recruiting a new physics professor. The current State Board of Education is busy boosting charter schools and trying to bust the constitutional prohibition against public funds being spent on religious schools.

Over the years, I've tried to change things. I even wrote to my colleagues at the Michigan Press Association, suggesting that MPA sponsor a candidates' night to make it convenient for reporters to listen to the candidates. "After much discussion," the turnaround letter read, "the board determined that providing such a forum for statewide candidates would not serve the interest of all our members and is more properly the responsibility of the candidates and their parties."

So much for the news media. Now comes the Livonia branch of the

American Association of University Women trying to make things better. On Thursday, Sept. 26, in Livonia City Hall, the AAUW is holding a bipartisan, issues-based candidates forum. Beginning at 6 p.m., they will interview, successively, the candidates for U-M, State Board of Education, MSU and Wayne State.

More important, they've arranged with Time-Warner Cable, the outfit that has the Livonia cable TV franchise, to videotape the entire program. These tapes will be made available, for free, to all multiple systems cable TV operators in Michigan after Oct. 1.

So if you want a unique opportunity to learn about the various candidates for state education offices, call your local cable system and ask them to get the tapes and show them. And while you're at it, call this newspaper and ask it to publicize the show with date, time and channel.

Then, if you're anything like me, you'll give a big cheer for Time-Warner, the Livonia AAUW, together with coordinators Yvonne Constas and Carol Dubuque, for their valuable public service. This program is something that should become a regular part of every election year.

In addition to being chairman of the company that owns this newspaper, Phil Power is also an elected regent of the University of Michigan. Time-Warner Cable in Livonia can be reached at (313) 422-2819. Constas can be reached at (313) 261-7717 and Dubuque at (810) 477-0399.

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Letters

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I was right about salaries

To the Editor:

In my letter last week, I wrote that 85.2 percent of the school budget went for salaries and benefits. The *Northville Record* said that only 63 percent went for salaries and benefits.

My information came from the *School News* issue of August 1996. I called Lee Snider of *The Record* and told him my figures were correct. I also mailed him a copy of the paper.

In the same issue, the 1996-97 budget is projected at 87 percent for salaries and benefits. Just a small percentage of the total budget must be used for short-term repairs, maintenance, etc.

That tells me that it won't be long before they'll need 100 percent of today's budget for salaries and benefits. The result will be an increase in school budget just to run the schools.

In 1995-96, 70 percent of the teachers made from \$51,700 to over \$60,000. They received a 2.73 percent increase in the 1996-97 year. Put that number in your computer and in 10 years the \$51,700 grows to \$64,826.

The \$51,700 salary receives a fringe benefit of \$18,052 for a total of \$69,752. In 10 years with the yearly increase of 2.73 percent, the salary of \$64,826 has a fringe of \$22,626 for a total of \$87,452. Excuse me, I think I just heard something hit the fan.

The employee thinks the fringe benefits are free. Like the late Sen. Dirksen used to say, "A billion here and a billion there and pretty soon we are talking about real money."

Will the senior citizen be forced out of his home because he no longer can afford the taxes? That is a sad ending to 30-50 years of hard work.

I guess I have been a bad boy. The school superintendent called me to his office last week. My concern in previous meetings with him were in regards to the senior citizen. He had his financial person figure out what it would cost the senior citizen in case the millage was passed.

There is nothing wrong with his computations but they are based on a home with a market value of \$86,000 and \$110,000.

It shows an increase of \$129 and \$165 with the new bond issue.

My question is, where do you find a home in Northville with a market value of \$86,000 to \$110,000 in Northville?

I remember in 1958, some very nice small homes were built for \$18,000 to \$25,000. They are still nice small homes but they are getting from \$175,000 to \$200,000 for them.

From the calls I've had and the people I have talked to, I think the school board should dust off Plan B and get ready for a smaller bond issue.

Yes, we are going to have excess room but the senior citizens, Recreation Department and other civic groups will be taking up the space.

Once again, I urge all voters to mark Sept. 23 on their calendars and exercise their right to run the government and schools.

There is still time to get an absentee ballot so I don't feel that anyone has an excuse for not voting.

Dean H. Lenheiser

(Editor's note: Lenheiser was, in fact, correct. When fringe benefits are factored into the calculation, the district spends roughly 85 percent of its budget on compensation-related expenses.)

Cooke expansion infeasible option

To the Editor:

One question which has been asked of bond committee members concerns whether it would be possible to expand the current Cooke Middle School facility to relieve the pressure of the growing middle school student population. This option was studied but was rejected as not being economically feasible.

The Cooke site and facility are simply not very suitable for expansion. The site is smaller than currently accepted standards for either an elementary or a middle school, and does not allow room for an outward expansion. The facility was built as a single story, and the cost to build a second story would be extremely high because the entire foundation and weight bearing walls and beams would have to be rebuilt to support a second story. Moreover, merely adding classrooms would not solve the capacity problem, since

the core facilities, including the cafeteria, library, gymnasium, hallways, and outdoor athletic facilities are all too small for a population over 450 students.

The analysis of the difficulties in efficiently expanding Cooke was part of the bond committee process which led it to recommend that the most cost effective solution to the high school and middle school space needs is the construction of a new high school and the conversion of the existing high school to an 800 student middle school. This proposal was also determined to be the one most conducive to maintaining the level of educational quality which our district's parents and community members demand from our schools.

Mary C. Rupley

Committee had free expertise

To the Editor:

Questions have been raised as to why the Northville School District did not conduct an expensive, "professional" feasibility study with respect to adding on to the existing high school before deciding to request approval to construct a new high school. The simple answer is that given the level of expertise on the citizen's bond committee, the depth of study done by that committee, and the clear differences among the proposed solutions, such a study would have been a waste of taxpayer dollars.

The citizens bond committee was fortunate to include among its members a professional architect experienced in school design, as well as construction professionals with expertise in building renovation. That committee carefully and professionally studied several alternatives to solve the space and programmatic needs of the school district. While adding on to the existing high school is possible, it would, in the end, cost almost as much (given the resulting need to build a new middle school) as the proposed solution, and would still provide an inadequate solution to the future space and programmatic needs of the high school.

In addition, adding onto the existing building would among other problems produce an increased traffic problem at the entrance to the high school on Center Street and in the downtown area, use up nearly all green space around the building, and require relocation of athletic training and performance facilities. It would still be an inadequate solution to the facility needs of the district and would in fact have an immediate adverse impact on the quality of the physical education curriculum and on the marching band program.

The citizens committee did a cost comparison between expansion of the existing high school and building a new middle school versus building a new high school and converting the existing high school to a middle school. The difference in cost for the owner of a home with a market value of \$200,000 is about 15 cents a week, \$7.85 per year or \$211.95 over a 27 year payoff. The citizens committee came to the conclusion that the best and most cost effective option was to build a new high school and recycle the old high school into a middle school for 800 students.

Hopefully, members of the community will appreciate the years of study done by this large and diverse group of citizens who live in this community, who are concerned about taxes and property values and who care about the children in our community.

Vote "yes" on Sept. 23 for both the bond and the enhancement millage.

Thomas Barry

Senior tax hikes could be refunded

To the Editor:

In considering the proposed school bond and enhancement millage questions, many people have raised questions about the cost of the proposals to senior citizens. While cost is clearly a relevant factor, in this case, the Michigan homestead property tax credit will reduce the cost impact for many seniors.

The homestead property tax credit refunds through the Michigan income tax return a portion of property taxes or rent based on the relative amounts of household income and property taxes paid by the individual taxpayer. It provides a larger credit for senior citizens than for other taxpayers.

For example, a 70-year-old person with an income of \$20,000 who owns a \$110,000

home in Northville Township would see an average annual property tax increase of approximately \$165 as a result of the proposed bond issue. In these circumstances, the entire \$165 would be returned to the senior through reduced income taxes, leaving no additional cost. The same result would apply for township seniors with incomes ranging from \$15,000 through \$30,000.

Each person's circumstances will vary and the effect of the property tax credit for each taxpayer will be different, based on income, total property tax rates (Northville Township has a different total rate than the city) and property values.

Since the homestead property tax credit may lower or eliminate the effect of the property tax increase in many cases, however, senior citizens should consider the impact of that credit when measuring the cost of the bond and enhancement millage against the benefit to the community and their own increased property values.

Ruth Vernacchia

Protect property at ballot box

To the Editor:

Anyone who is a property owner in the Northville Public School District has a stake in the health and the excellence of its schools.

I have two children, one of whom will not benefit from a new high school because he will graduate before it can be constructed, if it is. But I still feel the \$61.5 million bond issue is a sound investment in our children and in our community.

As a homeowner I expect to spend money to maintain my home's appearance, usefulness and value. As a member of this community I expect to spend money to maintain its assets. If you conduct a poll of your neighbors I think you will find, as I did, that they live in Northville because of its small town atmosphere and because of its schools. If we allow our school system and its buildings to deteriorate we are undermining our own investments.

As a member of the Future High School Committee I heard many parents and community members argue that a new school will not solve the problems at Northville High. But adding overcrowding to the existing problems will only make them worse. While it may make us feel better to hold the school board and administration accountable for resolving problems at the school before rewarding them with the money to construct a new building, it is our children who will suffer.

Overcrowding, running to portable classrooms and disruption from possible renovations will all interfere with their learning.

The Coalition for Student Success at Northville High School is currently addressing many of the concerns the community expressed at the community dialogues. The members of this coalition, and the citizens, parents, teachers and students who have volunteered to serve on its task forces, are committed to meeting the needs of our present high school students as well as those of our future students. Our children also need the voters' support of the bond issue and the one year millage. We have high expectations for them which they will not be able to fulfill unless we provide the money needed for the buildings and technological support they require to excel.

Judy Prain

District values among highest

To the Editor:

The publishing of area MEAP scores in Friday's *Free Press* compels me to write this letter.

Much has been published in your letters to the editor stating concerns over the direction of public education in our community. Claims of aiming for excellence by the district officials have been met with doubt and suspicion. Our society has grave concerns about the directions of public education and our community is no exception.

The *Free Press* reported the rankings of the districts in Livingston, Macomb, Oakland, Washtenaw, and Wayne counties in a "top 10" and "bottom 10" MEAP scores for fifth, eighth and 11th graders. For the "top 10" districts, only five districts consistently made this list in all three grade groups. These were: Grosse Pointe, Bloomfield Hills,

Troy, Birmingham, and Northville. Only five out of all the hundred districts that were listed.

Voters in this district should note that our students are receiving an education that is comparable to or better than districts which are spending more per capita than ours. It is this financial prudence, combined with a desire for continued excellence and, importantly, strong community support that makes the future look so bright for our students.

Keep that future bright for all our current and future students by voting "yes" on Monday, Sept. 23.

Robin Polletta

Board members are out of touch

To the Editor:

How do you tell our hardworking Northville School board members that they have lost their compass?

It's obvious that the board is being directed by our grossly overpaid administrators, many of whom do not pay taxes in this community.

The board, elected to represent the entire community, has failed to provide fiscally responsible guidelines for administrative action. This failure has resulted in an outrageous bond proposal asking the community to fund a new \$50 million high school. The new swimming pool alone will cost far more than our new, hard-won Northville Public Library.

The board accepted projections of system overcrowding from a hand-picked, administrator-led committee that made self-serving assumptions and ignored major local and legislative factors. They spent \$50,000 of taxpayer-provided school funds to hire a lobbyist to rally one segment of the community behind the "high school of the future."

Lobbyist DeJong used his expertise, gained in past millage successes, to eliminate every reasonable middle school solution costing less than \$30 million. Now, the administration is trying to buy votes with promises of "free" use of the surplus school space that will cost the community more than \$100 million before the year 2020.

In the private sector any individual with their business, their money or their job on the line would not recommend a \$50 million facility to provide three times the anticipated capacity required in the year 2000. Before committing to sink into debt for the next 25 plus years they would take a serious look at the \$30 million facility options that provide flexible capacity where it is needed, right in the middle of system overcrowding. In a private sector faced with global competition these free spending administrators would be out of business, out of work or worse.

The current Northville High School facility is underutilized. It was completely renovated in 1985 at a cost exceeding \$9 million. The classrooms and the four gymnasiums are not overcrowded. The "academic" day ends at 2:05 p.m. During the past two years Northville High School students were frequently scheduled for half day sessions starting at 10:30 a.m. for the convenience of the administrators and teachers.

NHS does have an overcrowded parking lot. Only seniors can drive and park in the school lot. We also have a drug and alcohol abuse problem at NHS. The high school of the future will have enough parking spaces to extend daytime driving "rights" to every 16-year-old in our community. An NHS driving free-for-all will increase and compound the many serious and difficult social problems that parents and authorities wrestle with every day with limited success.

Let's take a second look at the demographics and, if necessary, reward our outstanding middle school program with a new facility to solve our overcrowding problem.

What do you say to our friends and neighbors who are proposing the \$50 million high school? For the sake of our entire community I urge you to please "Just say No" to the high school bond proposal.

Don McCulloch

'Guide' contained misleading data

To the Editor:

Last week I received a "Voter Information Guide" from C.E.N.C.-2000 in support of the bond and enhancement millage. Some of the arguments that they

present do not seem to hold up under scrutiny:

• Expanding the existing high school is not considered practical because of:

a) Safety issues: This seems to be a stretch, safety can always be accommodated.

b) Convoluted building layout: Anyone who has remodeled their home or building has faced this challenge. A competent architect can usually satisfy even the most demanding people.

c) Staggered class times required: Not if designed correctly.

d) Crowded hallways still a problem: Discipline and order may be the solution.

e) The outdoor physical education and athletic fields would be converted into parking lots: What about carpooling? Adults do it, so can kids.

Building standards call for 50 acres for a high school and the present site has only 35 acres. I received a pretty good public school education at Cass Tech in Detroit and we had "0" acres. Has anyone ever seen kids utilizing the front acreage of the school lot on Center Street? It's not land or buildings that make up a good educational experience. It's the teachers.

Enrollment projections did not take into account the possibility of a "voucher system" being enacted within the near future. If this were to happen, I believe, those projections would no longer apply and we would have a large, half empty, white elephant that we'll be paying for over the next 27 years.

Do we really need air conditioning in our elementary schools here in Michigan?

In the blue handout it says "Bond and enhancement millage dollars will not be spent on general operating expenses such as classroom teachers or administrator salaries."

In the white handout it says, "The funds raised by the one year millage will be used over five years to provide: Plus one system administrator. Plus one hardware technician. Plus one software technician. Plus nine building tech assistants. Plus annual staff training costs." Are these jobs and expenses going to disappear after the five years have passed?

It is estimated that the bond issue will cost an average of 3 mills per year over the 27 year bond issue life (\$3 per \$1,000 of taxable value). The 1.95 mill enhancement millage will be for 1996 only. This projection does not factor in inflation and appreciation over the next 27 years. We must remember that a millage is a percentage of the value. Therefore if the value goes up, so does the amount of money we pay in taxes.

I am not aware of any homes in Northville with a market value of less than \$100,000, let alone the \$30,000 or \$50,000 examples included in the chart. I am aware of many that are valued in the area of \$350,000 to \$750,000. What was the value of Northville real estate 27 years ago? What will it be 27 years from now? Now multiply that figure by 3 mills and the cost is not small anymore.

A chart showing decreases in school property taxes shows that in 1993 we were levied 33.8 mills in school property taxes, in 1994 and 1995 it was reduced to 10.3 mills due to Proposal "A." The millage projected for 1996 and 1997 numbers are 13.1 mills and 12.3 mills, respectively. This brings two points to mind:

a) My math shows that 10.3 plus 1.95 plus 3 = 15.2 mills for 1996 while 10.3 plus 3.0 = 13.3 mills for 1997.

b) If the voters overwhelmingly supported Proposal A and had their school mills reduced by 23.5 mills, why in the world would they want to increase them by 50 percent now?

If I can't trust the information to be correct, I surely can't support the millage, can you?

Roberto A. Lopez

(Editor's note: The district's millage rate is currently 9.5 mills, and if both issues are approved the rate would climb to 13.1 mills - 1.95 for the enhancement and 1.7 mills for a prorated annual portion of the bond levy. After the one year enhancement millage expires, the rate would drop to 12.3 mills - 9.5 mills plus an approximate 2.8 mills for the bond debt retirement.)

Facts will lead to 'yes' vote

To the Editor:

After reading last week's letters from Mr. Lenheiser and L. Haines, I pulled out my bond issue committee report to double check some facts.

According to the report, "In

1985, there were 799 kids in grades K-3 and 1,257 kids in grades 9-12. If nothing else happened, in 1994 we would have had 799 kids in grades 9-12, a decrease (in high school population) of 458 over 1985."

The actual population for the high school in 1994 was 1,210. The differences in actual population (the 799 elementary kids blooming into 1,210 in high school) is accounted for by families moving into the district and moving in from private schools.

When I drive around Northville, I am always amazed at how many new houses are going up, specifically in the township. Northville is the kind of community that draws families - why would anyone assume that singles or childless couples would be filling those houses? Our elementary enrollment and capacity is actually sitting pretty tight - one has to look at the highest enrollment projections to see any overcapacity and that is not projected to happen until 1998. The proposed addition to Silver Springs Elementary appears to handle that increase quite nicely.

As our elementary enrollment increases, one has to assume that eventually there will be a direct and proportional increase in high school enrollment. And I have to hand it to the bond committee on this one. When you compare the "Most Likely" projected enrollment figures for 1996-97 in the bond committee report (done in 1994), their numbers are very, very close to what actual enrollment figures are for this year.

Shifting grades may appear to be an answer. Moving the sixth grade back to the elementary level and the ninth grade back to the middle school may solve the high school problem, but what impact will it have on elementary and middle school populations? There are approximately 400 sixth-grade students this year. If we pushed them back to the elementary level this year, we'd be over capacity.

There are 353 ninth-graders this year. Pushing them back into middle school this year would put them very near capacity. If we can all agree that the population of Northville in general and of Northville schools, specifically, will increase, then this "solution" suddenly isn't a solution after all.

Looking at the projections, we will be over capacity in the high school somewhere between 1998 and 2002.

My daughter will be entering high school in 2001, my son in 2004.

My husband and I are committed to raising our children in Northville and that means providing them with a quality educational experience.

Let me assure you that the last thing I want to do is pay more in taxes. I was admittedly skeptical of this bond and millage enhancement proposal. But after reading the report, talking to advocates and opponents, checking my facts and figures, I know that the best thing to do is to vote for this proposal. My children, my values and my ideals demand that I do.

Mr. Lenheiser, I couldn't agree with you more, it will be an interesting election.

I, too, am hopeful that everyone does their homework and votes.

Nancy Manley

SCC deun urges vote for millages

To the Editor:

As a long time resident of Northville and a dean at Schoolcraft College, I would encourage the voting public to approve the bond issue and one year millage request for the new Northville High School and state-of-the-art technology.

Schoolcraft College has been, and will continue to be, a higher education source for 40-45 percent of the graduating class within five years of graduating. They are either guest students taking spring and summer classes to expedite their higher education at many universities, or they attend Schoolcraft in order to finish their first two years of college.

As Dean of Instruction, I have the opportunity to track their academic progress. The Northville graduates are well prepared for college. They have good to excellent academic records at Schoolcraft College.

We need to continue these efforts by supporting the bond issue and one year millage request.

Louis A. Reibling, Ph.D.
Dean of Instruction
Schoolcraft College

Mill Race Matters

Another Victorian Festival has past. Rain on Saturday failed to dampen the spirits of those who arrived to participate in the annual hat judging competition. Although it did cause cancellation of the first annual croquet tournament. Look for that event next year.

Prizes were awarded to Jenny Dedas for Most Outrageous Hat, Julie Fountain for most Authentic Hat, and Genna Sharpy for Day Hat. Four gift certificates were awarded in the children/young adults category, two to Bookstall on the Main and two to the Mill Race Village Country Store.

Sunday events proved to be much luckier with the sun actually showing itself for a time. Look for the results of Sunday picnic events in next week's column.

Thanks to all who helped make this year's Victorian Festival events at Mill Race Village a success, especially to Sonia Swigart for her organization of the special activities slated for Saturday, her involvement with community programming and her work at organizing member participation in the parade Friday evening.

Tivoli Fair, Northville's premium juried arts and crafts show now in its 27th year, begins Friday, Sept. 27, at 10 a.m. Admission to the two-day fair located at Northville Downs is \$3 per person. Friday hours run from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. The fair continues on Saturday, running from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. Strollers for babies or children are not permitted.

Long-time residents will know that Tivoli Fair serves as the major fund-raising event for the Northville Historical Society. All profits from the two day juried arts and crafts fair are used in the restoration and upkeep of Mill Race Village.

The fair provides almost two-thirds of the village's annual operating budget. Organization members and friends volunteer the entire weekend to allow maximum income for the continued maintenance of the village.

In addition to crafters of all sorts the Fair provides refreshments for sale, a bake sale and an opportunity for the Historical Society to sell some of its publications. A full range of arts and crafts include fabric, fiber, ceramic, wood, metal, and numerous other media exhibited by over 110 crafters.

As always, members are encouraged to bring baked goods for sale during the fair.

Northville Downs, the site of Tivoli Fair for almost 20 years, has been a licensed horse racing facility for almost 50 years. Shortly after the conclusion of World War II area leaders convinced state officials to allow the track in Northville to operate. Prior to the war the site had been used for the Wayne County Fair. Horse racing was part of the fair which operated at the location for about 25 years, between the two World Wars.

The track sits on land deeded to Daniel Cady by President John Quincy Adams in 1826. Cady built his farm, identified as the Cottage, on Northville's first plat drawn in 1840. After Cady's death in 1860, the land was divided with most of it going to daughter Sarah and her husband, William Yerkes. Yerkes used a portion of the land to develop a small racing oval just before the turn of the century.

—Diane Rockall

CALENDAR

Thursday, Sept. 19
Northville Historical Board Cady, 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 20
Village Open Village, 1-4 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 21
Stone Gang Village, 9 a.m.-noon
Sunday, Sept. 22
Archives Cady, 9-11 a.m.

House passes minimum wage hike to supplement higher federal rate

By TIM RICHARD
Staff Writer

The state House of Representatives has passed and sent to the Senate a minimum wage hike bill that a critic said should be called the "Youth Unemployment Act."

The vote was an overwhelming 94-12. But the Sept. 10 vote belied the flurry of amendments aimed either giving it more teeth or filing them down.

"This bill takes care of hourly workers who do not fall under the federal minimum wage laws," said Republican Sandra Hill of Montrose. "It is the only fair thing to do, and it needed to be done quickly."

"This amendment, like the one before it, should be titled the Youth Unemployment Act," Rep. Greg Kaza, R-Rochester Hills, said at one point in the debate.

"Young people, predominantly teenagers working part-time, will

have a harder time finding a job if these amendments are enacted into law in Lansing. Numerous economic studies have shown that jobs have been eliminated when amendments such as these have been enacted in the past. These amendments are job killers."

Kaza voted no on final passage as did 11 other Republicans, including Penny Crissman of Rochester, Gerald Law of Plymouth and Dan Gustafson of Williamston.

Opposing the bill was the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB). Lobbyist Charles Owens said its members tend to be family-owned businesses.

"Most businesses in the state already pay above the minimum wage in order to attract and retain quality workers," Owens said. "NFIB and its more than

23,000 Michigan members believe the marketplace, not the government, should determine the wage and prices of business and commerce."

House Bill 6180:

- Increases the state minimum wage from \$3.35 per hour to \$4.75 beginning Oct. 1. It's the first state increase since 1981, said sponsor Bob Emerson, D-Flint, who chided Republicans for waiting 20 months to act on his bill.

- Increases the wage to \$5.15 an hour on Sept. 1, 1997.

- Sets the "tip-credit" wage at 75 percent of the minimum wage. Thus, the service-industry wage for employees who get tips rises to \$3.56 an hour Oct. 1 and \$3.86 an hour on Sept. 1, 1997.

- Applies to an estimated 130,000 workers.

- Boosts the "training wage" for workers under age 20 from \$3.35

to \$4.25 for the first 90 days of employment.

- Allows employees who work overtime to choose between a pay rate of 1.5 times the wage or to take off compensatory time of 1.5 hours for each hour of overtime.

- Applies to businesses not covered by the overtime act, those with gross receipts of under \$500,000 a year that don't do interstate commerce.

The new bill brings Michigan's wage law in line with a recently passed federal law. The federal rate, however, was increased to \$4.25 in 1991.

Making the new rates effective at the end of the summer and setting the training wage period at 90 days were seen as favors to businesses that employ seasonal summer help.

Refer to House Bill 4180 when writing to your state senator, State Capitol, Lansing 48909.

'Death with dignity' measure on hold in Lansing

By TIM RICHARD
Staff Writer

There are two reasons the state Senate is in no rush to take up a "death with dignity" bill in its fall session.

"I don't want it to become part of the election process," said Sen. Joel Gougeon, R-Bay City, chair of the Family Law Committee. "I do not want to rush it."

Agreed, said Sen. Gary Peters, D-Bloomfield Township, a panel member. "It should be nonpartisan."

The other reason is that a lot of amendments are being shaped. "The sponsor (Sen. Dale Shugars, R-Portage) wants to play around with it," said Gougeon.

Peters, who said he will offer a substitute that regulates physician-assisted suicide, said he has made amendments on his

own version after the Sept. 5 public hearing in Lansing.

Gougeon had planned to take up the Shugars bill, Senate Bill 1102, at the Sept. 12 meeting but adjourned it five minutes after starting time without discussing the bill.

Shugars' bill is intended to assure that doctors tell terminally ill patients their rights to accept or refuse treatment; are given immunity when they prescribe narcotics as pain-killers; and tell patients that Michigan case law prohibits anyone from assisting a suicide. It provides no criminal penalties, however, for assisting a suicide.

It's part of a four-bill package intended to dry up Dr. Jack Kevorkian's market for assistance in ending life.

As first drafted, Peters' bill would prescribe the circum-

stances under which a doctor would help a patient end his or her life. His new version will mandate, rather than suggest, that a psychiatrist certify that the patient is of sound mind.

"A physician may not have the expertise to determine if a psychiatrist is needed, so we made it (a psychiatric exam) necessary," Peters said.

Peters' new version also will require a 15-day, rather than a two-day, waiting period between the time a patient makes a second request for a death drug and the time it may be administered. It will mean a total of 30 days from the time the patient makes his or her first request until the end can come.

"The most important part of my bill," said Peters, "is putting it to a vote of the people. Polls show 75 percent of the people

support physician-assisted suicide. Right to Life (which opposes assisted suicide) doesn't want it on the ballot because they know it will pass overwhelmingly."

Gougeon's panel, which includes Republican Sens. Robert Geake of Northville and Michael Bouchard of Birmingham, is scheduled to meet Sept. 19 but probably won't act even then.

"I expect no action until the last week of September or even later," said Gougeon.

Senators aren't up for reelection this year, but representatives are, and any Senate-passed bill is unlikely to be taken up until after the Nov. 5 election, if at all.

If no action is taken, the bill will be dropped Dec. 31 and would have to be reintroduced in 1997.

Geake bill would revise preemptive custody laws

Spouses coming home to find their partner has obtained sole occupancy of their home and achieved custody of their children during the day would be a thing of the past under legislation introduced in the Michigan Senate, announced Sen. R. Robert Geake, R-Northville.

After conducting statewide hearings two years ago, Geake spearheaded a comprehensive effort to revamp Michigan's Friend of the Court system. Most

of that legislation was signed into law by the governor this summer.

"There are still residual issues which have been brought to my attention that need work and this is one of them," Geake stated.

Geake is sponsoring a bill which would limit ex parte orders in cases of divorce. Some individuals and their divorce attorneys have used ex parte orders as a tactic to strike a preemptive blow against a spouse. Typically after

filing a complaint for divorce, a person may file an ex parte motion. Many judges will issue the order establishing custody of children and/or possession of the marital dwelling.

"This practice holds in total disregard the notion of due process," Geake said.

Worse than the immediate dilemma of being locked out of your own home and unable to see your own children, Geake says, are the long-term ramifica-

tions of such an order.

"Ex parte orders have the effect of establishing a custodial relationship that will often bias the court's final determination of custody."

"This was not the intended use of ex parte orders and this abuse by some unscrupulous individuals and their attorneys must end."

Senate Bill 1147 is expected to be referred to a Senate committee for consideration.

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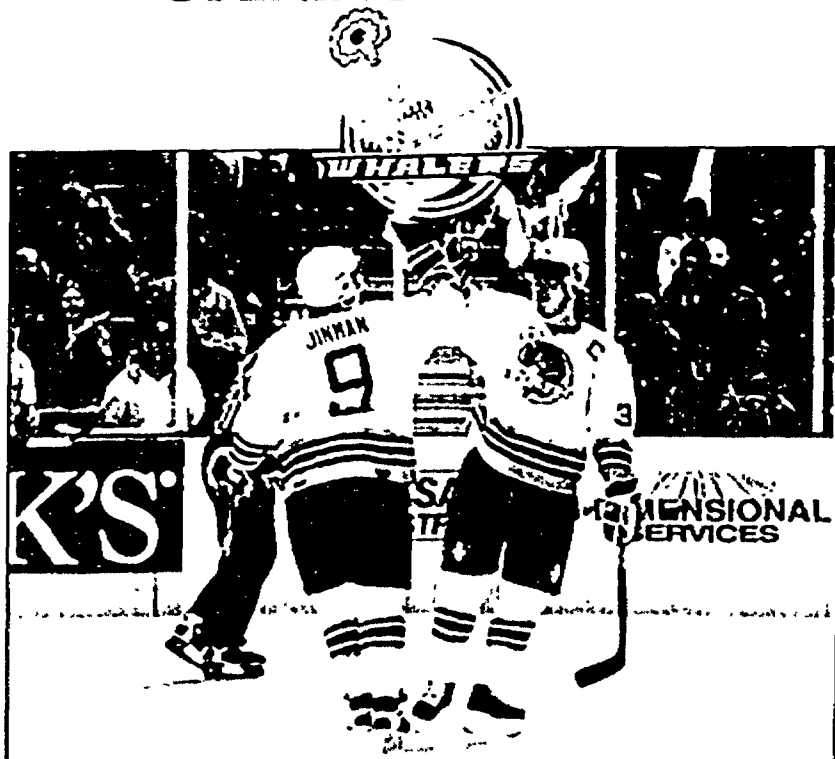
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Donation made in name of Downs' ex-owner John Carlo

A \$25,000 donation to the new Northville District Library has been made in memory of former Northville Downs owner John Carlo by his nephew, Louis Carlo.

John Carlo was a longtime supporter of the Northville District Library. The donation in his memory carries on that legacy of support.

"The Carlo family's generosity sets the best example of private support to a public project which is vital to the entire community," said Wendy Gutowski, Building Committee chairperson and a Northville District Library trustee.

In making the donation, the Carlo family noted that John Carlo's "quest for knowledge was

always apparent."

The donation will be used to furnish the meeting room in the new facility.

The furnishings will include meeting room chairs, folding tables, a coat rack, projection screen, a podium, slide projector, overhead projector, large screen television and VCR.

The meeting room will be used for a variety of library programs and by community groups. It has a maximum capacity of 90 persons, but can be divided into two rooms to accommodate smaller groups.

The room will be named The John Carlo Meeting Room.

Quilt panels still available to library contributors

Donations still are being accepted for those interested in placing a name on a quilt designated for the new Northville District Library. Only about 40 of the 130 available spaces on the library quilt remain to be filled.

Though the Northville District Library is closed until Oct. 6, donors interested in having a name placed on the quilt may send their donations to the library at 215 W. Main. Please mark "quilt" on the outside of the envelope.

Brochures about the quilt project are available at the Northville Chamber of Commerce, 195 S. Main, and Bookstall on the Main.

101 N. Center.

Hands All Around, a group of local quilters, is creating the quilt for the new library. All proceeds from the quilt donations will go to the new library building. The quilt will be placed in the new facility upon completion.

The quilt contains 130 books in its design. Donor names are being embroidered on book spines and pages. All eight open books on the quilt have been filled.

Nevertheless, book spines still are available for a minimum \$75 donation. Donors may request multiple spines or groupings of spines if they choose.

Library Lines

LIBRARY CLOSINGS: The Northville District Library is closed through Saturday, Oct. 5, in preparation for the move to the brand new library building.

Patrons seeking library service may use their current Northville District Library card at any of the libraries associated with the Library Network. Here is a suggestion of some local libraries that may be used: Canton Public Library (313) 397-0999; Farmington branch (810) 474-7770; Farmington Hills branch (810) 553-3228; Livonia Civic Center (313) 421-7238; Alfred Noble branch (313) 421-4235; Carl Sandburg branch (810) 476-0700; Novi Public Library (810) 349-0720; Plymouth District Library (313) 453-0750.

BOOK DROPS: Materials can still be dropped off at the book drops in the old building or may be dropped 30¢ at libraries

associated with the Library Network.

PROCESSING PROJECTS: While the library has been closed, several audio-visual processing projects have been undertaken in preparation of new shelf space. Brand new additions of videos, CDs, and Books-on-Tape will greet patrons in the new building.

AUTOMATION UP-DATE: Wiring for the LAN (Local Area Network) located in the reference department is proceeding on target. This will allow patrons additional search capabilities on CD ROM products. Our Internet functions have been up-dated to Netscape Navigator 3.0.

COMING ATTRACTIONS: The Northville Record will be producing a special section honoring the grand opening of the new

Northville District Library. The special edition will be available on Thursday, Oct. 3.

LIBRARY BOARD MEETING: The next library board meeting for the Northville District Library will be on Thursday, Sept. 26, at 7:30 p.m. in the City Council chambers. All are welcome to attend.

FROM THE FRIENDS: The Board of Directors of the Friends of the Northville District Library will meet Friday, Sept. 20, at 9:30 a.m. in the "old" library ... The Friends recently welcomed the following new members: Cynthia Anthony, the Benevenuto family, Dorothy Blumeister, Duane and Michelle Defer, Juythe Johnson, Michael Korenchuk, Mary Lapetz, Barbara Lucas, Molly Maurer, Marjorie Sliger, and Alan and Judith Somershoe.

Remodeling Show coming to Expo Center

It's almost a sure bet that homeowners will find what they have been looking for at the 4th annual Fall Remodeling Show which is open Thursday, Sept. 26, through Sunday, Sept. 29, at the Novi Expo Center.

Here's a peek at some of the products and services at the show.

The Home Office Show, "a show within a show," exemplifies the emerging trend toward working in the comforts of home. Four Seasons Sunrooms of Southfield's new conservatory-style sunroom can be used for home offices, dining rooms, living rooms or greenhouses. Billy Bob's Game Room Furnishings of Royal Oak has home office furnishings full of nooks for holding today's computers. Staples, the office superstore of southeast Michigan, will exhibit printers, computers, fax machines, home office furniture and home office

supplies. Sam's Club of Southeast Michigan also brings an array of office supplies to stock the increasingly popular home office.

A Michigan autumn is something to behold and homeowners can even enjoy the season from the inside through the beautiful windows and doors displayed by Caswell Modernization Co. of White Lake, Empire Doors and Windows of Redford Township, Home Window Co. of Livonia, and JWS Technologies of Southfield. Pella Window & Door Co. of West Bloomfield will feature its solid wood windows with blinds or shades that can be raised and lowered between the glass. Robichaud's Custom Glass Blocks of Ecorse will demonstrate how glass blocks can be used to create windows, walls, bars and shower enclosures. To adorn new or old windows, J.E.M. Custom Interiors of Novi

features custom window treatments along with Melody's Draperies & Blinds of Farmington Hills and Window Works of Bloomfield Hills.

Cozy up indoors this winter next to a fireplace using the thin brick systems or stone veneer by Williams Panel Brick of Detroit. For a great outdoors, Signature Landscape Lighting of Novi will show its exterior architectural and landscape lighting. Heartland Industries of Waterford showcases a variety of yard barns. A pet fencing system that won't change the look of a yard is from Invisible Fencing of Chesterland, Ohio.

Sometimes it's the extra little touches that make a home really shine. Stewart Specialty Tiles of Troy boasts custom hand-made tiles and hand-painted tiles with unique textures, finishes and colors. A four-by-six-foot tile mural of golfer Ben Hogan will be

on display at the show along with a three-by-three-foot tropical fish mural. Stewart can take a picture, sample of wallpaper or china pattern and match it in custom designed tiles. Virginia Tile Co. of Farmington Hills will highlight its exclusive ceramic tiles, marble and stone. This year they will show off new tiles and new marble mosaics.

The Novi Expo Center is located at I-96 and Novi Road. Show hours are from 2-10 p.m. Thursday and Friday; 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Saturday; and 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Sunday.

Admission is \$6 for adults; \$4 for seniors; \$3 for children 6-12, and children under 6 are admitted free. Family tickets for two adults and accompanying children are available at Farmer Jack for \$9. Ample parking is available at the Novi Expo Center for a fee. For more information, call (810) 737-4478.

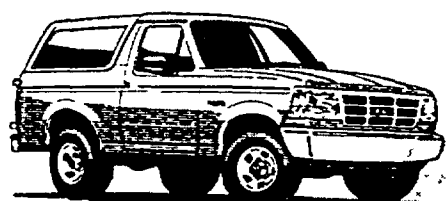
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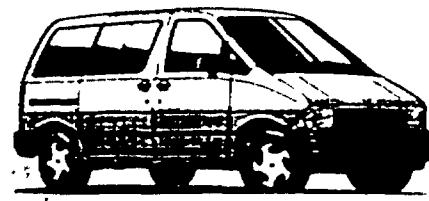
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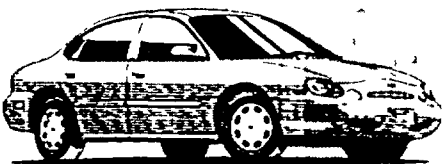
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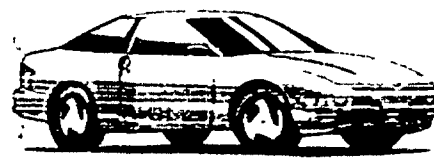
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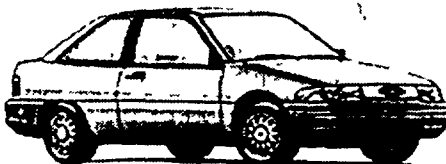
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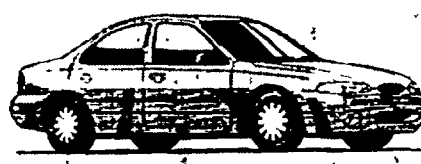
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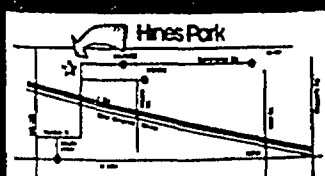
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FRIENDS NOT FOES

Students and parents learn about conflict resolution



First graders (from left) Gabrielle D'Aniell, Amanda Chiti, Matt Heard and Joshua Hatch giggle to the antics of the conflict resolution show, "The Adventures of Les Trouble P.I.," at Village Oaks Elementary School on Sept. 5.

Whether through magic, humor or role playing, the underlying message was the same - you don't have to like everyone, but you do have to know how to get along.

A captive audience of kindergarten through fourth grade students at Village Oaks Elementary School was given the opportunity to learn how to manage conflict when the school's Parent Teacher Organization sponsored a show entitled "The Adventures of Les Trouble, P.I." on Sept. 5.

Playing the role of Les Trouble, problem investigator, was Doug Scheer who was assisted by his fiancée, Heidi Swarthout in the role of Spike.

Volunteers from the audience helped Les Trouble illustrate the four basic steps of conflict resolution - get the facts, tell how you feel, brainstorm solutions, and negotiate - using a variety of magic tricks and humor.

Scheer's program is only one avenue for getting the message across.

"It's an effort on everyone's behalf. If they get the information from their teachers and parents, the information eventually sinks in," he said.

"Kindergartners or first graders are amazed that the gym is so big," he said. "They are so wide-eyed at the beginning of the school year." Scheer often talks to the children before and after the show to see what they do recall.

"Some are on the ball," he said. "Some remember the music."

Geared to elementary school children, Scheer considers it a review for the older students and a preview for the younger ones.

Scheer talked to PTAs, parents, principals and teachers about topics of interest to children. He also looked at the climate of society. Before taking his show on the road, which took two years to put together, he tested ideas out on principals, teachers and guidance counselors.

Basics of Conflict Resolution

- Get the facts. Listen to all sides of the story.
- Tell how you feel. Use "I" messages. Don't blame.
- Brainstorm. Think of solutions.
- Negotiate. Give a little, take a little. Everybody wins.

"We slip in the back door and hit them over the head with the message," Scheer said of his approach.

Parents in the community were also learning about conflict resolution last week when the Novi Library hosted "Peaceful Parenting."

Linda Chastain, coordinator of parent education for the Child Abuse and Neglect Council of Oakland County, has been giving parenting seminars for five years. The program, which is free, has been requested by PTAs and PTOs, churches, synagogues, non-profit agencies, even by mom's groups. Chastain has also seen an increase in the number of fathers and grandparents attending the programs.

"The demand is definitely great," she said. About 20 people attended the Novi presentation. It was a good turnout, according to Chastain.

"I think parents are becoming more aware of it and there is an increase in the demand for parenting programs," she said.

Chastain also is seeing an increase in the number of requests for a presentation at a place of business.

"Lunch times are the best times to catch people. They brown bag it and we do a presentation," she said. "They don't have to arrange child care, miss work or take time away from their family."

Chastain discusses conflict management strategies and ways to effectively communicate with children through the "I" message. The

importance of self esteem and how it is damaged and repaired are also covered.

Among the causes of conflict are differences in values, goals, cultures, ages, and gender, according to Chastain.

Through role playing and examples she discusses negotiating skills, sibling rivalries and how to teach children to negotiate and reach compromises.

Parent are taught to begin with the same basic principles as the children.

Chastain discusses what negotiation means and how to bargain, the importance of gathering data and avoiding taking sides, and not to use "you" messages.

Negotiation is a give-give, not a win-lose situation, according to Chastain.

"That's what we need today. We need a winning situation," she said.

People who were not raised to communicate effectively may find these methods foreign, Chastain said. But it works for those who keep trying.

"I am really impressed when people go home and apply these techniques," Chastain said.

Scheer and Swarthout are scheduled to bring "The Adventures of Les Trouble, P.I." to Novi Woods Elementary School on Sept. 20 at 9:45 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

For more information on parenting programs or resources available in the community, call the Child Abuse and Neglect Council of Oakland County at (810) 332-7173.

Books on conflict resolution are available at the libraries and book stores, and Chastain suggests parents make sure the book is geared to parents because some books are written for the professional.

Newspapers also publish information on parenting fairs in their communities.

For more information on "The Adventures of Les Trouble, P.I." call Scheer Assembly Productions (810) 553-4987.



Les Trouble, P.I. put third grader J.D. Goodwin behind various props to illustrate some of the good times and some not-so-good times to discuss a problem.

STORY BY CAROL WORKENS • PHOTOS BY ALAN WARD

Volunteer



Helen Hronek files accident reports for the state police post.

Hronek moving on after seven years

By CAROL WORKENS
Staff Writer

Sometimes it's who you know that counts. In Helen Hronek's case, it was who knew her.

When a volunteer position opened up at the Michigan State Police Post 21 in Northville in 1989, Terri Deahl volunteered her mother, Helen Hronek.

Deahl, who works in the lab at the post, thought her mother would be perfect for the job.

Seven years later, Hronek has probably spent over 6,000 hours at the post doing whatever is needed, mainly filing the accident reports that are filled out by the troopers. When insurance companies call to request a copy of a report, Hronek also fills the orders.

A resident of Northville Township for 17 years, Hronek works with the post's secretary, Laurel Gottlieb.

"Having Helen is an asset," said Gottlieb. "Helen will be retired when we move just because of distance. We are going to be very, very sorry to see her go."

The post's move to Oak Park is coming up, although a definite date has not been determined. The Second District Headquarters and the Michigan State Police Lab will not be moving.

Volunteering for two, three-hour days per week, Hronek performs a variety of tasks. It's a 24-hour operation, so there's always work to do, according to Gottlieb.

Since her volunteer work at the post began, Hronek has joined the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP), which places retirees in the community.

Hronek has received numerous certificates of appreciation, including one from Gov. Jim Blanchard in 1990 honoring her hours of volunteer work.

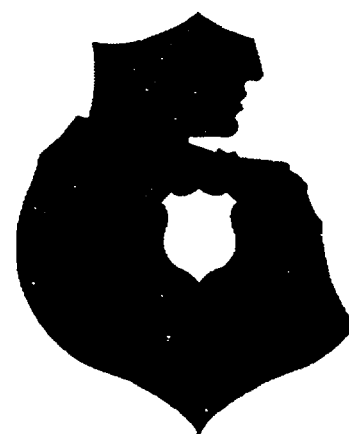
"It keeps your mind alert," Hronek said. "I have been active almost all my life."

Besides Deahl, Hronek has one other daughter, Margie Ercole, who lives in Florida, five grandchildren and one great grandson.

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It's A Fact

LAW ENFORCEMENT



The ratio of law enforcement employees for every 1,000 residents in the City of Novi is 1:1.4.

In Our Town

AAUW to meet

On Saturday, Sept. 28, the UN Women's Conference One Year



Carol Workens

Later, a national teleconference via satellite, will be joined in Room 200 of the McDowell Center at Schoolcraft College on Haggerty

Road between Six and Seven Mile.

The Women's Resource Center of Schoolcraft College in Livonia is providing the down linking of the teleconference and is co-sponsoring a local conference with the Northville-Novl and Livonia branches of AAUW and Michigan Older Women's League.

A local panel, a discussion, handouts and refreshments will begin at 1 p.m. and end at 4:30 p.m. The teleconference will be featured from 2 to 4 p.m. There is no charge. For information, call (313) 462-4443.

The teleconference is presented by the President's Interagency Council on Women, which is developing a National Action Agenda for the advancement of women and girls in the United States as part of

the fulfillment of commitments made by the administration at the Fourth World Conference on Women, Beijing, 1995.

In search of ghostly tales

Halloween is not too far away, so the call goes out to residents who have tales of unexplained phenomena they would like to share with readers.

We'll call them the "N Files," for nobody really knows for sure whether they're tall tales or actual events.

We'll leave it up to our readers to decide which are far fetched and which are factual.

Weekly cooking classes feature area chefs

Cooking classes are being held from 7 until 9 p.m. weekdays at the Kitchen Witch, 134 East Main Street in Northville. The classes are being conducted by Detroit area chefs.

These are demonstration and tasting classes.

For more information, call (810) 348-0488.

If you have information for the In Our Town column, call Carol Workens at 349-1700.

In Service

ROBERT A. OSENKOWSKI received practical work in military leadership at the Army Reserve Officer's Training Corps (ROTC) Advanced Camp at Fort Lewis, Tacoma, WA ash.

The camp, attended by cadets between their third and fourth year of college, includes instruction in communications, management, and survival training. Successful completion of the advanced camp and graduation from college result in a commission as a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army, Guard, or Reserve.

Osenkowski, the son of Norman T. and Virginia M. Osenkowski of Northville Township, is a student at Eastern Michigan University. He is a 1990 graduate of Livonia Franklin High School.

On Campus

DAVID GILLAHAN of Northville was named to the Dean's List for the summer quarter at Michigan Technological University. To earn this recognition, students must carry a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

Gillahan, a senior, is majoring in mechanical engineering.

Named to the Dean's List for the spring quarter at Kalamazoo College were Northville residents: HEATHER R. LEE, graduate, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lee; MATTHEW J. ROSSING, graduate, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey C. Rossing; STACY L. SCHWANDT, graduate, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Schwandt; and ALICIA M. TURNER, junior, the daughter of Rev. Arthur R. and Rev. Molly Turner.

For the 1996-97 academic year, Northville resident FLORYS GONZALEZ will receive \$375 from the Maria Del Carmen Scholarship at Madonna University.

Gonzalez is a sophomore studying sociology.

SHEILA OSBORNE of Northville has been accepted into the sports medicine program at Central Michigan University. The program prepares students to become certified athletic trainers.

Besides classroom instruction, the students work with CMU athletic teams and in training rooms to gain clinical experience.

Osborne, a junior at CMU, is a staff trainer with the university's Injury Care Center. She is a graduate of Northville High School and is the daughter of Turner and Donna Osborne.

Eastern Michigan University conferred advanced degrees as a result of studies completed in June of this year to the following Northville students: LAURA ELIZABETH ALLISON, master of arts; JANET KATHLEEN HALBERG-RIPPEY, artificial intelligence; LISA LYNN LUTZ, continuing certificate-elementary; FLORENCE MARIE NOLAN, master of arts; and PRISCILLA JEAN TAYLOR, master of science.

KIP ALAN DONDLINGER of Northville recently graduated from graduate school at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Ill.

Dondlinger was awarded a master's degree in science, and a master's degree of business administration.

Northville resident NIKOLE ROSE EBEL has accepted the Clemson Alumni Faculty Staff Memorial Scholarship for the 1996-97 academic year. To qualify for this award, the recipient must have an outstanding academic record at Clemson.

School News

COOKE MIDDLE SCHOOL

The 1996-97 school year at Cooke Middle School again began smoothly with a record attendance of 493 students. The sixth grade class is the largest with over 180 students.

Open house was extremely well attended on Sept. 10 with over 500 parents.

We wish to welcome the following new staff members to Cooke: Ian Burrell, Mary Daar, Mitch VanOchten, Janet Gillies and Shannon Murphy.

The first PTSA meeting was held on Thursday, Sept. 5, at 9:15 a.m. and was presided over by Dale Otterman, president; Carol Bernardo, vice president; Susan Hayes, secretary; and Debbie Reisman, treasurer.

Again, this year's teacher representative is Karin Harden. All interested parents are invited to attend the monthly meetings which are held the first Thursday of the month in the Cooke Media Center at 9:15 a.m. Over 250 memberships in PTSA have already been sold.

PTSA hopes that all Cooke families choose to join and participate in Cooke activities this year. If you need an application form, one will be included in Cooke's next newsletter. For further information, contact Carolyn Pigott at 305-8871.

The next PTSA meeting will be held Thursday, Oct. 3, at 9:15 a.m. Preparations are being made for the annual Cooke Carnival which will be held Friday, Nov. 8. Volunteers are still needed. If you would like to help and have not already signed up to do so, please contact Linda Emaus at 380-0006. Joanne Deutschendorf at 349-4957, or Diane Houren at 347-2878.

Although the carnival is the main fund-raiser for Cooke, other fund-raisers are in operation or being planned for this year. Bagel sales, previously sponsored by the Media Center, are being run this year by the PTSA. These have already been extremely popular with our students. Bagels and juice will be available every Friday from 7:45 a.m. until 8:15 a.m. in the cafeteria. The cost is 50 cents each. If you can volunteer to help, please call LeeAnn Stevenson at 347-5811 or Mary Craig at 348-9835.

A fudge sale is planned for November. For further information contact Lynn Zwiesler at 349-7573 or Sandy Basse at 349-7290.

The P.A.S.S. (Parent and Student Support) program is again being offered to our students. This program offers students a number of activities to be involved in during their lunch period. The more volunteers, the more successful this program can be. To volunteer, call Bonnie St. Thomas at 349-4091.

Students and parents are reminded that Cooke picture day is Friday, Sept. 20. Spirit Week will be held Sept. 23-27. A number of activities have been planned for the students. Donations for Civic Concern may be brought in at that time.

Parents are also reminded that Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held Tuesday, Oct. 8, from 3-5 p.m. and Thursday, Oct. 10, from 12:15-2:45 p.m. and 5-7:30 p.m. Student directories will be available at that time. Each Cooke family will receive one directory free. Additional directories will be available for the first time for \$3 each.

The following students were "Caught Being Good" this month: Matt Goode, Megan O'Neill and Mike Shaffer.

The students chosen as September "Citizens of the Month" are: Sixth Grade: Laura Shanowski, Julia Powell, Brad Stoner; Seventh Grade: Jessica Stuber, David Jarosz, Gaston Desira; Eighth grade: Dan Carroll, Kali McCracken, Tyler Sedam, Nicole Krause, Lauren Schmidt.

The "Colleague of the Month" is Marleen Ralph.

-Janice Olson

CHURCH DIRECTORY

For information regarding rates for church listings call The Northville Record or Nov News 349-1700

WALLED LAKE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Rogers 309 Market St. 2483 (behind First of America Bank off Pontiac Trail Rd.) Sunday School 9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study Nursery Available All Welcome 349-2797

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA

23225 Gile Road Farmington Hills, Michigan SUNDAY WORSHIP: 8:30 & 11:00 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL: 9:45 A.M. Pastors Daniel Crave & Mary Olvanti Telephone: (810) 474-0584

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH

9 Mile & Meadowbrook Westland, MI Lutheran Synod Sunday Worship 8 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. David A. Grunow, Pastor - 349-0665 9:15 am Sunday School & Bible Class Wed 7pm Lenten Vesper Service 349-2797

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

1100 W. Ann Arbor Trail Plymouth, Michigan Sunday Worship 10:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Wednesday Meeting 7:30 p.m.

NORTHVILLE CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY

41355 Six Mile Road Northville 349-9030 Sunday School 9:45 & 10:45 am Sunday Worship 9 am, 10:45 am & 6 pm Pastor Otis T. Buchanan Sr. Pastor Northville Christian School Preschool K-8 349-9031

NOVI UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

41671 W. Ten Mile - Meadowbrook 349-2652 (24 hrs) Sunday Worship at 10:30 a.m. Nursery Care Available Charles P. Jacobs, Pastor Church School 9:15 am

MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

21355 Meadowbrook R. Novi at 5 1/2 Mile Morning Worship 10 a.m. Church School 10 a.m. 349-2797 Minister: Rev. E. Neil Hunt Minister of Music: Ray Ferguson

CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS EPISCOPAL

10 Mile between Tott & Back, Novi Phone 349-1175 Sunday 7:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist Sunday 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist 11 a.m. Sunday School & Nursery

WARD EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

17000 Farmington Rd., Livonia 427-1152 Pastor Dr. James N. McGuire Services 8:00, 9:15, 10:45am, 12:05pm Sunday School & Nursery provided 7:00pm evening service Service Broadcast 11:00am WJWL - AM 1030

ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH NOVI

46325 10 Mile Rd. Novi, MI 48374 Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 8:30 & 11:30 a.m. Reverend James F. Cronk, Pastor Parish Office 347-7778

CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

24505 Meadowbrook Rd., Novi, MI 48375 Masses: Sat. 5 pm, Sun. 7:30 am, 8:45 am, 10:30 am, 12:15 pm Holy Days: 9 am, 5:30 pm, 7:30 pm Father John Budde, Pastor Father Andrew Tomasko, Assoc. Pastor Parish Office 349-8847

VICTORY LUTHERAN CHURCH (MISSOURI SYNOD) NOVI MEADOWS SCHOOL

On Tott Rd. near 11 Mile Road Sunday Worship & School 10 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. 349-2669

NEW LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH+ELCA

Sunday Worship 10 am (Youth & Adult Education 9 am begins Oct. 6) at the Masonic Temple on the square in downtown Plymouth 730 Penman - 313/459-8181 Pastor-Develper Ken Roberts

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11:00 am Sunday School 9:45 am 10:45 am Wednesday at Hope Bible Study & Children's Choir 6:30 pm. Worship Service 7:30 - 8:00 pm. 39200 W. Twelve Mile, Farmington Hills (Just East of Haggerty Rd.) (810) 553-2170

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE

200 E. Main St., Northville 349-0911 Sunday Worship & Church School 9:30 & 11:00 am Childcare Available at 9:30 & 11:00 am Rev. James Russell, Minister of Evangelism & Singles Kathleen Robertson, Director of Youth & Church School

OUR LADY OF VICTORY CATHOLIC CHURCH

770 Twelve North Rd. Farmington Hills, Michigan WEEKEND LITURGIES Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 7:30, 9:11 a.m. & 12:30 p.m. Church 349-2821, School 349-3610 Religious Education 349-2559

FIRST APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN CHURCH

26325 Holsted Road off 11 Mile Farmington Hills, Michigan 349-2797 Services every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Also First and Third Sunday at 7:00 p.m. Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Bible Class - Tuesday - 7:30 p.m. Song Services - Last Sunday of month - 7:00 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN MISSOURI SYNOD

High & Elm Streets, Northville 1 Luback Pastor Church 349-3140 School 349-3146 Sunday Worship 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Sunday School & Bible Classes 9:45 a.m. Wednesday Worship 7:30 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE

349-1144 8 Mile & Tott Roads Worship Services & Sunday School 9:00 & 11:00 Nursery both services (year round) Summer Worship 6:30 & 10:00 (July thru Labor Day) Summer Sunday School 10:00 thru 3rd grade) Dr. Douglas W. Vernon (Rev. Thomas M. Beagan Rev. Arthur L. Spafford

ORCHARD HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH, SBC

23455 Novi Rd. (between 9-10 Mile) Bible Study Sun. 9:45 a.m. Worship Services, 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Youth Meetings Wed 7 p.m. Pastor Lee Vandenberg - 349-5665 We Will Love You With The Love Of The Lord

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NOVI

45301 11 Mile at Tott Rd. Home of Ft. Christian School Grade 2-12 Sun. School 9:45 am Worship 11:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:00 p.m. Dr. Gary Etnak, Pastor 349-3477 349-3647

NEW HORIZON COMMUNITY CHURCH

Meets at Novi Civic Center (on 10 mile between Novi & Tott Rd.) Sunday Seeker Service - 10 to 11 A.M. & Children's Activities Mrs. Heusel, Pastor Kurt Schreitmuller, Music Director A Contemporary & Relevant Church 305-8700

FAITH COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

44400 W. 10 Mile Novi, Novi 349-5666 1/2 mile west of Novi Rd. Richard J. Henderson, Pastor J. Cyrus Smith, Associate Pastor Worship & Church School 10:00 a.m. Sunday

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE

217 N. Wingo Rev. Stephen Sparks, Pastor Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m. Boys Brigade 7 p.m., Pioneer Girls 7 p.m. Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

21260 Haggerty, Northville 348-7600 (between 8 & 9 Mile Rds. near Novi Hiron) Sunday School 9:30 am Morning Worship 10:30 am Evening Celebration 6:00 pm (Nursery provided) Dr. Carl M. Tenth Pastor

SPIRIT OF CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH E.L.C.A.

Ten Mile between Haggerty and Meadowbrook Sat. 5:30 p.m., Sun. 10:00 a.m. Pastor Tom Scherger - 477-6296

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Sandy Basse's major garden renovation was a "family project" but it's not done yet.

Garden of the Month

With a little help from family, Basse's garden is shaping up

By PATRICIA ZIELKE
Special Writer

Bill and Sandy Basse's garden on Springfield Court in Lexington Commons has more curves than a Las Vegas chorus line and is as warm and inviting as a slice of warm apple pie and a tall glass of ice-cold milk.

Recently the Basse home underwent major renovations. Rooms were added and the old straight concrete driveway was replaced with a circular drive.

The Basse sons, Matt, Mike, Dan, and Andrew (fondly referred to by Sandy as her "willing work-force"), removed the old drive by pounding, drilling and hammering the 4-inch thick concrete into workable chunks, reclaiming it for either containing or outlining the informal gardens. The remaining chunks were placed throughout the garden forming short pathways to meet the main red brick garden walkway.

They hauled and hoed top soil to form a terraced garden in front which is home to a large variety of plants including hostas, stellarios and other daylilies, irises, pink spireas, yuccas, Siberian irises, astilbes, and myrtles spilling over the chunky rocks and down to the next level. Plus, there are hun-

dreds of bulbs just waiting for next spring.

There's a good assortment of trees: pin oak, evergreen, purple autumn ash, mountain ash, linden, crab apple, and rose of Sharon in addition to Bradford pear, tulip tree, corkscrew willow, blue spruce, crimson king, white pines and arbor vitae.

The gardens wind from the front around both sides of the house to the back. Full bushes of pyracantha, variegated dogwood and cotoneaster form a private cove where you can relax in a hammock or deck chair and watch a portly ground hog hungrily chomping his way through the lettuce patch, and hope he'll leave alone the sweet strawberries and juicy red tomatoes.

I stood above, five feet from this voracious furball and made loud noises to announce my presence. I even introduced myself. But he was neither intimidated nor impressed. Maybe he thought I was the maitre de or the wine steward. However, he was not totally uncouth... he avoided walking through the brown-eyed Susans, baby's breath, four o'clocks, columbine, carnations and ajuga.

The cosmos, bachelor buttons,

coreopsis and dusty Miller were not in his way either. And as he lumbered between rows of tall sunflowers, they nodded and bowed their seed-laden heads in a unified farewell.

A thick carpet of impenetrable thyme covers one area and includes lemon, wooley, silver, mother of thyme and, "excuse me, do you have the thyme?"

In the back, near the large deck that Bill built, the boys constructed dual cement ponds which hold fresh flowing water for feet-paddling and critter dipping.

The gardens are heavily mulched with rich brown shredded bark, and to encourage strong healthy plants organic compost and big lake sea weed are used.

Sandy designed the garden, and plans are currently under way to redevelop some areas. And, as usual, this will be a family project.

Didn't some old weed-picker once say, "A family who spades together stays together?" And, in the eloquent words of Siskel and Ebert, "I give Busse's garden two green thumbs up."

Patricia A. Zielke is a member of Country Garden Club of Northville, Woman's National Farm & Garden Association.

Hronek puts in seven years with Michigan State Police Post

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"They're good workers, these RSVP workers," Gottlieb said.

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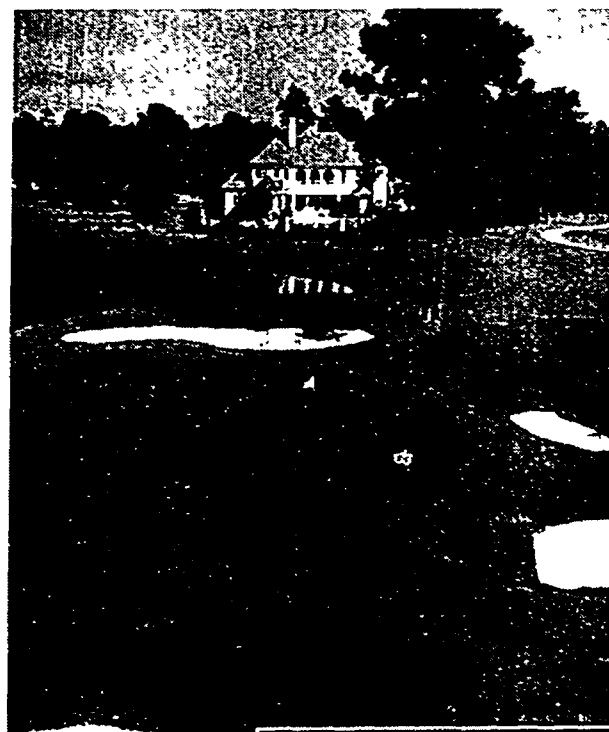
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Births



was born in Otsego Memorial Hospital in Gaylord, Mich., and weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Sue Irwin of Waterford and Ron Irwin of Northville. Paternal grandparents are Jerry and Kay Richards of Camden, Mich.

Courtney Downey

Kent and Patty Downey of Commerce Township, Mich., announce the birth of their first child, Courtney Nicole, on June 27, 1996. Courtney weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces at birth.

Kent is a former Northville resident, as are the paternal grandparents, Fred and Ellen Downey, who now reside in Norfolk, Mass. Maternal grandparents are Theodore Ulatowski of Roseville, Mich., and the late Irene Ulatowski.

Paternal great grandmother is Mrs. Edgar Stadelman of Monroe, Mich.

Madeline Richards

Marc and Jill (Irwin) Richards of Atlanta, Mich., are proud to announce the birth of their first child, Madeline Mae, at 5:46 a.m., Wednesday, June 12, 1996. She



Matthew Meyer, Lucy, and Dawn Rasmussen

Dawn Rasmussen and Matthew Meyer of East Grand Rapids announce the birth of their daughter, Lucy Elizabeth Meyer-Rasmussen. She was born on Aug. 9, 1996, in Grand Rapids weighing 9 pounds, 6 ounces and measuring 21 inches in length.

Lucy's maternal grandparents are Sue Rasmussen of Ann Arbor and Bill Rasmussen of Beverly

Hills. Her paternal grandparents are Peggy Meyer of Northville and Larry Meyer, also from Northville.

Lucy's parents are 1984 graduates of Northville High School. Matt is employed as an attorney at Smith, Haughey, Rice and Roegge in Grand Rapids, and Dawn will receive her master's degree in social work from the University of Michigan in December.

Singles

SINGLE PLACE, an adult ministry for single people, meets at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville Sunday at 9:45 a.m. for a Sunday morning gathering, followed by a worship service at 11 a.m. and brunch at Northville Crossing at 12:30 p.m. The topic is "Prayer."

Sports activities coming up include indoor volleyball on Friday, Sept. 20, from 9 until 10:30 p.m. at the Northville Recreation Center, 303 W. Main Street in Northville. The cost is \$4.

On Friday, Sept. 27, the group will meet for bowling at 8:30 p.m. at Novi Bowl, 21700 Novi Road in Novi. The cost is \$6 plus the cost of shoe rental.

A new divorce recovery workshop will begin on Oct. 3 at 7:30 p.m. and run for seven Thursday evenings until Nov. 21 in the Library/Lounge of the church. To register, call the church office. The cost is \$30.

A growth workshop entitled "Getting It Right the Next Time - Play It Again Romance," with speaker Libby Thomas, Ph.D., is meeting on Thursday evenings through Oct. 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the Youth Room of the church. The cost is \$40 per person.

A fall retreat to the Miniwanca Retreat and Conference Center in Shelby, Mich., with keynote speaker Anna Russo, NLP, will leave Friday, Sept. 20, and return Sunday, Sept. 22. The cost is \$135.

For details or to register, call 349-0911.

Anniversary



Jim and Marie Cooper celebrate 50 years

Jim and Marie Cooper celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in Port Huron with daughter Donna Dennis, grandchildren Lauren and Katie, and their many friends.

They were married in Port Huron on Sept. 7, 1946.

Jim and Marie have been Northville residents for the last 18 years.

Reunions

THURSTON HIGH SCHOOL: Class of 1966, Sept. 28 at the Marriott of Ypsilanti. For more information, call (810) 347-7816.

NOVI HIGH SCHOOL: A special reunion of the Class of 1971 is being coordinated. Call Milton Holley at (313) 422-6138.

MacKENZIE HIGH SCHOOL: Classes of January and June, 1946, 50th reunion on Sept. 21 at the Novi Hilton in Novi. Call Donna Fairful White at (810) 348-2375, or write to her at 19440 Cardeme, Northville, MI 48167.

Church Notes

NOVI UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 41671 West Ten Mile Road in Novi, presents a concert by "The 5' of Us," Dan Douglas, Sharyn Osmond, Greg Goodearl and Ruth Anne Zimmer, on September 21 at 6:30 p.m. A free-will offering will be requested. For more information, call 349-2652.

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH, 39200 West Twelve Mile Road in Farmington Hills, is offering T.G.I. Wednesdays throughout the school year. Hope has coordinated a one-hour adult bible study with Junior High Catechism and children's choir at 6:30 p.m. followed by an evening worship service from 7:30 until 8 p.m.

The program is open to the community. For more information, call (810) 553-7170.

The Ladies Bible Study group at **DETROIT FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**, 21260 Haggerty Road in Northville, reconvenes with both morning and evening times available.

The Tuesday morning Women of the Word (WOW) will meet from 9:30 until 11:15 a.m. each week in the lower level. The first semester registration fee of \$11 covers necessary materials. The group will be using the Joy of Living Interdenominational series with lessons on the book of Luke.

The Wednesday evening Bible Study meets from 7 until 8:15 p.m. The group will study and discuss practical applications of a selected Psalm each week.

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The Choir from Lutheran High Westland will provide special music at **ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**, 201 Elm Street in Northville, during the 11 a.m. Service on Sept. 22.

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The fall worship service times are 9 and 11 a.m. at **FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE**, 777 West Eight Mile Road. For more information, call the church at (810) 349-1144.

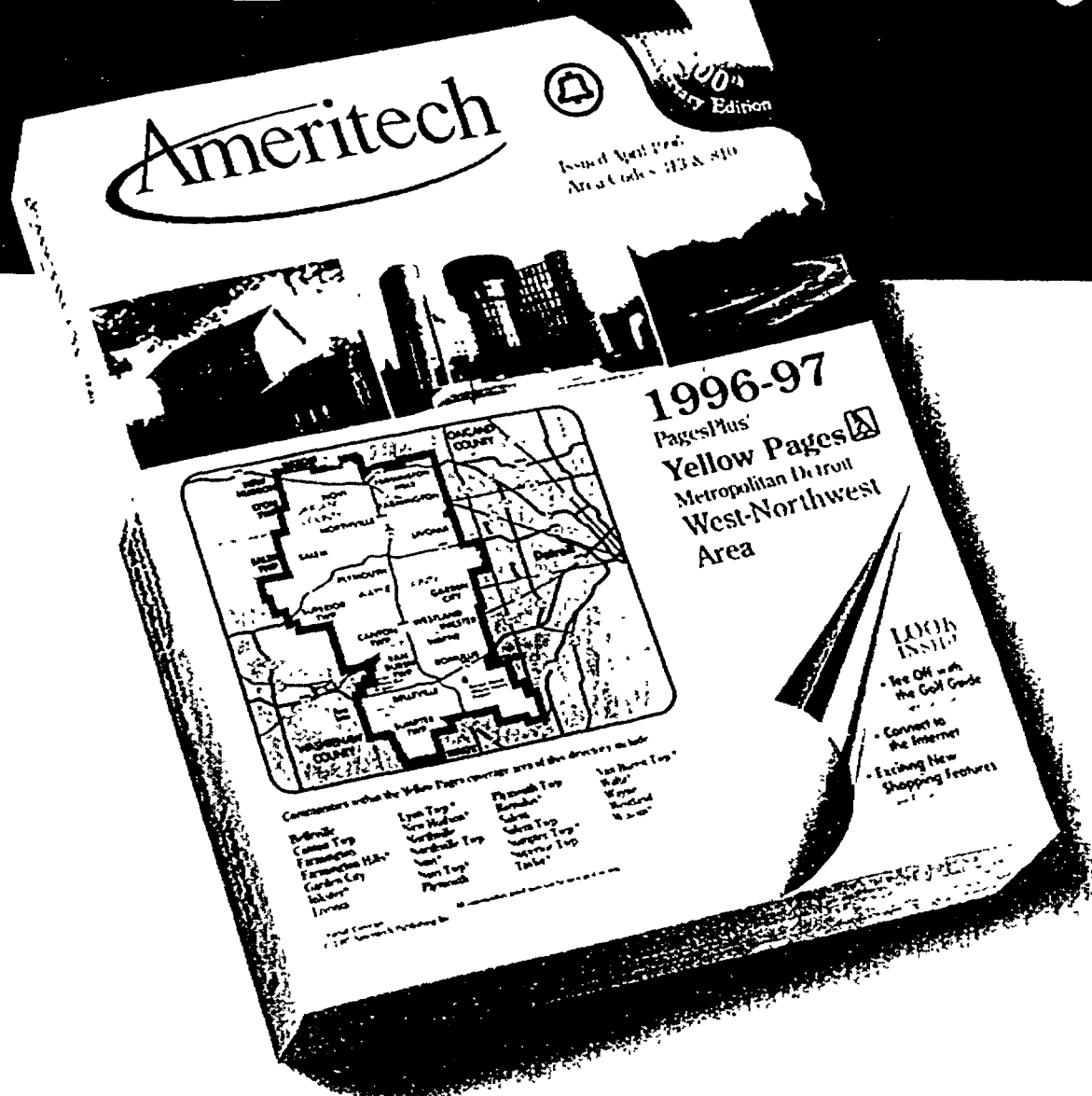
Anointing of the Sick will be on Saturday, Sept. 28, at **OUR LADY OF VICTORY CHURCH**, 770 Thayer Boulevard in Northville.

Confessions will be at 10 a.m., followed by Mass at 11 a.m. There is a noon luncheon and fellowship after the Mass.

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Gossip great at improv

By CAROL WORKENS
Staff Writer

If Julie Matta's not putting her nose in other people's business, then her tongue is wagging a mile a minute. But she can't help it, it's in her job description. At least until the end of September.

Matta is a town gossip at the Michigan Renaissance Festival, which continues weekends through Sept. 29 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. one mile north of Mount Holly on Dixie Highway between Pontiac and Flint.

As part of the role, she walks around and makes up stories about people such as "did you hear about the mayor, he doesn't wear underwear," and shares them with whoever will listen.

Matta researched Renaissance history and fashion and came up with a costume she sewed herself.

"I have studied Shakespeare quite a bit and that has helped," said Matta of the dialect, English

accent and character she must maintain at all times when in costume. Including when she is on a lunch break sitting amongst the festivalgoers.

"The number one question I have been asked is 'do you really talk like that?' she said.

For the audition, Matta didn't have to read a script but was given about 10 minutes to come up with a scenario for an improv skit. As a festivalgoer herself, Matta put together a skit based on a town gossip, an authentic figure of the day.

"It is a lot of fun to try and convince the audience," she said.

Acting is a lifelong ambition for Matta who has been performing since her days at John F. Kennedy High School 10 years ago.

Matta has also been in several plays at Schoolcraft. In the Odd Couple, Matta played the part of Cecily, an English woman.

"It (the accent) pretty much

comes naturally to me now," she said.

Matta also played a witch in Schoolcraft's production of Macbeth.

"I've always played real normal parts," she said. "This time I got to have warts."

Matta has also appeared on stage at Henry Ford Community College and with the Dearborn Heights Civic Players.

But her resume isn't confined to the stage, she's also appeared in a couple of movies as an extra, including a film that was shot locally and aired on HBO, Judicial Consent.

When not in costume, Matta is a teller at NBD Bank in Plymouth. She earned an associate degree in theater from Schoolcraft College in May and plans to attend Eastern Michigan University during the winter term.

Matta has been a resident of Northville for two years.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Julie Matta made the town gossip costume she wears at the Michigan Renaissance Festival.

Pair share role as dragon

By CAROL WORKENS
Staff Writer

Fizzle the Dragon is a featured attraction at the Michigan Renaissance Festival, which continues weekends through Sept. 29 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. one mile north of Mount Holly on Dixie Highway between Pontiac and Flint.

But few know that inside the dragon costume is either Jennifer Gates or Chris Gaven of Novi.

Doing four shows a day, they switch off wearing the dragon costume and being the leader, the person who walks around with Fizzle and answers children's questions.

"A lot of kids like to yank on the tail and we have to keep them from doing that," Chris said.

"We started doing it because they needed someone who could fill out the costume and were available all that time," Jennifer said.

Chris's previous experience as an Easter Bunny at Twelve Oaks Mall lead him to be considered for the part of Fizzle by the Children's Youth Theater owners, who were also the activities coordinators for the festival and the festival's previous king and queen for numerous years.

"I like working with the kids to see the pure amazement on their face when they look up and see that huge dragon in front of them," she said. "He's tall and very very

wide, but he still looks like a baby dragon."

The first weekend the festival opened Fizzle celebrated his second birthday, which also is the pair's second year playing Fizzle.

Chris and Jennifer have known each other since middle school but have been friends since nine grade.

Both are now seniors at Novi High School and have been involved in many of the school's productions. Jennifer is the daughter of Brian and Karen Gates. Chris is the son of Vanessa and John Gavin.

Chris has played Charlie Brown in Charlie Brown Players, and has appeared in Dark of the Moon and Arsenic and Old Lace.

Both just completed Evita, a Jump Start the Arts production held at Clarenceville High School.

Jennifer usually works backstage and has been involved with the school's productions of Dark of the Moon, Arsenic and Grease.

"The best part is definitely the kids and the way they react to this huge dragon," said Chris, who can see the children through Fizzle's painted eyes and mouth.

Chris found the experience he gained when he played Winnie the Pooh for a fund raiser for the high school's thespian society helpful for his role as Fizzle.

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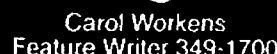
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Jennifer Aniston makes her feature film debut in *She's The One*

Writer, director and star Edward Burns follows up his critically and popularly acclaimed feature debut "The Brothers McMullen" with another wry romantic comedy, "She's The One," a story about two brothers and the one thing that came between them.

Mickey (Edward Burns) and Francis Fitzpatrick (Mike McGlone), each in his own fashion, have tried to live by their father's rule: "You've got to do what makes you happy first."

Mickey thinks he's happy being a cab driver and living the life of a carefree bachelor — that is, until he meets Hope (Maxine Bahns), a beautiful, free-spirited graduate student on her way to Paris. Francis thinks he's happy making a killing on Wall Street and being married to his vivacious college sweetheart Renee (Jennifer Aniston) — that is, until he takes up with Heather (Cameron Diaz), a stunning blonde from Mickey's past.

When the two brothers' romantic problems converge in ways neither of them could have imagined, the old sibling rivalry turns into a battle royal. And, finally, the brothers realize that the lessons their well-meaning, but misguided, father taught them about happiness may not be the best advice about love.

Filmed on location in New York, "She's The One" captures the rhythm and personality of working class family life. "It's a world I

know," says Burns, a native New Yorker. "There is a tremendous closeness in Irish families, especially the relationship between father and son." Burns created the characters of Mickey and Francis, two misguided brothers who were fed a lot of lousy advice by their lovingly opinionated father. "I wanted to look at how these brothers, who were raised in the same house, became so different," says Burns. "And at the same time, see how they're both pretty confused about women and extremely competitive because of their father's influence."

"Both of these guys have major problems, primarily with women. Their dad tries to solve everything by dragging them on Saturday fishing trips where he delivers meaningless wisdom," says Burns. "Francis listens to everything his old man says and his life is totally screwed up. Mickey has rejected everything his father says and he's pretty confused as well."

In the story, Burns exaggerates the traits of the people he knows so well, creating a duality between Mickey, who "tries to be a decent human being" and his brother Francis, who scoffs at the notion that Mickey's decency makes him happy. One thing is certain — they are clearly at opposite ends of New York's socioeconomic ladder. Mickey is a happy-go-lucky cab driver who picks up a woman in his taxi and ends up marrying her 24



Mike McGlone as Francis Fitzpatrick and Jennifer Aniston as Renee in "She's The One."



hours later, while his younger brother Francis is a self-absorbed stockbroker who's cheating on his wife.

Veteran actor John Mahoney portrays the boys' father, a retired New York City fireman who spends more time with his boat than with his wife. "Mr. Fitz instilled a fierce sense of competition between his sons and gave them the worst advice: to always think of themselves first. Francis, who took this advice to heart, is pretty selfish and his life is falling apart," says Mahoney.

One of the reasons Mahoney signed on the project was the fact that Burns' script strayed from the norm. "It was atypical for an inde-

pendent film. It didn't have that violent, street-wise grittiness that we see in so many movies today. His script was charming, funny and basically a good clean movie."

Burns' down-to-earth writing attracted a few other seasoned actors to "She's The One," including Jennifer Aniston, who portrays Francis' wife Renee.

"Jennifer loved the part and saw Renee as a strong character," says Burns. "Renee is a powerful woman who's just not getting what she wants," explains Aniston. "She doesn't understand why her husband Francis is emotionally unavailable. Throughout the film, she's trying to figure out what's wrong and come up with a solu-

tion." Ultimately, it turns out that Renee is fighting a battle that can't be won. Francis' attitudes about women in general, and his wife in particular, have been so ingrained by his upbringing that Renee can't possibly hope to eradicate them.

"And, exactly, who is the 'one'?" "All of the men in this film are looking for the 'one' and not all of them find her, but I think they find out something about themselves and each other," says Burns.

"I made this film because these are the people who I know. Hopefully, someone sitting in a theater will identify with these characters and say, 'Yeah, that's my life. Thank God someone put it up there.'"

Adam Sandler uncensored spells laughs in 'Bulletproof'

BULLETPROOF
BY HEATHER WADOWSKI
NORTHVILLE

There's only one reason "Bulletproof" may not become the next Adam Sandler smash hit it's expected to be.

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"Bulletproof" is action-packed and absolutely hilarious. Adam Sandler and Damon Wayans are great together and that's why "Bulletproof" receives four and one-half stars out of five, with five being the highest.

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Northville whips Stevenson 56-41

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

When you're on the road it pays to get off to a good start.

The Mustang basketball team did just that Thursday in a 56-41 win over Livonia Stevenson. Northville used full-court pressure to take a nine-point advantage after one quarter.

A man-to-man press and a trapping press caused numerous turnovers on Stevenson's part in the first frame.

"We probably scored eight to 10 points off of the press," coach Pete Wright said.

He was happy to grab an early lead.

"We always seem to come out flat at the Livonia schools," Wright said. "It was nice to get off to a good start."

Northville moved over the .500 mark with the win at 3-2. The Mustangs play a key conference game tonight by hosting Plymouth Salem.

"Everyone's looking forward to that game," said Wright.

The two Western Lakes Activities Association rivals played several times over the summer with each team taking a win.

"We think we can compete with them," Wright added.

Last week's game with Stevenson proved that Livonia couldn't compete with Northville.

Ahead 24-18 late in the second quarter, the Mustangs extended their lead. Lauren Metaj scored four straight points on a drive to the basket and a pair of free throws.

The Mustangs went into the locker room up by 10. Metaj scored 11 of her game-high 21 in the first half.

"She was very good against

Stevenson said," said Wright. "She's been very consistent all year and is doing all the things she has to do."

Northville led 41-27 after three quarters. Super-sub Lori Carbott led the way by scoring five points in the period, which included a long three-pointer off the backboard.

The Mustangs led by as many as 23 in the fourth. Wright pulled his starters with four minutes to go.

Gina Chiasson added eight points, Carbott seven and Christine Herndon six. Metaj added eight rebounds, six steals and four assists to her 21-point performance.

MARIAN 59, NORTHVILLE 49

As solid as Northville's start was against Livonia, it was shaky against Bloomfield Hills.

Marian led 21-10 after one quarter and never looked back. Bloomfield Hills used multiple presses to create havoc in Northville's offense.

"We had 25 turnovers," said Wright. "Eight of those were in the first quarter."

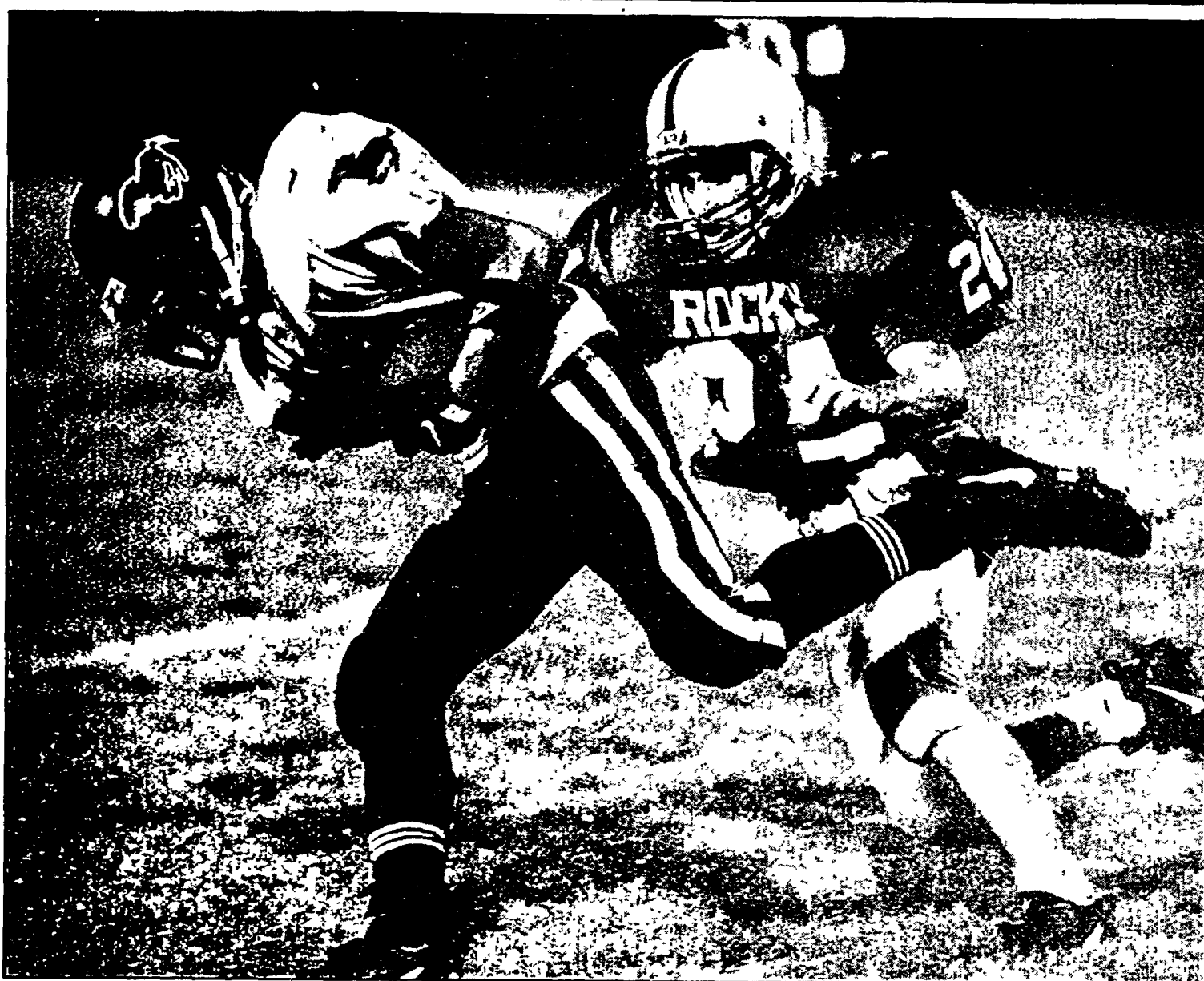
Marian scored off of many of those miscues. Even when the press didn't work, Wright said Bloomfield Hills disrupted Northville's offense by tipping passings.

"It was hard to adjust to," he said of the pressure.

The Mustangs actually outscored Marian 39-38 the rest of the way. But it proved to be too little, too late.

"It'll help us out the rest of the way," Wright said of playing Marian, which is rated No. 5 in the state.

Metaj led Northville with 20 points while Chiasson added nine and Herndon eight.



Luis Guajardo pulls in a reception Friday night against Plymouth Salem. It was his lone catch of the game. Photos by BRYAN MITCHELL

Booted Late field goal pushes Salem past Mustangs

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

When it rains, it really pours on Northville High.

At least that's the way it seems. A week after having their collective bells rung by South Lyon, the Mustangs lost a 17-14 heartbreaker to Salem Friday.

The Rocks' Brian James connected on an 18-yard field with six seconds remaining to provide the margin of victory. Northville led 14-0 well into the third quarter before succumbing to the Salem rally.

Coach Darrel Schumacher was, understandably, disappointed with the loss. But he was pleased with his team's effort.

"The kids played with intensity and played tough," he said. "I was very proud of our effort. They did everything they could've done."

Northville led 6-0 at halftime on 33- and 26-yard field goals by senior Adam Tibble. The Mustangs appeared ready to make the game a rout early in the third quarter.

Northville kicked to Salem to open the half. But the Mustangs got the ball right back after Salem fumbled at its own 15-yard line.

Chris Whittington, who rushed for 136 yards on 33 carries, scored seconds later on a 15-yard run. A two-point conversion gave

Northville a 14-0 lead at the 11:43 mark of the quarter.

After trading possessions, the Mustangs had a chance to add to the lead.

Northville moved from its own 23-yard line to the Salem 26. The Mustangs eventually tried a 40-yard field goal, but Tibble's kick missed wide right.

The game went quickly downhill from there.

On Salem's next possession, quarterback Nate Gray hit receiver Mike Rodriguez for a 72-yard touchdown pass to cut the lead in half. Schumacher said Rodriguez split Northville's two defensive backs and caught the pass in mid stride.

"They took the momentum and were on our heels," said Schumacher.

Northville Quarterback Rob Reel then got hurt. He sprained a knee in the third quarter and had to be replaced.

Northville went three plays and out on its next possession. Salem got the ball back and scored again.

The Rocks ran the option on fourth down and two. Gray ran it in for the touchdown to tie the game at 7-7 of the fourth quarter.

"He's the heart and soul of their



Northville was called for running into the kicker late.

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Salem tops golfers

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

The season is just a few weeks old, but might already be classified as disappointing for the Mustang golf team.

Northville High dropped to 0-3 Thursday with a 207-214 loss to Salem at Hilltop Golf Club in Plymouth. Coach Trish Murray said her team simply hasn't played up to its capabilities so far.

"214 really isn't where we should be," she said.

In and of itself two losses shouldn't be that big of a deal. But Thursday's match was one many of the Mustangs were counting on as crucial to their hopes of capturing a Western Lakes title this fall.

Murray said it hasn't been any one phase of the game that's hurt her squad. It's just an extra stroke or two by each player that's costing Northville right now.

"We've lost by three strokes, four strokes and seven strokes," Murray pointed out. "They've all been close matches."

The Mustangs were to play three matches this week with Canton, John Glenn and Farmington tomorrow (3 p.m.).

"It would be great to pick up three victories this week," the



ROB RANKIN

coach commented.

In the Salem match, Eric Swetlik led Northville with a round of 40. Paul Stachura and Scott Schech each shot 41. Rob Rankin a 45 and Phil Cowels a 47.

To start winning, Murray said each Mustang must get his score down to about 40.

"The kids know what they have to do," she added.

Netters rip Westland 7-1

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

In tennis, the Western Lakes Activities Association is a conference of extremes.

At one end, schools like Northville and Livonia Stevenson are as competitive as any in the area. At the other end are the dregs of the tennis world such as Westland John Glenn.

The Mustangs met John Glenn Friday at home and predictably crushed the Rockets 7-1. Six of Northville's victories came via shutout.

"Our conference is getting funnier every year," coach Uta Filkin said. "Half the teams are (poor) and the other half we fight for our lives. There's nothing in between."

Northville improved to 3-0 with the win. The Mustangs host Walled Lake Western tomorrow at 4 p.m. Westland's only victory last Fri-

day came at first singles. Exchange student Jara Gregarova defeated Kristen Smith 6-0, 6-2.

Julie Glock, Allison Damzalski and Jenny Androne all won their singles matches by scores of 6-0, 6-0. Northville swept the doubles and drew shutouts in three of the matches.

The teams of Mary McDonald and Sarah Johnson, Angela Trapnell and Kara Anderson, Jessica Mills and Angela Bardon all swept their matches. Shelley Morgan and Amanda Nelson were 6-1, 6-1 winners over Robyn Gruden and Jenny Hung.

NORTHVILLE 6, CENTRAL 2

The two schools battled at Northville Sept. 9 with the Mustangs taking an easy victory. Filkin was surprised at how easy it was.

"They're going down," she said of Walled Lake.

Central's Becky Clanton is still

"Our conference is getting funnier every year. Half the teams are (poor) and the other half we fight for our lives."

UTA FILKIN
Northville tennis coach

one of the better players in the WLAA. She defeated Smith 6-1, 6-1.

At second singles, Glock lost in two sets to Mandy Koval (2-6, 3-6). Federica Rogora easily beat Walled Lake's Mary Thirjung (6-1, 6-1). Androne shutout Katie Baumgarten at fourth singles (6-0, 6-0).

McDonald and Johnson beat Katie Decker and Shannon Kroll 6-1, 6-2. McDonald, normally a sin-



SHELLEY MORGAN

gles player for the Mustangs, was moved to doubles because of knee problems.

Anderson and Trapnell beat Stefanie Alton and Alyson Bond (6-0, 6-0). Morgan and Christina Chase and Bardon and Mills both won by shutouts as well.

Runners send Rockets flying 20-57 in dual

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

At first glance, cross country may not seem like a "team" sport.

After all, nobody can run those 3.1 miles for you. But according to Northville High coach Chris Cronin, nothing could be further from the truth.

Running together instead of separately tends to make each runner better. A tight "pack" is also better in terms of placing, which is how you win cross country meets.

Northville High used that team concept in a 20-57 road victory over Westland John Glenn Thursday. While the Rockets had the overall winner of the race, the Mustangs' pack took spots two through six to win the meet.

"You tend to get into a rhythm as a group," the coach explained. "It's

a lot better for placing. That's the No. 1 thing."

Westland's Margie Brooks ran away from the field to win the race in 19:55. But it was all Northville after her.

Karen Loeffler was second overall in 21:53. Kristen Kolarchick took third in 22:44 and sophomore Stephanie Flood was fourth in 23:04.

"She ran a terrific race," Cronin said of Flood. "She really defined herself as a varsity runner. I think she's the kind of runner that can go as fast as she wants to go."

Allison Murphy finished and Katie Spillane tied for fifth in 23:07.

Adrienne Manarina took seventh in 23:10 and Kristin VanTuyl was

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MUSTANGS OF THE WEEK

CHRIS WHITTINGTON -- Football

The junior running back had a big game for the Mustangs in a 17-14 loss to Plymouth Salem. Whittington rushed for better than 130 yards and scored a touchdown. At linebacker, he finished among the team leaders in tackles.

SARAH JOHNSON, MARY McDONALD -- Tennis

The senior duo from Northville's top doubles team. In matches against Walled Lake Central and Westland John Glenn, Johnson and McDonald were undefeated. Both victories were also in straight

League Line

BOYS UNDER 9

Northville Express beat Livonia 7-0. Matt Bielak, Michael Blasius, Brandon Cooke and David Schmeling scored.

The Hot Spurs lost to Plymouth 2-1. Evan Sherbet had Northville's long goal. MVPs were goalie Grant Baldas and Kevin Etzel.

Northville Lightning defeated Farmington 2-0. David Anderson and Eric McQueen scored.

Northville Cosmos defeated Northville Stompers 4-1. Dino Bernabei got the Stompers goal while Derek Mohacsi had a hat trick for the winners. William Burkhardt added a goal for the Cosmos. MVPs included Dino Bernabei, Michael Poulos and Derek Mohacsi.

Plymouth defeated Northville Storm 5-1. Ryan League scored for the Storm.

Northville Rowdies crushed Livonia 9-1. Andrew Chun and Patrick Uetz had hat tricks while Brian Karmolinski and Matt Paletta added goals.

BOYS UNDER 10

Northville Sting defeated the Plymouth Strikers 3-1. Shawn Pilar, Kevin Poenisch and Tommy Daigneau scored while Andrew Wendland was the offensive MVP and Ryan Lomas the defensive star.

Northville Arsenal tied Novi 1-1. Matt Melonio scored and Matt Thomas was the MVP for the Arsenal.

Novi defeated Northville Arsenal 2-1. Zach Vetter scored Northville's only goal. Paul Tassi was the defensive MVP.

Plymouth beat Northville Hot Spurs 4-2. Eric Simecox scored for the Hot Spurs. Scott Maxfield was the defensive MVP.

Northville Rockers shutout Novi 1-0. Eric Walstrom got the game-winner. Andrew Gunya and Richard Sylvester were the MVPs for the winners.

South Lyon beat Northville Rowdies 9-0.

BOYS UNDER 11/12

Northville U11 Arsenal beat Novi 4-0 on Sept. 7. Michael Carter, Neil Shapero and Kyle Hutchison scored. Ricky Barry and Brian Benette were MVPs.

The U11 Sting shutout Plymouth 3-0 on Sept. 7. Nick Cornell, Jackson Knoll and Nicky Carnacchi scored. Chris Broe was the defensive MVP.

The U12 Thunder whipped Farmington 5-1 on Sept. 7. Michael Hagedorn, Zack Wollack, Clark Paciorek, Jon Quincy and Chris Stern scored. Eric Troost and Justin Ferriman were MVPs.

GIRLS UNDER 9

Novi beat Northville Arsenal 5-3. Kari Oshanski scored twice for Northville and Jackie Larouere added another. Carolyn Mocerl and Renee Poltorak were MVPs.

Northville Storm nipped Northville Express 1-0. Lauren Bezak got the shutout in the nets. Lisa Vershave, Bethany Player and Elizabeth Hrivnak were MVPs.

Northville Cosmos beat United 6-0. Kate Hawthorne scored twice. Crystal Bolk, Megan Bostwick, Katie Trentacosta and Katie Wiecksei added goals. Kathryn Reaume got the shutout in goal. Lauryn Breenan and Stacey Kermin were MVPs for United.

GIRLS UNDER 10

Northville Arsenal defeated Farmington 2-1 on Sept. 8. Arsenal goals were scored by Kate O'Donnell and Margaret Bial on an assist by Megan Abraham. The defensive MVP was Kerry Czarniecki and the offensive MVP was Devon Ruple.

Also in action on Sept. 7, Northville Sting defeated Livonia Hawks 2-1. MVP performances were given by Lynne Raymond on defense and Kim Trentacosta on offense.

Northville Lightning beat Farmington 3-0 on Sept. 8. Goals were scored by Patty Hoeg, Kim Bagian and Bridget Hunt. MVP honors went to Allie Spencer on defense and Kiernan Sedam on offense.

GIRLS UNDER 14/16

Northville United beat the Northville Stars 4-1 on Sept. 8. Jennifer Sykes and Marta Walasek each scored a pair of goals. Anna Watkins and Sykes were the MVPs. Katie Jones got the Stars' lone tally. Lindsay Kozub and Megan Maddafori were their MVPs.

Northville Express beat Plymouth 5-3. Jennifer Hudolin and Lauren Warmoth each scored twice while Jessica Sheriff added another.

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Swimmers finish eighth at relays

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

If Thursday's league relays are any indication, 1996 could be a long season for the Mustang swim team.

Northville finished eighth at the Western Lakes Activities Association meet held at Salem High. The Mustangs scored just 134 points Thursday, less than half of Livonia Stevenson's winning total of 275.

"We're not as strong as last year," coach Bill Dicks said. "We don't have the second and third place finishers we've had in the past. We're going to have our struggles this year."

In all fairness, the Mustangs are extremely young this season with about a third of the roster being made up of freshman. While some will contribute right away, many others simply need to gain experience.

Northville will still win its share of races this fall. But the Mustangs may be hurt by not being able to take second and third place finishes consistently.

"We're playing the point game this year," Dicks said.

The Mustangs may lack experience and strength, but have plenty of heart to go around,

he added.

"Their heart and spirit is right up there," Dicks said. "They're very coachable top to bottom. But they need more experience. That will come."

The learning process began Thursday in Plymouth. Northville swam very hard, but failed to place higher than third in any of the relay events.

The Mustangs finished seventh in the 400-yard freestyle relay. Stephanie Sabo, Leah Voytal, Kristen Warnke and Kara Lyczak posted a time of 4:44.47.

The team of Brianna Jones, Caroline Streppa, Amanda Brackel and Laura Elsesser were sixth in the 200 breaststroke relay in 2:37.7. Heather Rudy, Stefanie Nurmi, Katie Varley and Nicole Sprader were 11th in the 200 backstroke relay in 2:30.86.

The Mustangs were fifth in the 200-yard freestyle relay as Beth Handley, Jackie Salliotte, Lyczak and Jenny Taylor swam a 2:06.94. Karen Fischer and Sarah Wright combined for 336.9 points to take third in diving.

In the 400-yard IM relay, Alice Callan, Voytal, Courtney Dweley and Salliotte finished fourth with a time of 4:43.32. Sabo Handley, Dweley

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BILL DICKS
Northville swimming coach

and Warnke were third in the crescendo race in 5:15.26.

An eighth place was grabbed by Rudy, Brackel, Callan and Jones in the 200-yard medley relay. They finished the race in 2:17.75.

Northville closed the meet by taking eighth in the 200-yard freestyle relay. Taylor, Jordan Elliot, Kara Guminski and Erin Bowdell swam a 2:08.73.

The Mustangs swim on the road tonight at North Farmington. The meet starts at 6:30 p.m.

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Mustangs lose by 3 to Salem

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team," Schumacher said. The Mustangs got the ball back but again couldn't do anything with it. Salem got the ball back and again moved down the field. The Rocks tried to kick a long field goal with about a minute left and missed. Northville, though, was called for running into the kicker. The penalty gave Salem a first down. Three plays later, James hit the winning field goal. Schumacher it was a difficult loss to accept. "It's a heartbreaker," he said. "That's why it eats at you." The teams finished just about dead even, statistically. The Mustangs gained 321 yards to Salem's 345. Reel finished 4 of 11 for 120, and Jeff Husak was 2 of 3 for 39 yards. Tim Burke caught three passes for 93 yards and Luis Guajardo snagged one for 36 yards. Derek Eckerly was the leader in tackles with nine first hits, six assists and one sack. Conor Bacon had 13 tackles and Whittington seven.

CANTON PREVIEW
Northville (0-2) faces Canton (1-1) on the road tomorrow. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

The key to beating the Chiefs will be stopping all-everything quarterback Rob Johnson. "He's a big-time athlete," said Schumacher. "I think he's a Division I quarterback." A win could turn things around for Northville. "We're definitely not going to throw in the towel," Schumacher said. "We will be there Friday to play."



Quarterback Rob Reel sprained a knee in Friday's loss. His status is day-to-day.

With his sprained knee, Reel is doubtful for the game. The injury isn't serious, but the coach isn't going to risk his young QB.

Jeff Husak will start if Reel is sidelined. Schumacher said he has confidence in both of his signal callers.

"He's capable," Schumacher said of Husak. "He brings some different things to the table (than Reel)."

Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Kickers fall 3-2 to KVC's Bulldogs

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

Brighton scored in the final five minutes to take a 3-2 home soccer victory over Northville Saturday.

The goal, which came off a crossing pass, ruined a valiant Mustang comeback. Down 2-0 in the second half, Northville scored a pair of goals and appeared ready to grab a victory.

But it wasn't to be. "We had our opportunities," coach Henry Klimes said. "But I was proud of the guys Saturday. They came out and played a great game."

Northville fell to 2-4 on the season. The Mustangs played Farmington last night (after Northville Record deadline).

Saturday's game with Brighton was about as even as you could get.

The two schools battled to a 0-0 deadlock at the end of the first half. Klimes said the teams were playing tough, physical soccer.

"Both teams were playing aggressive," he added.

Wet conditions gave the players a chance to be more aggressive on defense. Klimes said there was lots of slide tackles.

"The game was getting a little

chippy," he added.

That physical play led to big losses in the Mustang lineup in the second half.

Forward Andy Weyer had to leave after bumping heads with a Brighton player. Adam Tibble suffered a thigh bruise after a high tackle and Josh Brugeman injured his ribs, although he did continue to play.

Brighton took advantage of the situation. The Bulldogs scored two goals in the first 15 minutes of the half, one on a header and the other off a deflection in front of the Mustang net.

J.R. Graff cut Brighton's lead in half at the 18 minute mark. Klimes said it was his first game of substantial minutes this season after coming back from injury. Tom Andary assisted on the goal.

About five minutes later, Brugeman scored to tie the game. Steve Wiecksel got the assist.

"We definitely had the momentum," Klimes said. "I thought everyone was playing solid."

Northville continued to press, but couldn't find the net again. Brighton got the game winner late.

Matt Carroll, Nate Goebel and Keith Droz were among those playing solid games for Northville.

Runners beat Westland

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eighth in 23:57.

Cronin was happy with his team's performance. He said there's still room for improvement, though.

Both the girls and boys teams run against Livonia Franklin today at Nankin Mills starting at 4 p.m. The teams travel to Willis Park in Walled Lake Saturday for the Western Invitational.

BOYS X-COUNTRY
Northville High didn't fare as well on the boys' side Thursday. John Glenn took a 22-33 victory on its home course.

The Mustangs ran about as well as they could for this point in the season, he added. A poor pack time of more than two minutes led to Thursday's defeat, Gabrys said.

Kevin Arbuckle ran a fine race for the Mustangs. He placed second overall in 17:35.

Tim Schovers was the next Northville runner to cross the line. He ran an 18:08 for fourth.

John Julow placed eighth in 19:27. Josh Smith was ninth in 19:43. Jim Morrison was 10th in 19:53 and Todd Emaus 11th in 19:55. Jeremy Smith, the brother of Josh Smith, was 12th in 20:14.

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Children having sex sooner

National studies show that, on average, kids start becoming sexually active just over age 12, and by age 15 three-quarters are having intercourse. But in some areas, the age thresholds are even lower.

A study by University of Michigan child development expert Cornelia P. Porter, M.N.Ed., Ph.D., assistant professor of nursing, soon to be published in *Research in Nursing and Health*, looked at fifth- and eighth-graders in a primarily white public school in Pontiac, Mich. She found that almost half of the fifth-graders (mostly white boys) reported having had sexual intercourse, and 64 percent of the eighth-graders reported having initiated sexual intercourse.

As far as risk behaviors go, sexual intercourse was more common than smoking and drinking in both groups.

When such findings are combined with the fact that the average age of menstruation is coming down - a century ago the average age was 17 and now it's just over 12 - the prospect for more and more children having children is alarming.

The secret to preventing early sexual activity, if there is just one, eludes health care professionals, but a study conducted by U-M assistant professor of nursing Cheryl M. Killian, Ph.D., and Cleopatra H. Caldwell, Ph.D., an investigator at the U-M Institute for Social Research, or ISR, suggests that exercise and athleticism may help.

In a pilot study of 41 teens sampled from recreation centers in Detroit, half of whom were involved in competitive sports and half of whom were not, the ones who played sports were much less likely to be prematurely sexually active.

"We think that those who view themselves as more self-efficacious and athletically involved are more likely to delay sexual activity. Or, if they are involved, they are more likely to protect themselves," Killian says.

Such protection is crucial considering the statistics: More than 1 million U.S. teens become pregnant annually, a rate double that of the United Kingdom and 10 times higher than that of the Netherlands and Japan.

When it comes to teen pregnancy prevention,

one avenue U-M researchers are investigating involves targeting male teens instead of placing the burden of responsibility solely on the females.

"Society has double standards for sexual activity. For boys it's OK to go out and sow some wild oats and have sex when they want to and not be concerned about the consequences. This is the time when they are 'supposed' to do that," Porter says. "For girls it's a totally different story. We really need to begin to change the mind-set and figure out some male-focused interventions."

It could be as basic, Porter believes, as having Planned Parenthood open its doors to males, so that the teen boyfriend could take an active role in planning for contraception.

But it's not only teenage boys who need some work. Recent studies show that two-thirds of teenagers are impregnated by men over age 20.

This article was prepared by the University of Michigan Medical Center, Public Relations Department.

Smokers have higher risk of infertility

Everyone knows that smoking causes lung disease, cancer, and cardiovascular disease. So why would an obstetrician/gynecologist care about your smoking? Here are a dozen reasons of which you may not be aware.

Let's start with getting pregnant. Smokers, both men and women, have a significantly higher risk of infertility. They also have at least twice the rate of ectopic pregnancy as non-smokers (a potentially fatal condition in which the embryo develops outside the womb). Miscarriage rates are also much higher for smokers. If the pregnancy continues past the first trimester, the problems continue.

As the fetus develops, it is exposed to the toxins in cigarette smoke. Nicotine decreases blood flow to the placenta and carbon monoxide decreases the amount of oxygen available to fetal tissues. The result is a baby who does not grow properly. Add that to the increased risk of preterm delivery and premature rupture of membranes, and the risk of having a small baby with immature lungs becomes dramatic.

The placenta itself has a higher risk of separating from the uterine wall before the baby delivers (placental abruption) or implanting over

the cervix (placenta previa). Both of these conditions can result in severe hemorrhage and are potentially fatal for both the mother and baby.

But what if pregnancy is not an issue for you? There's still plenty to worry about. Because smoking impairs ovulation, there is an increased risk of abnormal vaginal bleeding, sometimes to the point of severe anemia. Smokers also go through menopause about two years earlier than nonsmokers, which increases the risk of osteoporosis.

Since smokers over the age of 35 can't use birth-control pills because of the risk of stroke, the ability to treat heavy bleeding and prevent unintended pregnancy becomes limited. If surgery then becomes necessary, smokers carry an increased risk of pneumonia, poor healing and a difficult time coming out of anesthesia.

Finally, the very common problem of precancerous and cancerous lesions of the cervix is also affected by smoking. Probably because of the presence of nicotine and other toxins in cervical mucus, these conditions are much more difficult to eradicate and are more likely to persist, recur or advance to a more serious level.

The "Dirty Dozen" reasons to quite smoking:

- Infertility
- Ectopic pregnancy
- Miscarriage
- Fetal growth retardation
- Preterm labor and premature rupture of membranes
- Placenta previa and abruption
- Abnormal vaginal bleeding
- Premature menopause
- Osteoporosis
- Increased surgical risks
- Decreased medical options
- Cervical abnormalities

Smoking is not just a lung problem. It affects all major systems of the body, including the reproductive system. Quitting is definitely hard work and usually requires several attempts to finally kick the habit, but it is worth it. You owe it to yourself and the people who love you to give quitting another try.

This article was written by Maria Kopicki, M.D., Obstetrics and Gynecology, the University of Michigan Health System. This article is coordinated by the office of planning and marketing at the University of Michigan.

Health Notes

BOTSFORD HOSPITAL
Botsford Hospital is offering the following programs:

• **Caregiving**
At some point in their lives, most people will find themselves in the role of caregiver. But where can individuals find the spiritual, emotional and physical strength to face the challenges of caring for another without neglecting their own needs?

This fall Botsford General Hospital, in conjunction with the Greater Detroit Interfaith Round Table, is offering an excellent program specifically designed for caregivers. "Adventures in Caregiving," an eight-week training series, focuses on a mind/body/spirit model, and presents practical skills and valuable resources about a variety of issues. Some of the topics include empathy training, grief, substance abuse, domestic violence and human suffering.

The sessions are offered on consecutive Thursdays beginning Oct. 3 through Nov. 21 held from 7-9 p.m. at Botsford General Hospital's East A Conference Room, 28050 Grand River Ave., Farmington Hills. The fee for the entire series is \$35, or \$5 per session. Because of limited space, early registration is encouraged. Continuing education credits in nursing are available. To register, or for more information, call (810) 471-8850.

A member of the Botsford Health Care Continuum, Botsford General Hospital is an osteopathic teaching hospital located in Farmington Hills. Botsford is affiliated with Michigan State College of Osteopathic Medicine. The Botsford site on the Internet is at <http://www.botsfordsystem.org>. The Botsford e-mail address is info@botsfordsystem.org.

• **Breast feeding Basics**
This workshop covers the "how to's" of breast feeding - how to start and maintain successful breast feeding - and answers the questions and concerns of women who are already breast feeding.

Classes are held at the Health Development Network at Botsford in Novi. For more information and to register, call (810) 477-6100.

• **Cholesterol and Vision Screenings**
Total cholesterol screening is conducted by the fingerstick method from 1-4 p.m. on the third Monday of each month at the Botsford Center for Health Improvement-Health Development Network, 39750 Grand River Ave., Novi. There is a \$5 fee.

For more information, call (810) 477-6100.

ST. MARY HOSPITAL
The following classes are coming up at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia.

• **Teens and Self Image**
The Marian Women's Center at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia will offer a free lecture entitled, "Establishing a Healthy Body Image During the Teen Years," from 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 24, in the hospital auditorium.

Speakers will be Ann Bradley, m.s.w., c.s.w., therapist, St. Mary Hospital Center for Counseling Services, and Mary Mitsch, m.s.n., r.n., assistant professor, Madonna University School of Nursing.

Teenagers, parents, school counselors and others who work with teens are invited to attend this informative talk that will discuss peer pressure, anorexia nervosa and bulimia, compulsive overeating, how to determine your proper body weight and how to develop a positive self-image.

Registration is required by Sept. 20. To register, call the Marian Women's Center at (313) 655-2882 or toll free at 1-800-494-1617.

• **AIDS Class for Premarrieds**
St. Mary Hospital will offer a premarital aids class on Thursday, Oct. 10, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. The class will meet in the Marian Pavilion Conference Room B near the Levan Road entrance.

Persons who wish to be married in Michigan are required to receive information about sexually transmitted diseases and hiv/aids before applying for a marriage license. Upon completion of the class, you will receive the necessary certificate to obtain a marriage license. Certificates are valid for 60 days. Registration is required.

The cost is \$15 per person or \$25 per couple. To register, call (313) 655-3314 or toll free at 1-800-494-1615.

• **Breastfeeding class**
A breastfeeding class is scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 26, from 7 to 9 p.m. in Pavilion Conference Room A in the Marian Pavilion next to the hospital.

This class is designed for expectant mothers between the seventh and eighth months of pregnancy. The class will focus on the benefits of breastfeeding for infant, mother and family.

Instructors will demonstrate the many techniques of breastfeeding. Topics will include breastfeeding and the working mother, questions and concerns about breastfeeding, and a review of breastfeeding pumps, helpful books and supplies.

The cost of the class is \$15. Preregistration is requested, but mothers can register at the class. For more information or to register, call the Marian Women's Center at (313) 655-2882 or toll free at 1-800-494-1617.

PROVIDENCE HOSPITAL
Providence Hospital is offering the following services:

• **Menopause Support Group**
Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi offers a free monthly support group for women who have concerns about menopause.

The group meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Providence Park Conference Room, 47601 Grand River Ave., located at the corner of Grand River and Beck in Novi.

The purpose of the support group is to provide women with educational information on topics relating to menopause, and to allow them to verbalize feelings, concerns and problems with other women who are having similar experiences.

For information on Providence's Menopause Support Group, call (810) 424-3014.

• **Breast Cancer**
Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi is hosting a support group for women with breast cancer.

The group meets the second Saturday of each month at 10 a.m. Anyone who has experienced

breast disease is welcome to attend. This is an informal discussion for participants to share resources and provide emotional support. The group's organizers also encourage guests to bring their favorite book on spiritual, mind or body healing to share with the group.

For further information contact Norma at (313) 462-3788 or Cheryl at (810) 363-3866.

• **Diabetes Care Outpatient Program**

This is a program for all non-pregnant individuals over 14 with diabetes. The program is designed to help the individual control his or her blood sugar and become a more active member in treating diabetes.

Day and evening classes and/or individual appointments are available in Southfield and Novi.

Call (810) 424-3903 for information on schedules, fees, insurance coverage and registration.

• **NutriWay Program**
This is the nationally-recognized NutriWay weight management program. The four- to 10-week weight/cholesterol management series includes cooking demonstrations, taste testing, label reading, restaurant survival skills and much more.

Call (810) 424-3300 for further information. • **Free Blood Pressure Checks**
Providence is offering free blood pressure checks the first Thursday of every month.

The free service is available at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park at the corner of Grand River Avenue and Beck Road from 1-3 p.m. in the Cardiopulmonary Department.

Call (810) 380-4225 for further information.

• **Health education library**
Providence Hospital and Medical Centers is now making its health education library open to the public.

The library has books, video tapes, computer databases, pamphlets and anatomical models available to the public which can be used to learn about illnesses, medications, parenting skills or other health issues.

The library is located at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, 47601 Grand River, and is open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Call (810) 380-4110 for more information.

• **Prostate Cancer**
Providence offers a free monthly support group for men with prostate cancer.

"Man to Man" meets the second Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at Providence Hospital in Southfield.

The purpose of the support group is to provide men with educational information on topics relating to prostate cancer and allow them to verbalize feelings, concerns and problems with others who are having similar experiences.

For additional information on "Man to Man," call (810) 424-3175.

• **Eating Right**
Providence is offering individual appointments with a registered dietitian to assist in losing weight, lowering blood pressure, lowering cardiovascular risk factors and providing positive dietary changes. The dietitian will assess the participant's health status and nutritional goals. After the evaluation, a diet plan is developed.



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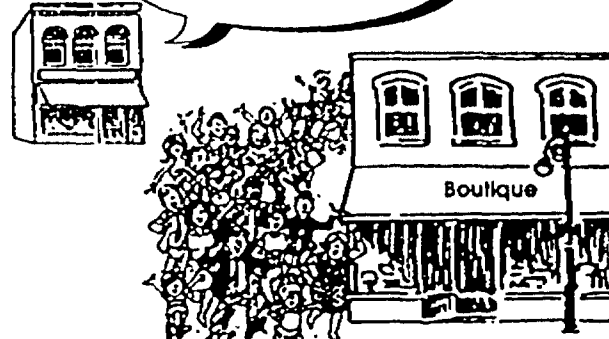
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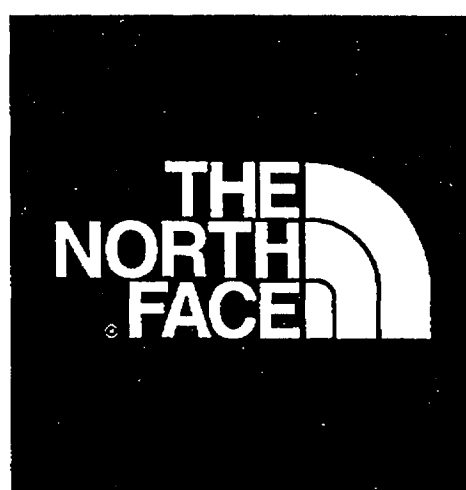


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REAL ESTATE

**Take the time to choose
the right real estate broker**

By James M. Woodard
Copley News Service

Home sellers and prospective buyers who want the best service from a real estate broker or sales agent should take note of a recent survey.

Conducted by the National Association of Realtors, the survey profiles the most productive brokers and agents, describing their characteristics in detail. They are the type of seasoned, success-proven agents that can best handle your real estate needs.

Generally, these agents have over a decade of professional experience. They have extensive education in their field (beyond what is required) and have been successful at other careers before entering real estate.

They're willing to spend money on marketing their listed properties, use computerized systems in their business, and take special pride in bringing transactions to a successful closing (beyond monetary incentives).

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HOME DESIGNS



**Highly utilitarian floor plan
is the essence of the Heystee**

By James McAlexander
Copley News Service

The country-contemporary-style Heystee provides 2,221 square feet of space for families who desire room for collective as well as individual pursuits. Formal and informal gathering places form the essence of this delightful floor design. Sleeping areas to the left, living and dining areas in the center and garage and utility sections to the right in this highly utilitarian arrangement.

The curb appeal of the Heystee is enhanced by the attractive lap-siding exterior and shake roof. A stately column frames the recessed entry as you make your way into this handsome home. A long hallway leads to the two back bedrooms. One is considerably larger than the other and has built-in bookshelves along one entire wall. Bring in a desk and computer, and this room can be easily adapted for use as a home office. The smaller of the two bedrooms has ample closet space, and both share a full, skylighted bathroom and extra linen storage.

To the immediate left of the entry, the spacious master suite is sure to satisfy anyone appreciating the finer amenities. Included are a sleeping area big enough for a

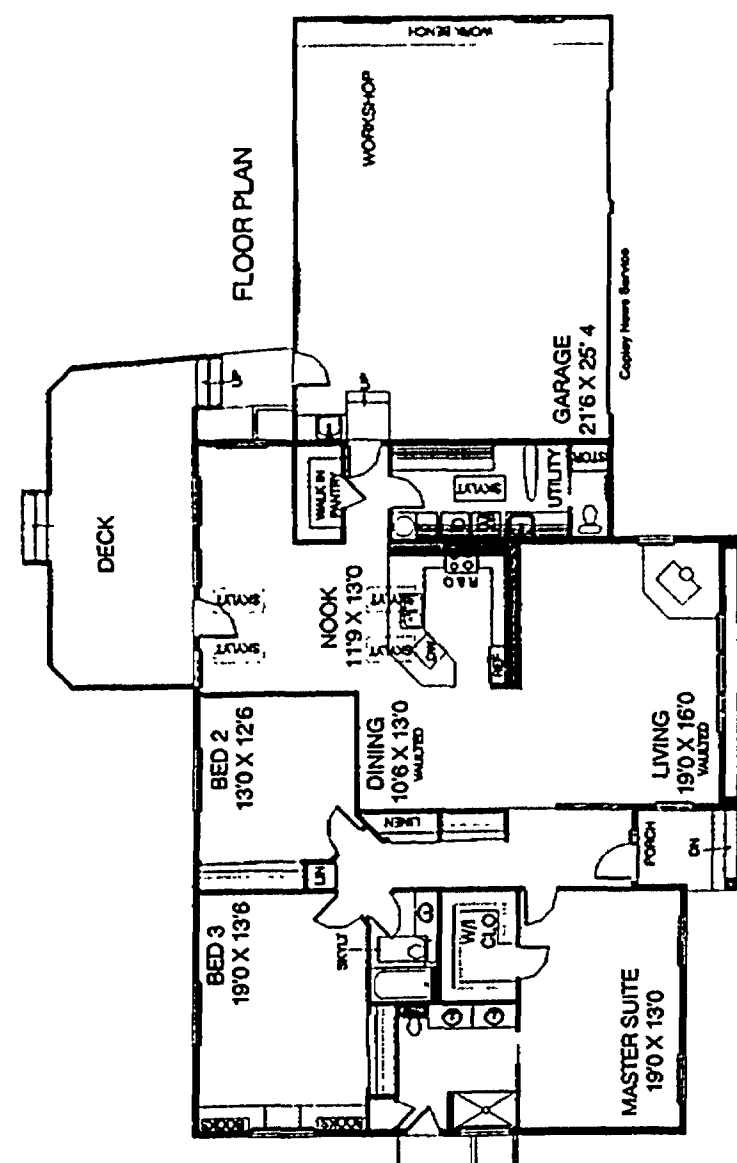
king-size bed, and perhaps a desk and chair. Also present are a huge walk-in closet, private bathroom with twin basins and access to a small patio that can be expanded by the addition of wood decking.

Dining and living rooms, both with vaulted ceilings, are open to each other. A cozy fireplace sits in the corner of the living room, where multipaned windows admit the available sunlight. The U-shape kitchen opens into the dining room. A wide breakfast nook, along with the kitchen area, is brightened by overhead skylights. A large back deck will let you invite friends over for a barbecue when the sun is shining.

Near the garage is a generous skylighted utility room with folding table, built-in ironing board and commode.

The garage contains a substantial workshop, with a workbench along one wall and a separate door to the front. A washbasin is tucked in the corner of the garage for easy cleanup.

For a study plan of the Heystee (402-47), send \$10 to Landmark Designs, c/o HomeTown Newspapers, 323 E. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843. (Be sure to specify plan name and number when ordering.) For more information, call (800) 562-1151.



OVERALL DIMENSIONS: 90'-0" X 44'-0"
LIVING AREA: 2,221 square feet
GARAGE: 897 square feet



Faye and Greg Peak enjoy their new patio which has a view of the many trees on the 1.9-acre ravine lot, including flowering dogwoods, redbud trees and a towering blue spruce.

IN PEAK CONDITION

Greg and Faye Peak didn't waste any time beginning extensive renovations on their newly purchased Northville home

Greg and Faye Peak gutted the kitchen of their home just one day after moving in.

"The ink wasn't even dry on the contract," said Greg.

The Peaks had talked with a builder about the renovation before submitting the final offer on the former Cummings home in Northville.

"It was the property," said Faye of the selling point, the 1.9-acre wooded ravine lot.

Glenn Cummings and his wife, Pauline, had purchased the property in 1952 and later built a small garage home with one bedroom, kitchen and bath on the property. Later, the original home became the kitchen in a larger home the Cummings built, which remained pretty much unchanged until purchased by the Peaks two years ago.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

The Peak home, as it looked before the addition of a patio.

The Peaks put all their boxes into the garage and basement, anywhere they could find the room, to avoid putting things away twice.

"We knew there would be

some updating to do," she said. "We expected the house to be in a lot worse condition than it was."

Glenn Cummings was the publisher of *The Northville*

Record from 1952 until 1955 and founded *The Novi News* in 1955. Pauline was a life member of The Northville Woman's Club. The Cummings sold the home in 1980 when they relocated to Texas to be near their son, Tom and his wife, Rosanne and their three daughters.

Over the next decade the property had become overgrown, but very little had been done to the house.

Within a year of purchasing the home, the Peaks had transformed the two bedroom ranch to include 3,011 square feet. A new master suite with a 20-by-16 foot master bedroom and bath with spa tub, shower and vaulted ceilings. Joyce relocated the laundry facilities up from the Michigan basement

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STORY BY CAROL WORKENS • PHOTO BY BRYAN MITCHELL

**Forcing bulbs to bloom
during the winter months**

C.Z. Guest
Copley News Service

GARDENING

Yes, it is possible to have amaryllis, narcissus, hyacinths, crocuses, daffodils and tulips blooming indoors this winter. The key is to choose high-quality bulbs and follow a few easy directions.

Narcissus and amaryllis do not need to be chilled, but others must be pre-chilled for as long as three months. The pre-potted bulbs have already been chilled for you. If you purchase bulbs in early fall, store them in open bags or boxes in a cool place (35 to 55 degrees).

When you are ready to plant, fill the bottom inch of each pot with pebbles or fine gravel if there are no drainage holes. Then fill in potting soil around each bulb, leaving the pointed tops exposed.

Most bulbs like south-facing windows and water only when slightly dry. When they appear, blooms will last longer in cool rooms of 60 to 70 degrees.

You can plant many of these bulbs in the garden come spring. They have a good chance of blooming again in a year or two when they are back on their natural

unforced schedule. A florist or garden center expert can give you re-planting requirements. Here is a guide for getting blooms in the winter:

Expose the top third of bulb above soil. Keep soil moist after flower stock appears. Will bloom for many seasons. Consult an expert for care instructions.

Bulbs can also be placed in a shallow bowl of gravel, coarse sand or pebbles with the tips exposed. Maintain water level at bottom of bulbs. Set in a light, cool area until roots form and then move to a sunny window.

After planting, store in a dark, cool area (40 to 45 degrees) for 15 to 17 weeks.

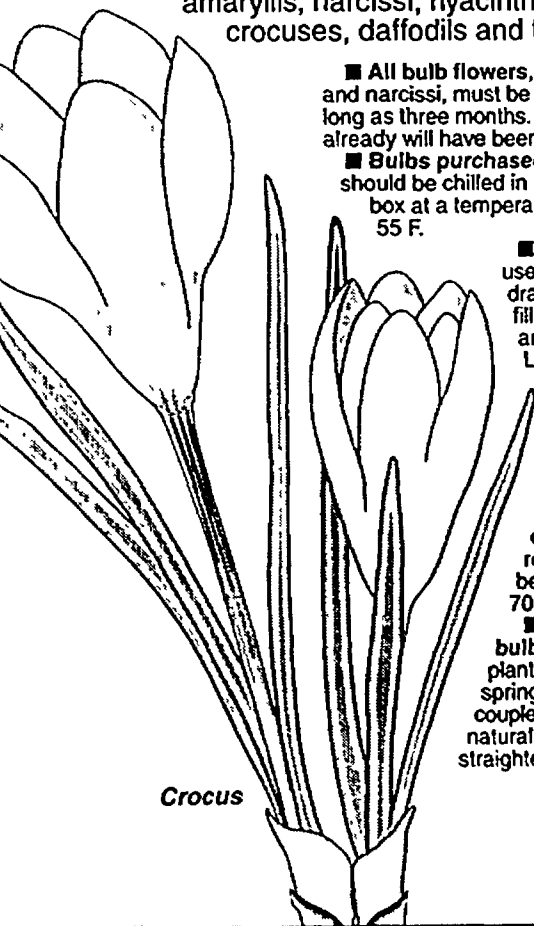
Bulbs can also be grown in specially designed glass containers that hold the bulb just above the water. Add water as needed to maintain original level. Small pieces of charcoal will keep water bacteria free. Store in dark, cool area (40 to 45 degrees) until roots have formed (about 14 weeks) then move into light.

Q: I would like to know how to make seeds from my

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Forcing winter blooms

Several bulb flowers can be forced to bloom in winter. Candidates for such a winter showing include amaryllis, narcissi, hyacinths, crocuses, daffodils and tulips.



Crocus

■ All bulb flowers, except amaryllis and narcissi, must be chilled for as long as three months. Pre-potted bulbs already will have been chilled.

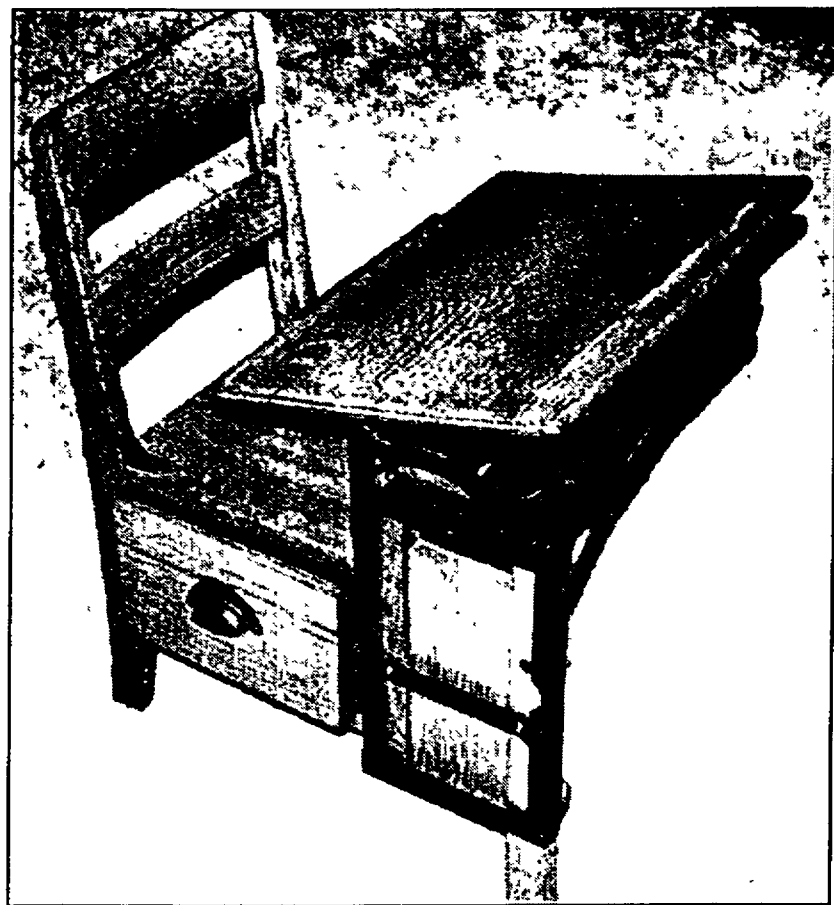
■ Bulbs purchased in early fall should be chilled in an open bag or box at a temperature of 35 F to 55 F.

■ When planting, use pots with drainage holes and fill potting soil around each bulb. Leave the tops exposed and set in a south-facing window.

■ Water bulbs when the soil is slightly dry and keep the room temperature between 60 F and 70 F.

■ All of these bulbs can be planted outdoors next spring. It may take a couple of years for their natural schedules to straighten out.

Copley News Service/Dan Clifford



Made in the 1900s, this school desk is worth \$95 to \$125.

School desk is garage sale find

By Anne McCollam
Copley News Service

Q. This is a picture of a small oak school desk that we bought at a garage sale about 20 years ago for \$5.

A. My husband refinished it. The top will either lie flat or tilt down for writing. Under the seat is a drawer that is perfect for keeping school supplies.

Q. Could you please tell me if our desk is worth anything, and approximately how old it is?

A. Your desk would probably be worth about \$95 to \$125. It was made in the early 1900s.

Q. I have my grandmother's kitchen cabinet that was given to me by my mother, and I intend to hand it down to my daughter. The cabinet has the original oak finish, a flour bin and a tin-lined bread drawer.

A. A door rolls down to enclose the flour-bin area.

The paper label shows that it was made in North Carolina.

Q. Is this a "Hoosier Cabinet," even though it was not made in Kentucky? I will appreciate any information you can give me.

A. You have a Hoosier-type cabinet. Many of these "labor saving" cabinets were made by The Hoosier Manufacturing Co. of Indiana, thus the name.

Indiana, not Kentucky, is known as the Hoosier State. Many other firms made these popular cabinets from around 1900 to the 1930s.

It would probably be worth about \$800 to \$1,200.

Q. I purchased a castor set at a roadside antique dealer in Virginia. It has five etched-glass bottles and the holder has a scroll-and-flower motif. On the bottom of the holder are the words "Rogers Bros - Triple Plate." When was it made and is it

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rare? I know the cruets were for oil and vinegar, the salt-and-pepper shakers speak for themselves, but what was the small container with a small opening on the lid used for?

A. Your castor set was made in the late 1880s. It is not rare; most homes had a castor set on their tables. The container in question was used for mustard and had a small matching spoon. The etching on the glass and the stamped pattern on the silver-plated holder were done by hand. Your set would probably be worth about \$200 to \$300.

Q. I have a tin bank that is about 2 inches wide. There is a picture of Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs on the top. Under the dwarfs are the words "Dime Register Bank" and "1938 Walt Disney Enterprises."

A. Could you tell me what it could be worth?

A. Your lithograph-tin bank

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"Warman's Country Antiques & Collectibles - 3rd Edition," by Dana Gehman Morykan and Harry L. Rinker (Wallace-Homestead), has a brand-new format. It's bigger and easier to use. This well-organized source book defines country, where to find pieces, how to spot reproductions and reports on the state of the market. The traditional reference information that you've come to expect is updated and profiled.

"Warman's Country" is a valuable guide in this growing field.

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 envelope and \$5 per item (one item at a time).

Peak condition: Couple transforms their Northville home

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to a bright, roomy, 9-by-8 foot first floor laundry room located just outside the master bedroom.

A family room and powder room were added behind the new gourmet kitchen which has an island with a built in table.

Faye, an interior designer, worked closely with the builder on the renovation, which included adding an abundance of closets, windows, skylights, wood and ceramic tile floors, roofing, electrical and plumbing, septic system and new patio and front walk.

The renovation, which was mainly at the back of the home, was planned around a towering blue spruce.

"It's pretty easy to whack it down and less expensive of course to build straight out," Greg said. "I like trees, they don't grow overnight, so we tried to save as much of them as possible."

The exterior brick on the addi-

tion at the back of the home, with its weeping mortar, was chosen to match that used on the front of the house which was taken from the old Northville Opera House.

The Peaks kept the fireplace and the original dark paneling in the living room and dining area which Cummings had obtained from the Grosse Pointe home of John Anderson, the attorney who had incorporated Ford Motor Company for its founder Henry Ford, but gave it a coat of soft creamy beige paint highlighting the crown moldings and some of the paneling in a deeper taupe shade. The paneling still has the original butler's button in the dining area and includes concave shell bookcases, similar to those in the White House.

Although the Cummings' son, Tom, was already in college when the house was built, he and his wife, Rosanne, and their three daughters visited often.

When guests to the Cummings

home, the grandchildren pulled down the Murphy bed in the two sided closet between the second bedroom and living room, and drew the privacy curtain which was concealed behind one of the panels in the living room wall.

The outside entrance to the basement was blocked off and the interior staircase was widened.

"You need some definite ideas before you go into a project like this," Greg said. "You have to be opened minded and add 20 percent to the budget."

The Peaks did a lot of the sweat equity, including reroofing and painting the shed and all the landscaping, which had become overgrown over the last decade, them-

selves.

"I like to be an integral part of my projects," Greg said.

While cleaning up the landscaping, which took three weeks, the Peaks uncovered perennials which

high school students in the area had planted when Cummings owned the property.

"The privacy here is really phenomenal," Greg said.

"We were happy that someone bought the house and gave it more character (be renovating) than just tearing it down and building the current style (of home)," said Rosanne Cummings.

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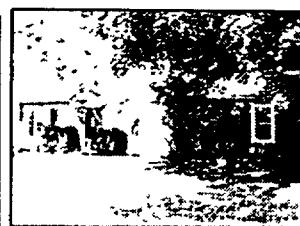
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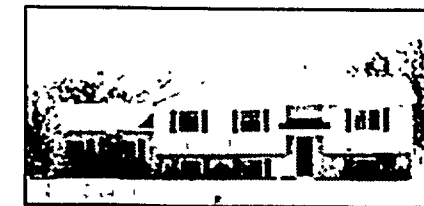
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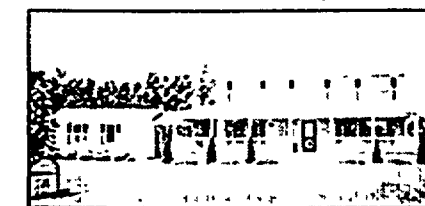
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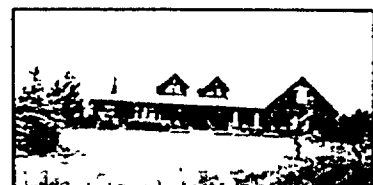
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It's important to take the time to choose a good broker

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After studying the survey reports, NAR officials came up with a specific profile of the typical achiever in real estate brokerage.

This agent is a 49-year-old female who holds a broker's license and has been active in real estate for 13 years. During that time, she has been affiliated with two real estate firms and has been with her current firm for six years.

Education has been an important part of her career, having completed at least a two-year degree. And she has acquired at least one educational designation.

It's interesting to note that highly successful sales associates earn a median gross income of \$130,600, according to the NAR survey report. Of all the

properties they sold, an average of 16 percent were their own listings.

Surprisingly, nearly all the successful sales associates (91 percent) have had previous careers. Top producers in real estate sales were most commonly involved in management or sales and marketing positions prior to entering the real estate field.

After analyzing the survey data, NAR researchers determined that there are three top factors that contribute most to an agent's success in real estate brokerage:

They are willing to make monthly marketing expenditures.

They use personal assistants.

They consistently use high-tech systems in business activities.

"The amount of money top

sales associates spend monthly on marketing campaigns has a significant impact on the level of income generated from all real estate activities," the survey report stated. "The survey indicated that as the amount of money sales agents spend on marketing increases, their level of income grows proportionately."

Technology usage also plays a significant role in the success of top producers. The survey showed that 94 percent of all highly successful agents own or lease a desktop, laptop or notebook computer.

During the past year, agents who used high technology earned over \$74,000 more than agents who rarely used high-tech methods in their real estate activities.

Successful agents are, of course, highly motivated by

income and the ego gratification of feeling successful, the survey report said. But it also found that these agents gained a genuine satisfaction in helping their clients find and acquire the home they want and need.

"Getting the deal done right" is often just as important as the money to these agents.

When seeking the right broker or sales agent to take care of your real estate needs, keep these survey findings in mind. Ask your banker, accountant and friends for recommendations. Interview several brokers, and ask a lot of questions.

The real professionals will welcome your inquiries and respect your efforts to find the right broker for the job.

The selected broker or agent will play a key role in one of the biggest and most important transactions of your life. It's

worth the effort to find the right person.

Q. How does today's "home affordability" compare with previous years?

A. Americans who bought a home during the past year seized the best buying opportunity in years in the housing market, according to a report from U.S. Housing Markets.

Housing incomes rose faster than either prices or mortgage rates, producing exceptional affordability, the report noted. For the third year in a row, the monthly house payment on a typical conventionally financed purchase stayed below \$1,000.

The typical payment figure for last year's buyers, including taxes and insurance, was \$990 - up from the \$950 monthly payment for homebuyers during the previous year.

Last year's payment figure remained well below that of the country's peak payment years of 1989-91, when the typical monthly tab for homebuyers was some 20 percent higher, the U.S. Housing Markets report stated.

"Last year, the share of household income required for payments on a typical conventionally financed house dropped to the lowest level we've seen in the 16 years we've tracked this indicator," said Brian Bragg, editor of the research publication.

"The percentage last year was only 19.8 percent of household income for home payments for a typical homebuyer."

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.

Winter squash can be kept for months if stored properly

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marigolds and how to store seed for use next year?

A: Usually, it does not pay to collect the seeds of annual flowers. Keep in mind the fact that cross-pollination can occur in your garden and some seeds may actually be hybrids and so will not produce plants identical with the parent. When seeds are to be held for any length of time, they should be stored in dry place with a range of temperature

varying from 45 to 50 degrees.

The viability depends upon seed variety, but storage conditions are a major factor in preserving quality seeds successfully.

Q: Every fall I harvest my winter squash and store them in a basket in the garage. Unfortunately, most of them rot by Thanksgiving. I thought that squash was supposed to last all winter. Please help me to store my squash correctly.

A: Winter squash should keep for several months after harvest; that is, providing it's stored properly. Here are some guidelines for you to follow:

Pick the squash from the vine when it is mature, leaving some stem. The deep-colored fruit should be full size and have a hard rind that resists piercing with a thumbnail.

Cure the rind by exposing the fruit to full sun for at least 7 to 10 days.

Cover the squash in the evening if frost is expected during this hardening-off period. Listen to the weather report in the evening.

Once the rind is cured, handle the fruit gently because any injury to the rind will make the squash store poorly.

Stack the squash in a single layer in crates, placing crumpled newspapers between the fruits.

Store them in a warm protected area between 50 and 60 degrees. Colder

temperatures can cause injury, so avoid storing the squash in your garage.

You can expect to store acorn squash for 5 to 8 weeks, betternut squash for 2 to 3 months and Hubbards for up to 6 months.

C.Z. Guest, author of "5 Seasons of Gardening" (Little, Brown & Co.), is an authority on gardens, flowers and plants. Send questions to her c/o Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190.

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By John DiMora

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THE EASEMENT PRIMER

Almost every property has one or another kind of easement—utility easements, water and sewer easements or driveway easements which give access to landlocked parcels. As a property owner, you may be affected by easements at some point, so it is important to know about the different types.

The **easement in gross** is the most common type of easement used by public utilities. Often under or above ground, they do not consist of actual land like other easements. If a utility gains the right to an **easement in gross** over your land, it must pay you for the diminishment in value of your property.

The **easement by prescription** became one simply because it was used, unchallenged by the landowner, for a specified number of years (usually 10-20). To avoid such an occurrence, the landowner must periodically make a formal objection to "start the clock over."

The **easement appurtenant** is the most familiar type of easement. It allows access to public roads and can also be used to create driveways and walkways for subdivided parcels. Appurtenant easements should be treated by both landowners (and beneficiaries) as if they were actual land parcels and be described and recorded meticulously.

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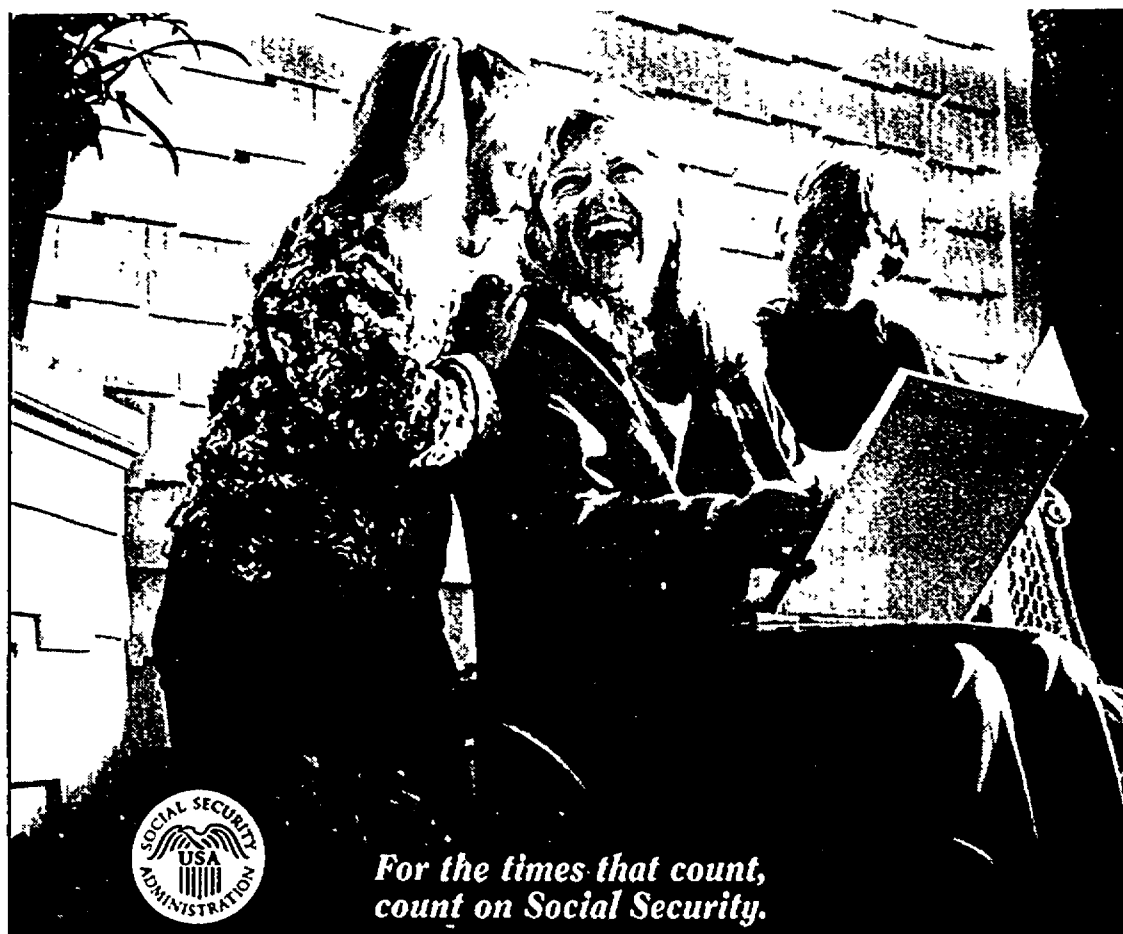
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Sheraton Oaks taken over by Doubletree

The Sheraton Oaks Hotel in Novi, near Twelve Oaks Mall and the Novi Expo Center, was taken over by the Doubletree Hotels Corp. as of Sept. 6.

The 217-room hotel, owned and managed by Southern Hospitality Inc., will become the Doubletree Hotel Novi Detroit.

"We're looking forward to extending Doubletree's first-class hospitality services to Novi-area business travelers and the Novi community," said Arthur Allis, general manager.

The hotel will be the fourth Doubletree property in metropolitan Detroit. Doubletree also manages the Doubletree Hotel Detroit in downtown's Millender Center and the Doubletree Guest Suites in Southfield and Troy. Doubletree is the only hotel brand with downtown and suburban Detroit locations.

"Doubletree has Detroit's business areas covered," said Allis. "With the addition of our Novi property, business travelers will find a Doubletree Hotel wherever they need to do business in the metro area."

The hotel was a Sheraton since its opening in 1982. Southern Hospitality has owned the property since February 1996.

"As a Doubletree, we will bring

superior guest service and an upgraded decor to our customers," said Robert E. Slater, president and chief operating officer, Southern Hospitality.

According to Slater, the hotel is in the final stage of a \$1 million renovation expected to be completed in September.

Renovated areas include the lobby, atrium, restaurant and the Whole Nine Yards sports bar. Ten guest rooms have been added, and the hotel's meeting space has been increased to 9,200-square-feet. A business center and the third-floor executive level are near completion.

Doubletree Hotels are famous for their cookies. Upon arrival, each guest receives two freshly baked chocolate chip cookies.

Doubletree Hotels Corp., headquartered in Phoenix, is one of the nation's largest hotel management companies with more than 170 hotels in 37 states, the District of Columbia, and Mexico. Doubletree properties currently extend into three market segments: Doubletree Hotels - upscale, first-class, full-service hotels; Doubletree Guest Suites - first-class, full-service, all-suite hotels; and Club Hotels by Doubletree - mid-scale hotels targeted to the business traveler.



Senior Vice President James Flynn, Director of Sales Susan Sereno and General Manager Arthur Allis of the new Doubletree Hotel.

Based in Oklahoma City, Southern Hospitality is a diversified, full-service hotel real estate acquisition company that specializes in hotel properties, including related food and beverage services. Southern Hospitality has been in the hotel

management and operating business as both an owner and/or property manager since 1985. Southern Hospitality now has ownership in 12 properties located in nine states.

Business Briefs

DR. PAUL STILES recently joined the practice of **STILES CHIROPRACTIC**. Dr. Robert Stiles, his father, has been in practice in Novi for 30 years with extensive studies in applied kinesiology and management of disc conditions.

The younger Stiles graduated from Northville High School in 1989 and attended Life College in Marietta, Ga. He received both bachelor's and doctorate degrees from the college.


Novi residents **RANDY** and **CINDY HOROWITZ** were recently recognized for excellence in first-year operation of a **PETLAND** store. The couple received the company's "Vanguard Award" at the 1996 Petland trade show in Nashville, Tenn. The Horowitzs operate a Petland franchise at Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi.

ALLEN WHITFIELD, who represents **COUGAR CUTTING PRODUCTS & SUPPLY** in Novi, was presented the Silver Leader Award for




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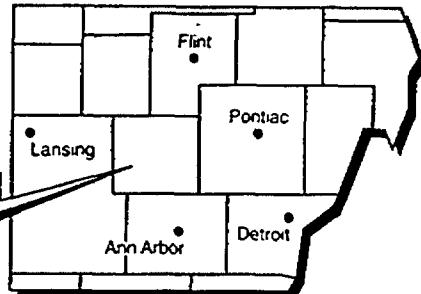
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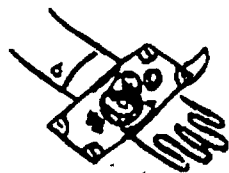
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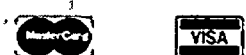
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Ethan Allen, a world leader in the fine home furnishings industry, is seeking an energetic, "people person" to join our fast-paced Novi store.

In this position, you will meet and greet customers, balance and track orders, handle related clerical functions. The individual we seek will be outgoing and personable with customer service experience, preferably in a retail environment.

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Store Manager
ETHAN ALLEN
27712 Novi Road
Novi, MI 48377
Equal Opportunity Employer M/F

FABRICATOR - Door Company has entry level position, competitive wage, excellent benefit package. Warehouse and light welding duties required. Experience a plus but will train. (810) 437-7071

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Experienced Only
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Unitec Michigan, Inc.
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(810) 437-7037
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Responsibilities include delivering propane, maintaining equipment, providing service to customers, and identifying and selling to new accounts

Excellent communication skills and genuine commitment to providing superior customer service are absolute requirements. Candidates must be willing to work flexible hours and be able to meet applicable DOT requirements

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Fine China & Gifts is looking for a Truck Driver. Must have an exc. driving record. CDL is not required but preferred. \$7.50 to start. Apply in person. 22790 Heslop Dr. off of 9 Mile, between Novi & Meadowbrook Rds. No phone calls.

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•FRONT DESK
•IN ROOM BAR ATTENDANT
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HOUSEKEEPER PART-TIME weekend position avail. 3-8pm. For info call, Lydia Lewis, (313) 449-4431, Northfield Place, 8633 Main Street, Whitmore Lake, MI 48189. Located just N of Ann Arbor EOE.

INSURANCE
Personal Lines CSR. Novi agency seeks licensed individual with 2 yrs. minimum exp. Salary plus benefits. Call (810) 348-8200 or fax resume with salary requirements to (810) 348-1697

INSURANCE
Growing Livingston County agency is seeking motivated person with Personal Lines experience. We can offer you a good salary, excellent benefits and a progressive team environment. If you can offer us professionalism, stability and an extreme desire to offer the best service available. Please send your resume to: Cobb-Hall Insurance Agencies, P.O. Box 527, Howell, MI 48844. Personal & Confidential to Michael Hall.

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open for hard working individual seeking full time employment. Must be willing to work under direct supervision on a flexible schedule. Please reply by calling (517) 546-5900

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Cashiers, preppers & dryers. Full time, part-time. (517) 546-7622 Howell Soft Cloth Car Wash, 1009 S. Pinckney Rd., Howell.

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Full time/year-round personnel needed. Training program available. Exc. wages & work environment. Call (810) 960-1524

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Plymouth, MI 48170

PAINTER
EXPERIENCED industrial spray painter needed for sheet metal fab shop. Livonia area. Over time 3 benefits. Call (313) 513-3488

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PARTS DRIVER/JANITOR Full time position. Must have good driving record. Contact Russ at (810) 349-7550

PATTY'S PLACE now hiring full time & part-time child care providers. (517) 546-7286

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Wanted for Residential repair. Truck provided, paid holidays. Paid PPOM insurance. Please apply South Lyon Plumbing & Supply, 21001 Pontiac Trail, South Lyon, (810) 486-1288.

PLUMBING & hardware store looking for part-time counter sales. Retirees welcome. Starting at \$7 per hour. (810) 229-6892, ask for Carol.

RECEPTIONIST WANTED
For busy Fantastic Sams. Friendly energetic person needed, days available. Apply in person or call: 21522 Novi Rd. (Box 8 & 9 Mile) (810) 344-8900.

RESPONSIBLE, ORGANIZED
Person with good communication and phone skills. Monday thru Friday and some Saturdays. Call the Syhan Learning & Technology Center at (313) 462-2750

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Halloween USA! Gags & Gifts. Michigan's #1 Halloween retail store is seeking qualified Managers, Assistant Managers and Sales Associates. Full & part-time. Competitive wages. Nov. (810) 348-5272 or Livonia (313) 458-0000

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RETAIL FULL & candy production. Full or part-time. Cake decorating exp. helpful. (810) 227-6009.

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La-Z-Boy Furniture Galleries seeks a dependable individual for an immediate opening in a part-time retail clerical position. Responsibilities include assisting in answering telephones, customer payments, filing data entry, etc. Requires motivated self-starter and strong organizational ability and some experience in basic office skills. Some weekend work is required. Apply in person or call:
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(On Twelve Oaks Service Drive)

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Must have 3 years supervisory experience with 1 year Prime Star knowledge, and valid drivers license. Base pay plus commission. Apply at:
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Livonia MI 48152
(810) 474-7020

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PURCHASING AGENT
Full-time Purchasing Agent wanted by high-tech, research equipment manufacturer. Knowledge of integrated inventory control systems required (MBA/MS desirable). Wages commensurate with experience. Excellent benefits for full time. EOE. Send resume to: 2310 Science Pkwy., Oremos MI 48864

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT EXPEDITOR
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ACROSS
1 It's tossed with sauce
6 Muttonous singer
11 Actress/singer Salonga
14 "Cheers" prop
17 "The Odyssey" goddess
19 Castor's twin
20 Out of sorts
21 Coach
22 Start of a remark by E.C.
25 Champ and dairy
26 Vane dir.
27 Carrot or parsnip
28 Independent sort
29 Question
30 Turn down
31 Unproductive
35 Rob of "Sik Stalkings"
37 Mail event
40 He's out of this world
41 Less punctual
44 Part 2 of remark
49 Stadium roar
50 Common contraction
51 Hawaiian harbor
52 Large tub
55 Get by, with "out"
56 Hard on the nose
57 Soprano Mitchell
59 Sprightly
61 Left
63 Minnesota
64 Kids connect twins?
65 Lesser
67 Acquire
69 Proposition
72 Handy bit of Latin
73 Shows up
76 Or — (threat words)
77 Initials of interest?
79 Palliative
82 Crocheled item
83 Comic
85 Butts in
87 It's in the bag
88 "— Giovanni"
89 Breaker
90 Least naive
91 Fleming or Holm
92 Part 3 of remark
97 "The Faerie Queen" poet
99 Singer Bryant
100 Aware of
101 Office plants
102 Strauss opera
104 Sunscreen ingredient
107 Wordsworth
108 Twangy
111 Palo —, Calif.
112 "Kidnapped" monogram
115 Actor Liotta
118 End of remark
122 Godfrey's instrument
123 "The Crying Game" star
124 Some plays
125 Journalist
128 — About You
127 Corn serving
128 Thomas
129 Hold up
1 Hostage
2 "This weighs —"
3 Andrew of "Melrose Place"
4 — Aviv
5 Wrestling giant
6 Portable bed
7 Clerical garb
8 — du Diable
9 "Sister Act" extra
10 Napoleon's tale
11 Mortgage, for one
12 Hobbes
13 "La Traviata"
14 You'll get a kick out of it
15 School supply
16 Rubbbermacks
18 Ever's partner
19 Quarry
23 Mini-pooch
24 Hold
30 Morning moisture
31 Lightheaded?
32 — That a Shame!
33 Gun the engine
34 Heredity letters
36 Anger or envy
37 Scatter
38 Foe
39 Wagner
40 Lend a hand
42 Referee
43 Blame it on
45 Author Le
46 Ave. crossers
48 Geologic epoch
47 "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes" composer
48 Selected
49 Offense
53 Clay, today
54 John Ritter's dad
57 Bappy
58 Raison d'—
59 Pretense
60 Seize
62 Whippet's waggoner
64 Submarine base?
66 Wright of Mrs. Minver
68 College growth
70 Chopped with an axe
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73 Count up
74 Mane creature
75 Ignominy
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80 Incined
81 Chutney ingredient
84 Supervised
85 42 Down feature
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92 D.C. figure
93 Trap
94 Chess champion
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96 Mauna —
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101 Cicero

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2620 Announcements/ Notices

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BEST SELF-STORAGE, 7286 W. Grand River, Brighton, will hold a lien sale on misc. household items on units occupied by Ed Durbin & Sherie Combs, on Oct. 25, 1996 at 12noon.

DEFAULT OF Rental payments. #127 Doreen Ford, #220 Janet Cooke; #512 Michael Mulholland, #39 Howell, Tamara, McIntire Household, personal and misc. Sale date, 10-11-96, 1:00 pm Brighton U-Store, (810)227-1376

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SHAWASSEE DISTRICT, Air Quality Division, Department of Environmental Quality, 10650 S. Bennett Drive, Monroe (phone) (517)625-4600

LANSING: Air Quality Division, Department of Environmental Quality, Hollister Building, 5th floor, 106 W. Allegan (phone) (517)335-6825.

All persons are encouraged to present their written views on the proposed permit action. Written comments should be sent to the Department of Environmental Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan, 48909, to the attention of the Permit Section Supervisor. All statements received by October 21, 1996 will be considered by the decision-maker prior to taking final action.

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622 Legal Notices/ Accepting Bids

INVITATION TO BID

Demolition of Community Education Building. The Board of Education of the South Lyon Community School district is accepting bids for the demolition of the Community Education Building, located at 310 Warren Street, South Lyon, Michigan. The project consists of demolition and disposal of a single story brick building including but not limited to utilities, footings, slab, paving and miscellaneous items. Successful contractor will be required to leave site rough graded free from debris. Specifications are available at the office of Environmental Services, 20801 Pontiac Trail, South Lyon, Michigan. Bids will be accepted no later than 3pm, on September 25, 1996. At this time they will be opened and read aloud. No bids will be accepted after the deadline. The South Lyon Community Schools' Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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3 TWIN mattresses, 1 twin box springs (810) 632-7379.

5 FREE kittens. (810)229-9415

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8-10, APPROX. 4" gold fish, to good home. (810) 685-0875

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BANTY CHICKENS & Banty ducks 2 months old (810)349-4226

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MAXINE C. PARKER's family wishes to express their appreciation to all of you who have taken the time and made the effort to lend us their love and support. The outpouring of your tender and loving expressions are a source of strength for us when we needed it the most. Gratefully, Robert W. Parker and Family

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1982 YAMAHA Vision 550cc. 1300 miles, must sell \$1500. best. Dan (810) 486-6592

1984 HONDA Shadow VT 700C. 12,400 original miles, showroom cond., with extras. \$2,700. best. (810) 229-6746

1985 YAMAHA YZ 430. New everything with equipment. \$1200. Call after 6pm. (810) 227-5307

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1994 YAMAHA V-Rage 335. New in 1996. low miles, extended warranty to 4-1-2000. Many accessories must sell. \$5000. best. (313) 591-4250

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818 Auto Financing

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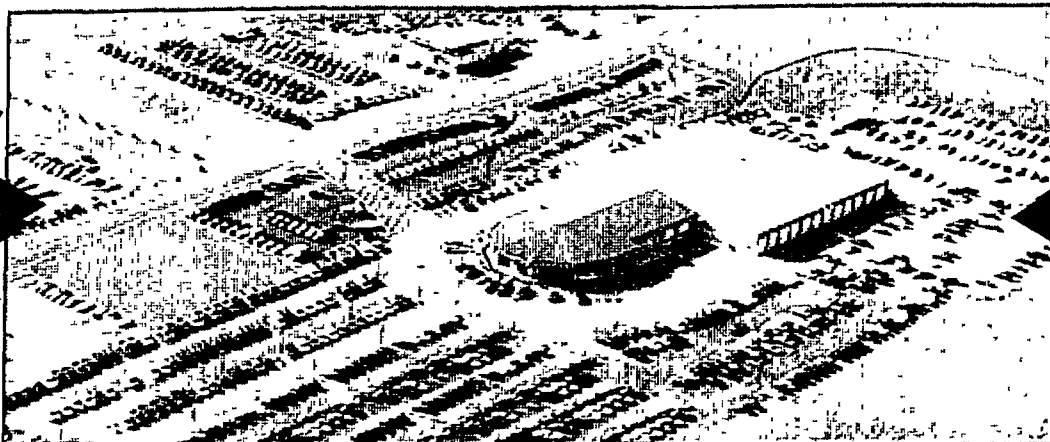
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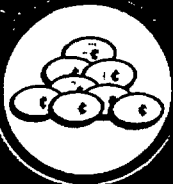
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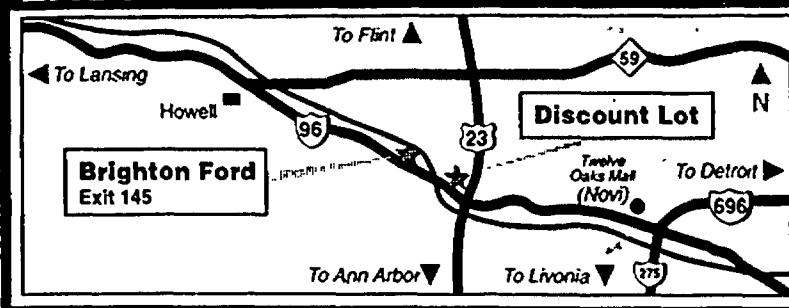
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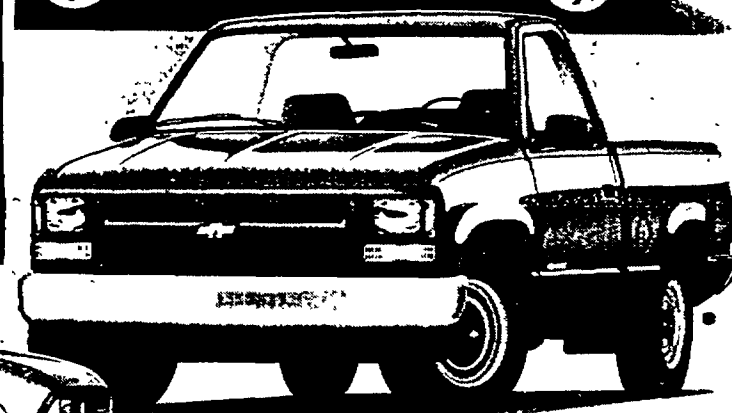
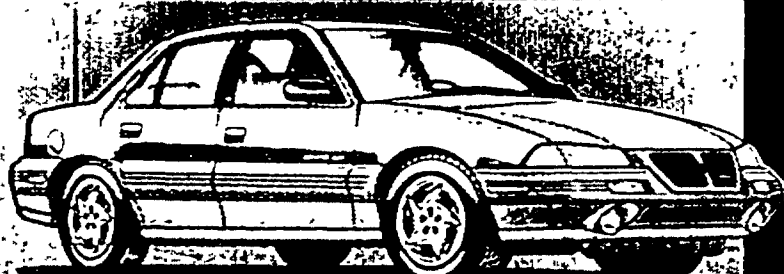
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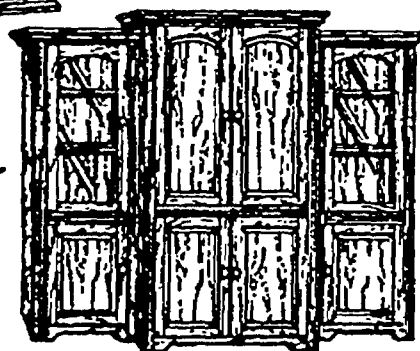
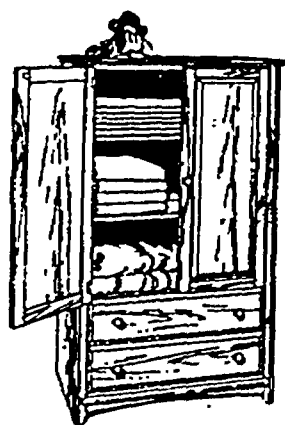
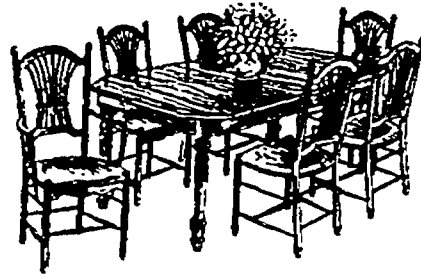
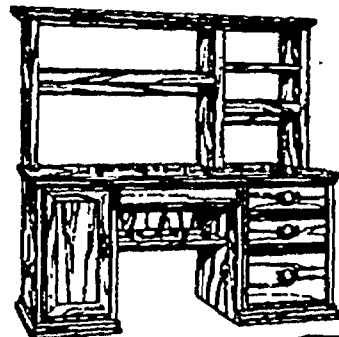
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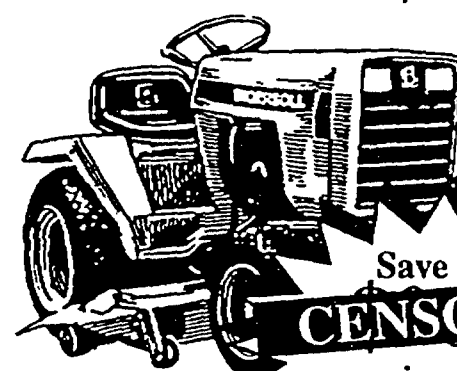
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This season, designers are thinking pink. Here, rose-colored walls make a room with gray couches and carpeting look cozy.

Look for the return of 50's-flamingo pink

By Lee Littlewood
Copley News Service

What's a great way to make a room appear more romantic, lively or serene? Color! The right color palette can stir up excitement in the kitchen, enliven things in a dull bedroom, calm the chaotic feel of a child's room, even make a home office seem more productive.

In fact, by building the right color schemes in rooms, home decorators can create atmospheres to suit anyone's particular lifestyle needs.

How?

Studies on color show the effects different shades have on our moods and perceptions. Red, for example, is a stimulating color that's powerful, passionate and associated with sexuality. One may assume, then, that it would be

the perfect color for the bedroom of a couple who needs a little zing in their love lives. Not necessarily so. Red can also connote aggressive, loud, bloody images and wouldn't work if the pair had a tendency to argue or ever wanted to sleep.

So how do home decorators choose what colors to use in their homes? One way is with a handy, do-it-yourself color wheel available at art supply stores. The color wheel, still widely used in the interior design industry today, incorporates the spectrum of colors into an easy-to-use wheel form, helping designers and consumers create well-balanced and pleasing color schemes.

It then helps consumers decide what scheme, or combination, they want to go with — monochromatic (one color only), adjacent (related colors), com-

plementary (contrasting colors) or split-complementary color scheme. (This one uses one color on the wheel combined with two colors adjacent to the color directly opposite. Sounds confusing? It isn't when the color wheel is actually in front of you.)

According to Margi Daniels, ASID, La-Z-Boy's design consultant, colors appear more intense in large areas vs. smaller ones. The idea is to choose one color lighter than you originally wanted and use your favorite hue as an accent color, thus avoiding a room too dark and intense. And be sure to balance contrasting colors properly to create feelings of calm and comfort. For example, a darker hue should be below a lighter one, prompting the eye to look up naturally to view pictures or decorations.

And what colors are in for fall?

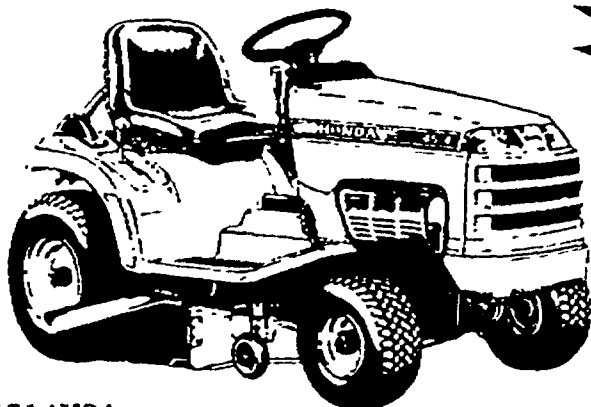
Linda Trent, director of Color & Design Marketing for Sherwin-Williams, says retro is on its way to becoming the new decorating buzzword.

"These colors aren't 'new,'" says Trent. "Rather, they are classic — ones that we've seen before — yet with enough exuberance that they look as sharp and fresh in the '90s as they did in the '50s."

Pink flamingo, holiday turquoise, radiant lilac and chartreuse will enjoy a strong rebirth in the late '90s, Trent predicts. They are more exuberant than your average interior hues, and it does take a little more creativity to use these retro colors.

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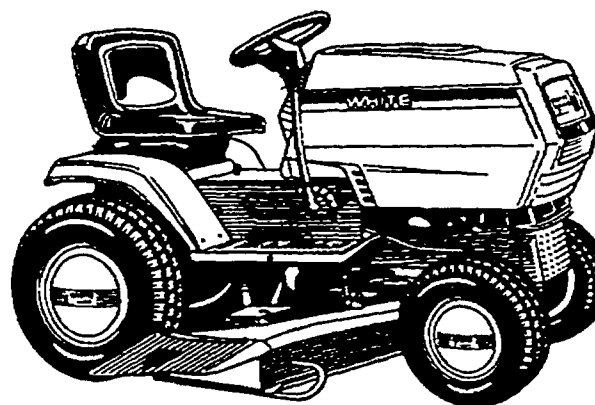
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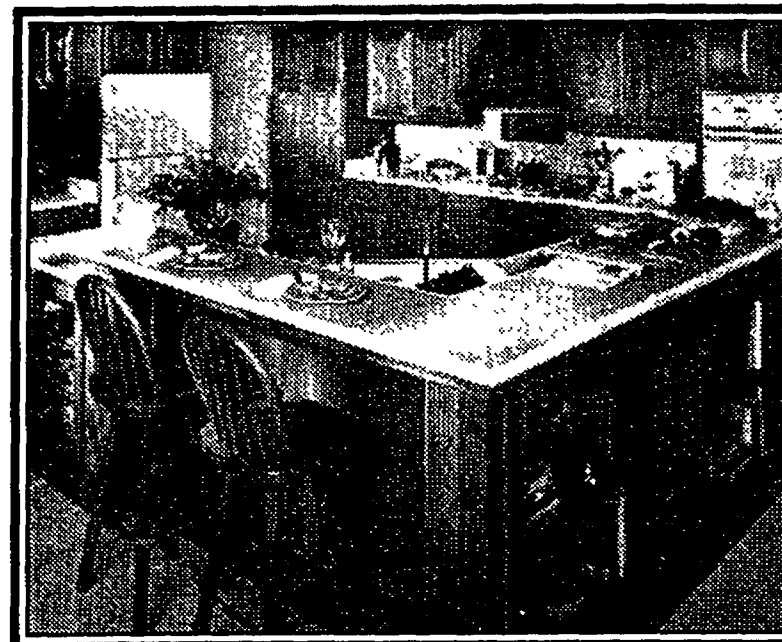
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Bedroom is place to express individuality

By Elizabeth Scheibner
Copley News Service

The bedroom. The most intimate room of the house. A place for slumber and serenity, rest and relaxation, reflection and romance.

How we decorate our bedroom says a lot about who we are. It is the one room in the house that is usually off-limits to others, giving us the freedom to decorate as we see fit — without worrying about what others will think. By its very nature, the bedroom offers us a unique opportunity to express our personal style to the fullest.

It is here, in our private sanctuary, that we can display our favorite pictures, books, mementos and other items of sentimental value. It is a place we can retreat to from the hectic pace of modern life, collect our thoughts and renew ourselves.

It's hard to imagine, but there was a time when this privacy was unheard of. In fact, private bedrooms didn't exist until the 17th and 18th centuries. Up until that time, families ate, slept, cooked and entertained in the same hall-like rooms. Fortunately, by the mid-19th century, bedrooms had become commonplace throughout the Western world.

The bed, of course, is usually the dominant feature of the room. For those of us with average-size bedrooms, the challenge is to create the illusion of more space. This can be achieved a number of ways. It may be as simple as moving the bed to a different position in the room, letting more light in through the window or eliminating unnecessary clutter.

According to experts, one of the main problems with bedrooms is that we try to cram them full with too much bulky, often unattractive furniture. Your bedroom should only contain essential and functional pieces. Aim for items that serve a dual purpose. A pine chest, for example, can be used to store linens and seasonal clothes while serving as a seat or footboard. Similarly, a bookcase can serve double duty as a headboard while an antique sewing cabinet can be used as a writing desk.

If space is limited, consider placing the dresser in the closet or a spare bedroom, moving a desk to the kitchen or hallway or placing the dressing table in the bathroom. Other space-saving options include wall-fixed shelving instead of bedside tables and spotlighting affixed to the wall instead of bedside lamps. Window blinds instead of curtains will also give the illusion of



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Today's bedrooms are no longer just for sleeping. More often than not, they double as a study, personal living room and workout room. The trick is to maintain an integrated look without sacrificing serenity or comfort. If you have a large open-space bedroom, for

example, you may want to create an elevated platform that accommodates only the bed. Or to separate a work space from the bed, use a decorative screen or bookcase as a divider.

When decorating a bedroom, the key is to create a room that reflects your unique style and taste. There are no

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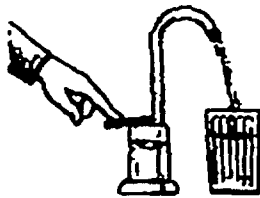
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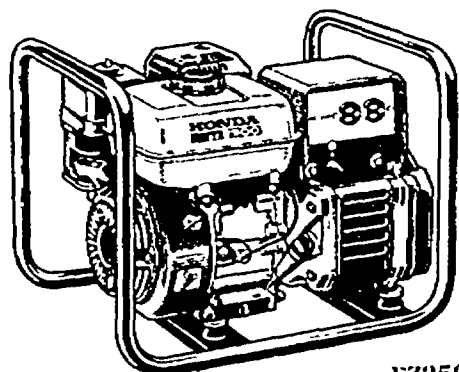
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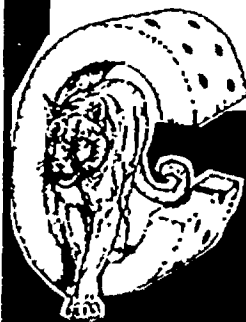


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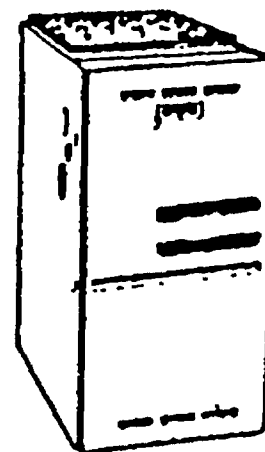
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Decorating goes retro

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ors, it's best to accent a room by using the retro shade on one of the four walls," Trent advises. "Avoid gaudiness by matching the woodwork to the pre-dominant wall color."

If butterfly chairs, kidney-bean-shape coffee tables and retro colors aren't your thing, don't fret. There are plenty of other what's-old-is-new-again shades to spark up any home's interior — melons, spice tones and vegetable hues, to name a few.

Trent adds, "Today's colors are soothing, not abrasive. They are classic and comfortable — what you find on the earth and in the sea and sky. People now want colors that will evolve with the trends and last a long time rather than ones that die out within a year. This year's palette is an evolution of last year's."

Last year's featured rich, soothing tones, and this year's evolves one step further, continuing to be warmer and more traditional. Look for shades of blue-green, ruby and squash. Colors

reflecting multicultural skin tones from Asian yellow to African ebony are also present. Other cultures are also present in bright combinations of ethnic golds, purples, greens and oranges that are derived from batik, mosaics and tie-dye.

Neutrals, of course, still have their place amid this year's vintage look. They'll be more weathered this year, with gray, in charcoal shades, making a comeback. And whites are more natural, less antiseptic.

What's out? The Southwest look. Apparently the teaming of teal, peach and coral has run its gamut. The demise of hunter green and burgundy isn't far behind.

"People are seeking a simpler, more spiritual lifestyle, and their decorating habits reflect this. As a result, the 'matchy-matchy' looks of the late '80s and early '90s are dying out," says Trent. "Decor is less formal and more flexible. Trendy is out. Timeless is in. And this year's palette definitely reflects that shift."

Reflect own personal style

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ideas, home decorating magazines and books are good sources of inspiration.

Often you can alter the entire look of a room by making simple changes, such as investing in a new comforter and pillows, adding a decorative wall-paper border or replacing old curtains with more contemporary window treat-

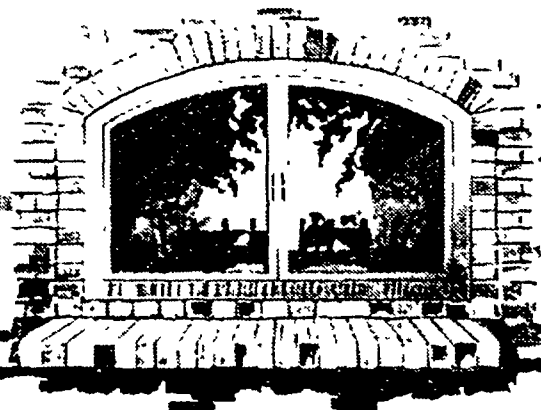
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Color is a matter of personal taste and can be used to create a variety of moods. White remains popular for its purity and elegance while blue is frequently chosen for its soothing and calming effects. Yellow is wonderful for making a room look sunny, and jewellike colors are used to intensify a warm, enclosed atmosphere.

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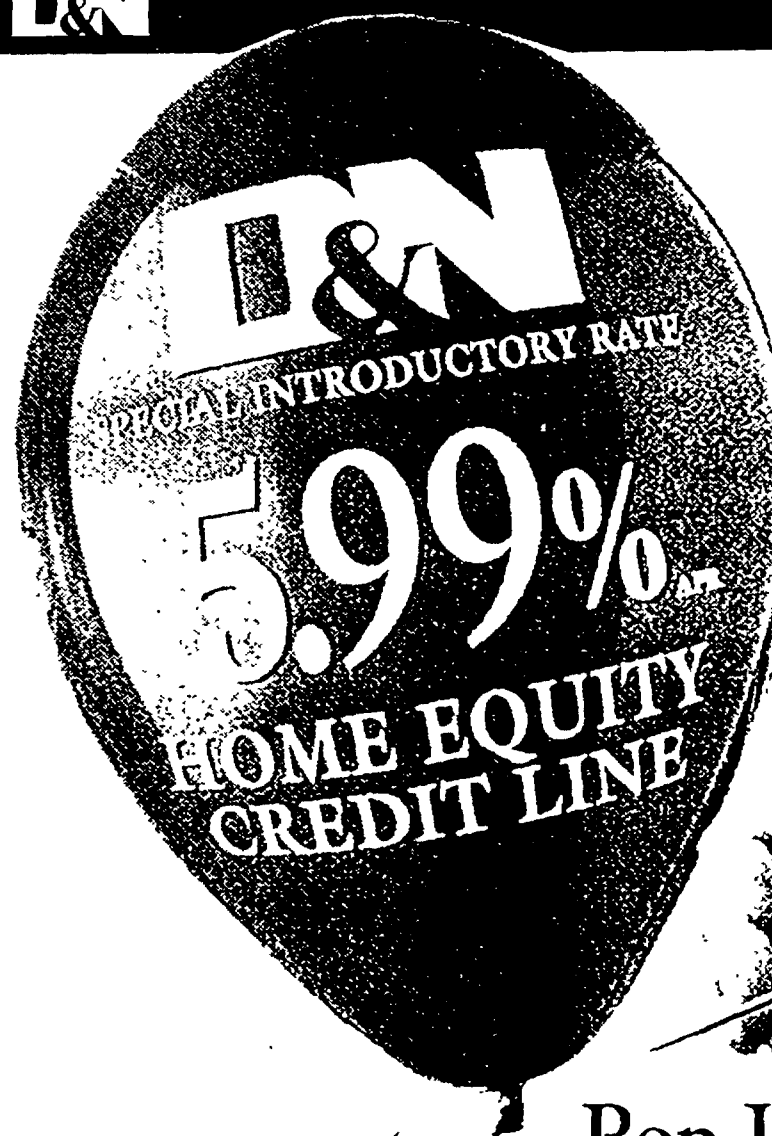
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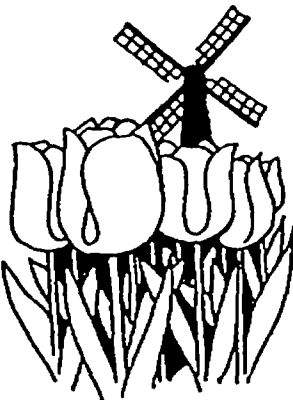
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Surf internet for house products, information

By Caron Golden
Copley News Service

The information superhighway is quickly becoming the on-line supermarket, with Web sites displaying the wares of virtually every kind of manufacturer or retailer. One niche with an overflow of information and leads to products is home improvement.

For a budding or experienced do-it-yourselfer, getting on-line pre-project can help in the information-gathering process — you can get design ideas, learn new practical techniques, benefit from the experiences of fellow home improvers, find helpful books or videos and even pose tricky questions to experts.

WHERE TO START

Most folks who have a basic familiarity with the Internet know that finding potential sites is as easy as looking up the topic on one of the basic search engines. In this case, however, entering "home improvement," "home repair" and, simply, "home" yielded hundreds of thousands of site options on Alta Vista and the new Hotbot. But after more than an hour of making my way through the offerings, I found nothing related to either topic.

I didn't have much luck with Yahoo, either, until I tried "home." A couple of sublevels down I hit pay dirt with entries for the Web sites for the public television shows "This Old House" and "Hometime." From there, the home improvement world was my oyster, with hundreds of links to directories, manufacturers, and experts offering advice and information.

THE SHOWS

Let's start with "This Old House" (pathfinder.com/@B8WwmAYAre6d

OGPm/TOH/). The site connects you to the current issue of the magazine, bulletin boards, an encyclopedia of topics and other links.

I started with the bulletin board. Here, people from around the country post questions and responses on hundreds of topics. Need help dealing with cracks in the basement wall or an ice-damaged roof? This is the place to go.

In the site's encyclopedia, you'll find tool reviews, product recall information and referrals to books, magazines and videos along with project information, techniques for using various tools, even real estate advice.

Finally, I took a look at the other connections "This Old House" linked to. This page is adapted from another hugely useful site, Build.com (www.build.com), and offers about 20 links.

The "Hometime" site (www.hometime.com) is just as user-friendly and comprehensive as "This Old House." There is the usual promotion for the show and a library of past shows, but they also offer a "How-To Center" with step-by-step instructions on more than 20 projects, a listing of tools and materials, and a user's forum similar to the other site's bulletin board.

I checked out the How-To Center. "Hot Summer Projects," "Building Projects," "Favorite Weekend Projects," "How-To Techniques" and a "Home Wise" section categorize hundreds of options. I selected the remodeling bathrooms topic under the "Building Projects" category and from there selected "cabinets and countertops" from 10 options (among them: getting started, demolition, new framing, fixtures and finishing touches). At this point you get a thorough, illustrated breakdown of the process that can be printed and used as a reference for

the job.

BUILD.COM

Once I discovered Build.com through "This Old House," I had to make the leap. They bill themselves as "The Building and Home Improvement Products Network," and certainly anyone in the market for tools, fixtures or contractors can find what they need at the click of a mouse. They have more than 700 companies and organizations linked to their sites and offer free hyperlink listings — although they also accept advertising.

When you get to the Build.com home page, you'll find a variety of options to choose from, including product lines, virtual deals, wired pros, shop talk, pen pals and a great link to other connections.

I started with an icon called "Learn More" and was directed to a list of specific issues — construction, kitchen and bath, log homes, recycling and tools, for example — that led to related sites.

Clicking on "fireplaces" led me to BrickNet (www.bricknet.com), the site for masonry fireplaces and the residential masonry industry. Filled with industry information, links to architects and builders, and codes and standards materials, the site also has a feature article that addresses a specific topic, in this case, "Flue Sizes Explained." This may be more information than the average do-it-yourselfer wants to know, but it's good to know that if you need it, it's out there in cyberspace.

Build.com led to a huge collection of other links, but I decided to take a look at the inevitable "What's Cool" page. Here they offer a link to Home Mechanix Library (www.homeideas.com/planner/library.html); Building Online (www.BuildingOnline.com), a building products

search engine; Sound Home Resource Web (www.soundhome.com), a web of home improvement and construction information; Lowes' Cos. Inc. (www.lowes.com), a home improvement warehouse; and a number of other useful sites.

BEST OF THE REST

With all the options available, it's hard to tackle the whole smorgasbord. Below are three other very good sites from which you can leap to still more:

Do It Yourself HQ (pwp.usa.pipeline.com/~sivprob/). This is billed as a comprehensive guide for the do-it-yourself practitioner with money-saving ideas and resources. Among the sites it lists are several newsgroups: alt.home.repair, alt.construction, misc.consumers.house, alt.building.construction and comp.home.automation.

Building Online (www.BuildingOnline.com). A fascinating industry site that is also a great resource for the home project person. There are listings for building shows, media links, top builders and Web reviews.

Home Ideas (www.homeideas.com). The home of Home Mechanix magazine also has useful tools for planning and researching projects, links to other sites and a request section for free catalogs and brochures sent by mail. The project planner is divided into the familiar categories (kitchens, baths, floor coverings, etc.) and leads to links for free brochures, the magazine's library and related Web sites.

In the case of kitchens, you can check off which fixture brochures and catalogs you'd like to receive, then fill in your contact information. Obviously, this is a thinly disguised marketing survey for them, but if you get some help or ideas and don't mind the intrusion, it's no big deal and easy to complete.

Prevent messes to reduce your cleaning chores

By Priscilla Lister
Copley News Service

"Housework can kill you if you do it right," said the late, great columnist Erma Bombeck.

Short of seeking death, we can keep our homes relatively clean and presentable in less time than our grandmothers had to spend.

But there's the rub: With more couples both working long hours today, many of us have less time to spend cleaning house.

"The home should provide refuge from this crazy world instead of making us crazy trying to keep it," says Paula Jung in her book, "How to Avoid Housework" (Fireside/Simon & Schuster).

"It is possible to have reasonably clean and orderly surroundings without knocking ourselves for a loop. We just need to lighten up, pare down and take a new approach to this age-old problem," says Jung.

And consider this accidental benefit: Scrubbing floors for just 10 minutes burns 55 calories for an average 132-pound woman, according to the

"Cooking Light Cookbook" (Oxmoor House). Multiply that by a number of other typical household chores and you may even get to avoid jogging that day.

STEP 1: PREVENTION

Consider how to avoid the mess in

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Seasonal blossoms warm up cool days

By Priscilla Lister

Copley News Service

When fall brings cooler weather outside, bring some warmth inside with flowers.

"Automatically people become very introspective in the fall. When the weather turns cold outside, people somehow innately seek to create warmth inside their homes, usually through warm colors and warm tones. And Americans are using flowers for that more than ever before," says Denise Lee, trend spotter and floral consultant for the Society of American Florists in Alexandria, Va.

NOT JUST FOR HOLIDAYS

We're using flowers differently from the way we did 10 years ago.

"Traditionally flowers were used for special occasions and holidays; now it's different," says Lee. "We've almost adopted more of a European attitude in that flowers are more a part of our everyday life for ourselves and our homes."

And while we're focusing on our homes more than ever — nesting there and entertaining there, she notes — we're also seeking natural decorative touches, and flowers fit perfectly "to create a welcoming mood."

"Fall is really a neat time because it's a transition period," says Lee. "You can transition very easily into holiday decorations with a very natural look in flowers."

She says some of the materials we're going to see more of this fall include "a lot of seeds, spices, things like bay leaves, anise — both of which are very fragrant — as well as grasses and grains, like wheat. We'll see grasses and grains in a very tall stand, for example, which is a very French look, maybe tied with raffia, while we're also seeing more use of the round form with those grains and grasses and even balls covered with seeds or anise."

Pine cones are finding their way into fall arrangements, as well, where they used to be used only at Christmas-time, she says. "And we're seeing a return to truly natural leaves that have been treated with glycerin to remain pliable, instead of seeing them dyed or painted."

WARM COLORS ABOUND

Those warm colors in flowers that fit with fall include terra cotta, peach, apricot, brown and russet, as well as claret and burgundy.



Flowers in vivid shades of yellow, orange and red brighten the home when the weather is dreary outdoors.

"A lot of new varieties of roses, for example, are being cultivated in those warmer tones," says Lee. "There are literally hundreds of varieties of roses in all shapes in apricot, brown, blush, bright orange and even bicolored ones like yellow with orange tips, which are sensational for fall."

The orange bittersweet, which looks kind of like a berry, is popular for fall arrangements, as are rose hips and the dried Japanese lantern, which can all come on tall stalks.

Sunflowers can really bring a sense of warmth inside, and are available in the fall, says Gina Phillips, general manager of Adelaide's in La Jolla, Calif., one of two florists chosen to supply arrangements for the Republican National Convention in San Diego.

"And all your chrysanthemums are pretty much at the height of the season in fall, and you can get lots of unusual colors in them, from rust tones to burgundy to bright yellows and whites. They really liven up interiors and have a very long-lasting quality."

Phillips notes, though, that we aren't limited these days to flowers that really bloom in the fall.

"We have flowers available today really year-round, so you're not just subject to sunflowers and chrysanthemums," she says.

Enhance your fresh flowers with dried ones, suggests Phillips.

"Wheat and all your different dried flowers available during the fall are wonderful," she says. "The bittersweet berry from the Midwest is very popular

for its bright orange. And the coffee bean has become very popular with its great red tone. It just really has a neat look on its own or added with other things."

CREATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

For some great ideas for arranging flowers, turn to Paula Pryke's new book, "Flair With Flowers" (Rizzoli). She's one of Britain's leading florists, known for her innovative arrangements.

In one tree-shape arrangement for fall, Pryke presents chrysanthemums interspersed with ornamental cabbages and ornamental gourds stuck into a conical frame made from moss and wire mesh.

To bring a sense of the tropics home in October, try Pryke's arrangement of dendrobium orchids mixed with pink flowering banana spikes, held in a glass vase covered with Calathea leaves attached with double-sided adhesive tape and tied with raffia.

Another great fall idea is Pryke's "Anthuriums in a Pumpkin." Here she lines a cut pumpkin with thick plastic to hold the water, cuts floral foam to fit, and arranges bright red anthuriums with oak leaves, rose hips, ornamental chili peppers and even trusses of tomatoes.

Pryke ties about 25 sunflowers together in a bunch and places them in the middle of a tall vase, surrounding them inside the vase with whole red and yellow peppers.

"Alternatively, you could use small chili peppers, small red onions, citrus fruits or something seasonal and inexpensive, but it must be a fruit or vegetable that will survive being submerged in water without decaying," says Pryke.

Consider all kinds of containers for your arrangements — cans, jars, pitchers or virtually anything from a flea market, as well as locations for your flowers.

"People are really decorating their mantels today, literally making the homey-hearth touch," says Lee. "Put them on a night stand, in the bath, and potted plants in the kitchen."

Phillips also suggests adding a little potpourri to your arrangement for a touch of fragrance, or simply placing a bowl of potpourri nearby.

"And candles with flowers equals mood in the fall with all the warm tones — it's exquisitely beautiful," says Lee.

Reducing time spent cleaning the house

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the first place.

Jhung cites that the Carpet and Rug Institute estimates "80 percent of the dirt in our homes hitchhikes in on our shoes." The problem is compounded by the current popularity of lug soles on many casual and athletic shoes.

"Doormats help, but they're not the answer," says Jhung. "Mats even add to the problem by becoming saturated with dirt and drifting it."

She recommends trading "outside shoes" for "inside shoes, slippers or socks at the door." Set up a bench by the entrance for easy shoe removal, and follow the Asian lead.

Jhung also recommends replacing hard water with soft water by attaching a softening unit if your community allows.

"Hard water means hard work — in the form of spotted dishes, gray laundry, crusty shower heads and ring around the tub and toilet bowl," she says. Softened water reduces these problems, but it does consume more water.

"If a water softener isn't in the picture for you, use Borax or a water-conditioning powder in the washing machine and a cup or so of white vinegar in the dishwasher."

Other good prevention tips from Jhung include:

Protect your sofa with a colorful afghan or quilt.

Instead of sun-bleached pastels, decorate with soil-hiding colors of soft sage, dusky blue and smoky lavender.

Invest in a stone-topped coffee table. Stone takes lots of abuse, shows little dust and needs no polishing.

Cover side tables with pretty, floor-length skirts and glass rounds and you'll never have to wax and polish them again.

TIMESAVING TIPS

More than 80 percent of consumers clean house only when the chore can no longer be avoided, finds Seattle-based Shurgard Storage in this year's annual "Absence of Alice" survey. In its on-the-street poll, Shurgard found "that Americans, both male and female, will do whatever it takes to save time."

To make the chores go faster, most respondents said they crank up the stereo. Others coax help from other people (teen-age children might come in handy here). And most do the household cleaning on weekends.

To reduce that claim on our precious weekends, here are timesaving tips from Shurgard:

Clean clockwise. On vertical surfaces, clean top to bottom, not the other way around — most modern

cleansers don't streak and this keeps dirt moving out of cleaned areas. This applies to the whole house at once, too — move from outer rooms toward the center, such as the kitchen.

To air out is divine. Leave all the doors and windows open for at least six hours consecutively to prevent mold and mildew as well as dusty, stale air.

Banish the scum. The bathtub really can be cleaned quickly. Apply a squeegee after showers to keep buildup from forming. "Once it's too late, use a janitorial supply scum-breaker — let it stand for several minutes before you start to scrub."

Use double buckets. Never change wash water. Simply carry a spill bucket for the wringings from a dirty sponge or mop. You'll never clean anything with dirty water.

MOP UP SPILLS

The top five culprits Americans believe can ruin upholstery and carpets, according to a national survey on household spills and stains conducted by 3M of St. Paul, Minn., are fruit juice, coffee, red wine, cooking oil and tomato sauce.

To avoid ruining furniture or carpet,

nearly 50 percent of respondents singled out chemical fabric protection.

But even if you haven't given your furniture and floors that special repellency, there is handy help.

You can remove chewing gum from your carpet, for example, by freezing it with ice and then chipping it away. To pick up any excess, use common dry-cleaning fluid — a nonflammable solution available in grocery and hardware stores.

Among the solutions for removing spills from carpets, depending on the item spilled, are nail polish remover (for cosmetics, nail polish or shoe polish), detergent solution (alcoholic beverages, ketchup, charcoal, food), warm water, vinegar solution, ammonia solution or a spot-removal kit.

And clean up spills as quickly as possible. The longer a spill is left unattended, the more difficult it will be to remove.



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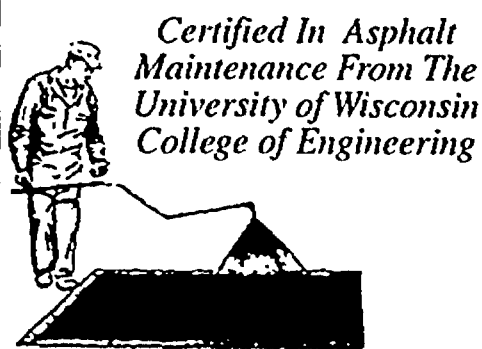
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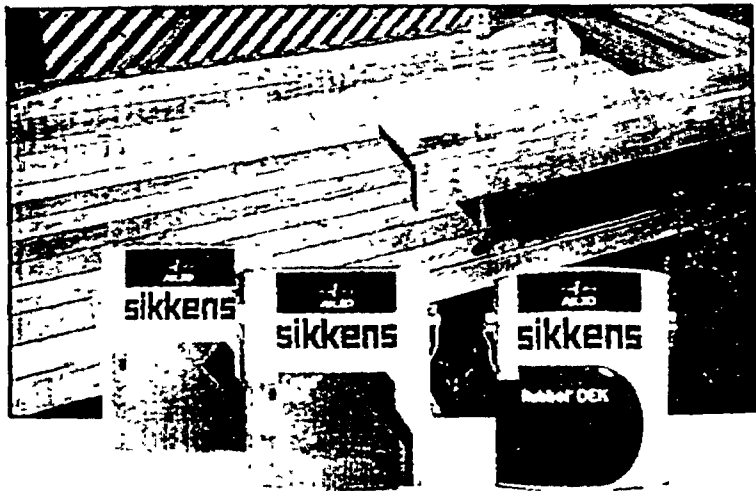




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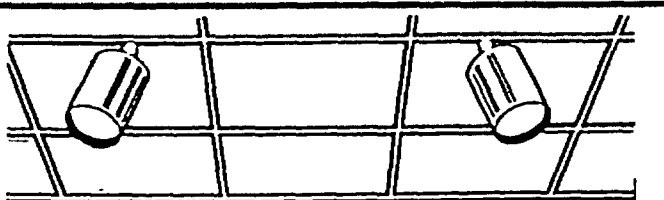
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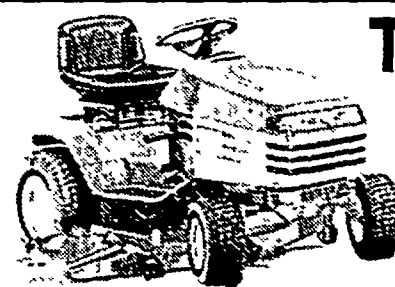
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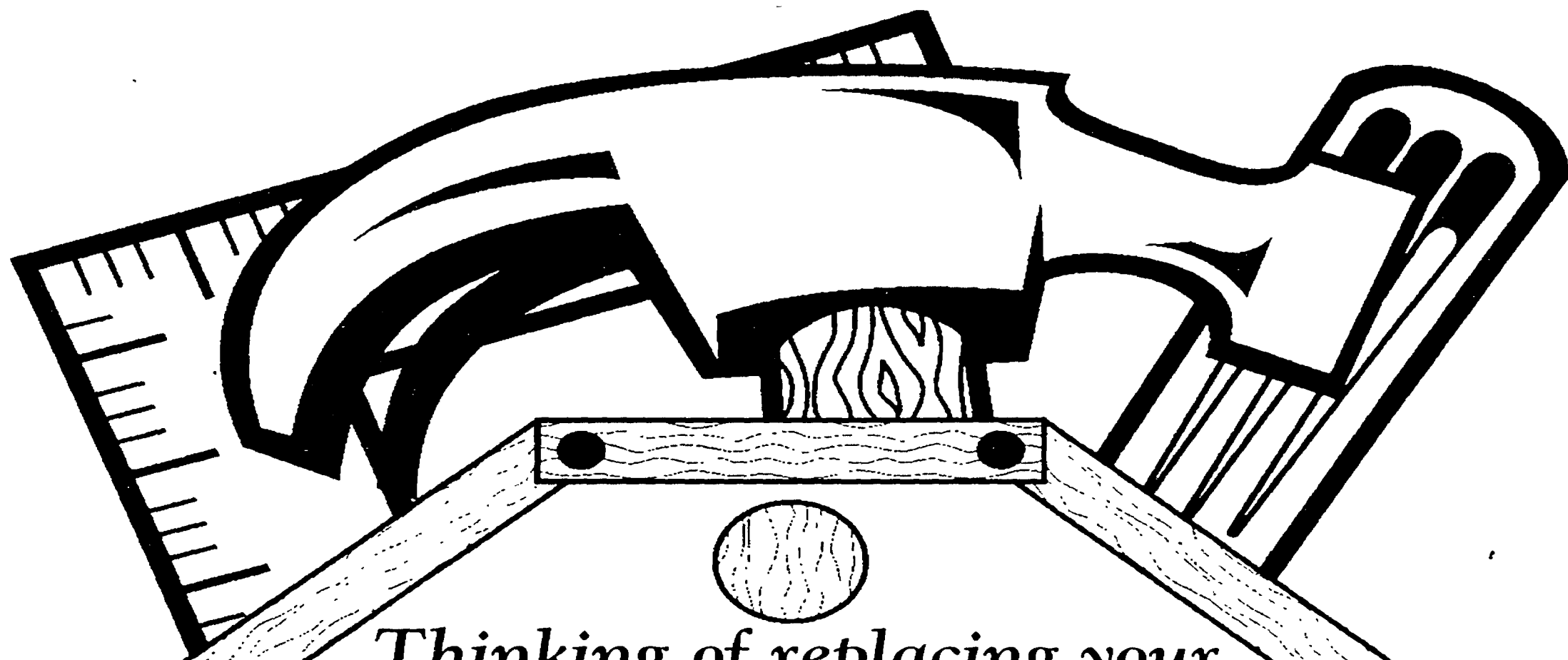
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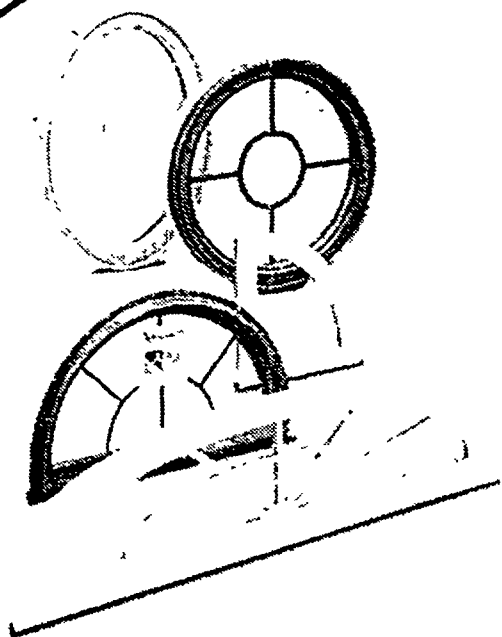


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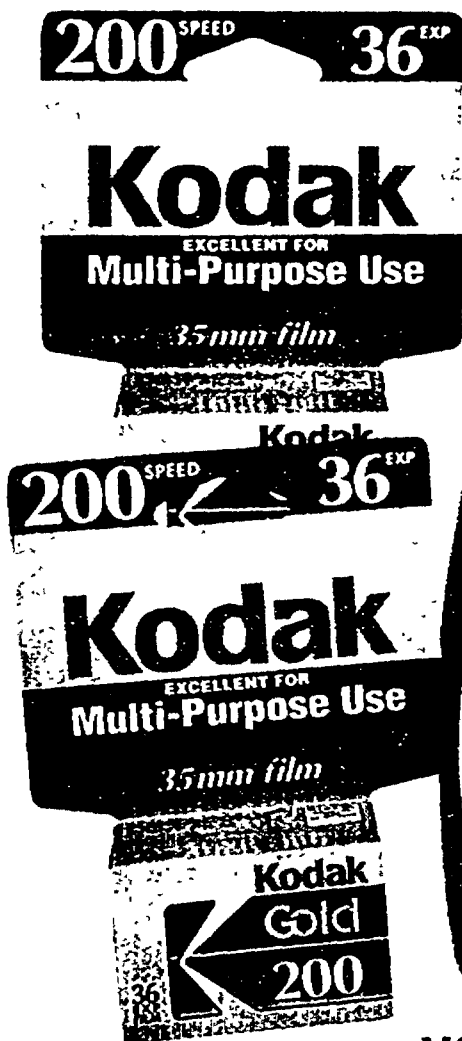
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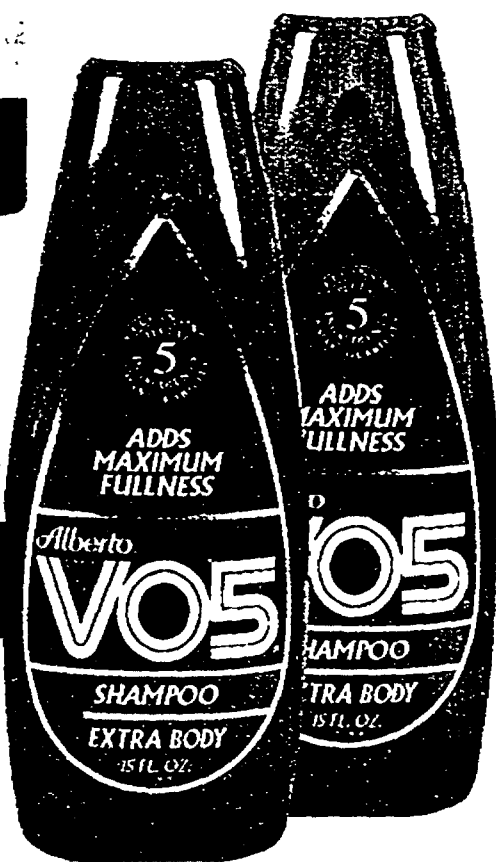
When you play Rite Aid's new
Prescription for Education game, you and
your child's school could win valuable
prizes like a computer, VCR or any of more
than 12,000 prizes valued at \$350,000.

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**KODAK
COLOR FILM**
35mm, 200 ASA,
36 Exposures

**2 FOR
9.00**
SAVE \$1.99



**VO5 SHAMPOO
OR CONDITIONER**
15 Ounce,
Assorted Types

1.00 each
SAVE 49¢



**GILLETTE SERIES
DEODORANT OR
AFTER SHAVE**
2.25 Oz. - 7 Oz.

2.00 each
SAVE 59¢



**PLAYTEX
TAMPONS**
40 Count
Super or Regular

5.00
SAVE \$2.29

**DYNAMO LIQUID
DETERGENT**
50 Ounce, Regular
or with Bleach Alternative

2 FOR 5.00
SAVE \$1.38
ON 2

For the Rite Aid Pharmacy nearest you, call 1-800-RITE-AID

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pharmacy



At Rite Aid Pharmacy, everything we do is designed to take better care of you. Our experienced pharmacists put technology to work to give you personalized service.

State of the art caring.

Rite Advice with every prescription.

The personalized safety information we provide with each new prescription answers your questions on how to take your medication, and indicates possible side effects and potentially harmful drug interactions.

Knowledgeable pharmacists.

Our experienced pharmacists always take the time to answer your medical questions and address your concerns about prescriptions or over-the-counter medications.

Personal pharmacy records on file.

Rite Aid maintains a personal prescription history for each member of your family in our state-of-the-art computer network. This information is available to you for insurance or tax reporting purposes.

Convenient prescriptions, even while you travel.

Each Rite Aid pharmacist has computer access to your prescription history. So you get the peace of mind from knowing we have nearly 2,800 locations to help you meet your health care needs.

Fact PLUS One Step
PREGNANCY TEST
• Clear Results in 5 Minutes
• 99.9% Accuracy
• Use Any Time of Day

NEW! + or - stream test

1 TEST Pregnant Not Pregnant

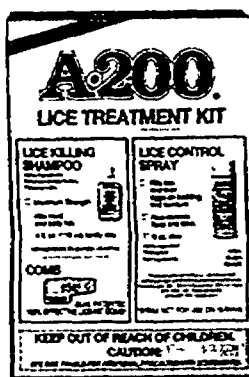
FACT PLUS ONE STEP PREGNANCY TEST KIT 1 Test **9.00** SAVE \$2.79

Painless Prices



AMERIFIT TRAINING PRODUCTS
32 Oz. Build & Gain Shake Mix, 24 Oz. Build & Burn Shake Mix, 100 Ct. Amino 1500 Tablets, 55 Ct. Burn Fat Program Tablets, 30 Ct. Yohimbe 1000 Tablets, 30 Ct. Energy Burst Tablets or 16 Oz. Liquid Amino Acid

8.00 ea.
SAVE \$1.99



A*200 LICE TREATMENT KIT

12.00
SAVE \$4.59



LACTAID EXTRA STRENGTH CAPLETS
50 Count

6.00
SAVE \$2.89



BREATH ASURE
50 Count

4.00
SAVE 99¢

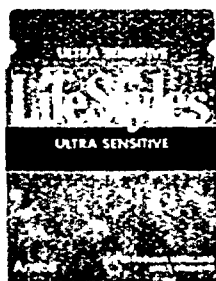
RITE AID INSTANT CASH COUPON

SAVE 50¢
ON BAN DEODORANT

1.6 Oz. Ban Clear

SALE PRICE **2.49**
INSTANT CASH COUPON **-50¢**
YOUR FINAL COST **1.99**

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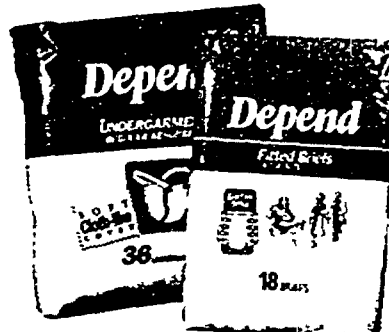
LIFESTYLES CONDOMS
36 Count, Ultra Sensitive

9.00
SAVE \$6.99



DULCOLAX
8 Count Suppositories or 50 Count Tablets

6.00
SAVE UP TO \$2.99



DEPEND
Undergarments or Briefs, 18-36 Count

14.00
SAVE \$2.99



TAVIST-1 OR TAVIST-D TABLETS
16 Count

5.00
SAVE \$2.49

Save \$100 on ONE A DAY. Any Form (except trial size)

IN-AD COUPON EXPIRES 9/21/96

SALE PRICE **4.49**
IN-AD CASH COUPON **-1.00**
YOUR FINAL COST **3.49**

Valid only at Rite Aid

01456 16500 40076 4



MOTRIN IB
50 Count, Tablets or Caplets

4.00
SAVE \$1.59

PFB BUMP FIGHTER GEL
7 Ounce **2.00**

BUMP FIGHTER RAZOR OR CARTRIDGES, 5'S **2.00**

SAVE UP TO \$1.80

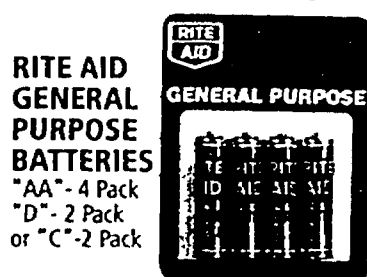


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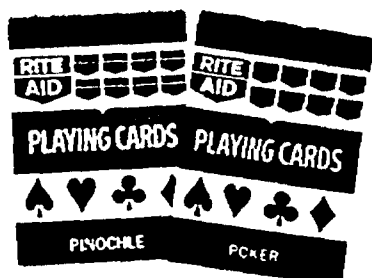
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As good as the best for a lot less.



RITE AID
GENERAL
PURPOSE
BATTERIES
"AA" - 4 Pack
"D" - 2 Pack
or "C" - 2 Pack

2 FOR **1.00**
SAVE UP
TO 75%



RITE AID
PLAYING
CARDS
Poker, Pinochle
or Jumbo

1.00
SAVE
39%



RITE AID
PAPER
TOWELS
White-Single Roll

2 FOR **1.00**
COMPARE TO
BOUNTY



RITE AID
BATHROOM
TISSUE
8 Roll Pack

2.00
SAVE
\$1.19



RITE AID
FACIAL
TISSUE
White,
175 Count

3 FOR **2.00**
COMPARE TO
KLEENEX



RITE AID
ORIGINAL
SKIN CREAM
10 oz.

1.00
SAVE
89%



RITE AID
COCOA
BUTTER
LOTION
15 oz.

2 FOR **3.00**
SAVE
\$1.58 ON 2



RITE AID
NAPKINS
250 Count

2 FOR **3.00**
SAVE
98¢ ON 2

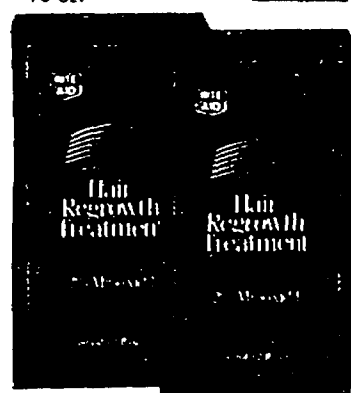


RITE AID
FABRIC
SOFTENER
64 oz.

2 FOR **3.00**
COMPARE TO
DOWNY

RITE AID
GLASS
CLEANER
22oz. with
Trigger

1.00
COMPARE TO
WINDEX



HAIR
REGROWTH
TREATMENT
FOR MEN
Single

10.00
COMPARE TO
ROGAINE



RITE AID
ANTI-
DIARRHEAL
Caplets - 18's or
Liquid 4 oz.

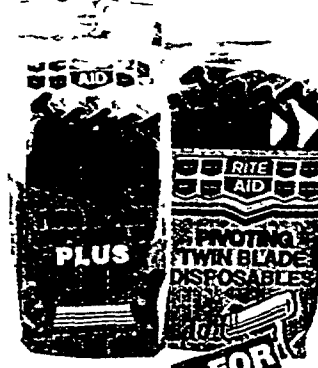
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ANTI-
DIARRHEAL
Caplets - 18's or
Liquid 4 oz.

3.00
COMPARE TO
MOODUM A-D



RITE AID
THERAPEUTIC
TAR SHAMPOO
8.5 oz.

2.00
COMPARE TO
T-GEL



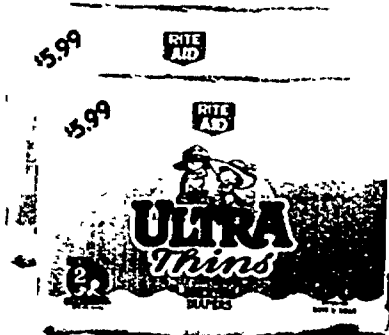
RITE AID
DISPOSABLE
RAZORS
Lady Twin Plus,
Pivot, or Reg. Twin
Plus 10 Count

2 FOR **3.00**
COMPARE TO
BIC



RITE AID
BABY
PRODUCTS
Powder, Shampoo
or Lotion - 15 oz.,
Oil - 20 oz. or
Cornstarch Powder -
14 oz.

2 FOR **3.00**
COMPARE TO
JOHNSON'S



RITE AID
DIAPERS
In Stages 22-44 Ct.
TRAINING
PANTS
For Girls or Boys
13-15 Count

2 FOR **10.00**
COMPARE TO
HUGGIES



RITE AID
PANTY
LINERS
Unscented or
Deodorant 22's

1.00
COMPARE TO
KOTEX



RITE AID
PAIN
RELIEF GEL
Reg. Strength
4 oz., or
Maximum
Strength 3 oz.

2.00
COMPARE TO
FLEX-ALL



RITE AID
DIGITAL
THERMOMETER
with Beeper

5.00
SAVE
\$1.99



RITE AID
EYE DROPS
1/2 Ounce

1.00
COMPARE TO
VISINE

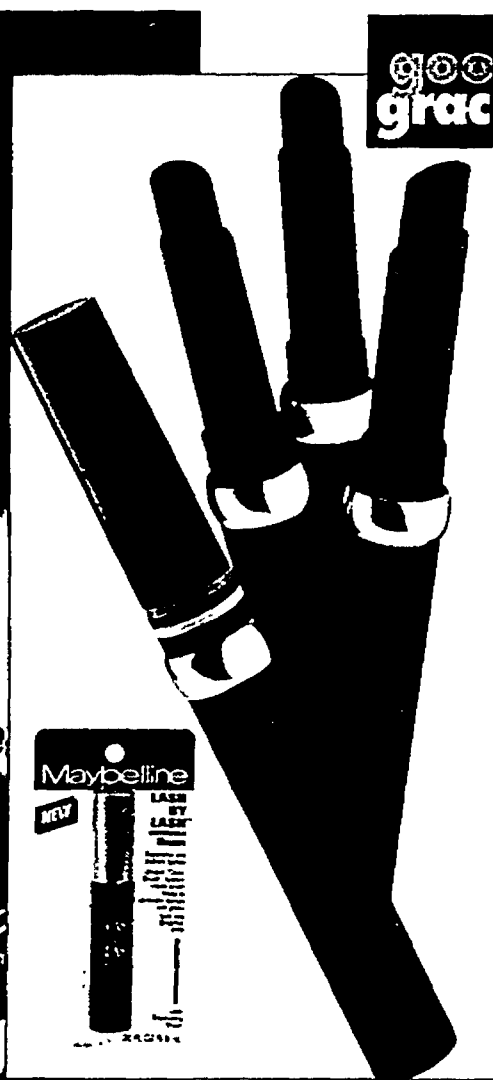
Up to 60% less than national brands.

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goodness 12 SHADES!
gracious! New

MAYBELLINE MASCARA

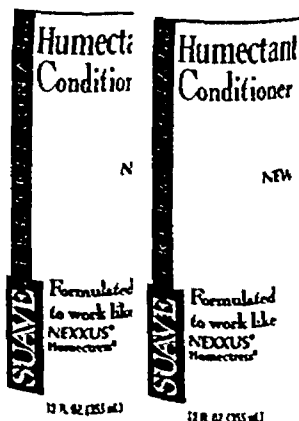
- Lash by Lash
- New Waterproof Shades!

MAYBELLINE GREAT LIP

- Budge Proof Lipcolor
- Introducing 12 New Shades

4.00 each
SAVE UP TO \$1.19

20% Single
Check
Rebate
Available



SUAVE
PROFESSIONALS
SHAMPOO
OR CONDITIONER
12 Ounce

2 FOR 3.00
SAVE \$2.16
ON 2



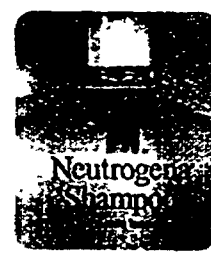
PERMA SOFT
SHAMPOO &
CONDITIONERS
13 Ounce

3.00
SAVE 70¢



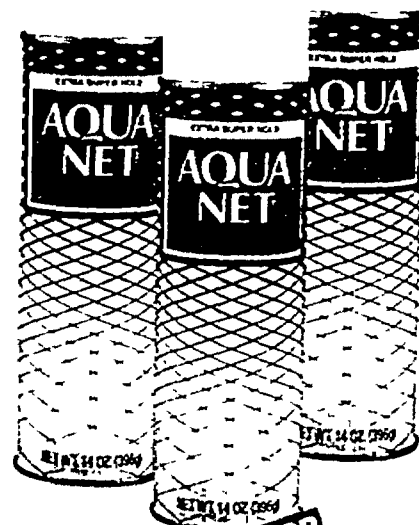
PERMA SOFT
MIST OR
MOUSSE
7 Ounce or
FRIZZ CONTROL
3 Ounce

2.00
SAVE 99¢



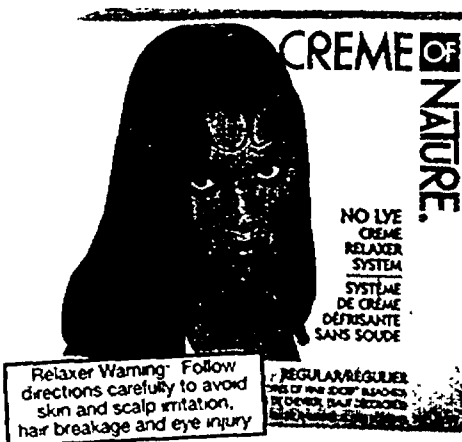
NEUTROGENA
SHAMPOO
12 Ounce

8.00
SAVE \$1.83



AQUA NET
HAIR SPRAY
14 Ounce Aerosol,
Super or Extra Super Hold

2 FOR 3.00
SAVE \$2.38
ON 2



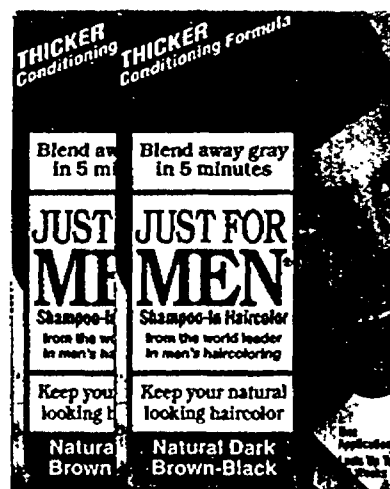
REVLON CREME
OF NATURE
No Lye Relaxer Kit,
Regular or Super

6.00
SAVE \$3.79



LET'S JAM!
STYLING &
CONDITIONING GEL
4 Ounce

2.00
SAVE \$1.99



JUST FOR MEN
HAIRCOLOR
Hair or Beard
& Mustache Color

5.00
SAVE \$1.99



GOODY BOAR
BRISTLE HAIR
BRUSH
Assorted Types

5.00 each
SAVE UP TO \$2.99

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AID**

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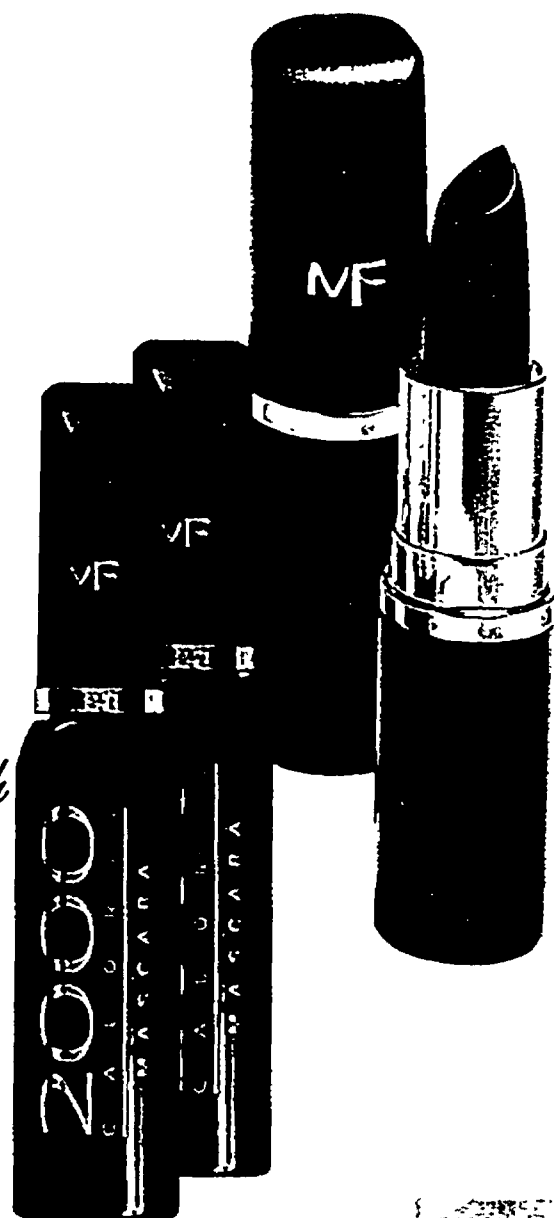
MAX FACTOR MASCARA

- 2000 Caloric
- Stretch
- Super Lash
- High Definition
- Aqua Lash

MAX FACTOR LIPSTICK

- Lasting Color

4.00 each
SAVE UP TO
\$1.63



PROFESSIONAL NAIL CARE

Kiss assorted Nails, 100 Count
or 5 Second Nail Repair Kit

4.00
SAVE
99¢



PETITES NAIL POLISH

1.00 each



CALGON INVIGORATING BODY WASH

7.75-12 Ounce

2.00
SAVE
99¢



NEUTROGENA ACNE PRODUCTS

Oil Free Acne Wash, On The
Spot Acne Wash and Clear
Pore Treatment

4.00
SAVE
\$2.29

20% Single
Check
Rebate
Available

skin starts
clear pores

Oil Free
Acne Wash

Clear Pore
Treatment

Neutrogena

CIBA-VISION

PURE EYES 1

12 Ounce.....

3.00

PURE EYES 2

12 Ounce.....

6.00

SAVE UP TO \$1.99

On-the-Spot
Acne Treatment

Neutrogena

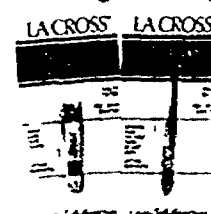
Acne Treatment

Neutrogena

RITE AID INSTANT CASH COUPON

SAVE 75¢

ON YOUR
PURCHASE OF
ANY LACROSS
GROOMING
IMPLEMENT

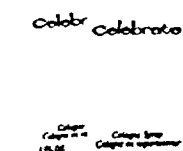


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RITE AID INSTANT CASH COUPON

SAVE \$3.00

ON YOUR
PURCHASE OF
ANY QUINTESSENCE
FRAGRANCE



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RITE AID INSTANT CASH COUPON

SAVE \$1.00

ON Keri LOTION

6.5 Oz.



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RITE AID INSTANT CASH COUPON

SAVE \$1.50

ON SEA BREEZE



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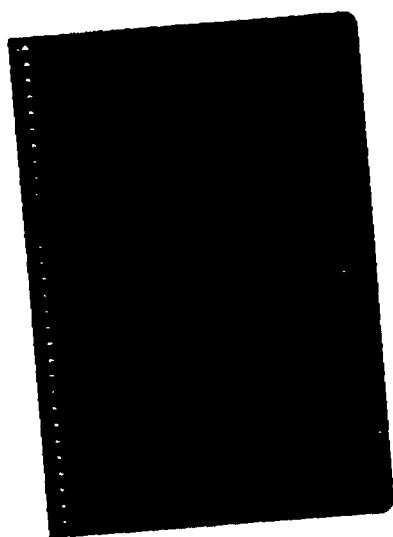
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Score High Marks With
LOW PRICES

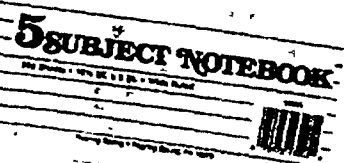
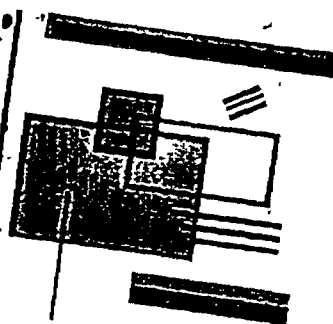


GRAD.
3 SUBJECT
NOTEBOOK
138 Count, 9.5" x 6"

2.00
SAVE \$1.19

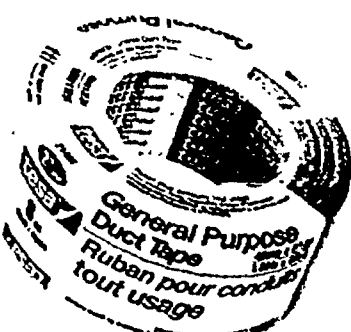
GEOMETRIC
DESIGN
5 SUBJECT
NOTEBOOK
200 Count

2.00
SAVE \$1.79



RITE AID
INVISIBLE TAPE
1/2" X 1350"

2 FOR 1.00
SAVE 98¢ ON 2



DUCT
TAPE
2 Inch x 30 Yards

2.00
SAVE \$1.69



HARTZ 2 in 1
FLEA & TICK
COLLARS
Available in Puppy,
Dog or Cat

2 FOR 5.00
SAVE \$1.98 on 2



NOVA DOG
CHEWS
Hickory Smoked, Peanut
Butter, Honey or Beef

2.00 each
SAVE 49¢



WD-40
LUBRICANT
9 Ounce Spray

2.00
SAVE 39¢

Lysol Healthy Home Cleansers



LYSOL
DISINFECTANT
CLEANER
28 Ounce

2 FOR 5.00
SAVE 98¢ ON 2



LYSOL
ANTIBACTERIAL
KITCHEN
CLEANER
22 Ounce

2.00
SAVE 69¢



LYSOL TOILET
BOWL CLEANER
24 Ounce

2 FOR 3.00
SAVE \$1.38 on 2

ARM & HAMMER
CARPET & ROOM
DEODORIZER
21 Ounce
Country or Pet Fresh

3 FOR 4.00



ZEST, COAST
OR SAFEGUARD
SOAP
3 Pack, 5 oz. Bars

2 FOR 3.00
SAVE \$1.98 ON 2



MOTH
BALLS OR
FLAKES
14 Ounce Box

2 FOR 3.00
SAVE 99¢



GLAD
LAWN
BAGS
39 Gallon

2 FOR 5.00
SAVE \$1.98 on 2



GLAD
TRASH
BAGS
10 Count

2.00
SAVE 29¢



GLAD CLING
WRAP 100 FT.
OR 80 COUNT.
SANDWICH BAGS

1.00 each
SAVE 69¢



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Prescription for EDUCATION



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Every time you play Prescription for Education, you and the schools in southeast Michigan get a chance to win from more than 12,000 prizes valued at \$350,000. Just visit any Rite Aid store and ask for your scratch-off game ticket. You don't even have to buy anything. You could be an instant winner. And every non-winning ticket is valuable to area students. They are collecting game tickets to help their schools win prizes like a computer lab, audio-visual equipment and more. For details, just call 1-888-RxForED (1-888-793-6733).

Program runs September 15-December 15

No Purchase necessary. Must be a U.S. resident, 18 years or older

Best Memories



QUALITY PROCESSING



4" Jumbo
Double Prints



3" Double
Prints With
FREE Film

FREE
Film!



\$5⁹⁹

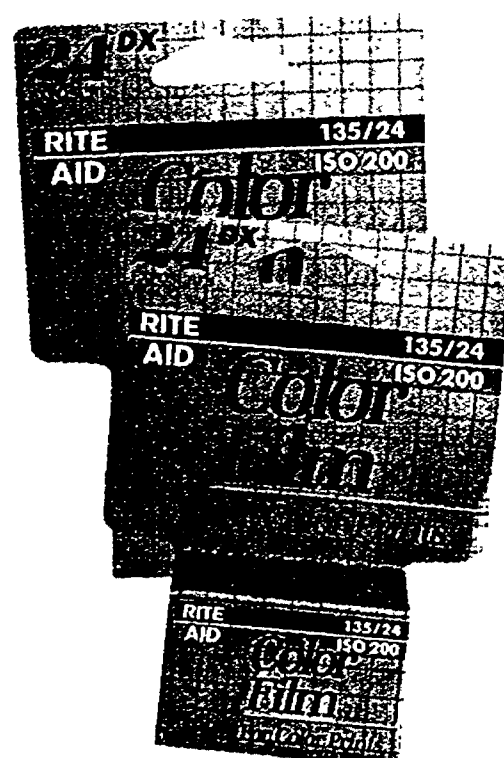
24 Exposures
with coupon

RITE AID PROCESSING COUPON

4" Jumbo Double Prints or 3" Double Prints

ONLY \$5⁹⁹ 12 Exp. \$3.99
24 Exp. 36 Exp. \$8.99

TO REDEEM: Check 4" Jumbo Double or 3" Double Prints option on right side of order envelope. Check "Coupon Enclosed" box and enclose film into envelope. Limit one coupon per roll. Original coupon must accompany order. Cannot be combined with any other offer. Coupon expires 9/21/86.



RITE AID
COLOR FILM
35 mm, 200 ISO
24 Exposures

2 FOR
3⁰⁰
SAVE \$2.98
ON 2

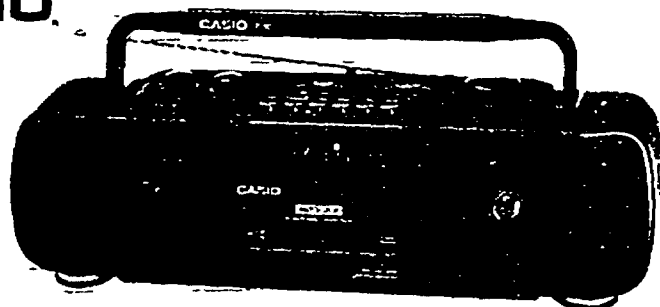
SAVE 55¢ \$ 24^{EXP}
SAVE 55¢ \$ 24^{EXP}



KODAK FILM
110, 200 ASA
24 Exposures

2 FOR
5⁰⁰
SAVE \$2.58
ON 2

CASIO



CP-80

AM/FM Stereo
Cassette Player/Recorder
• 2-Way 4-Speaker System
• Automatic Recording Level Control (ALC)
• Automatic End of Tape Shut Off
• Telescopic Antenna
• LED FM Stereo Indicator
• Built-in Condenser Mic
• Wide Range 3" Speaker
• AC or DC Operation — Uses 4 "D" Batteries (Not Included)

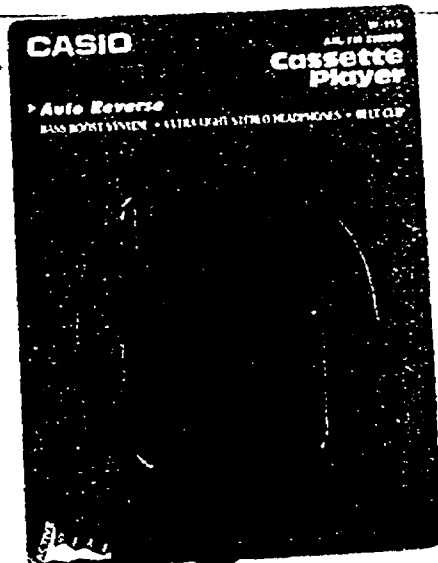
CASIO AM/FM
STEREO CASSETTE
PLAYER/RECORDER
#CP80

25⁰⁰
SAVE \$4.99



TIMEX INDIGLO
CLOCK RADIO
AM/FM
#T422B

17⁰⁰
SAVE \$2.99



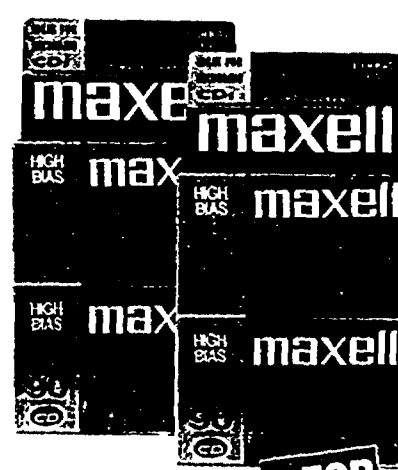
CASIO AM/FM
STEREO PERSONAL
CASSETTE PLAYER
Auto Reverse
#W-115

20⁰⁰
SAVE \$6.99



MAXELL VHS
TAPE
High Grade
T-120

2 FOR
6⁰⁰
SAVE \$4.38
ON 2



MAXELL XLII
90 MINUTE
AUDIO TAPE
2 Pack

2 FOR
7⁰⁰
SAVE \$6.98
ON 2

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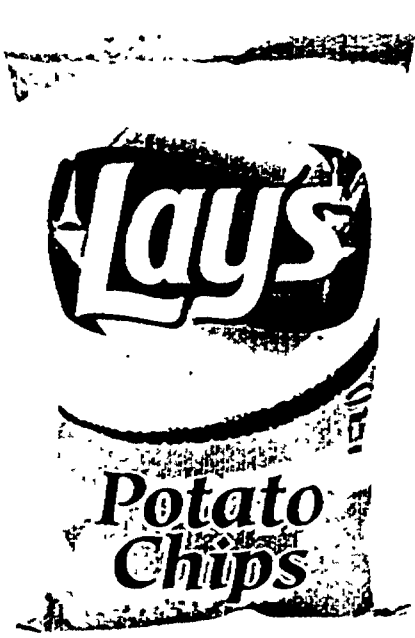


Beverage Center



COKE, DIET COKE,
CAFFEINE FREE
DIET COKE OR
SPRITE
2 Liter Bottle
Plus Deposit

99¢



LAY'S
POTATO CHIPS
Assorted Flavors
6 oz. Bag

99¢ SAVE 60¢



BUDWEISER
BEER
Reg., Light or Ice
Case of 24
12 oz. Cans

13⁶⁹
Plus Deposit



MOLSON ICE
BEER
12 Pack,
12 oz. Bottles

7⁴⁹
Plus Deposit



MILWAUKEE'S
BEST BEER
30 Pack, Reg. Light,
12 oz. Cans

7⁴⁹
Plus Deposit



BACARDI
BREEZERS
4 Pack Bottles,
Assorted Flavors

7⁰⁰ 2 FOR

GALLO
LIVINGSTON
CELLARS
WINE
1.5 Liter, Assorted

9⁰⁰ 2 FOR

GOSSAMER
BAY
CHARDONNAY
750ml

6⁰⁰

SUTTER
HOME WHITE
ZINFANDEL
750ml

9⁰⁰ 2 FOR

CARLO ROSSI
WINE
4.0 Liter,
Assorted Types

8⁰⁰

SMIRNOFF
VODKA
750ml,
80 Proof

9⁹⁵

JACK DANIEL'S
BLACK LABEL
WHISKEY
750ml

16⁵⁹

KAHLUA
750ml

21⁹⁷

Your one-stop food shop.



SUNSWEET
PITTED
PRUNES
12 Ounce

1²⁹ SAVE 30¢



HUNT'S
SPAGHETTI
SAUCE
Traditional, with
Meat or Mushroom
27.5 Ounce

89¢ SAVE 10¢



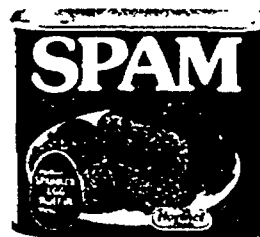
CHEF
BOYARDEE
Beefaroni or
Spaghetti &
Meatballs
15 Ounce

99¢



SAN
FRANCISCO
BARVARIAN
STYLE
PRETZELS
14 Ounce

99¢



SPAM
12 Ounce

1⁷⁹

MELODY FARMS
2% MILK
1 Gallon
May not be available
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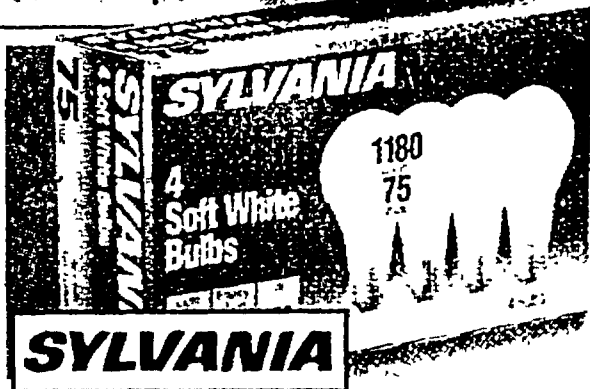
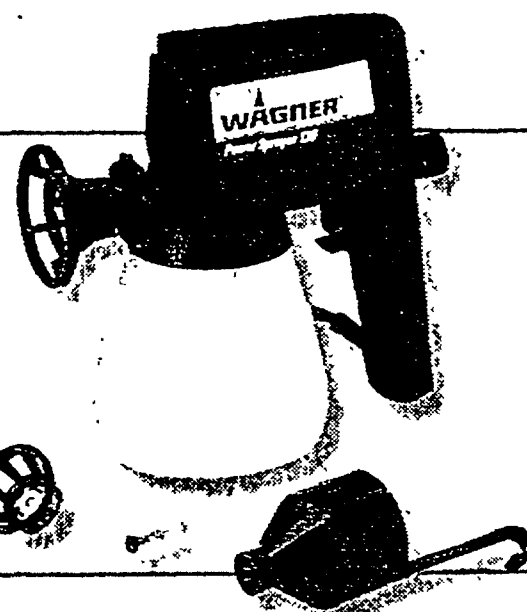
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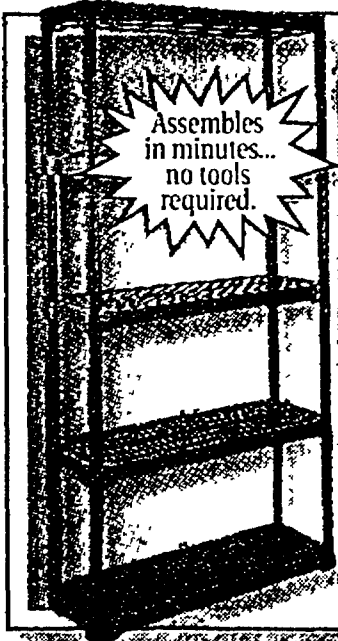
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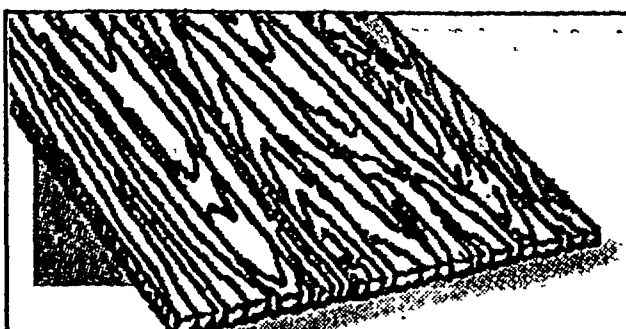
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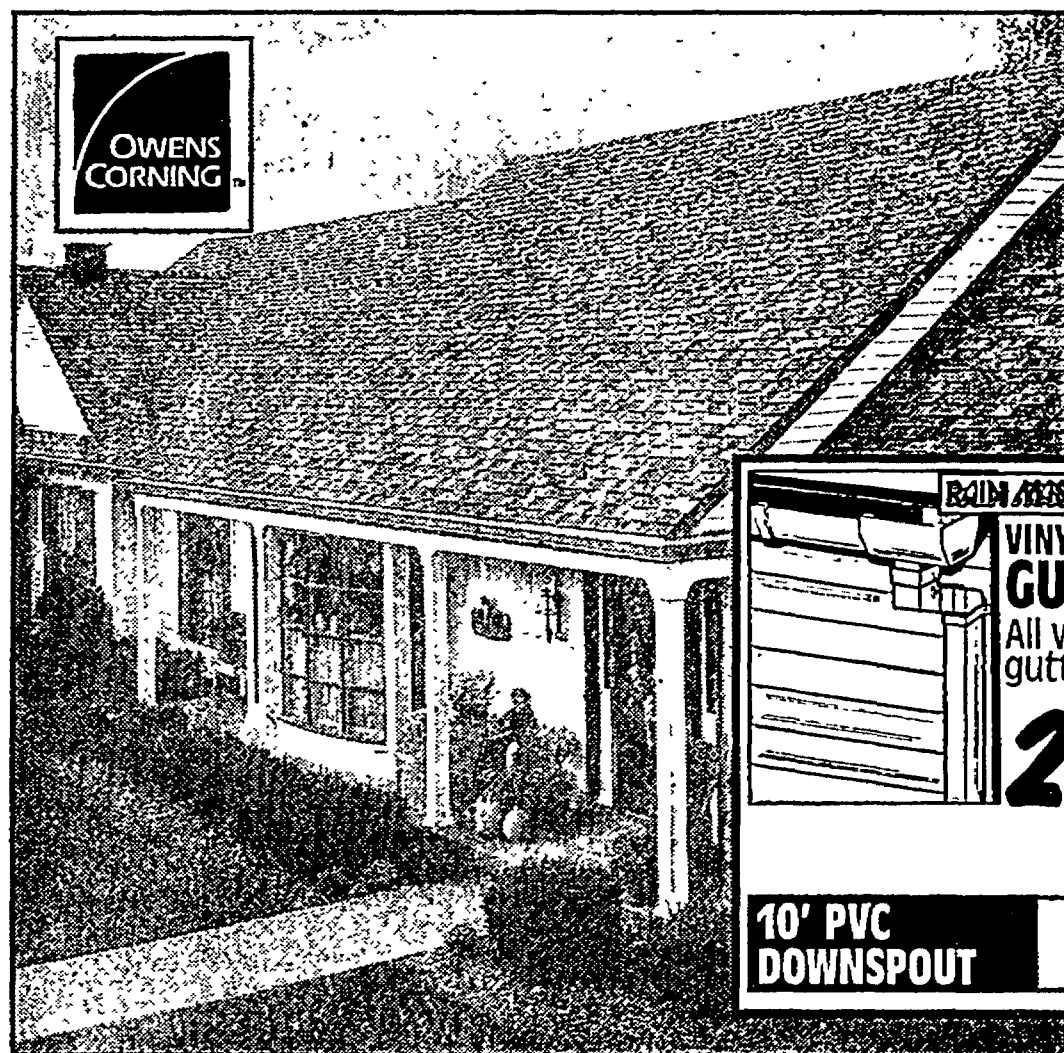
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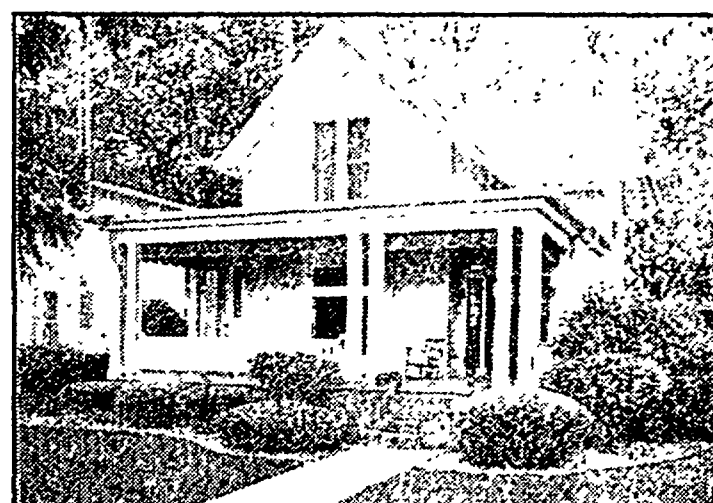


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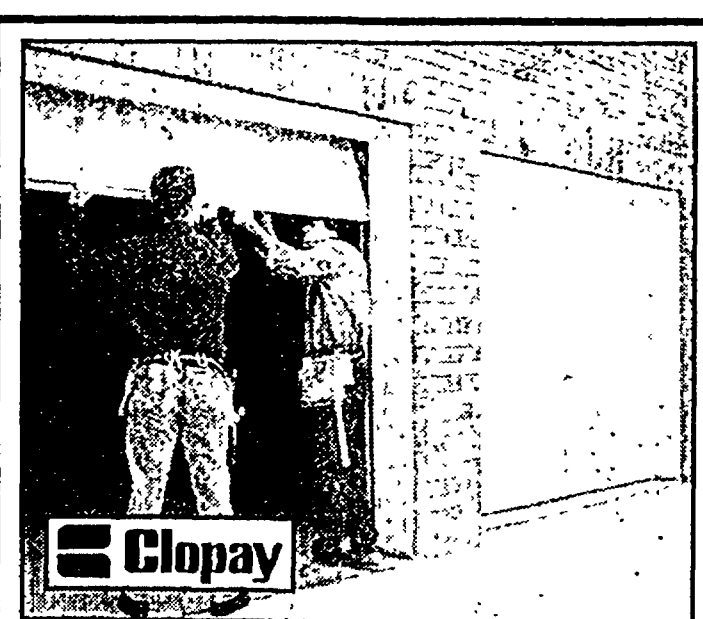
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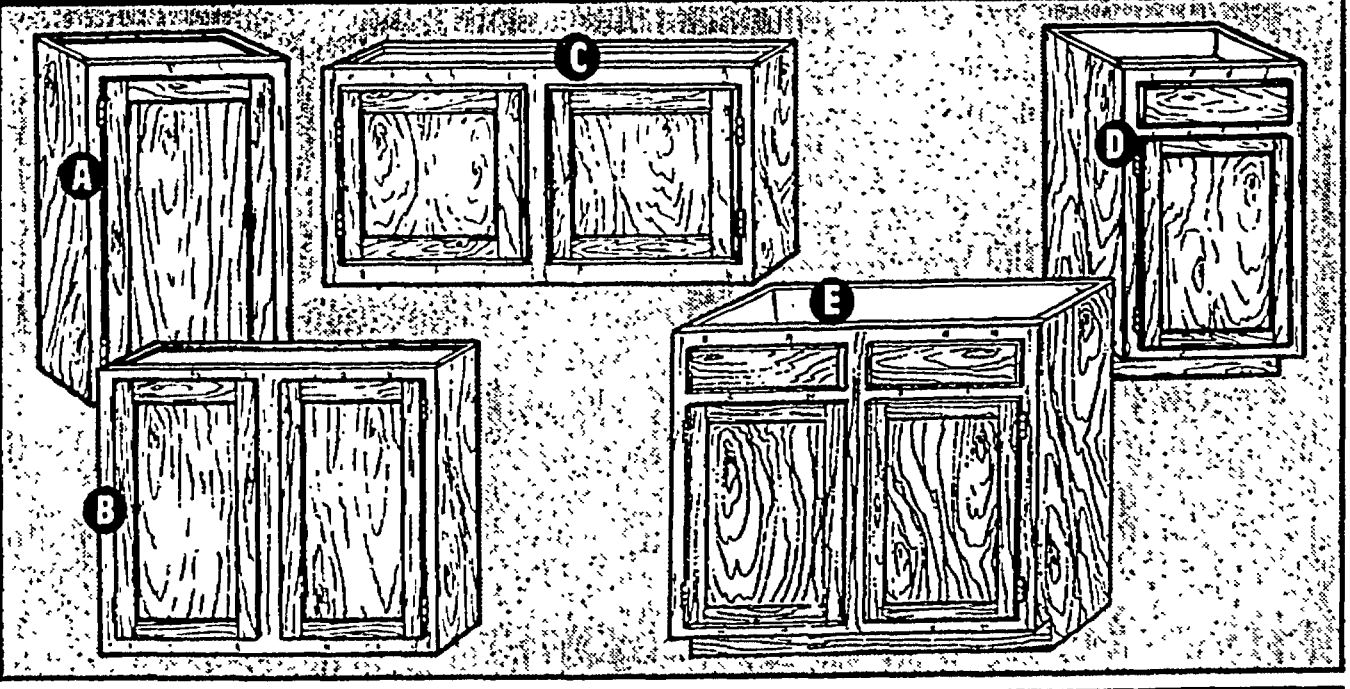
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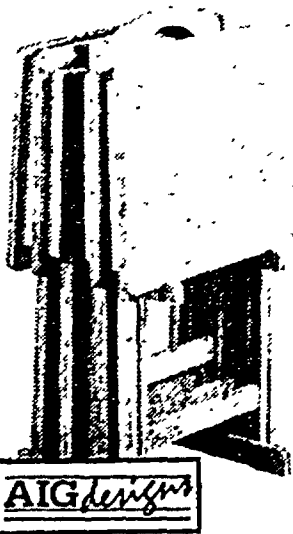
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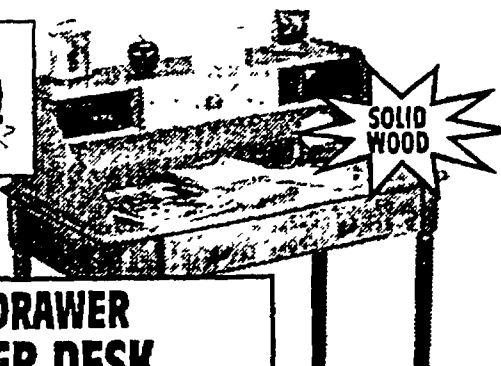
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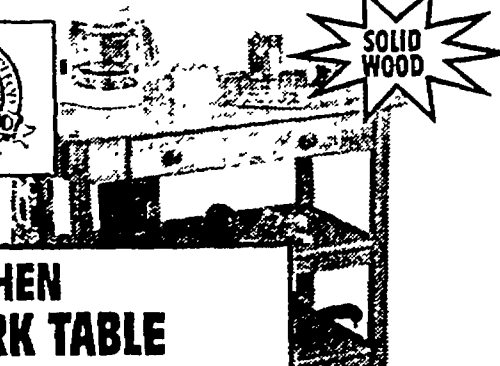
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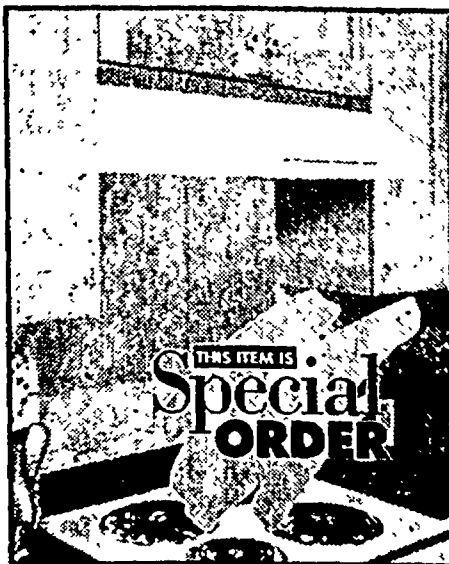
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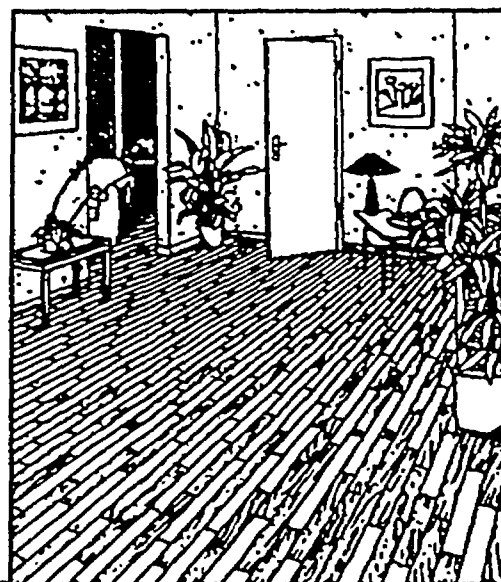
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OAK PLANK
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Choose from natural oak,
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3¹⁰ PER SQ. FT.*
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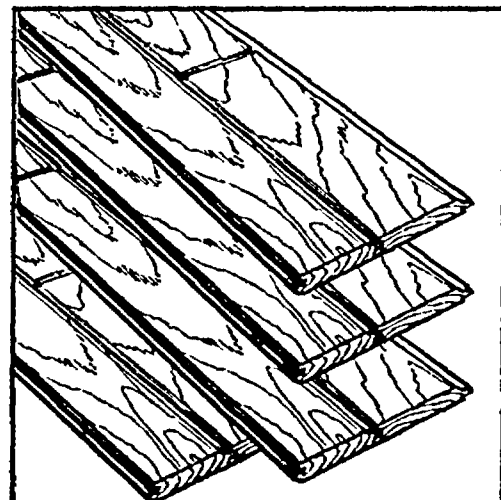
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FLOOR TILE**

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CARTON **23.43**

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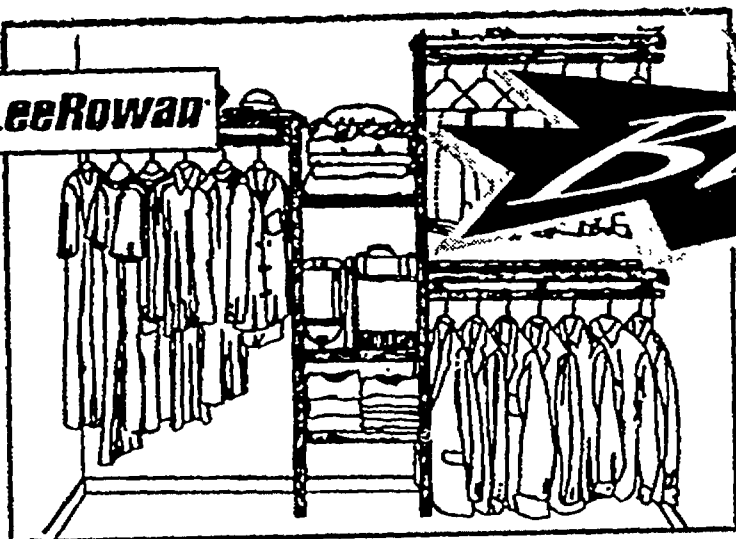
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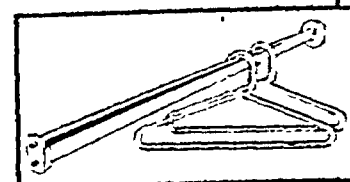
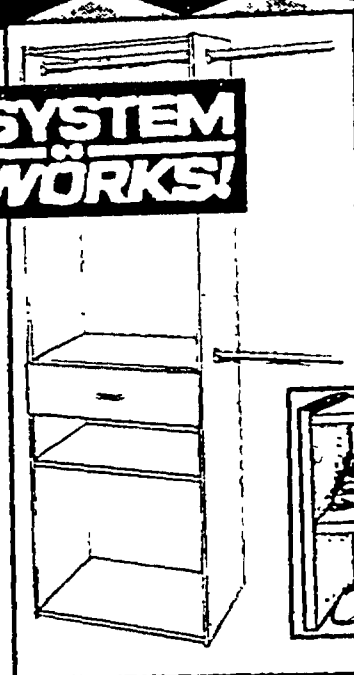
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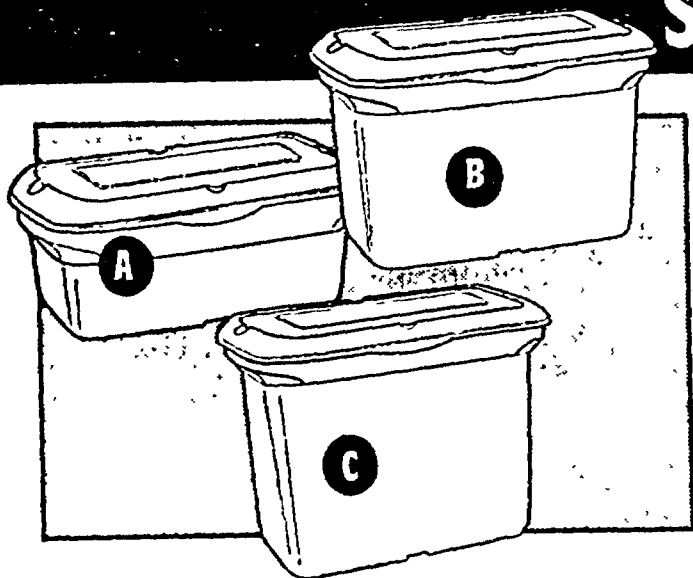
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STORAGE CABINET UNIT \$109

12" H X 31" W X 12" D
SHOE STACKER \$13

71" H X 24" W X 16" W
STARTER PACK \$69

48" POLE SET
STORAGE ACCESSORY \$8

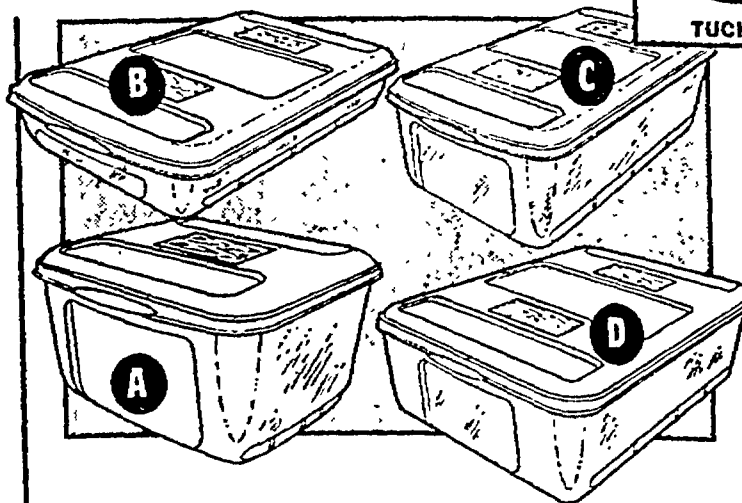
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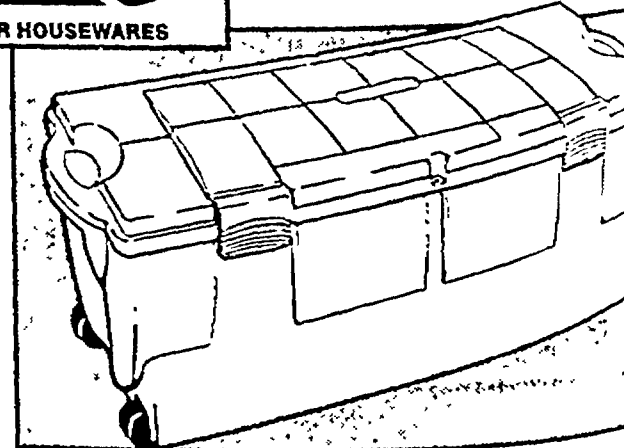


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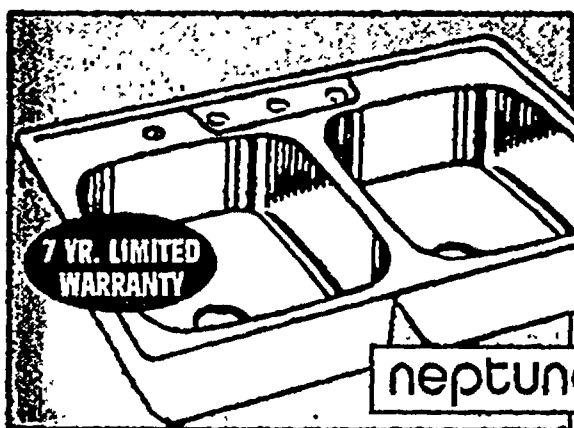
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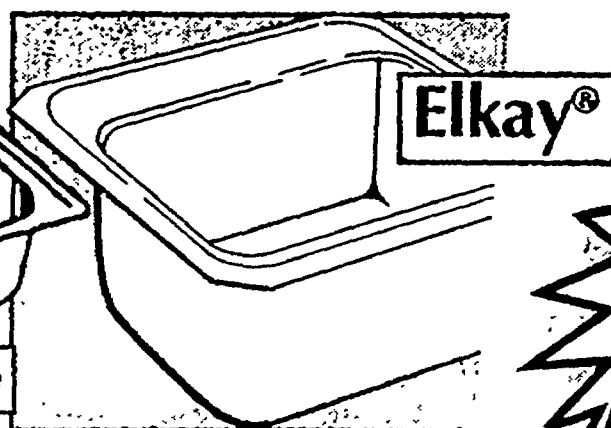
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STAINLESS STEEL

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Brilliant finish
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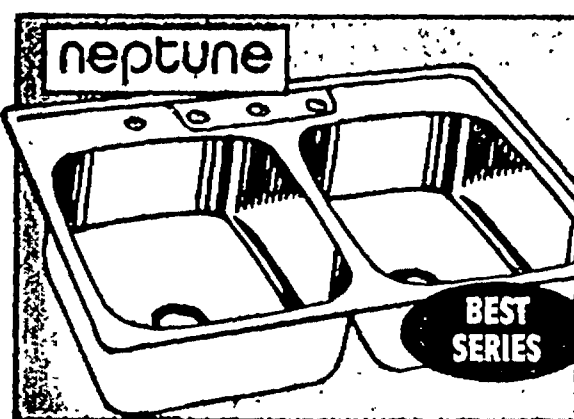
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CELEBRITY BAR SINK

6" deep -
15" x 15"
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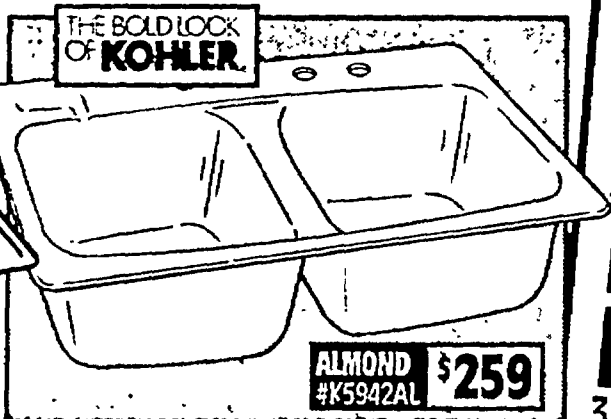
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STAINLESS STEEL

8" extra deep -
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Mirror
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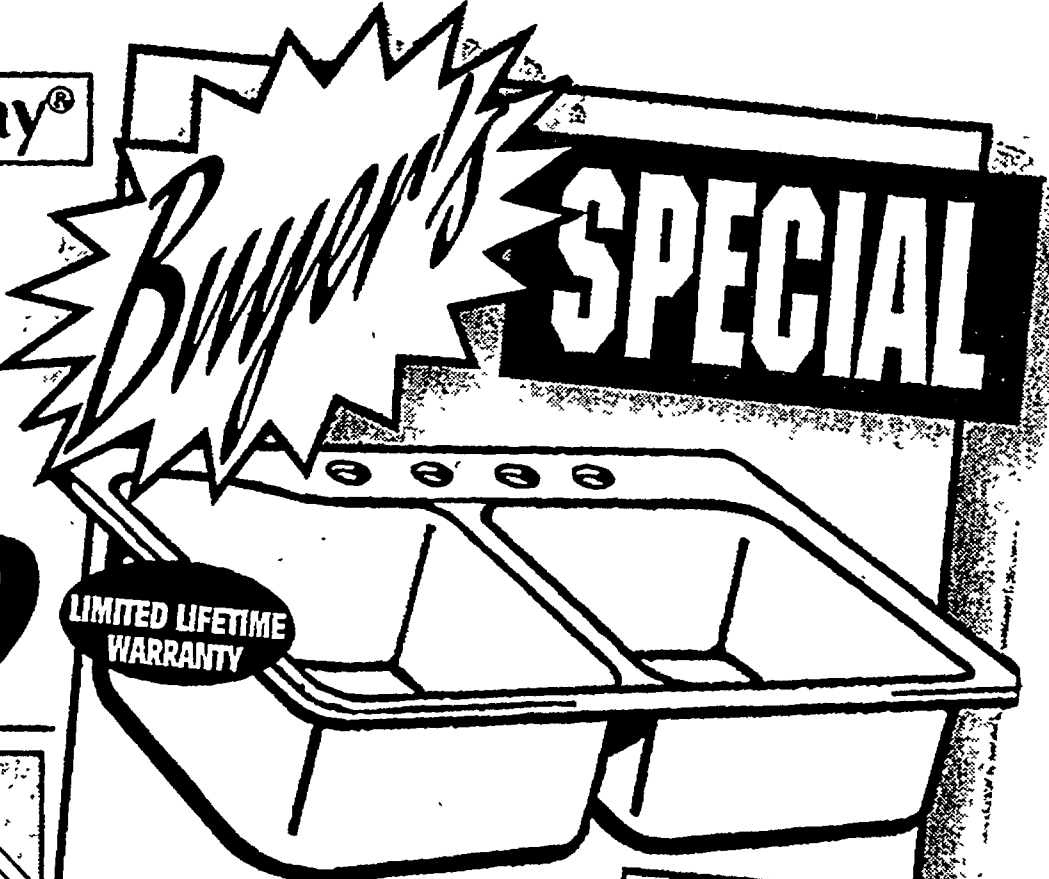
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BROOKFIELD SINK

33" x 22" - white.
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Self-rimming.
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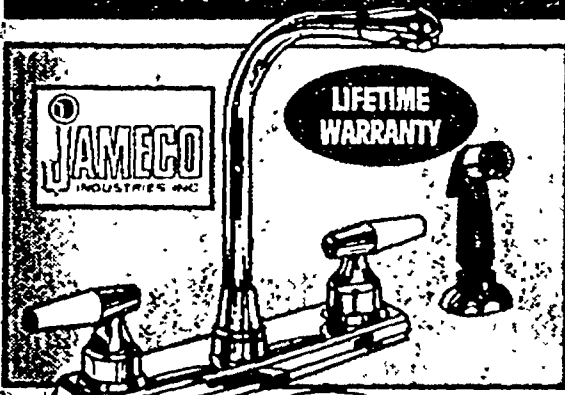
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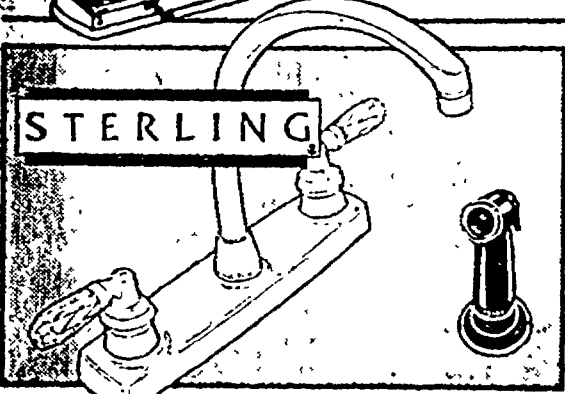
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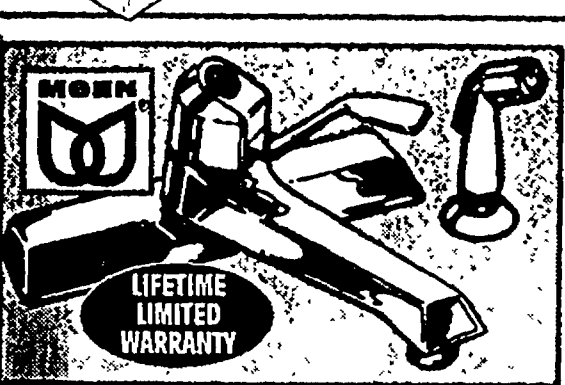
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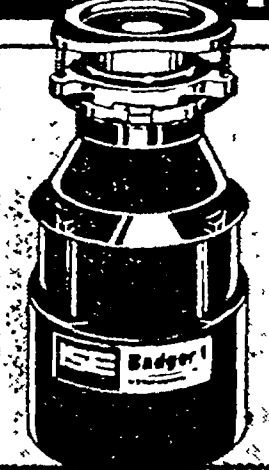
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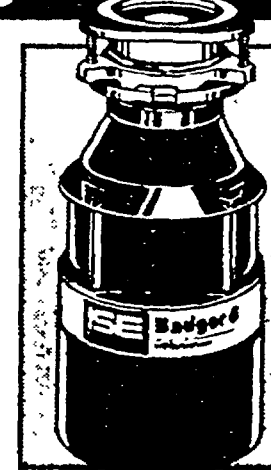
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STEEL



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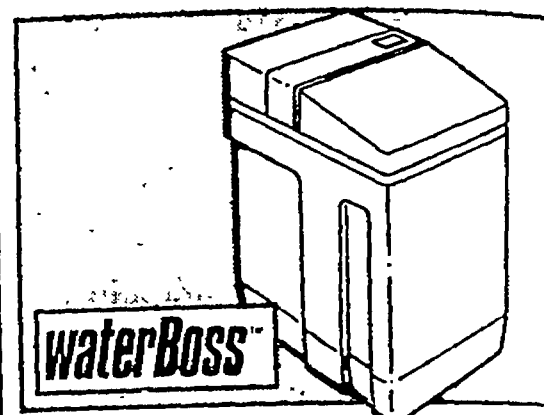
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40 LBS.



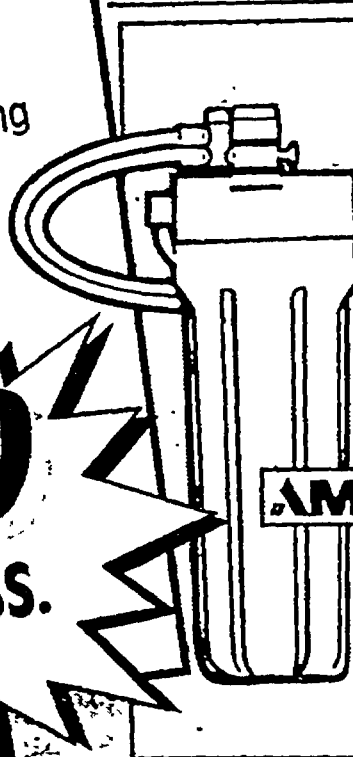
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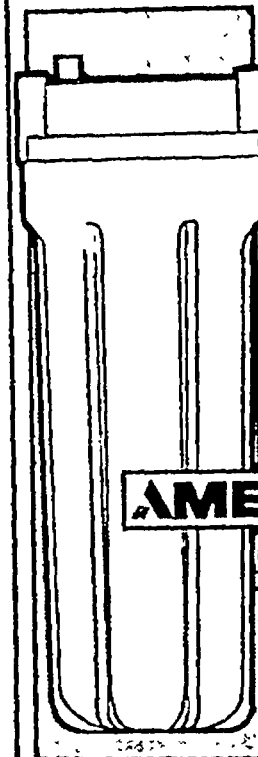
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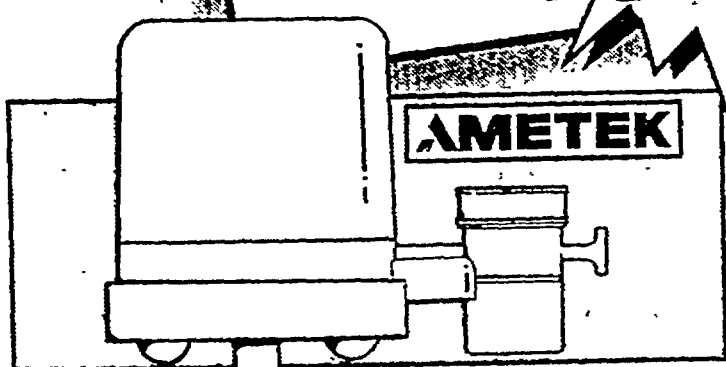
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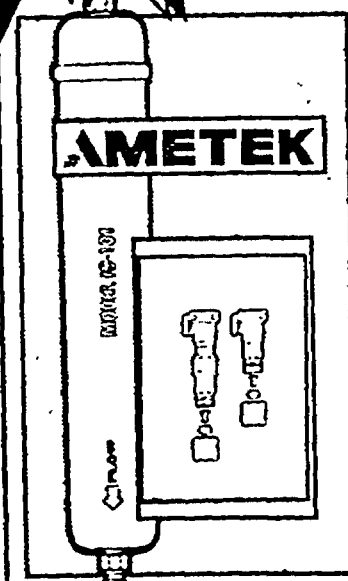
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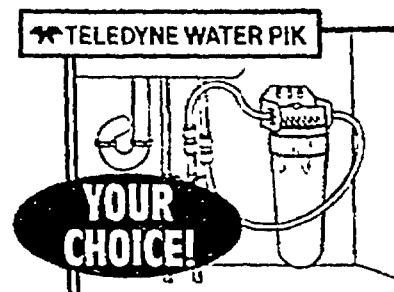
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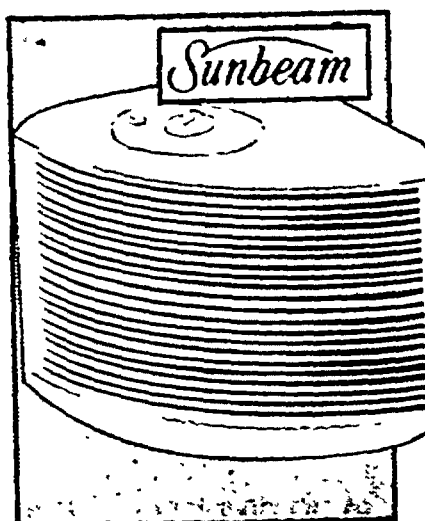
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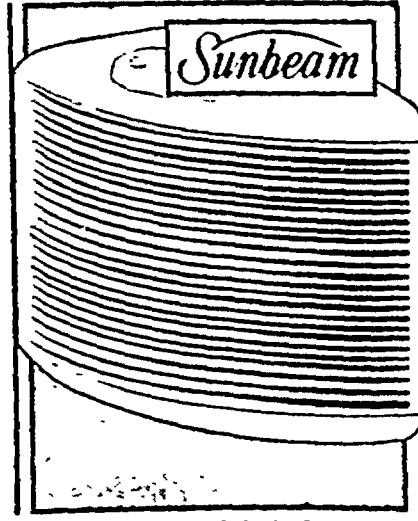
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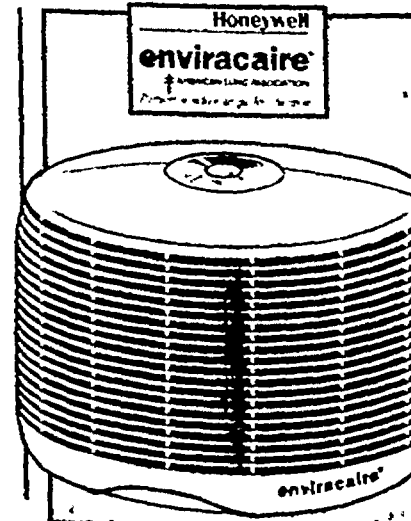
HEPA-TYPE AIR CLEANER
95% efficient filter. 3 speeds. Ionizer with on/off switch.

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#2586



HEPA AIR CLEANER
True Hepa filter. 99.97% efficient filter. Ionizer with on/off switch.

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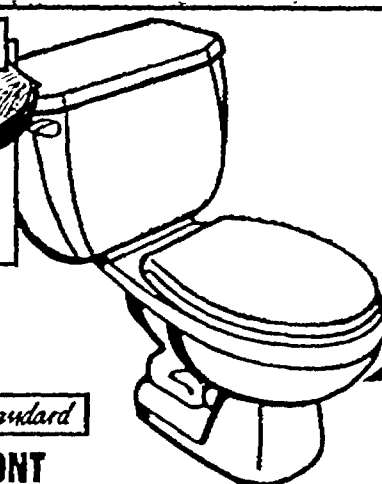
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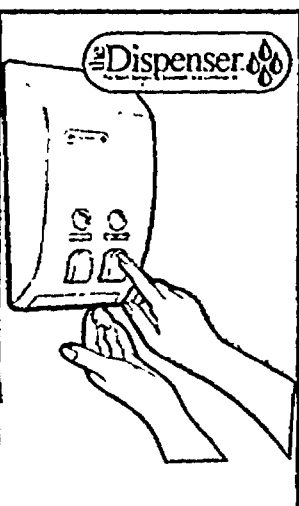
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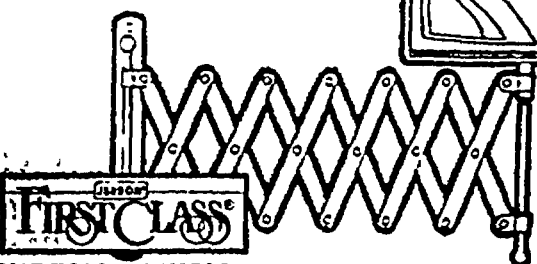


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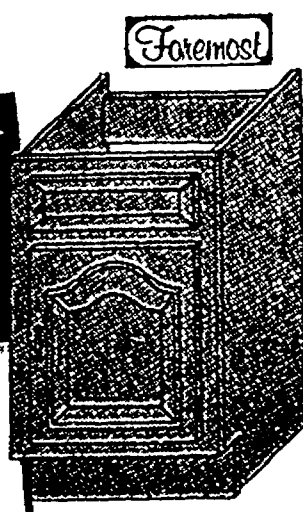
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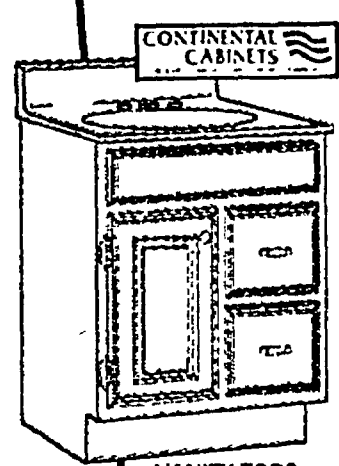
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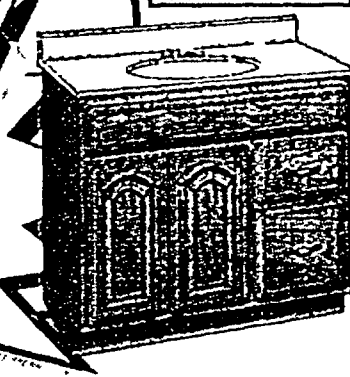


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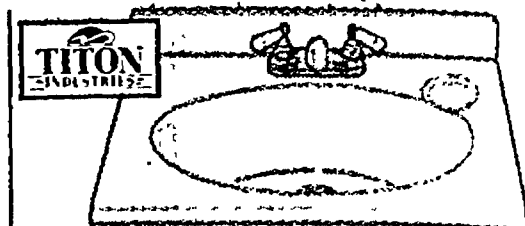


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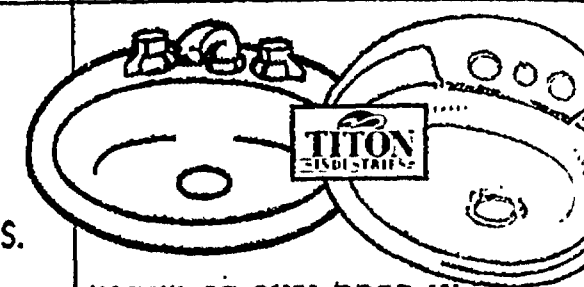
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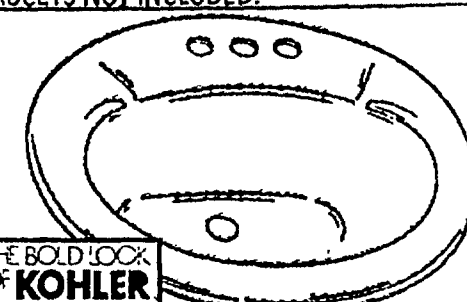
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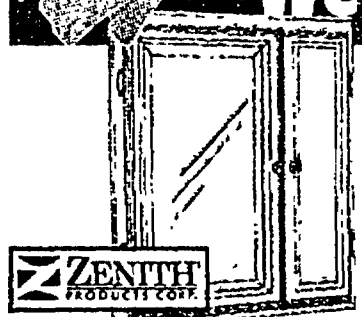


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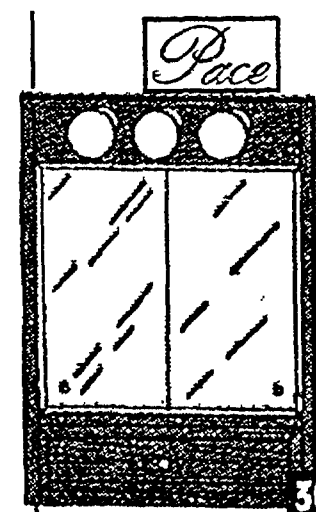
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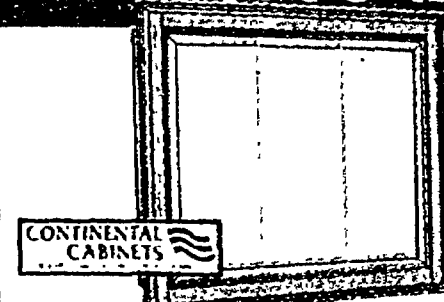
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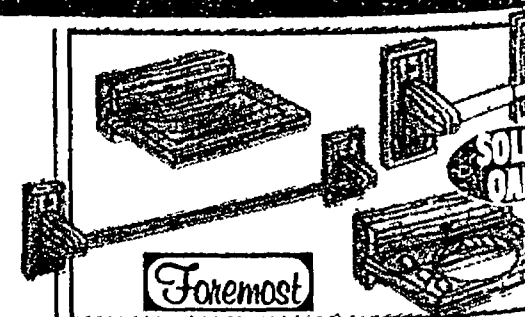
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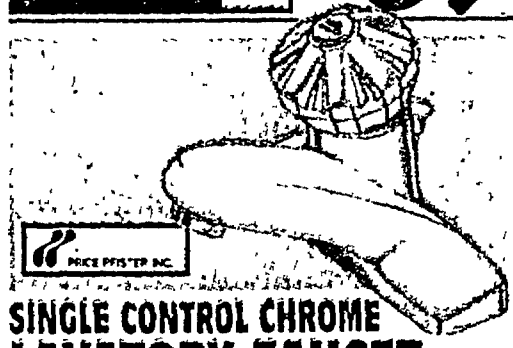
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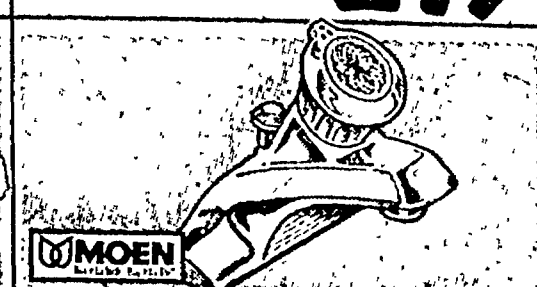
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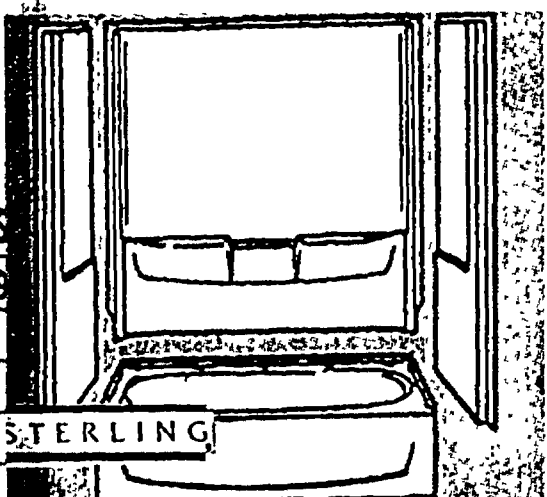
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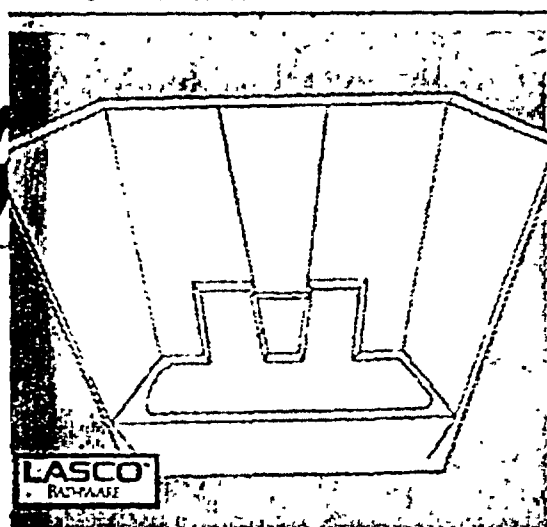


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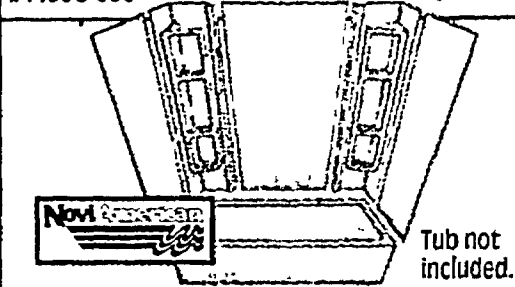
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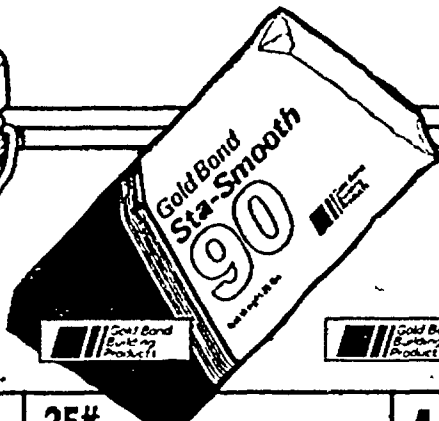
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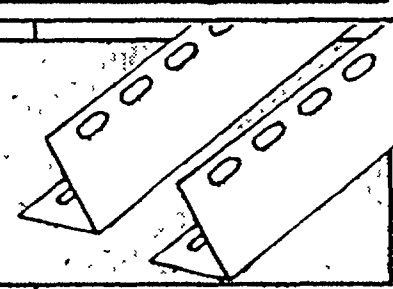
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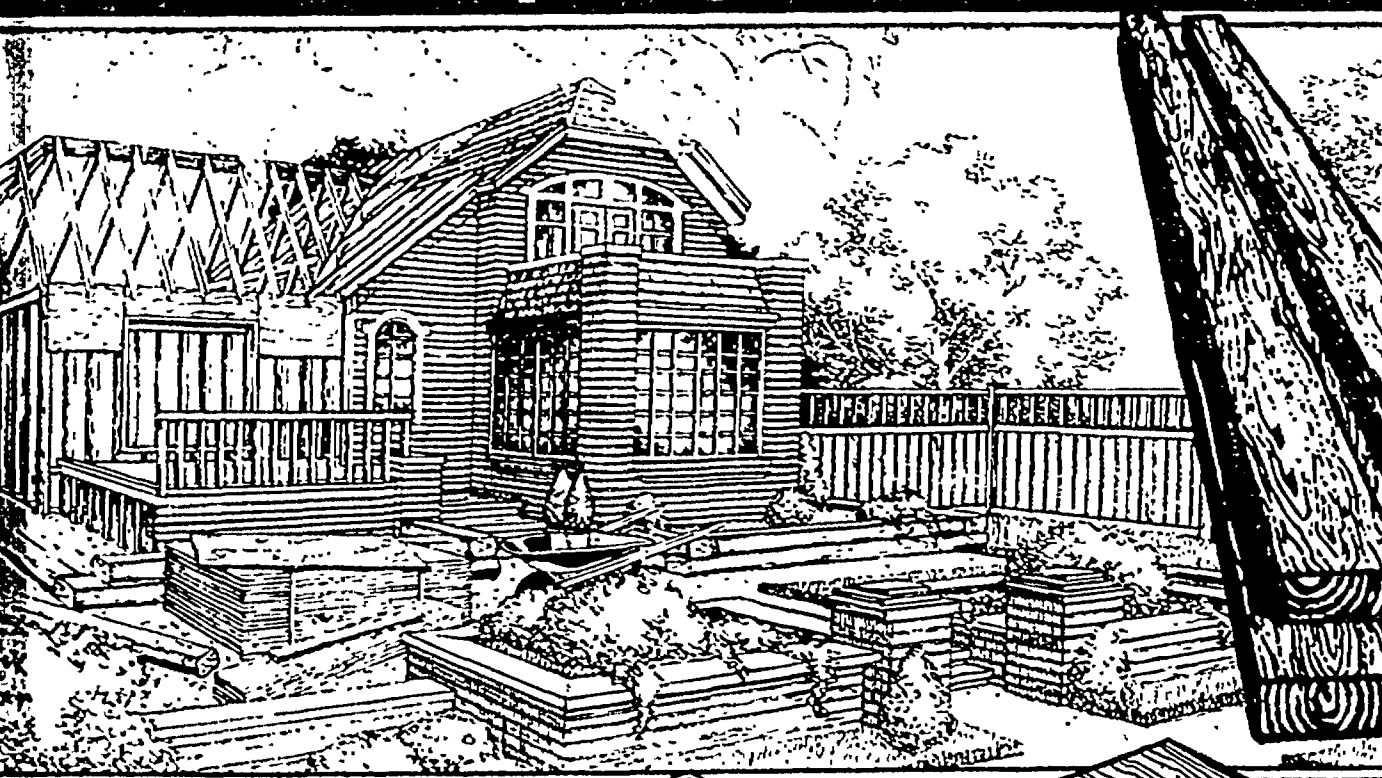
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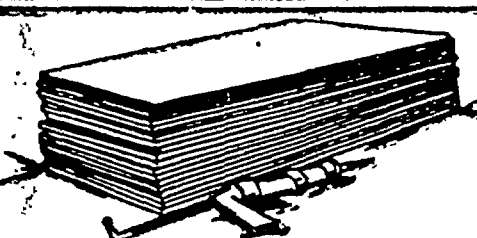
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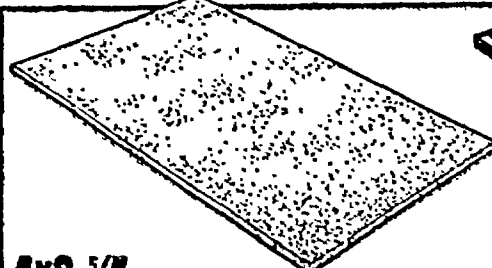
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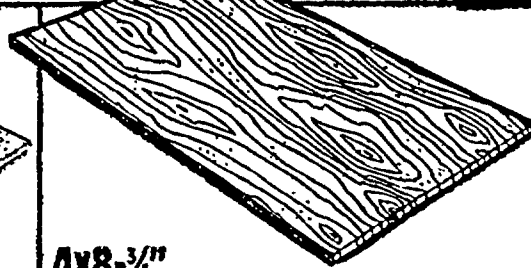


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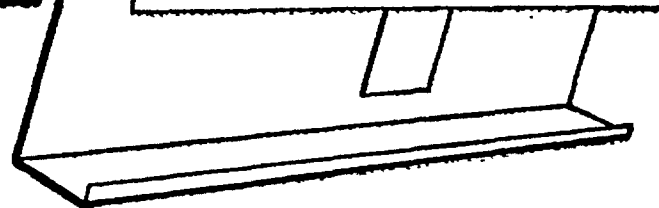
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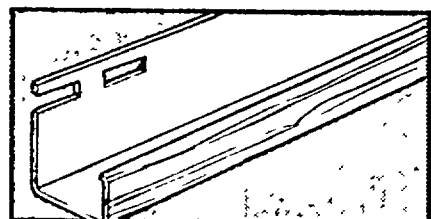
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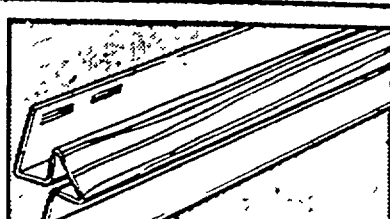
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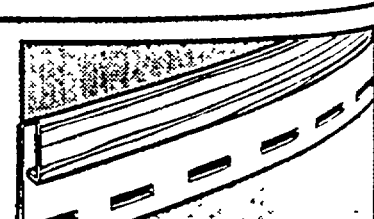
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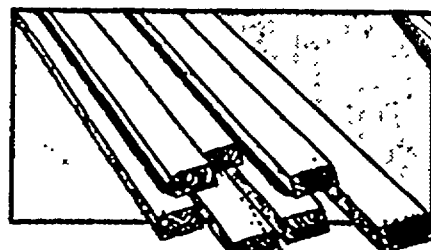
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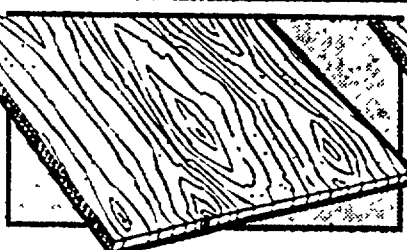
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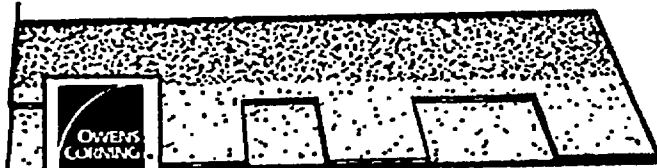
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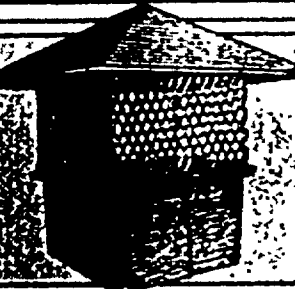
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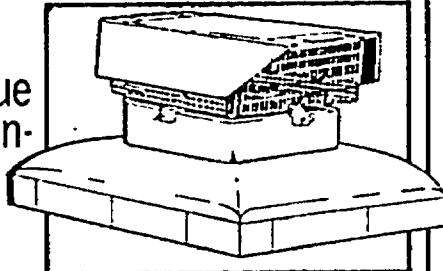
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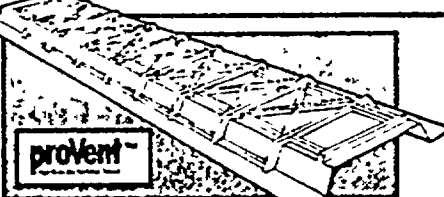
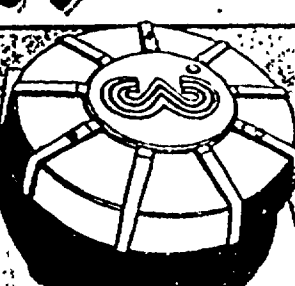
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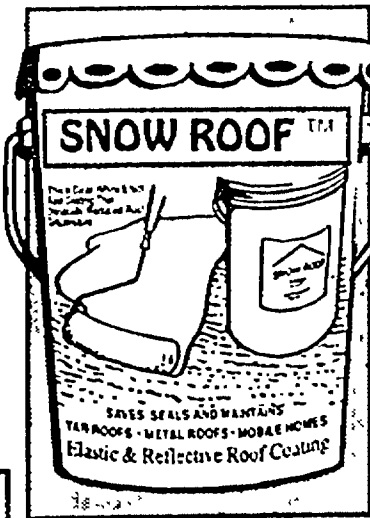


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Complies with minimum specifications for new or re-roofing. American made.

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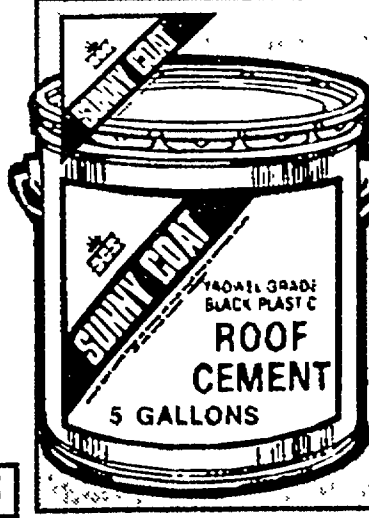


5 GAL. WHITE ELASTIC ROOF COATING

Thick, cool, white elastic roof coating that drastically reduces roof temperatures. Easy to apply with low maintenance.

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5 GALLON PLASTIC ROOF CEMENT

Asphaltic, fibered patching cement used for repairing and sealing.

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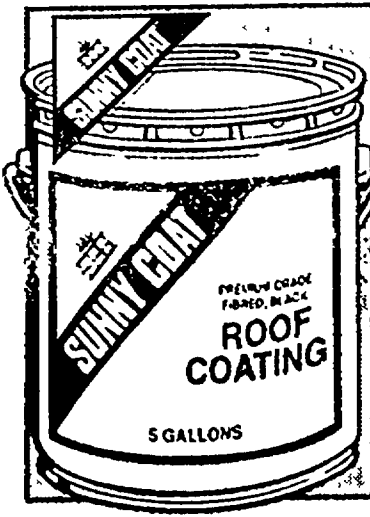
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MINERAL SURFACED ROLL ROOFING

Covers approximately 100 square foot per roll. Available in several popular colors.

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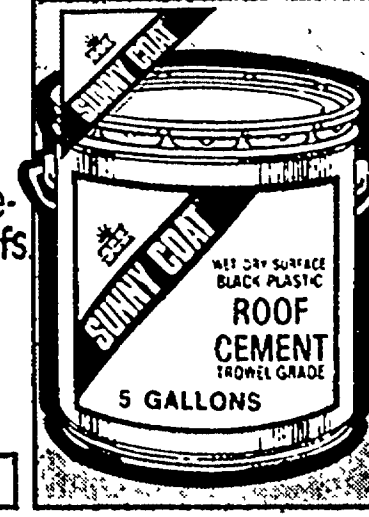


5 GAL. FIBERED ROOF COATING

Asphalt, premium grade black, fibrous coating. Waterproofs and rejuvenates worn, built-up roofs.

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5 GALLON WET/DRY PLASTIC ROOF CEMENT

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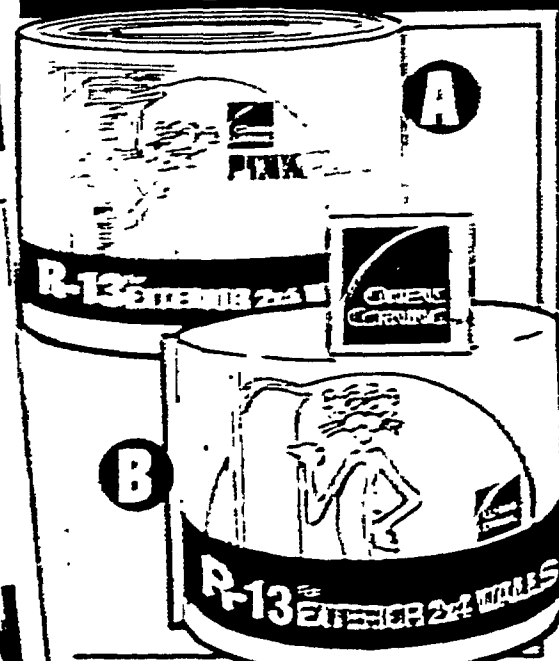


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R-25 PINK PLUS MIRAFLEX INSULATION

New compact roll. No vapor barrier/perforated poly wrap. Iron free. #45

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A. 31 1/2" X 15" 77.5 SQ. FT.
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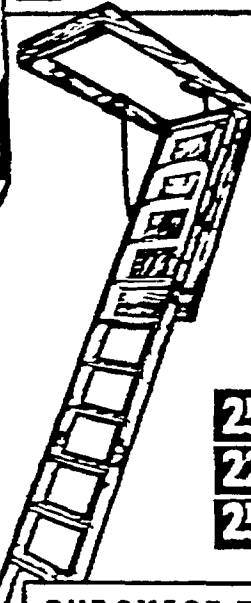
Comfortable to touch. #32

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B. 31 1/2" X 15"
R-13 KRAFT FACED MINI ROLL INSULATION

40 sq. ft. coverage per roll. #32

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22.5X54X8'9"
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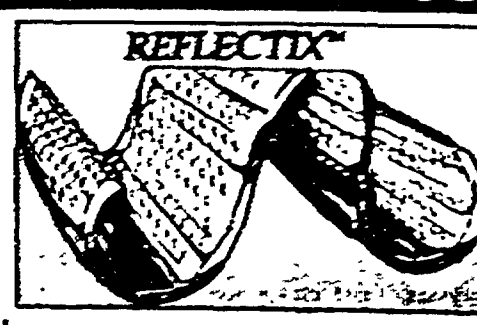
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31 1/2" X 23" X 94"
KRAFT WALL FIBERGLASS INSULATION

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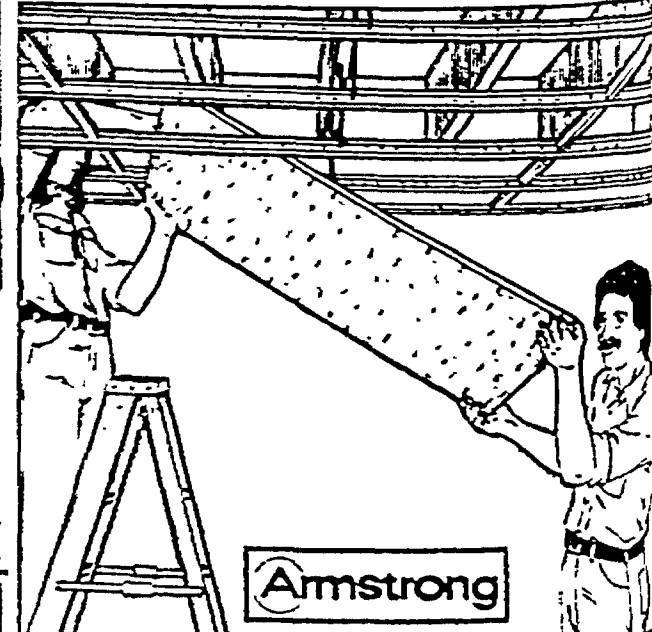
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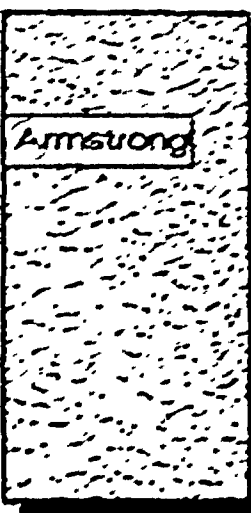
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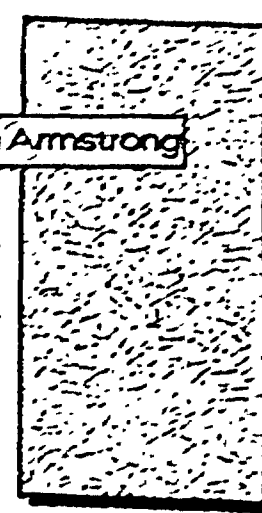
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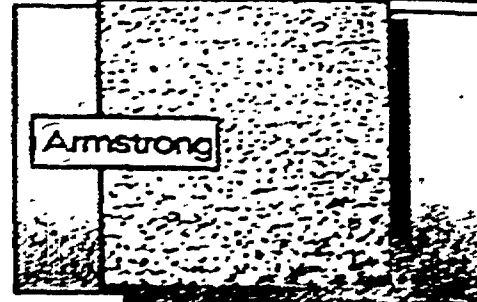
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BRIGHTON CEILING TILE 2X2 TILE

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10'	WALL ANGLE	2.22
12'	MAIN RUNNER	4.50

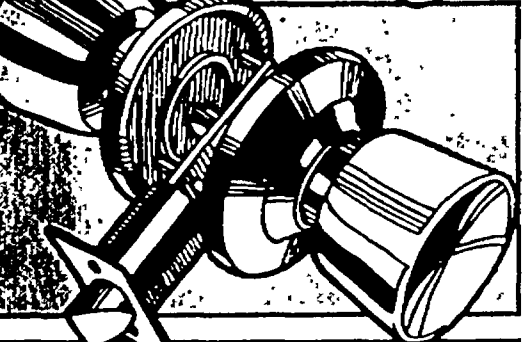
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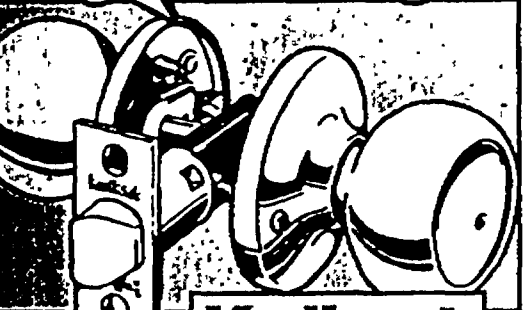
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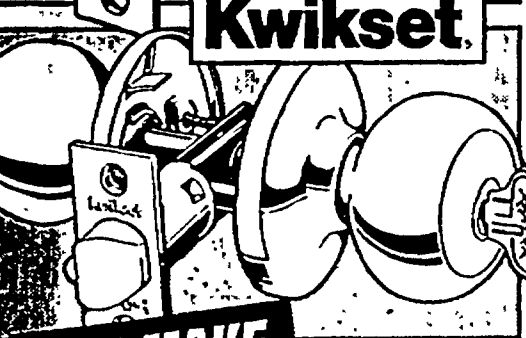
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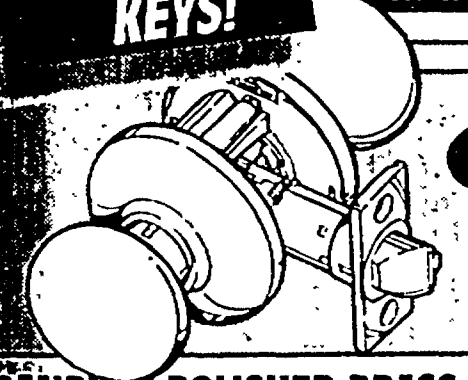


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For keyed exterior door.
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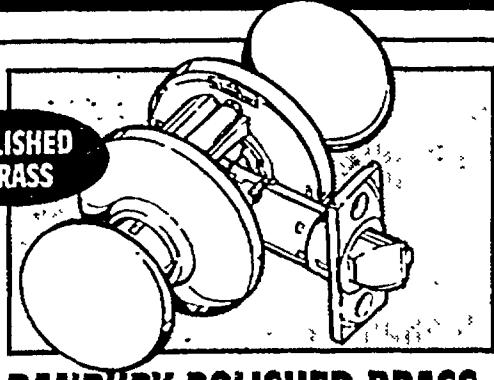
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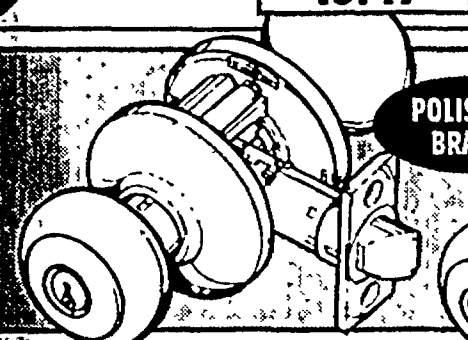
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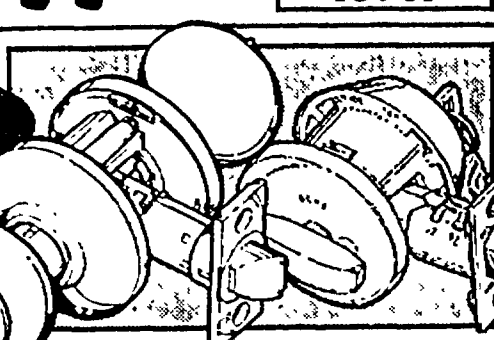
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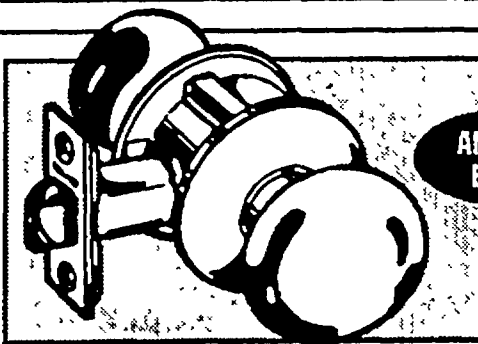
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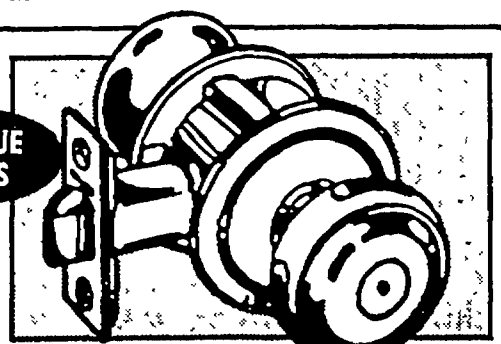
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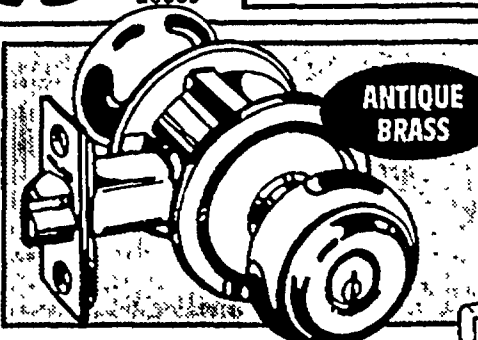
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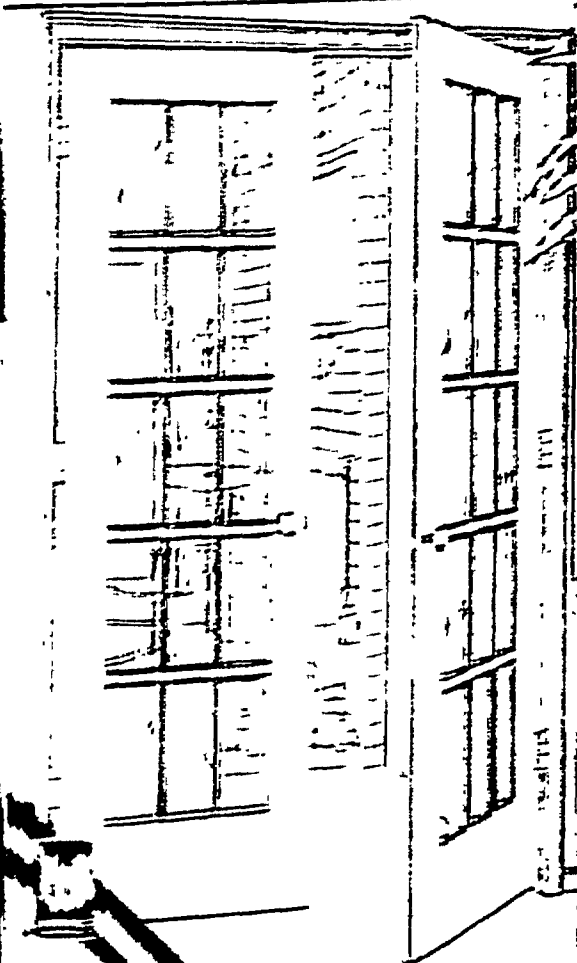


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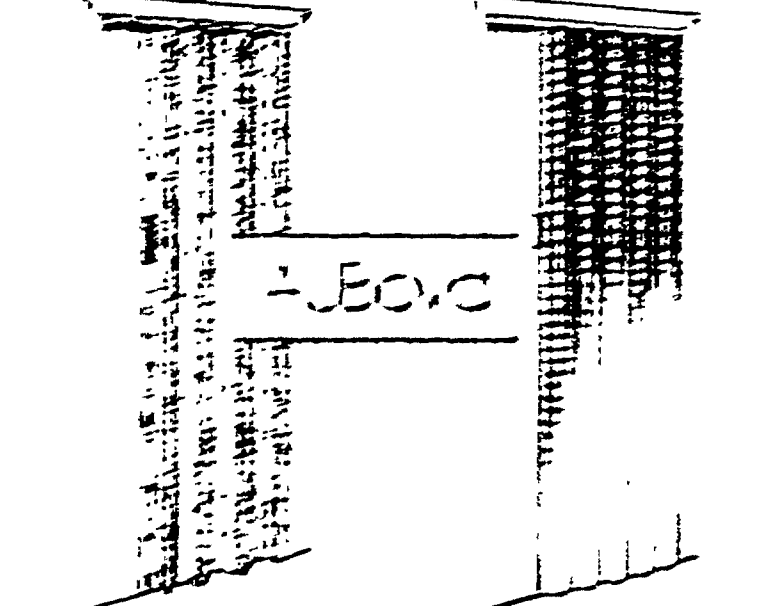


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30"	18.66	\$38	\$25
32"	19.02	\$41	SPECIAL ORDER
36"	\$20	\$41	\$29

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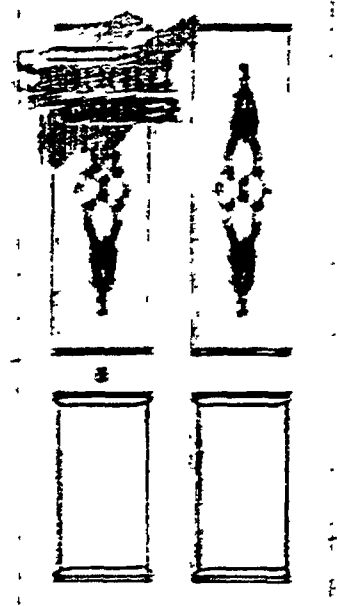
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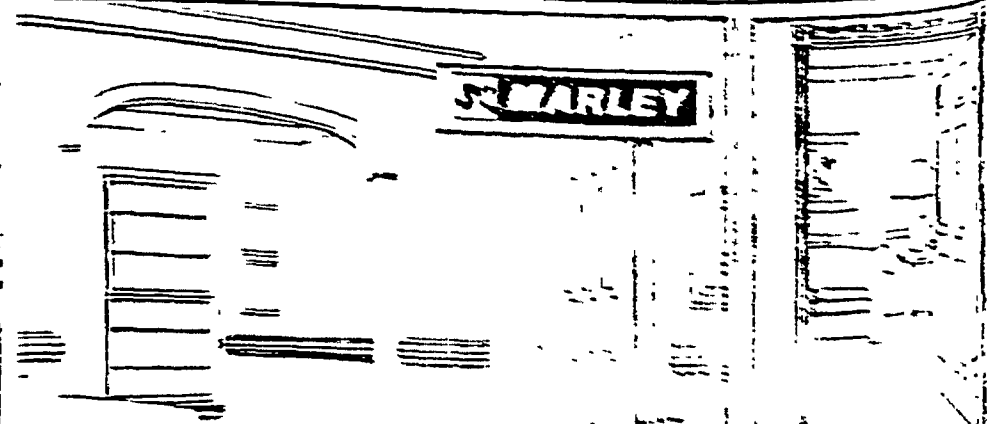
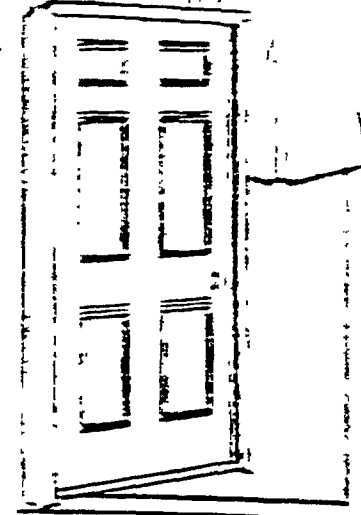
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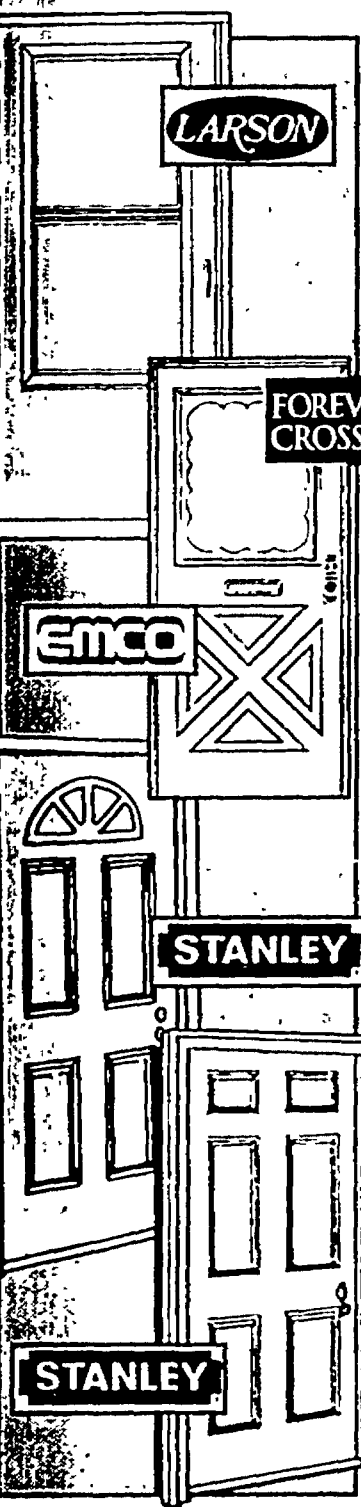
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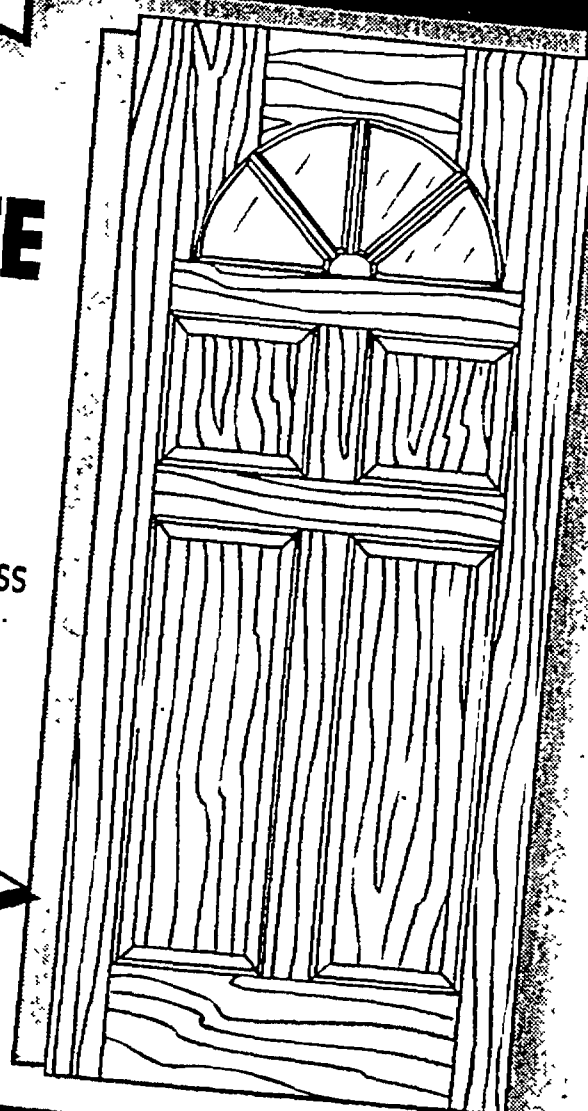
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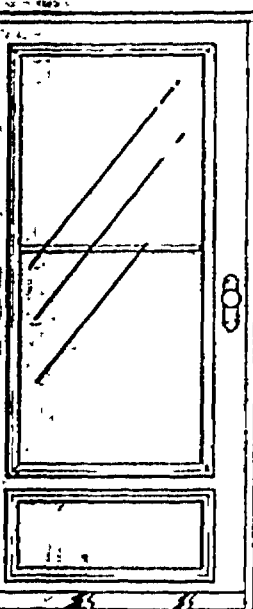
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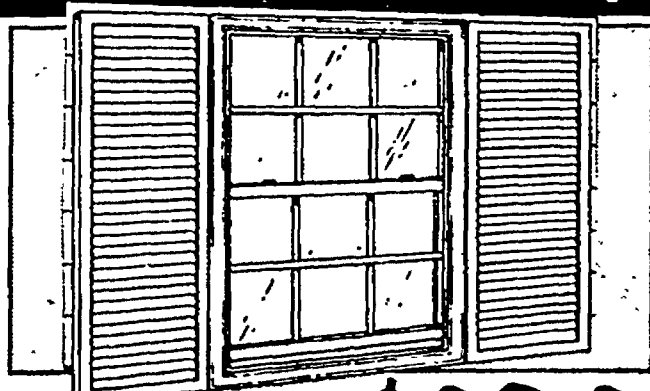


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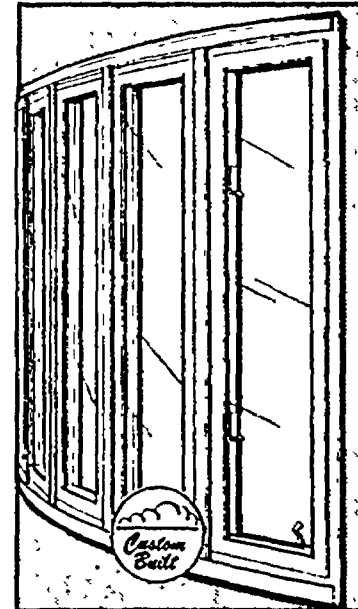


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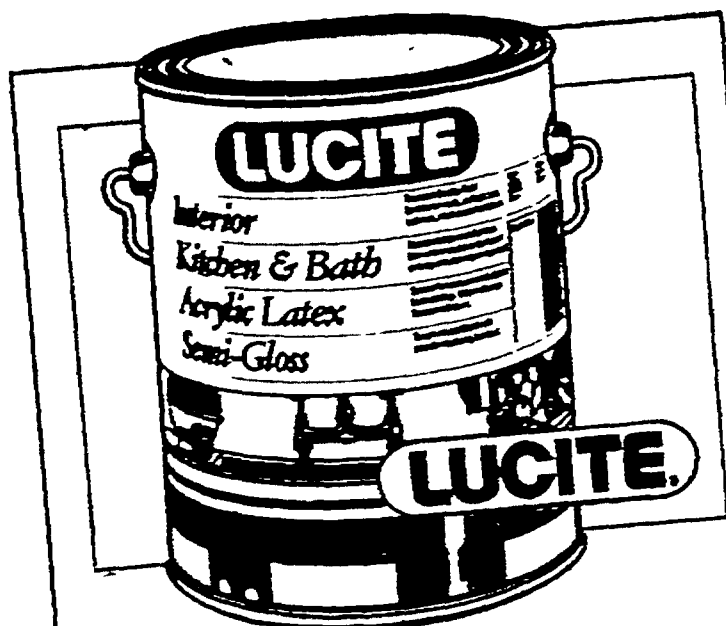


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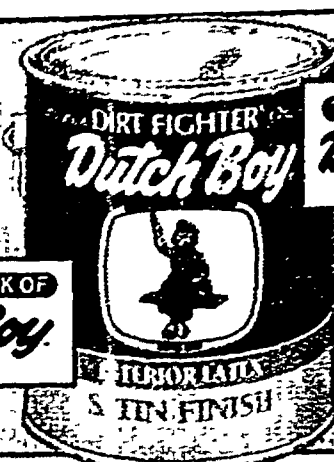
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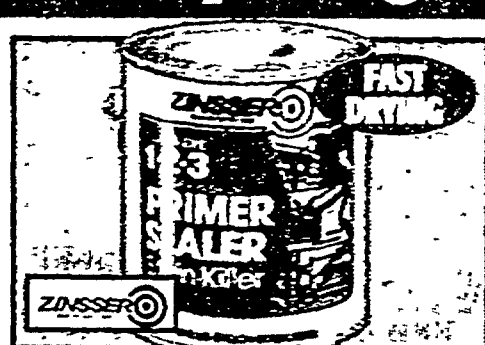
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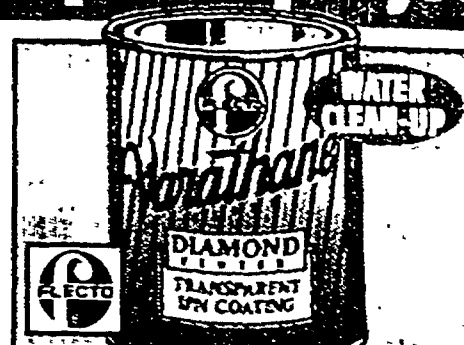
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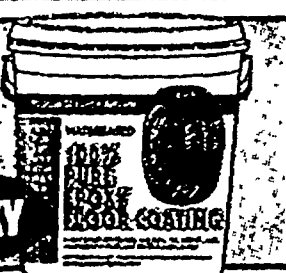
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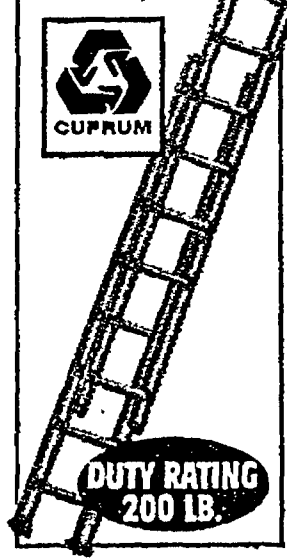
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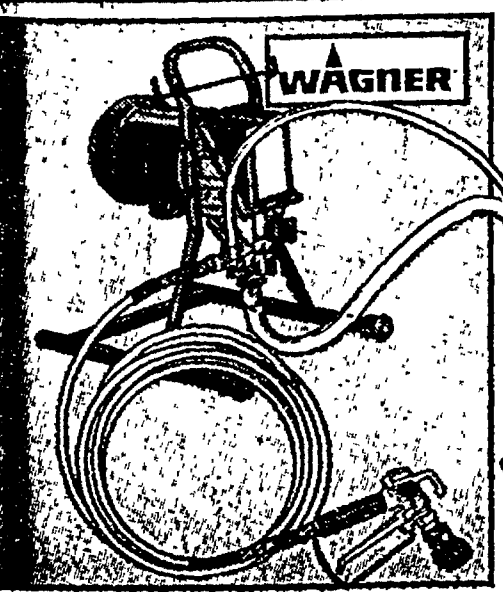
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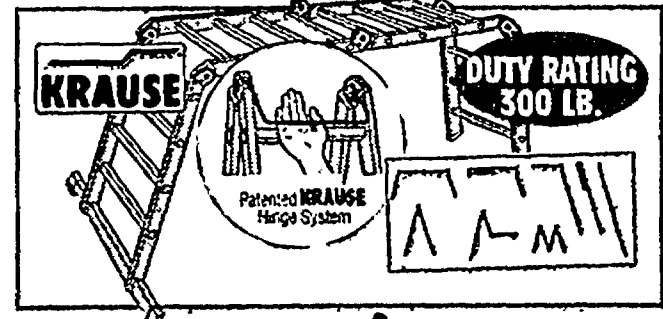
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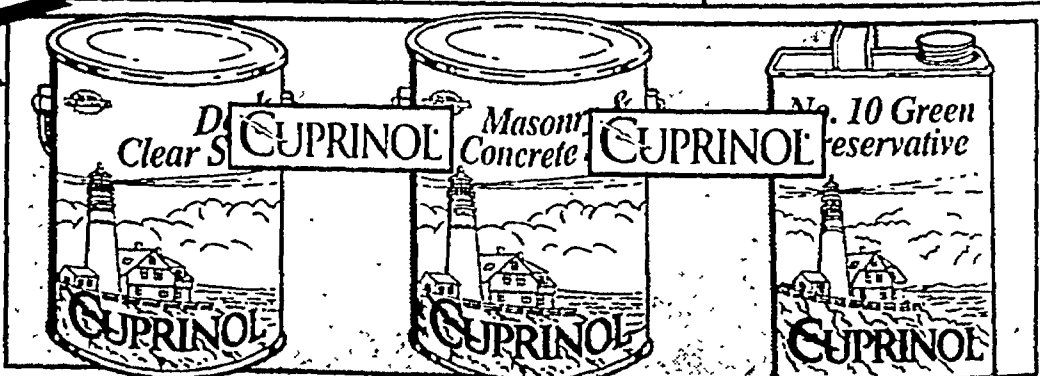
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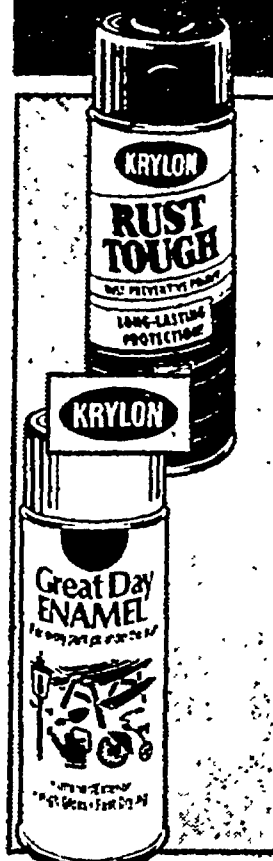
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Spray paint is the fast, easy spruce up!

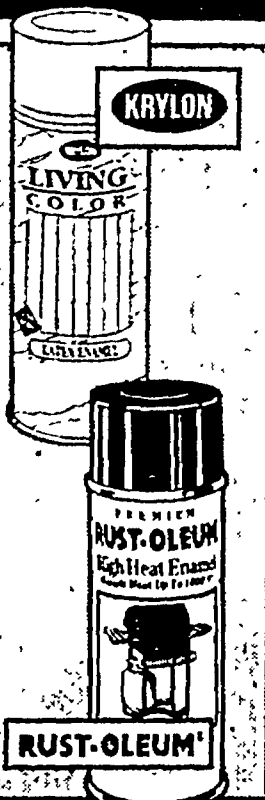


RUST TOUGH
Formulated to seal out moisture. Can be used on iron. Resist peeling.

2.65 12 oz.

GREAT DAY
Interior or exterior. High gloss, fast drying.

1.78 11 oz.



LIVING COLOR
Latex enamel spray paint. Durable high gloss finish.

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BAR-B-Q AND STOVE SPRAY PAINT
Exceptional coverage. Heat resistant coating.

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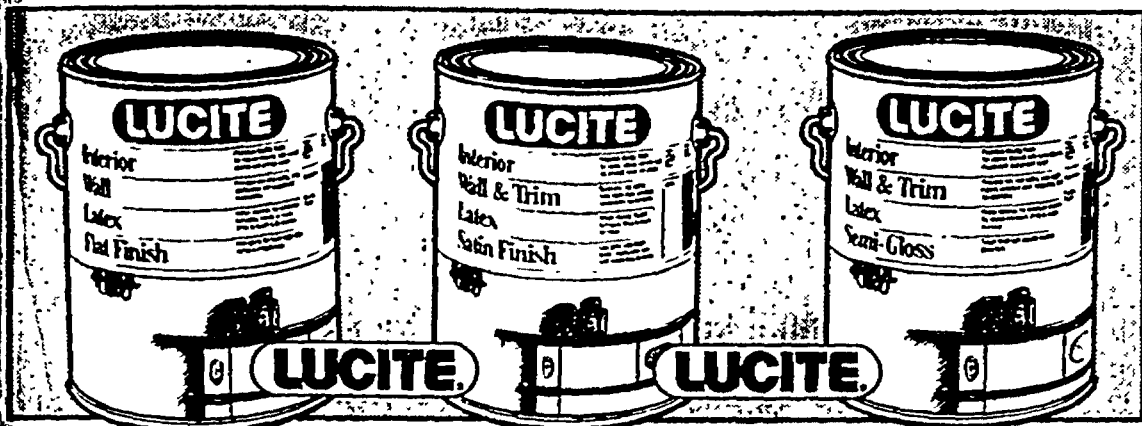


OIL BASED ENAMEL
Lasts longer without peeling. Retains color and gloss longer. Inhibits rust without priming.

19.89 1 Gal.

\$8.00 MAIL IN REBATE

BRUSH OR ROLLER WITH PURCHASE



LATEX FLAT FINISH
Premium quality.

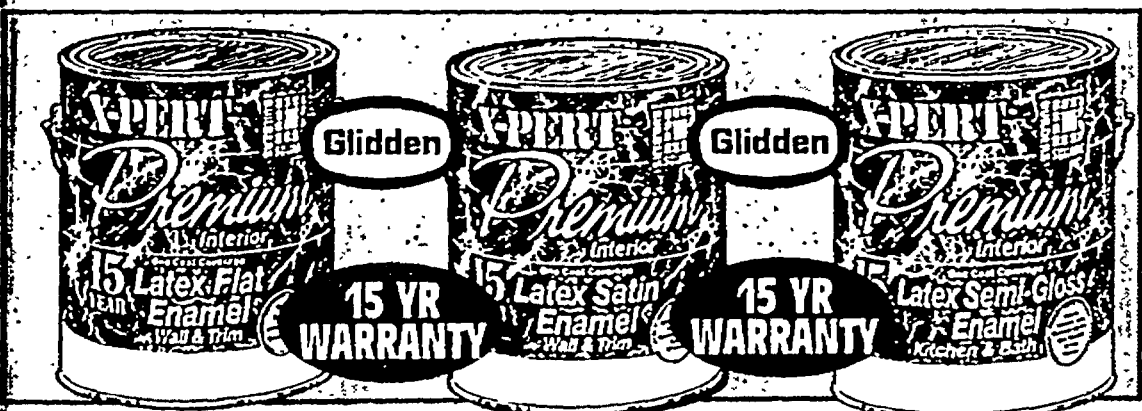
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1 Gal.

LATEX SATIN WALL & TRIM FINISH

12⁸⁸
1 Gal.

LATEX SEMI-GLOSS WALL & TRIM
Resists stains.

13⁸⁸
1 Gal.



LATEX FLAT ENAMEL
Scrubable and stain resistant.

14²²
1 Gal.

LATEX SATIN ENAMEL
One coat coverage. Stain resistant.

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1 Gal.

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10 year warranty. One coat coverage.

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Angle bracing on top and bottom step. Bracing on top and bottom rear brace provide strength and stability for safety. #G592-06

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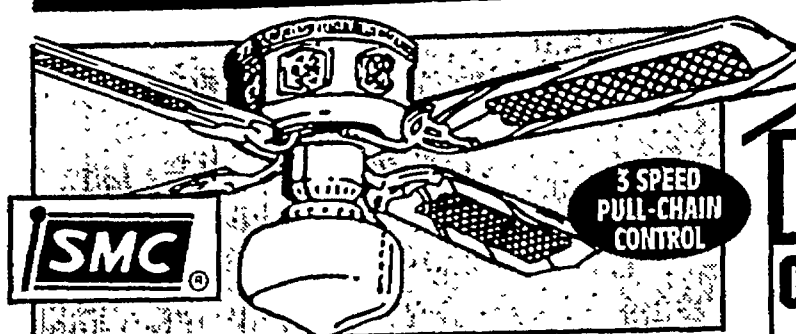
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White with polished brass. Reversible motor. Combo blades. Light kit included. #KB42WH-SH

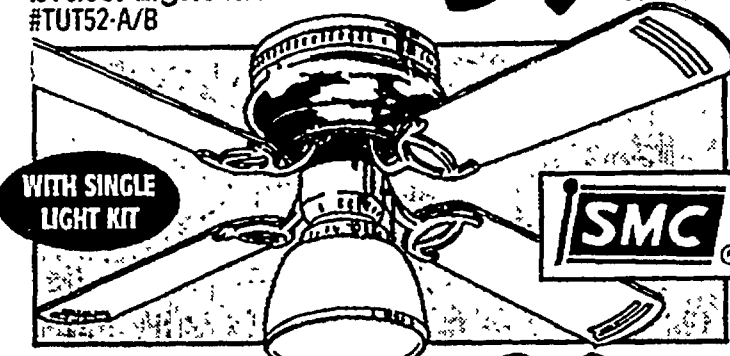
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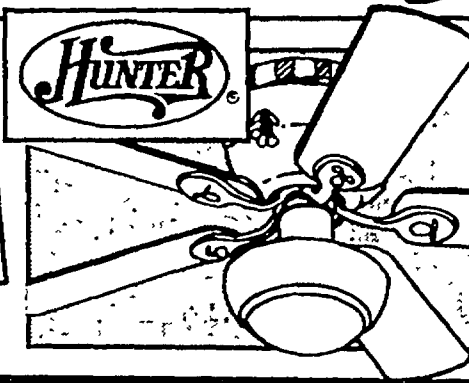
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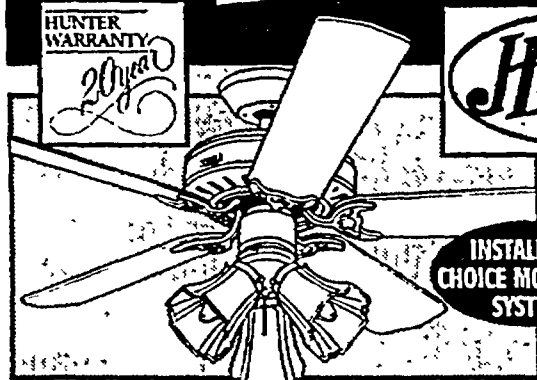
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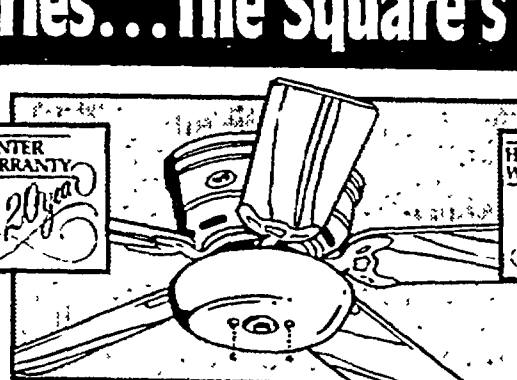
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Antique brass, verde, polished brass, white or rust finishes.

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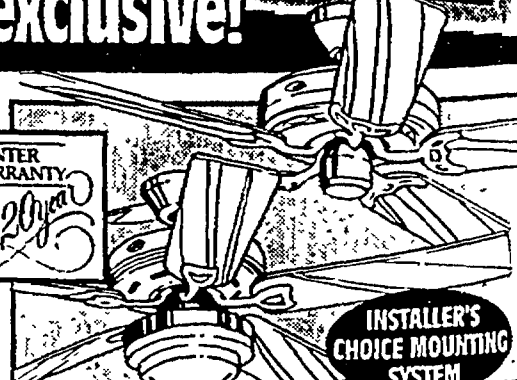
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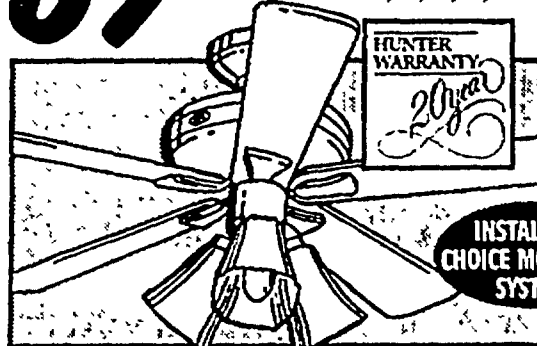
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Low profile. Antique brass, polished brass or white finishes.

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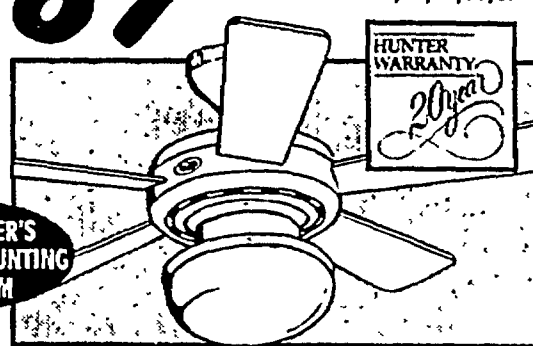
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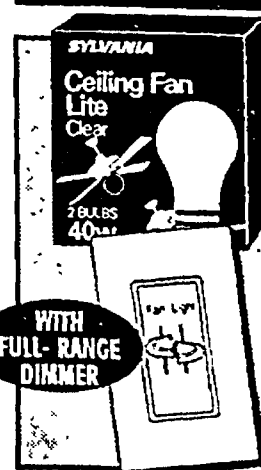
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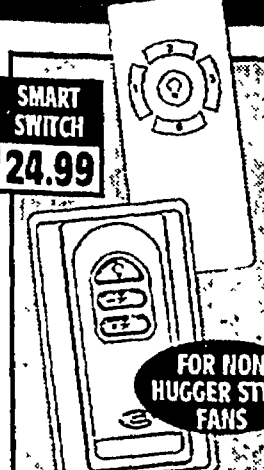
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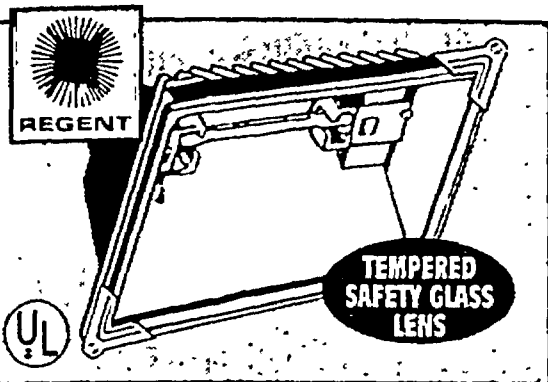
WHITE SKYLARK FAN CONTROL
32.97 #S2-LFS QH-WH



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34.99 UL LISTED #RM-RENC

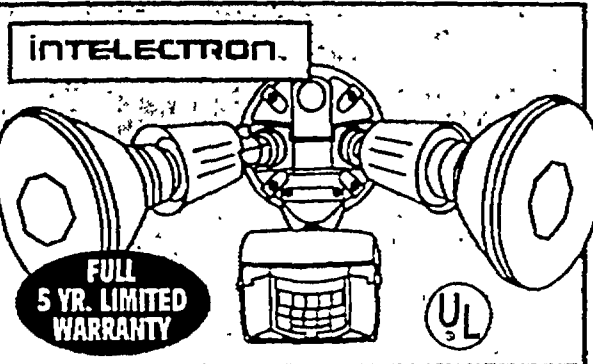
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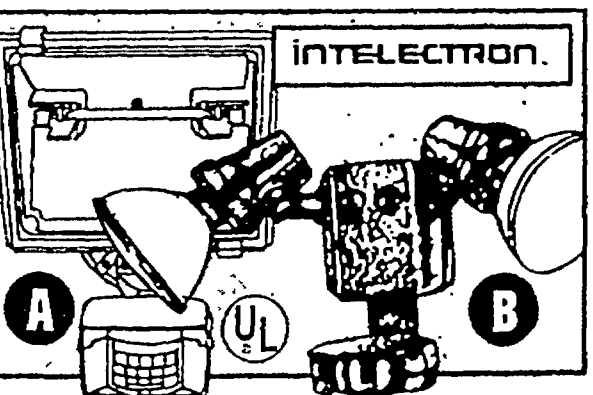
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500 WATT #GP-500-WL **9⁹⁹**



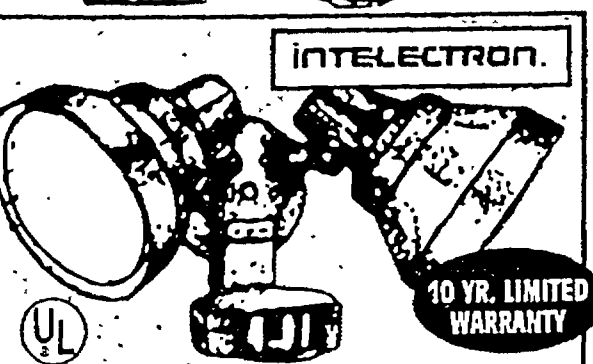
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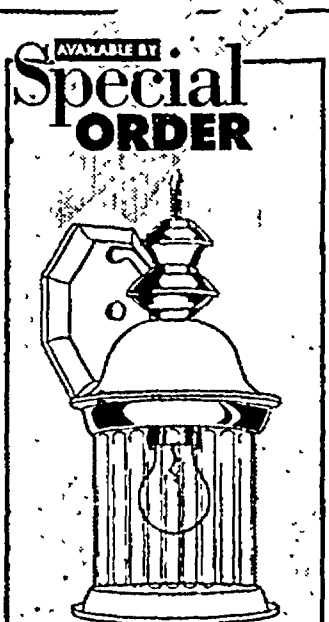
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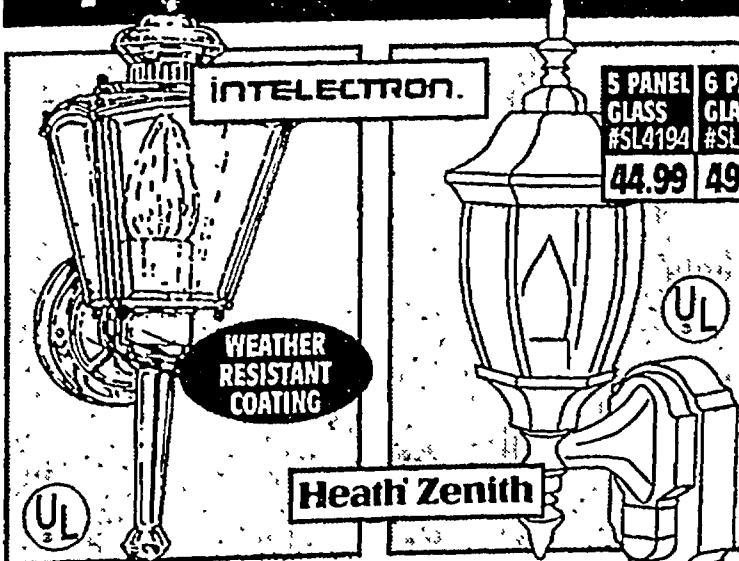
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GLOBE AND BASE SOLD SEPARATELY

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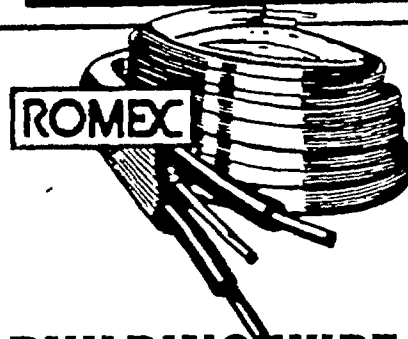
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250' 14/2 NW W/G

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12/2 LF	21¢
14/2 LF	18¢

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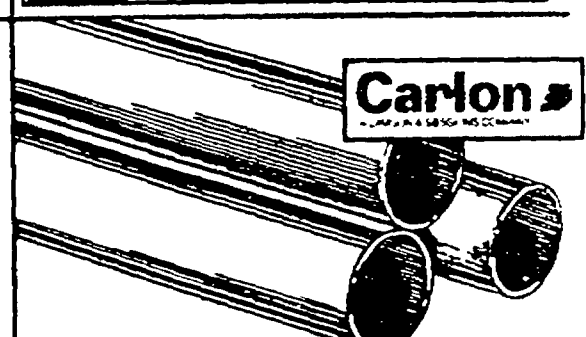
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For both exposed and concealed interior wiring.

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1/2 knockouts.
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10 PK. SWITCH **\$25**
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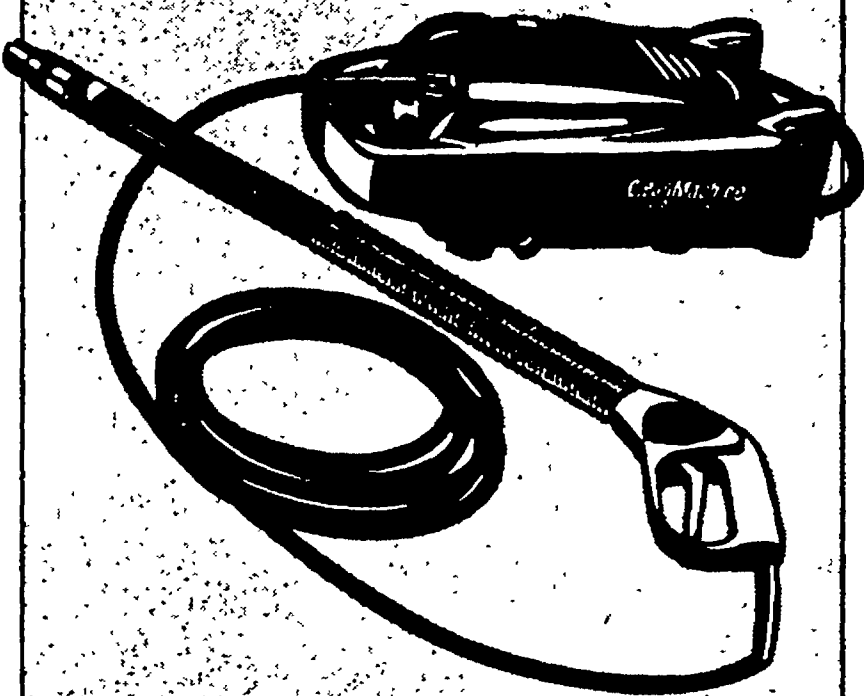
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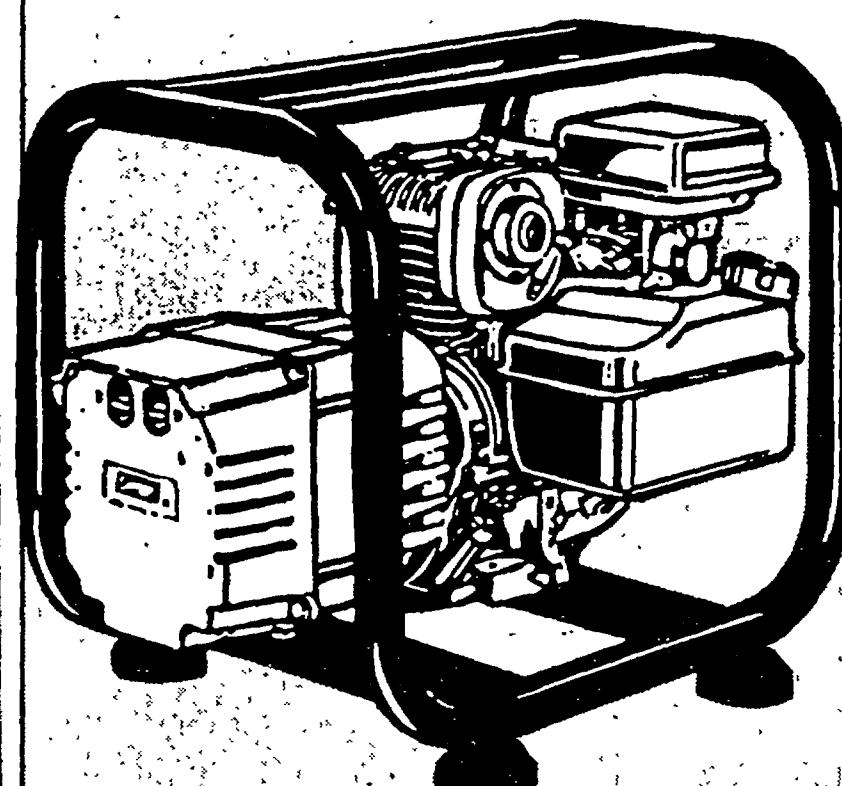
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PRESSURE WASHERS

	CLEAN MACHINES			PRO SERIES	CONTRACTOR
ITEM	CM1210	CM1310	CM1500	PRO2000	CONT2200
PSI	1200	1300	1500	2000	2200
GPM	1.6	1.7	2.0	2.7	3.0
MOTOR	ELECTRIC	ELECTRIC	GAS	GAS	GAS
HORSEPOWER	115V/15A	115V/15A	3.5 TECUMSEH	5.0 OHV	5.5 OHV
HOSE	20 FT.	25 FT.	25 FT.	30 FT.	50 FT.
CORD	35 FT.	35 FT.	N/A	N/A	N/A
PETERBILT INJECTION	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
VARIABLE NOZZLE	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
UL APPROVED	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
WARRANTY	1 YEAR	1 YEAR	1 YEAR	1 YEAR	1 YEAR
PRICE	169.99	199.99	299.99	449.99	749.99

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GENERATORS

	POWERBASE SERIES		MAXA	VANTAGE SERIES	
ITEM	POWERBASE 2250	POWERBASE 4000 ER	POWERBASE 5000 ER PLUS	VANTAGE 0HC 3500	VANTAGE 0HC 5000
RATED	2250W	4000W	5000W	3500W	5000W
SURGE	2800W	5000W	6250W	4375W	6250W
ENGINE	3 HP BRIGGS	8 HP BRIGGS	10 HP TECUMSEH	5.5 HP OHV VANGUARD	9 HP OHV VANGUARD
SLEEVE	ALUMINUM	CAST IRON	CAST IRON	CAST IRON	CAST IRON
TANK	.75 GAL.	5 GAL.	5 GAL.	3 GAL.	5 GAL.
RUN TIME	2 HOURS	8.3 HOURS	6 HOURS	9 HOURS	8 HOURS
LOW OIL/OUTLET	NO (2) 120V	YES (2) 120V (2) 240V	YES (2) 120V (2) 240V	YES (2) 120V (1) 120/240V (1) 12V DC	YES (2) 120V (1) 120VTL (1) 240VTL
IDLE CONTROL	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
WARRANTY	1 YEAR	1 YEAR	1 YEAR	2 YEAR	2 YEAR
PRICE	\$349	\$519	\$599	\$687	\$897

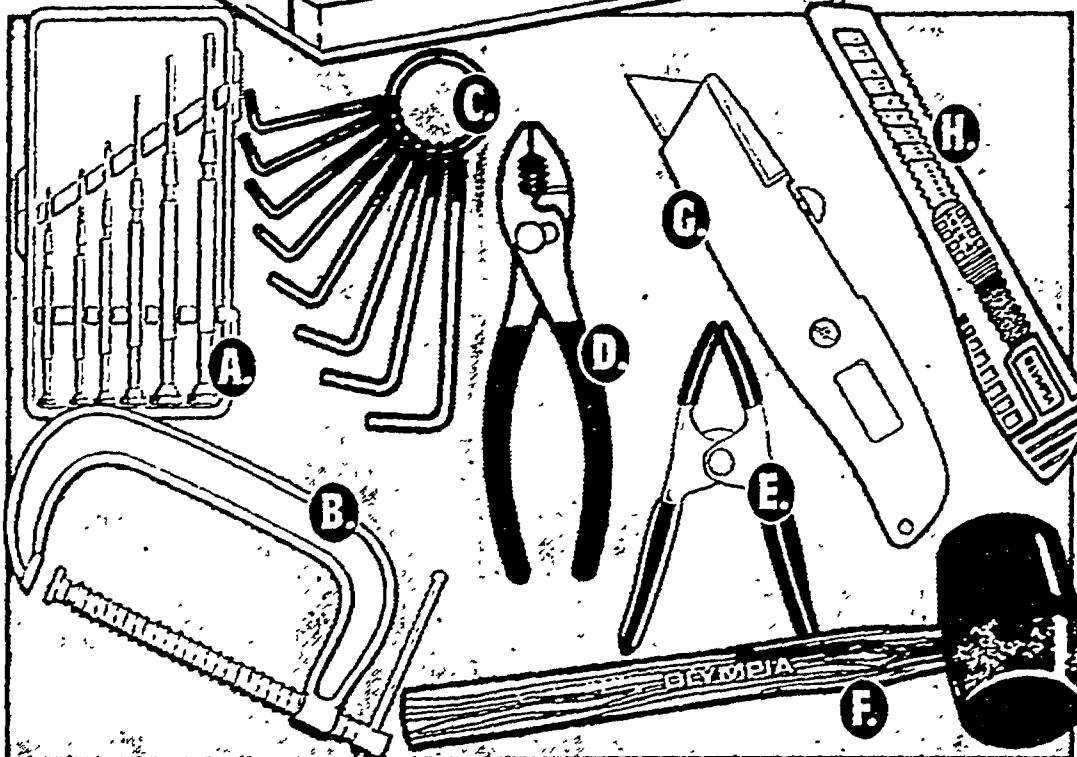
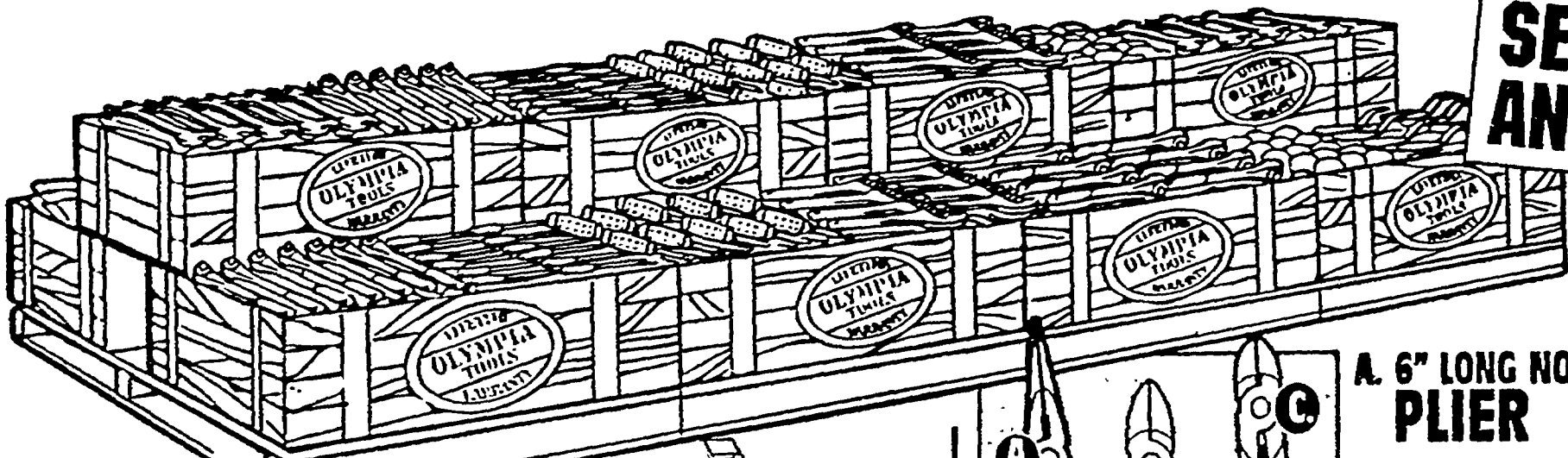
QUALITY AIR COMPRESSORS



	HANDYMAN SERIES			PROFESSIONAL SERIES				CONTRACTOR SERIES		
ITEM	.75 HP TANKLESS	3.5 HP 11 GAL.	4 HP 20 GAL.	4.5 HP 25 GAL.	6.5 HP 25 GAL.	6.5 HP 60 GAL.	5.0 HP 80 GAL.	1.0 HP 2.5 GAL.	1.75 HP 4 GAL.	5.5 HP GAS 8 GAL.
CFM @ 40	2.5	8.2	8.8	8.1	13.2	13.2	18.0	4.4	7.3	12.0
CFM @ 90	1.8	6.2	7.0	6.7	11.1	11.1	16.0	2.7	4.2	10.0
MAX PSI	100	120	120	120	120	120	175	125	125	125
PUMP	OILLESS DIRECT DRIVE	OILLESS DIRECT DRIVE	OILLESS DIRECT DRIVE	2-CYLINDER BELT DRIVE	2-CYLINDER BELT DRIVE	2-CYLINDER BELT DRIVE	2 STAGE BELT DRIVE	OILLESS DIRECT DRIVE	OILLESS DIRECT DRIVE	2-CYCLE BELT DRIVE
SLEEVE	ALUMINUM	ALUMINUM	ALUMINUM	CAST IRON	CAST IRON	CAST IRON	CAST IRON	ALUMINUM	ALUMINUM	CAST IRON
MOTOR	115V 15 AMP	115V 15 AMP	115V 15 AMP	115/230V 15 AMP	230V 15 AMP	230V 15 AMP	208/230V 15 AMP	115V 15 AMP	115V 15 AMP	HONDA ENGINE
UL APPROVED	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	N/A	YES	YES	N/A
WARRANTY	1 YEAR	1 YEAR	1 YEAR	1 YEAR	1 YEAR	1 YEAR	2 YEAR	2 YEAR	2 YEAR	2 YEAR
PRICE	\$115	219.99	\$279	349.37	379.53	\$409	\$899	199.99	289.99	699.99

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A. 6 PC. JEWELERS SCREWDRIVER SET

3 slotted, 3 phillips

B. 3" C-CLAMP

C. 8 PC. STANDARD HEX KEY SET

1/16" - 1/4"

D. 6" SLIP JOINT PLIER

Fully polished

E. 6" SPRING CLAMP

PVC tips and grips.

F. 16 OZ. RUBBER Mallet

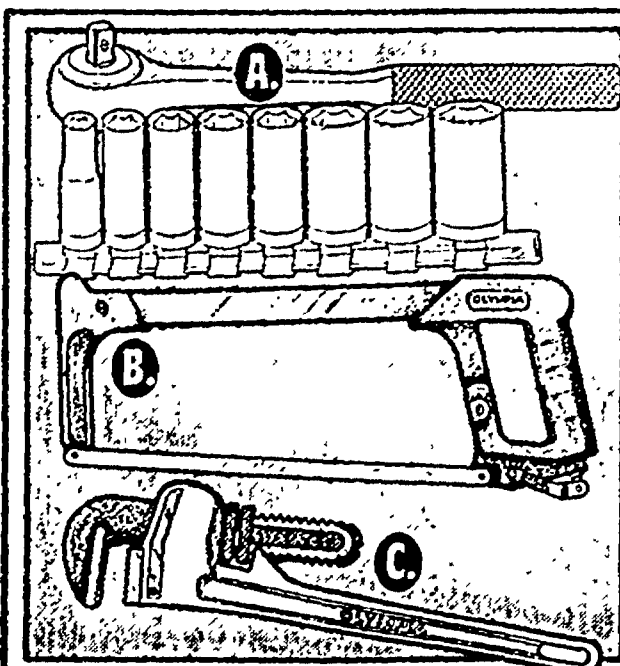
G. FIXED BLADE UTILITY KNIFE

H. MINI UTILITY KNIFE

With blade.

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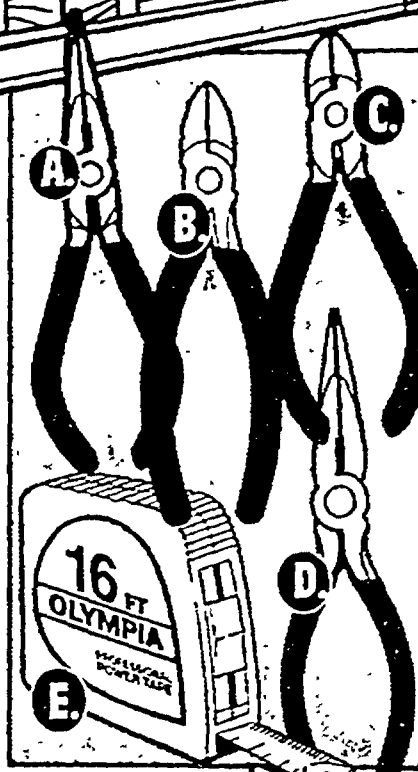
A. 9 PC. SOCKET SET WITH 3/8" DRIVER

B. 12" HACK SAW BLADE

C. 14" PIPE WRENCH

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A. 6" LONG NOSE PLIER

B. 6" DIAGONAL CUTTER PLIER

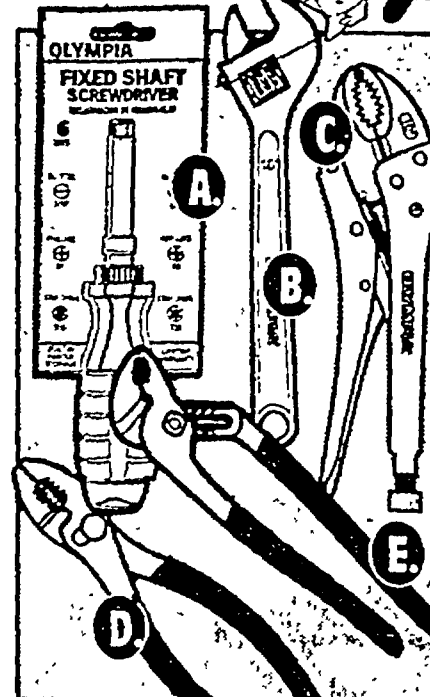
C. 4-1/2" DIAGONAL CUTTER PLIER

D. 5" LONG NOSE PLIER

E. 1/2" x 16' TAPE MEASURE

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A. FIXED SHAFT BIT DRIVER

B. 10" ADJUSTABLE WRENCH

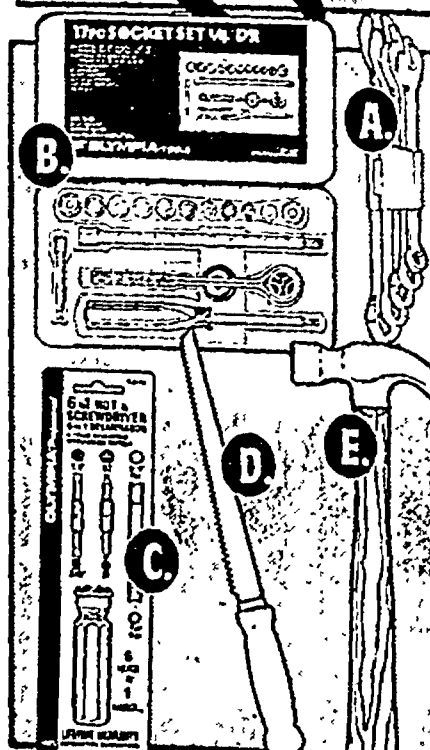
C. 10" CURVED JAW LOCKING PLIER

D. 8" SLIP JOINT PLIER

E. 8" TONGUE & GROOVE PLIER

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A. 5 PC. COMBINATION WRENCH SET

Chrome vanadium

B. 17 PC. SOCKET SET

C. 6 IN 1 SCREWDRIVER

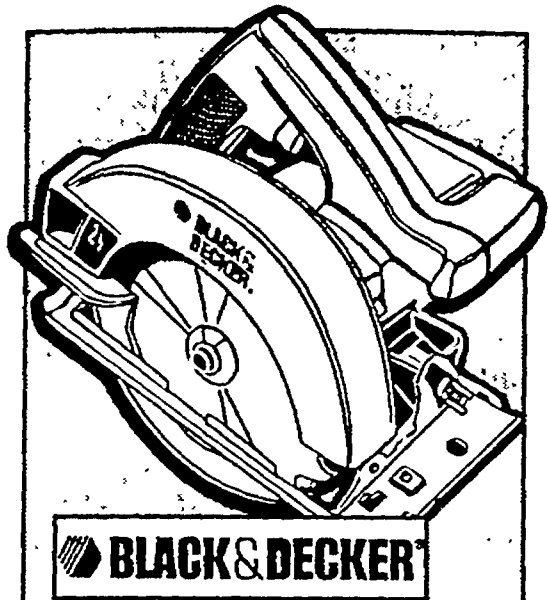
D. 6" WALL BOARD SAW

E. 16 OZ. CLAW HAMMER

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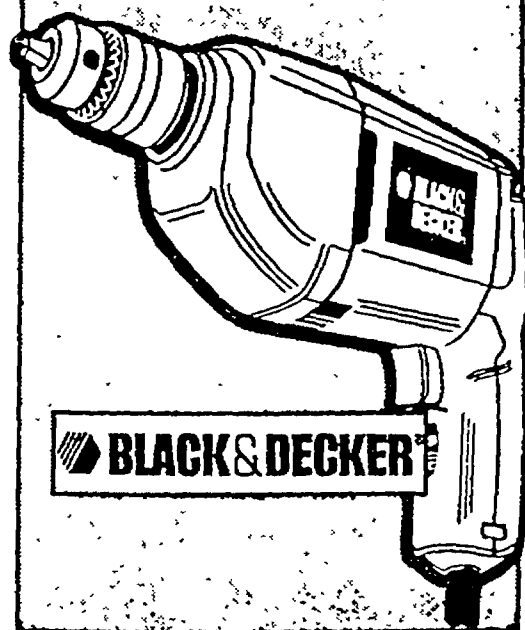
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3 AMP 3/8" VSR DRILL
Variable speed trigger switch. 0-1200 RMP, reversible. Lock-on switch for continuous use...#7190

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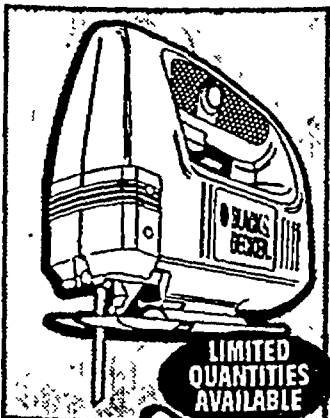
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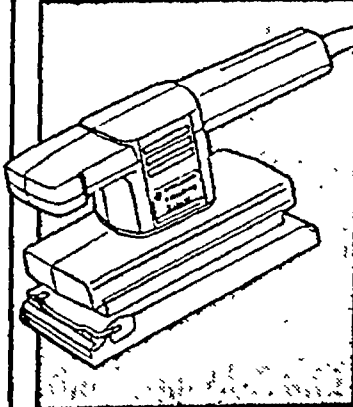
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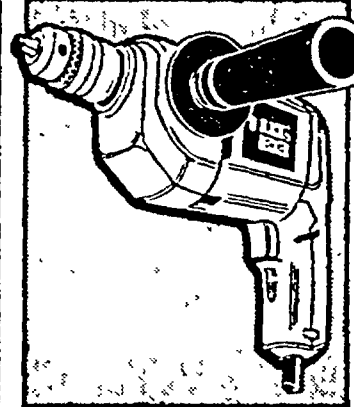
VARIABLE SPEED JIG SAW
Electronic variable speed control. 3.5 amps, 1/3 HP.

\$39 #7568



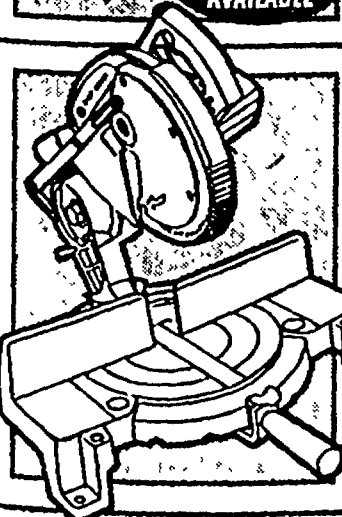
1/3 SHEET ORBITAL FINISHING SANDER
1.6 AMP.

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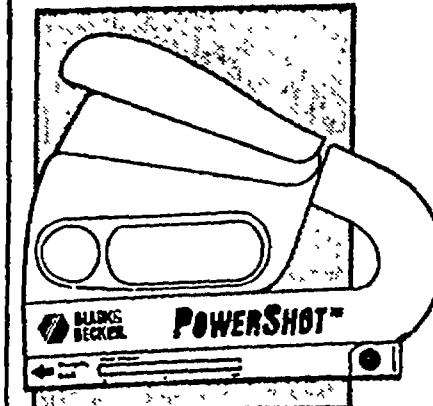
1/2" HAMMER ACTION VSR DRILL
Side handle for better control.

67¹⁶ #7277



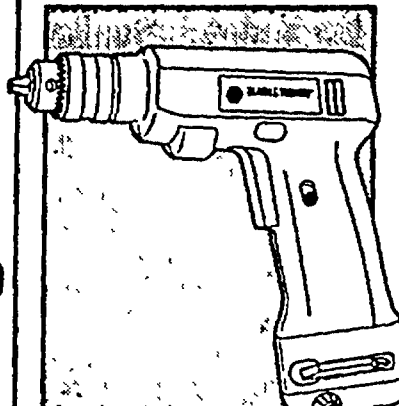
10-INCH POWER MITER SAW
12 AMP motor.

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POWER SHOT STAPLER
Fire full range of staple sizes for versatility

19⁹⁹ #5700

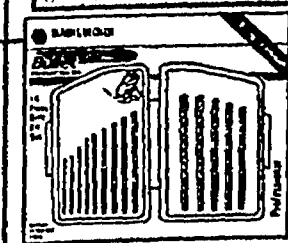


6 VOLT CORDLESS DRILL/DRIVER
Overnight charger.

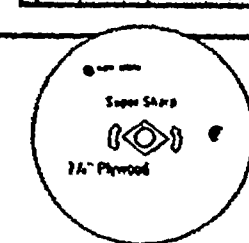
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DOOR LOCK INSTALLATION KIT
13⁵¹ #79-352



14 PC BULLET DRILL BIT SET
31⁰⁸ #14353



7 1/4" PLYWOOD SAW BLADE
4⁰⁷ #73-047

Bumper SPECIAL

MAKITA® MANIA

Makita

9.6 VOLT CORDLESS VSR DRILL

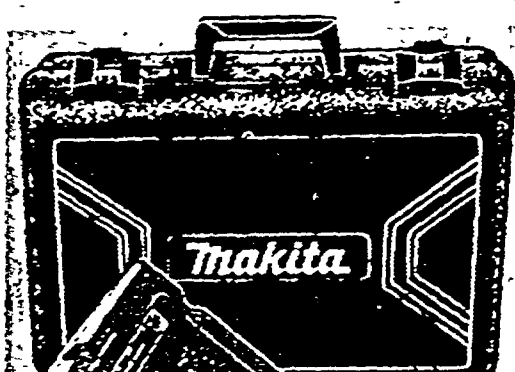
Keyless chuck. Electric brake. #6221DWE

KIT INCLUDES: 2 BATTERIES, CHARGER AND CASE.

14 GA. BUILDERS SQUARE EXTENSION CORD
With power indicator light.

18⁸⁸ 88 FOOT LIFETIME GUARANTEE

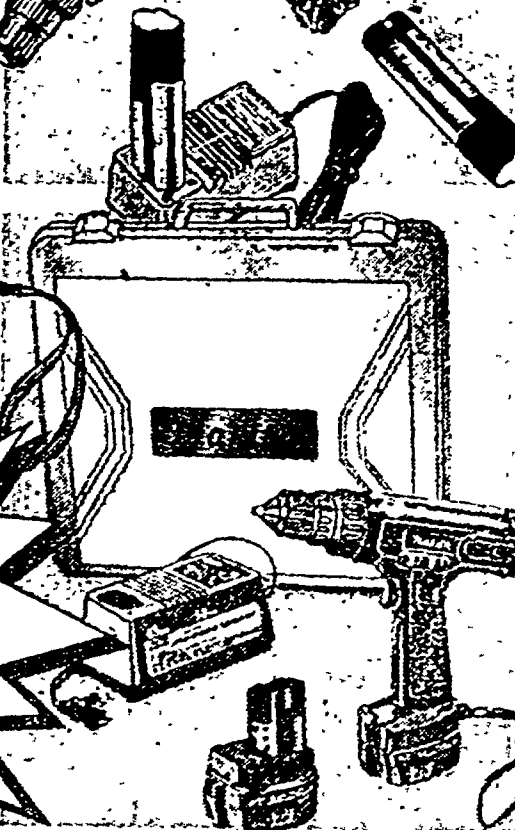
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3/8" CORDLESS VSR DRILL WITH EXTRA BATTERY

6 Stage torque setting-2 speed gear selection: Low (0-400 RPM) or High (0-1,100 RPM). Keyless chuck system. Kit includes: 2 batteries, charger and rugged tool case. #6095 DWE

\$129

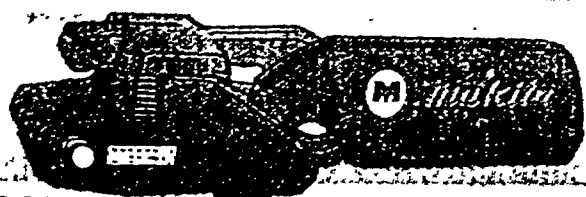


12 VOLT CORDLESS DRILL KIT DELUXE

2 speed gear selection. Keyless chuck with positive lock. Removable 12 volt high capacity battery. Kit includes: 2 batteries, charger and tool case. #6211DWHE

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Great savings on Makita tools at The Square



3"X 21" BELT SANDER
6.7 AMP, 1,246 FPM. Double insulated.

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#9901

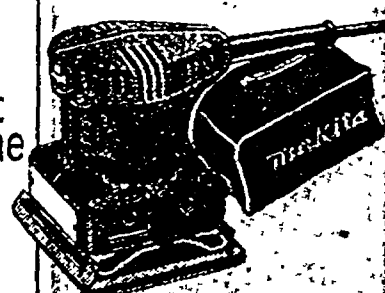


RANDOM-ORBIT SANDER

Palm-size compact design, for easy one handed operation.

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FINISHING SANDER WITH DUST BAG

1.6 AMP, 14,000 OPM

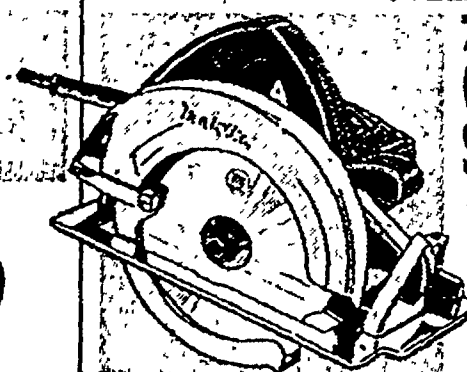
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VARIABLE SPEED RECIPRO SAW
6.0 AMP, 1-3/16" cutting stroke. #JR3000V

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7-1/4" CIRCULAR SAW

13.0 AMP, 5,800 RPM.

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3-1/4" PLANER KIT

4.0 AMP, 15,000 RPM. All ball bearing construction.

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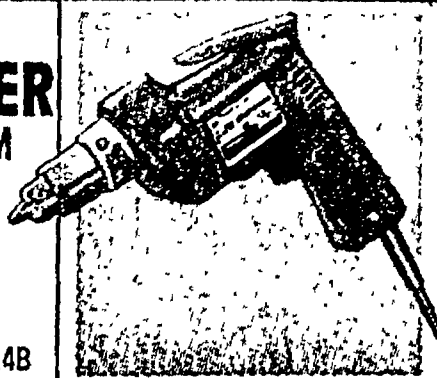
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4" COMPACT DISC GRINDER
5.0 AMP, 11,000 RPM. Side handle for better control.

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#N9514B



3/8" VSR DRILL
2.8 AMP, 0-100 RPM. Well balanced and lightweight-3.1 lbs.

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9.6 VOLT BATTERY
For use with all tools in the Makita 9.6v battery system.

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#632007-4

DEWALT® DAYS

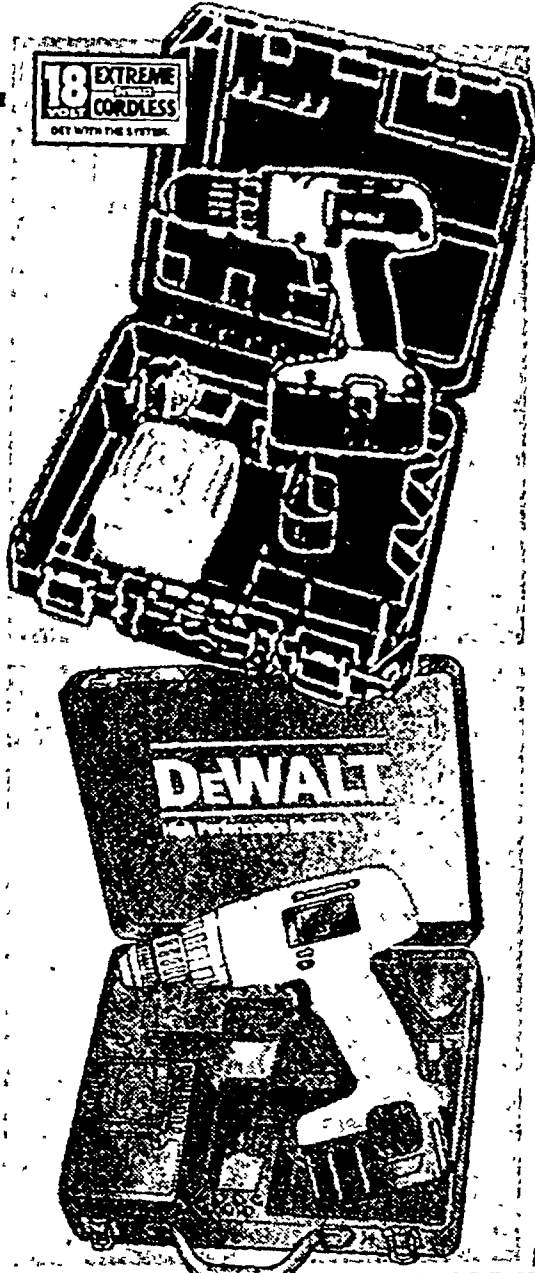
18.0 1/2" HEAVY-DUTY CORDLESS DRILL KIT

Dual Range VSR 0-450/0-1400. Fan cooled motor with electric brake and replaceable brushed. Anti-slip comfort grip. Adjustable clutch torque control.

#DW995K

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KIT INCLUDES:
2 BATTERIES
CHARGER AND
STEEL CASE.



3/8" CORDLESS VSR DRILL/KIT WITH ADJUSTABLE CLUTCH

14.4 volt, 0-450/ 0-1400 RPM 250 in.-lbs. maximum torque. 16-position adjustable clutch torque control. XR battery packs provide 25% longer run-time.

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KIT INCLUDES:
CHARGER AND
STEEL CASE.

BLOWN AWAY SPECIAL

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3/8" 12.0 VOLT VSR DRILL KIT WITH ADJUSTABLE CLUTCH
0-450/0-1400 RPM. 220 in.-lbs. maximum torque. 16-position adjustable clutch torque control.
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KIT INCLUDES: 2 BATTERIES
CHARGER AND STEEL CASE.

Power up with DEWALT quality.

<p>12" HEAVY DUTY COMPOUND MITER SAW 13.0 AMP, 4,000 RPM. \$367 #DW705</p>	<p>HEAVY-DUTY RECIPROCATING SAW KIT 6.0 AMP, variable speed. \$124 #DW304K</p>	<p>1/2" HEAVY-DUTY HAMMER DRILL 5.4 AMP, variable speed, reversing. Side handle with depth rod. \$169 #DW510K</p>
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<p>12V HEAVY DUTY BATTERY PACK Designed for repetitive charging 1000 cycles. #DW9050 \$38.90 14.4V \$45</p>	<p>14" HEAVY DUTY CHOP SAW 13.0 AMP, 3800 RPM. Pivoting fence. Spindle lock. \$223 #DW870</p>	<p>HEAVY DUTY PALM GRIP SANDER 13,500 OPM \$49 1.7 AMP #DW411</p>

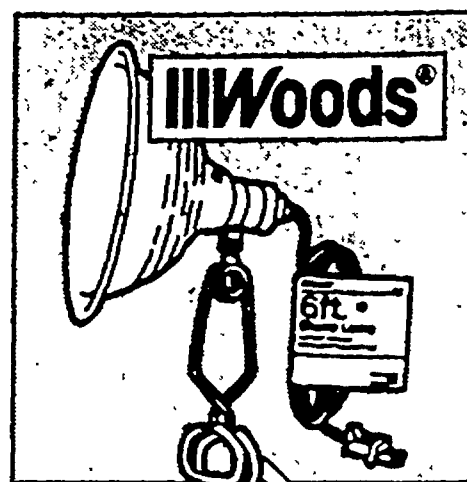
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REGENT LIGHTING

500 WATT QUARTZ HALOGEN FLOOD-LIGHT

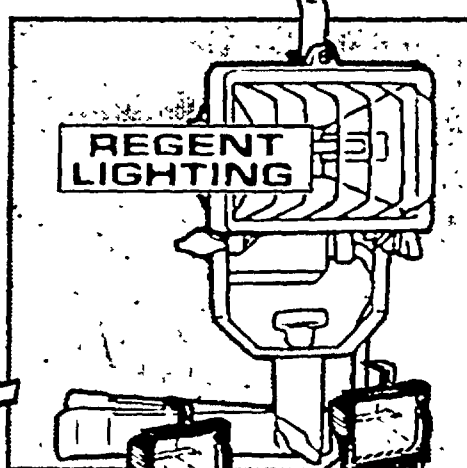
Illuminates up to 9,000 s.f.
6' grounded cord. Die-cast aluminum construction.
#PQ33

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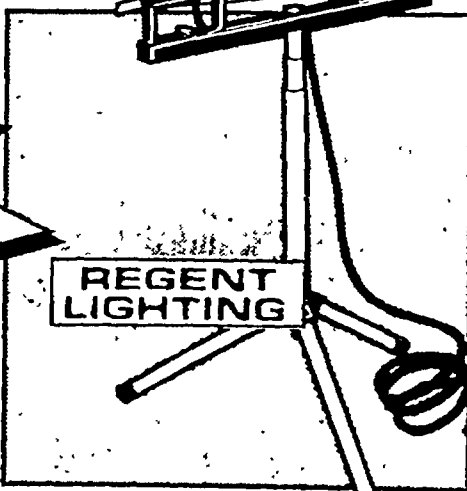
CLAMP LIGHT WITH REFLECTOR
Large vented aluminum reflector.
6 foot cord with push-thru switch.

4⁹⁹ **SWIVEL CLAMP WITH VINYL GRIP**
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150 WATT HALOGEN CLAMP LIGHT
For use on auto, RV, workbench, basement, crawlspace...anywhere!

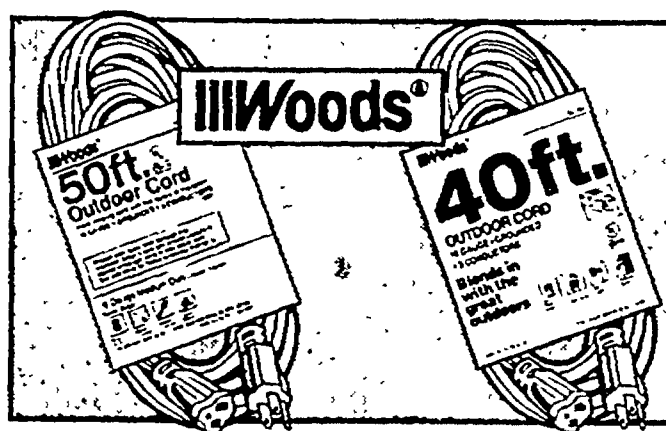
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#CL150



1000 WATT PORTABLE FLOODLIGHT
Twin 500 watt quartz halogen floodlights with adjustable stand.

29⁹⁹ **CORD STORAGE BRACKET**
#TQS1000

So many extension cords to put power where you need it!

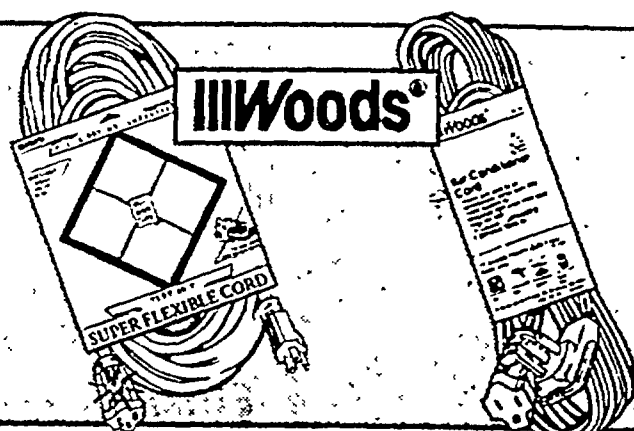


50 FT. OUTDOOR CORD
Hard wearing cord.
16/3 Grounded

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#14268

40 FT. GREEN OUTDOOR CORD
16/3 Grounded
blends with outdoors.

6⁹⁹ **80 FT 12.99**
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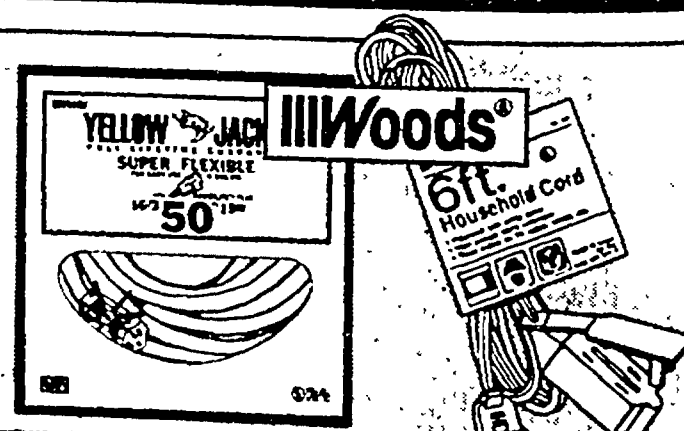


75 FT. 16/3 YELLOW JACKET
Super flexible and durable.

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APPLIANCE & AIR CONDITIONER CORD

3 FT	2.99
6 FT	3.99
9 FT	5.99
12 FT	6.99

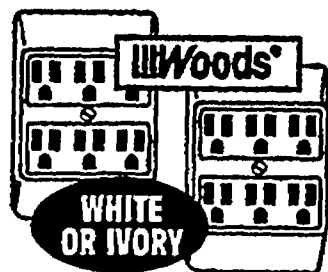


50 FT. 10/3 YELLOW JACKET
Super flexible for easy use. #2805

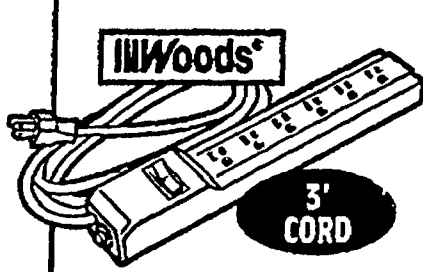
39⁹⁹ **100 FT 59.99**

6 FT. INDOOR HOUSEHOLD CORD
16/2 Available in white or brown.

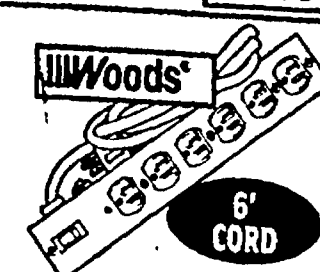
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#8600, 8600W



6 OUTLET CONVERTER
2⁸⁴ **U.L. LISTED**
#796, #396



6 OUTLET POWER STRIP
3⁸⁹ **ON-OFF SWITCH**
#1193-004-AS-016
#82371



STEEL CASE HEAVY-DUTY POWER STRIP
6⁹⁹ **SIX OUTLET**
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ROUGH RIDER™ LAWN CART

4.5 cubic foot capacity.
Durable construction resist
scratches, dents. Won't rust.
Wide tread wheels.

OR YARD-ABOUT LAWN CART

Big 6 cu. ft. capacity.
Long-lasting rubber tires.
Handy storage tray.

YOUR CHOICE

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#5200

GRASSHOPPER WORK SEAT

Rolls easily on grass or walks.

OR EASY-UP KNEELER & SEAT

Cushioned. Converts to seat.

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YOUR CHOICE!
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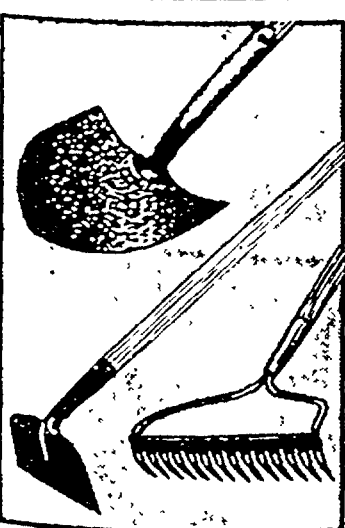
3.0 CU. FT. EASY RIDER™ LAWN CART

Easy to lift and dump.
Wide wheels and handle
for easy handling. Tray
with tool slots.

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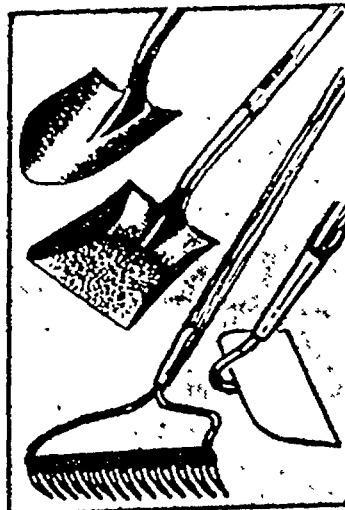
Fall landscape projects cost less here!



UTILITY GARDEN TOOLS

Choose from: hoe,
bow rake or round
point shovel. #LG6,
#LLR, #LB14

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YOUR CHOICE!

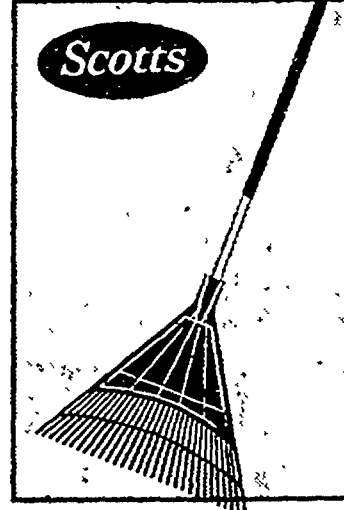


Scotts LONG HANDLE TOOLS

Choose from: rake,
hoe, round or
square shovel.

#45123, 45134, 63178, 66194,
68150

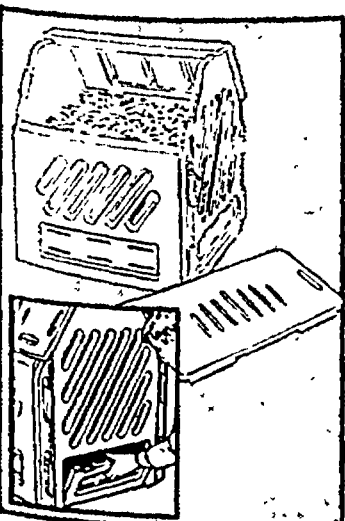
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YOUR CHOICE!



30" LEAF POLY RAKE

Cushion grip.
#64116

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24" 7.88

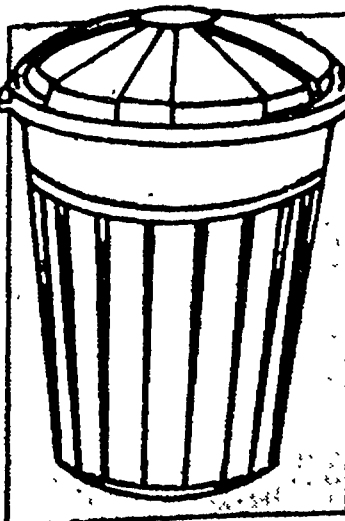


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COMPOST BIN

Extra large 18 cu.
ft./51m capacity.
Double wall
construction. #3735

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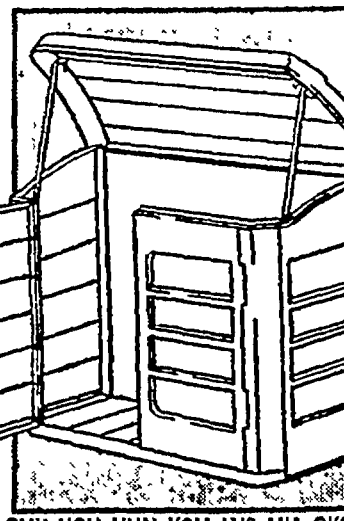


Tucker

32 GALLON TRASH CAN

Blow molded
plastic. Made of
100% post con-
sumer plastic. #643

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7 BUSHEL
BAGS
#BSB3050
9.88



FLOWTRON 50 CU. FT. STOREMORE SHED

Large shed perfect
for storing mow-
ers, lawn furniture,
tools, etc. #SM-150

\$169

BUMPS SPECIAL

FREE 6 OZ. SAMPLE OF ROUND-UP GRASS & WEED KILLER

ORTHO HOME PEST CONTROL

Controls roaches, ants, spiders and silverfish. No mixing, ready-to-use.

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GALLON

ASSORTED SPRUCE AND PINE

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EACH 3-4 FT. TALL

WHILE QUANTITIES LAST

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1 GALLON CONTAINER

BLUE RUG JUNIPER

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4 GALLON CONTAINER

WHILE QUANTITIES LAST

ASSORTED SPIREA

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ASSORTED COLORS 5.99

2x8x16 STEPPING STONE

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WINDSOR RETAINING WALL STONE

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Shape up your landscape at big savings!

TOP SOIL

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100% organic

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48 LB. BAG

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3-in-1 Organic Mix

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1 CU. FT. BAG

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Tree and Shrub Planting Soil

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1 CU. FT. BAG

Roundup

WEED & GRASS KILLER

For trimming, edging and spot treatment. #50032

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1 GAL.

Spectracide

WASP AND HORNET KILLER

22' blast kills on contact. #57625B

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16.8 OZ. CAN

YARD STAR

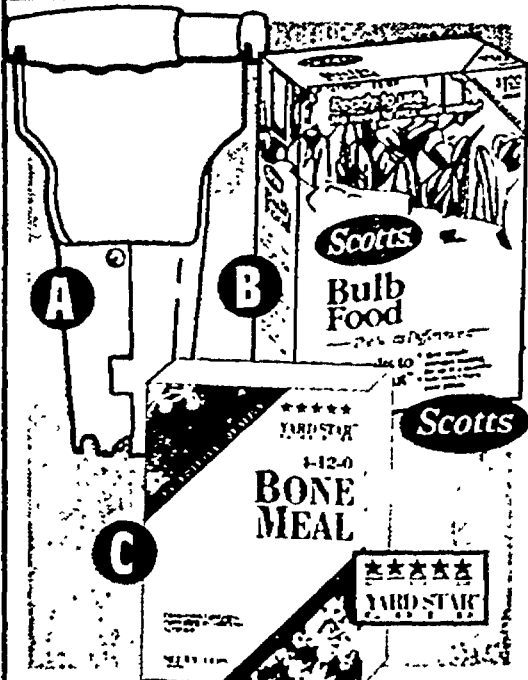
DIAZINON OR DURSAB GRANULES

5,000 square feet. #BSQ5DZ1, #BSQ1D1

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YOUR CHOICE 10 LB. BAG

Garden Savers



A. BULB PLANTER

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#61495

Adjustable.
Chrome
plated.

B. BULB FOOD

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#28060

2.5 lbs. No
measuring
or mixing

C. BONE MEAL

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#BSQBM4X

Natural,
long-lasting
organic food.

**FALL BULBS
HAVE
ARRIVED!**

**1⁹⁹
TO
5⁹⁹**

**Choose from:
TULIPS
DAFFODILS
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and others**



All live goods are available while
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Super values for fall landscape projects.

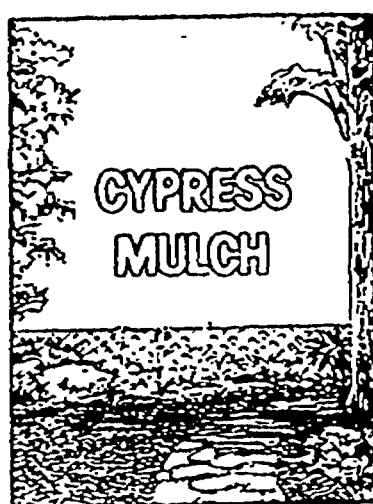


PROFESSIONAL MIX POTTING SOIL

Provides aeration
and drainage.

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16 QUART BAG



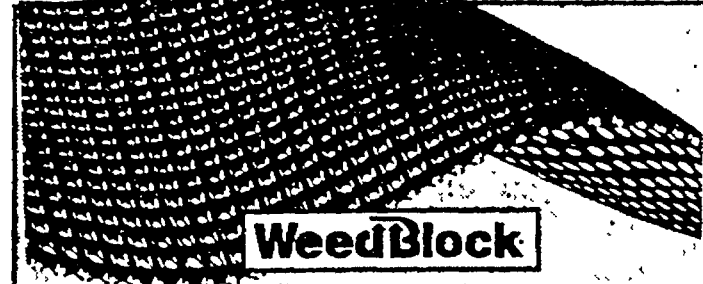
CYPRESS MULCH

CYPRESS MULCH

Good quality at a
competitive price.
Products regionally
formulated.

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2 CU. FT. BAG



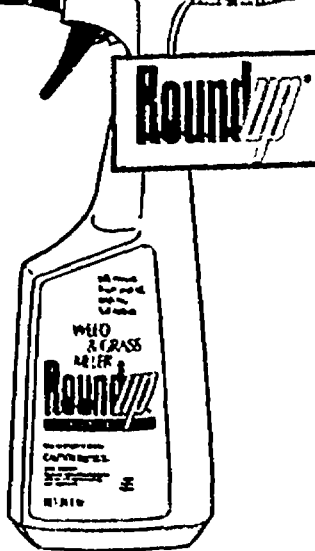
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WEEDBLOCK

Lets 3 times more air
and water through.

#1040M

3'X25'	6.79
3'X50'	9.99
3'X100'	19.99



Roundup

GRASS & WEED KILLER

Spot treatment
around shrubs,
flower beds, cracks
& crevices.
Ready-to-use.

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24 OZ. BOTTLE



Miracle-Gro PLANT FOOD

ALL FLOWERS, ALL VEGETABLES
ROSES, TOMATOES, TREES
FRUITS, SHRUBS, LAWNS

NET WT. 5 LBS.

Miracle-Gro PLANT FOOD

Water soluble plant
food. Good for use
on all vegetables,
flowers, etc.

6⁹⁹

5 LBS.
BAG

1.5 LB. 3.79



YARD STAR

LIQUID EDGER

LIQUID EDGER

Save time, energy
and money. Kills
unwanted vegeta-
tion along drive-
ways, fences, etc.

#BSQEDGER

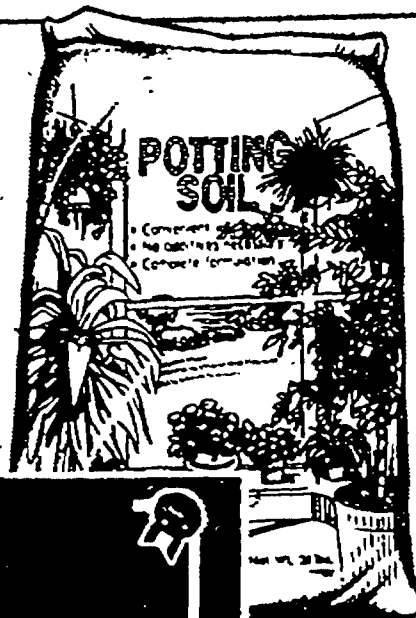
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**ASSORTED
TROPICAL
FOLIAGE
PLANTS**

14.95
12" CONTAINER



POTTING SOIL

Scientifically blended formulation. Developed expressly for houseplants.

1.20

20 LB. BAG

**40 LB.
BAG**

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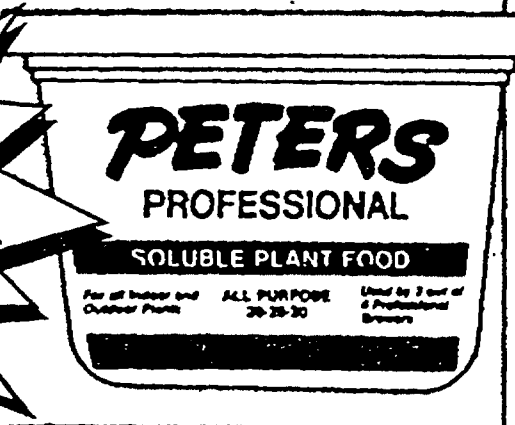
Expanded natural volcanic rock material. Absorbs moisture. Good for any soil.

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8-QUART BAG

**VERMICULITE
8-QUART SIZE**

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PETER'S PLANT FOOD 20-20-20

Soluble plant food for all indoor and outdoor plants

2.99

1 LB. CONTAINER

Decorate with the natural beauty of plants.

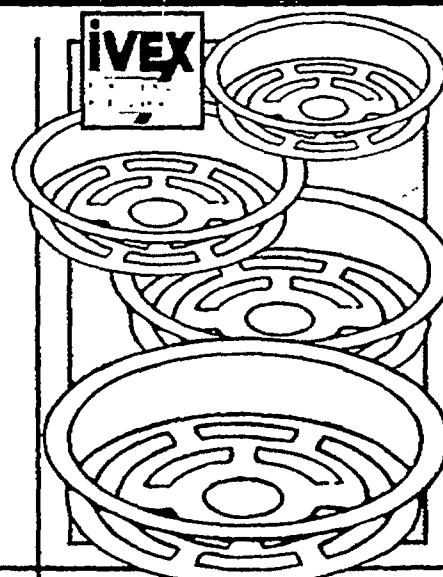


PLANT FOOD SPIKES

6-12-6 formula with micronutrients. Feeds completely for up to 60 days.

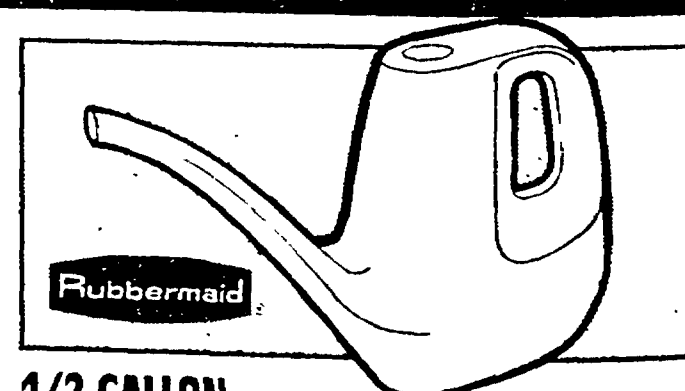
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CLEAR VINYL SAUCERS

6 INCH #SC-600	24¢
8 INCH #SC-800	42¢
10 INCH #SC-1000	79¢
12 INCH #SC-1200	1.02

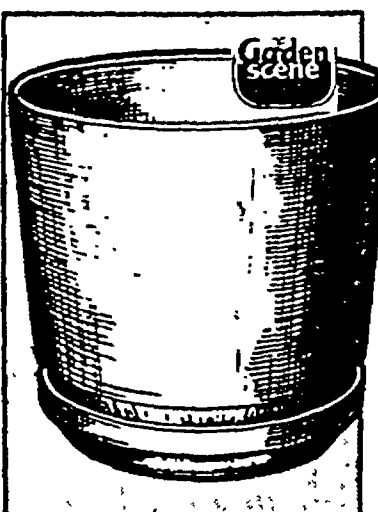


1/2 GALLON WATERING CAN

#3149

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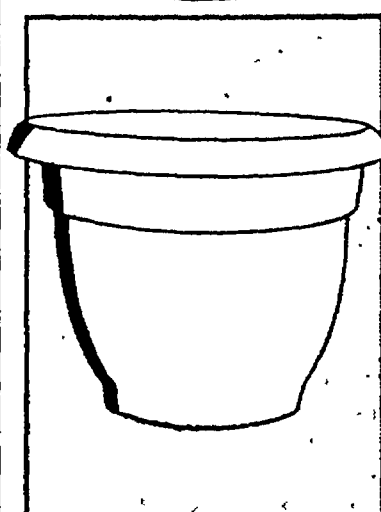
**2-GALLON
4.39**



FULL DEPTH PLANTER

Choose from plum, cobalt blue or granite.

6 INCH #FDM6	1.99
8 INCH #FDM8	2.99
10 INCH #FDM10	4.99

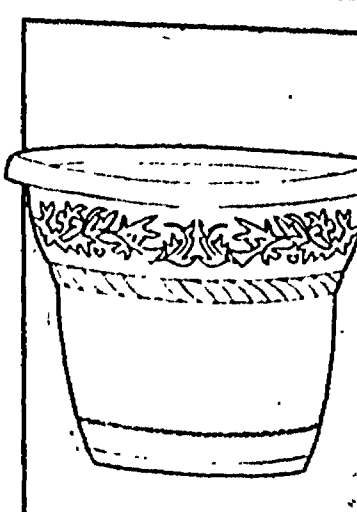


12" ARIANA POT

Choose from: terra cotta, pepperstone or wintergreen.
#56612, #56212, #56012

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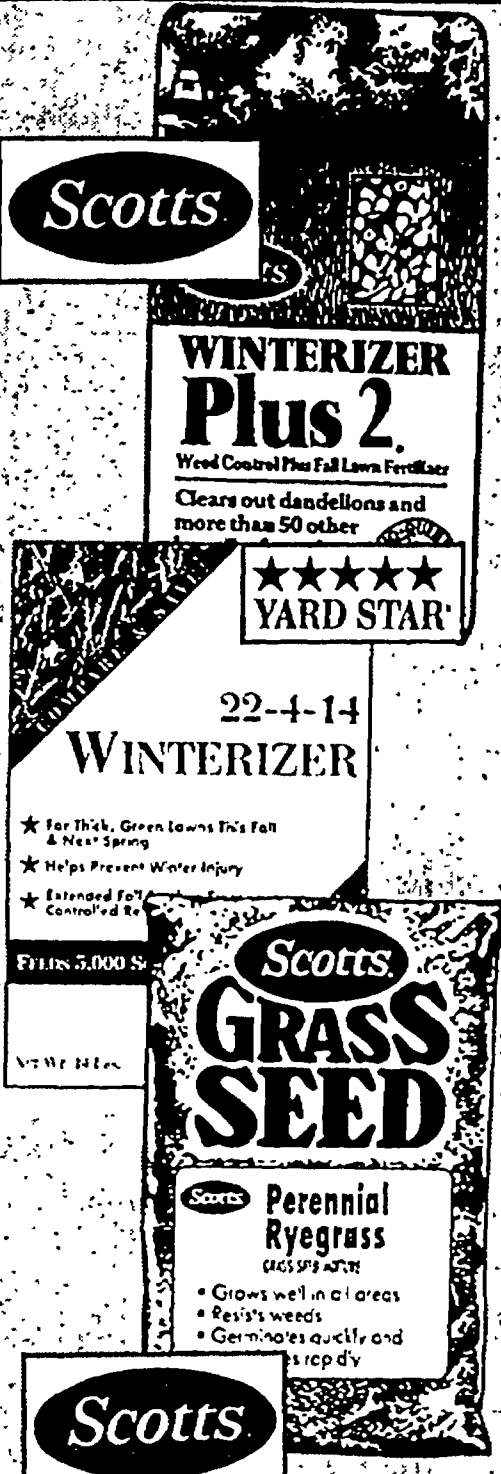
YOUR CHOICE!



7" FLORENTINE PLANTER

Choose from: adobe, winter-moss or evergreen.
#FP775ADOB, #FP775WMOS,
#FP775EGRN

2.99



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WINTERIZER Plus 2.
Weed Control Plus Fall Lawn Fertilizer
Clears out dandelions and more than 50 other

★★★★★
YARD STAR

22-4-14
WINTERIZER

- ★ For Thick, Green Lawns This Fall & Next Spring
- ★ Helps Prevent Winter Injury
- ★ Extended Fall Controlled Release

GRASS SEED

Perennial Ryegrass
GROWS SPREADS RAPIDLY

- Grows well in all areas
- Resists weeds
- Germinates quickly and establishes rapidly

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**WINTERIZER PLUS 2
WEED AND FEED**
Specially formulated for fall. Saves time-stops dandelions. Helps produce thicker lawns. #3405

12⁹⁹ covers 5,000 sq. ft.

22-4-14 WINTERIZER
For thick, green, lawns this fall and next spring. Helps prevent winter injury. Extended fall feeding from controlled release nitrogen. #BSQ241

6⁹⁹ covers 5,000 sq. ft.

PERENNIAL RYE GRASS SEED
Grows well in all areas. Germinates quickly & establishes rapidly. Scotts No-Quibble Guarantee. #1404

4⁹⁹ 3 LBS.



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GRASS SEED

Fall Grass Seed Mix

Scott's® FALL GRASS SEED MIX
Helps build a thicker lawn next spring, contains perennial rye grass, Kentucky bluegrass, & fescue-scotts no-quibble guarantee. #1455

14⁸⁸ 15 LBS.

Fall lawn care costs less here!



HANDY GREEN II HAND SPREADER
#71133

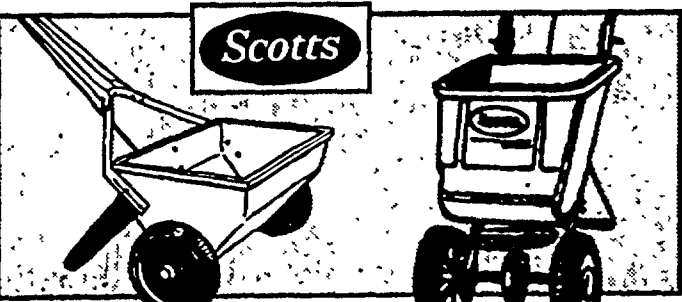
Scotts

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HAND-HELD SPREADER
#75250


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DROP OR ROTARY SPREADER
Choose from:
Drop spreader #73510
or Rotary spreader #745.

22⁹⁷ YOUR CHOICE



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DROP OR ROTARY SPREADER
Professional quality. Rustproof & rugged. 5 year guarantee.
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#75450

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YOUR CHOICE IMPULSE OR OSCILLATING SPRINKLER
#993NSCC OR #8826CC


4⁹⁷ EACH



MOISTURE MASTER

50 FT. RUBBER SPRINKLER HOSE
Rolls out easily and lays flat with no twist or kinks.
#45050-10

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YOUR CHOICE HOSE KING CADDY OR 5/8" X 100' GARDEN HOSE
#23-898 OR #YS1858100

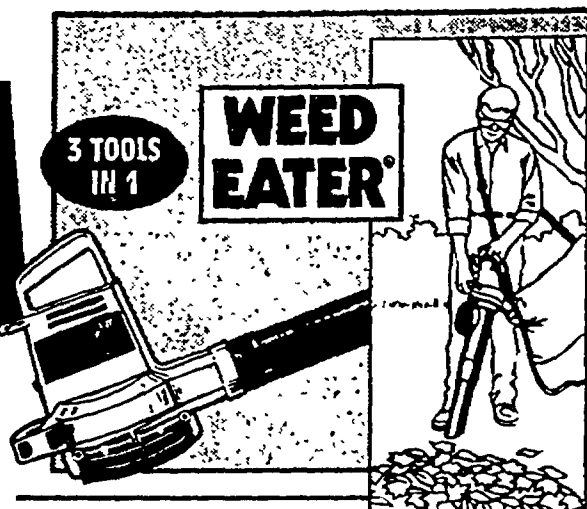
19⁹⁷ EACH



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Air speed up to 180 mph and 480 cfm air flow for fast blowing and efficient vacuuming. Unit quickly converts from blower to vacuum without use of tools. Patented Vortex™ vacuum system-exclusive mulching blade system resist clogging for easy composting or convient disposal. #BV1000

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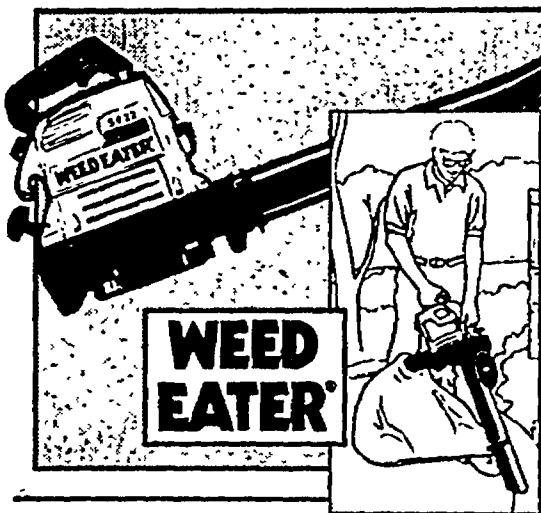
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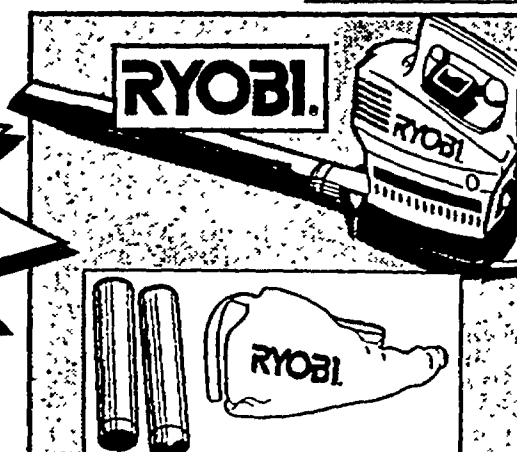


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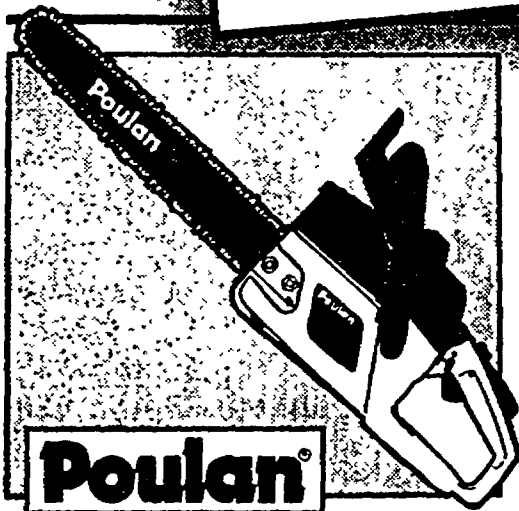
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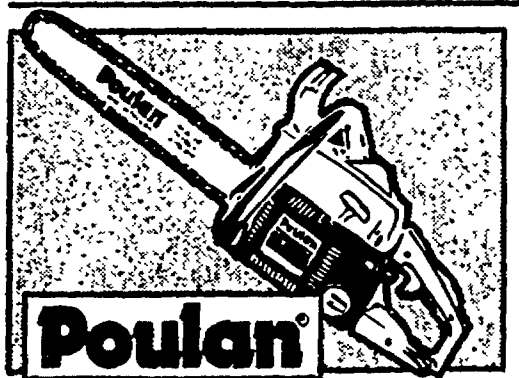
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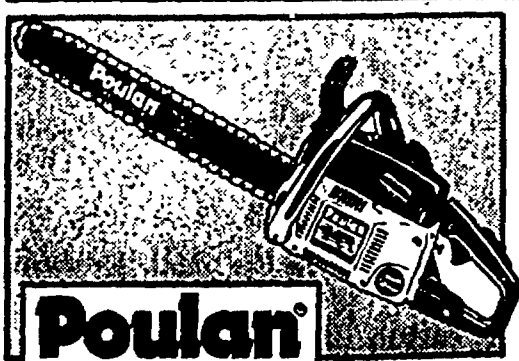


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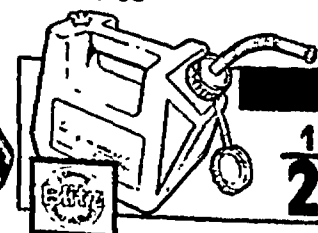


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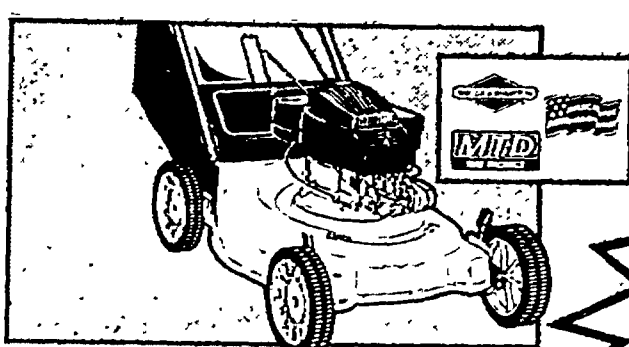
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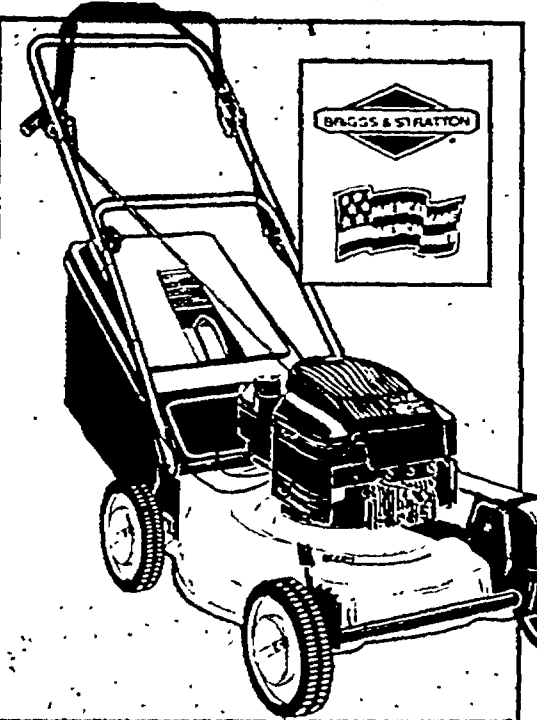
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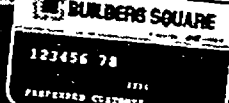
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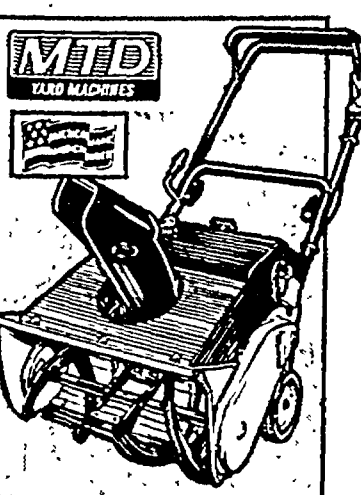
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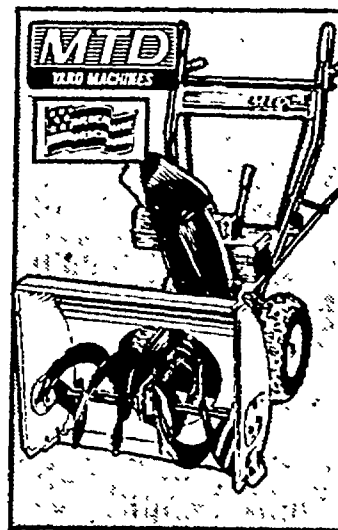
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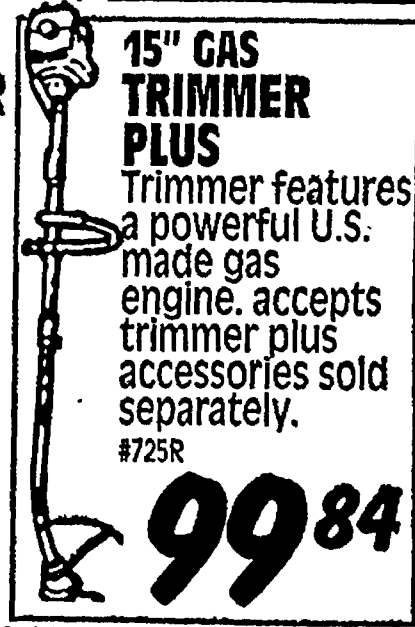
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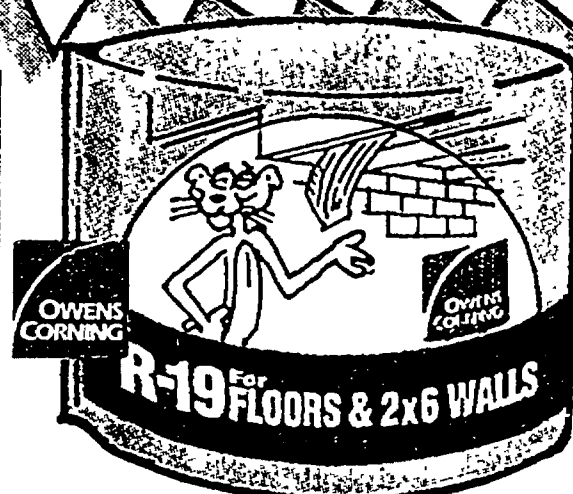


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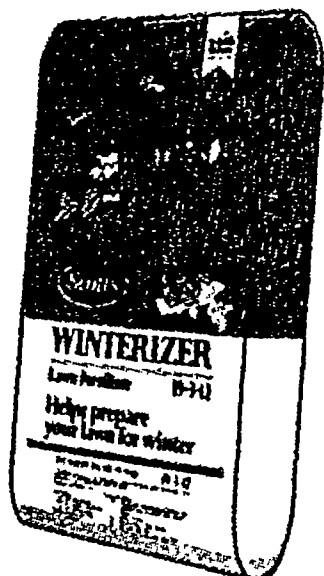
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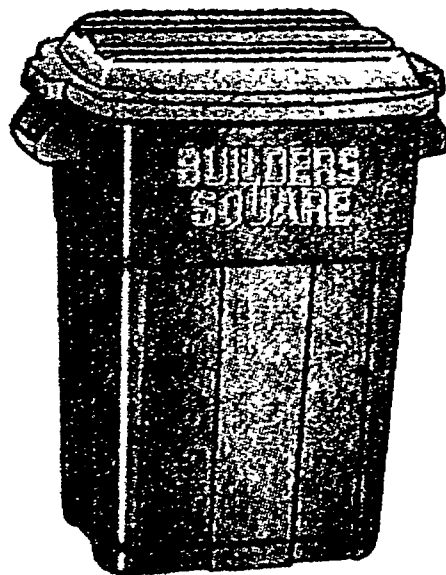


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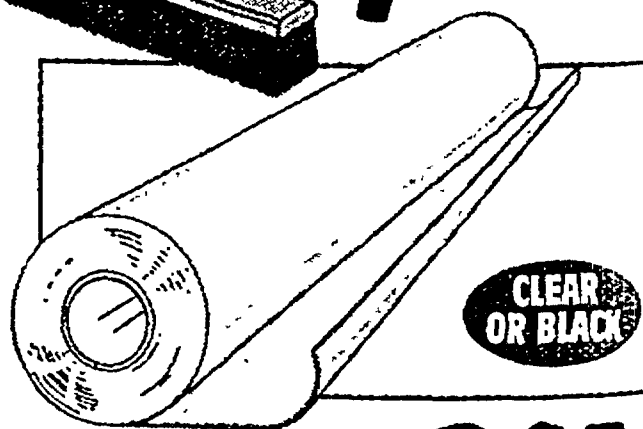


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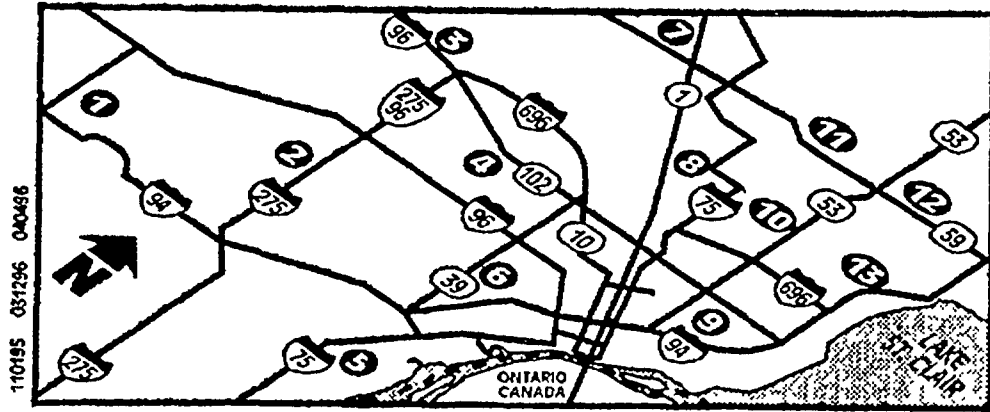
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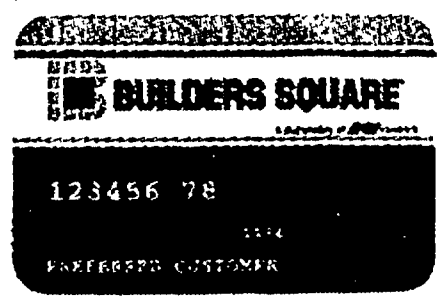
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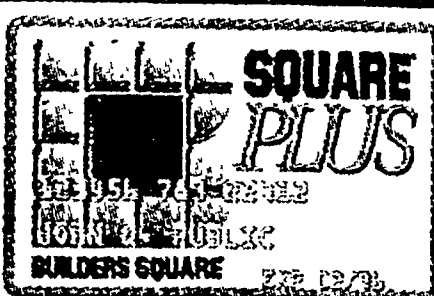
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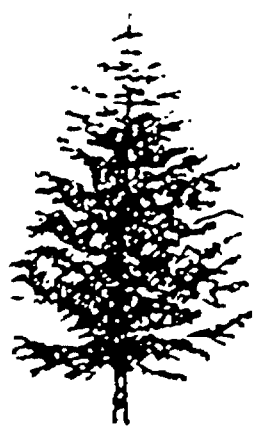
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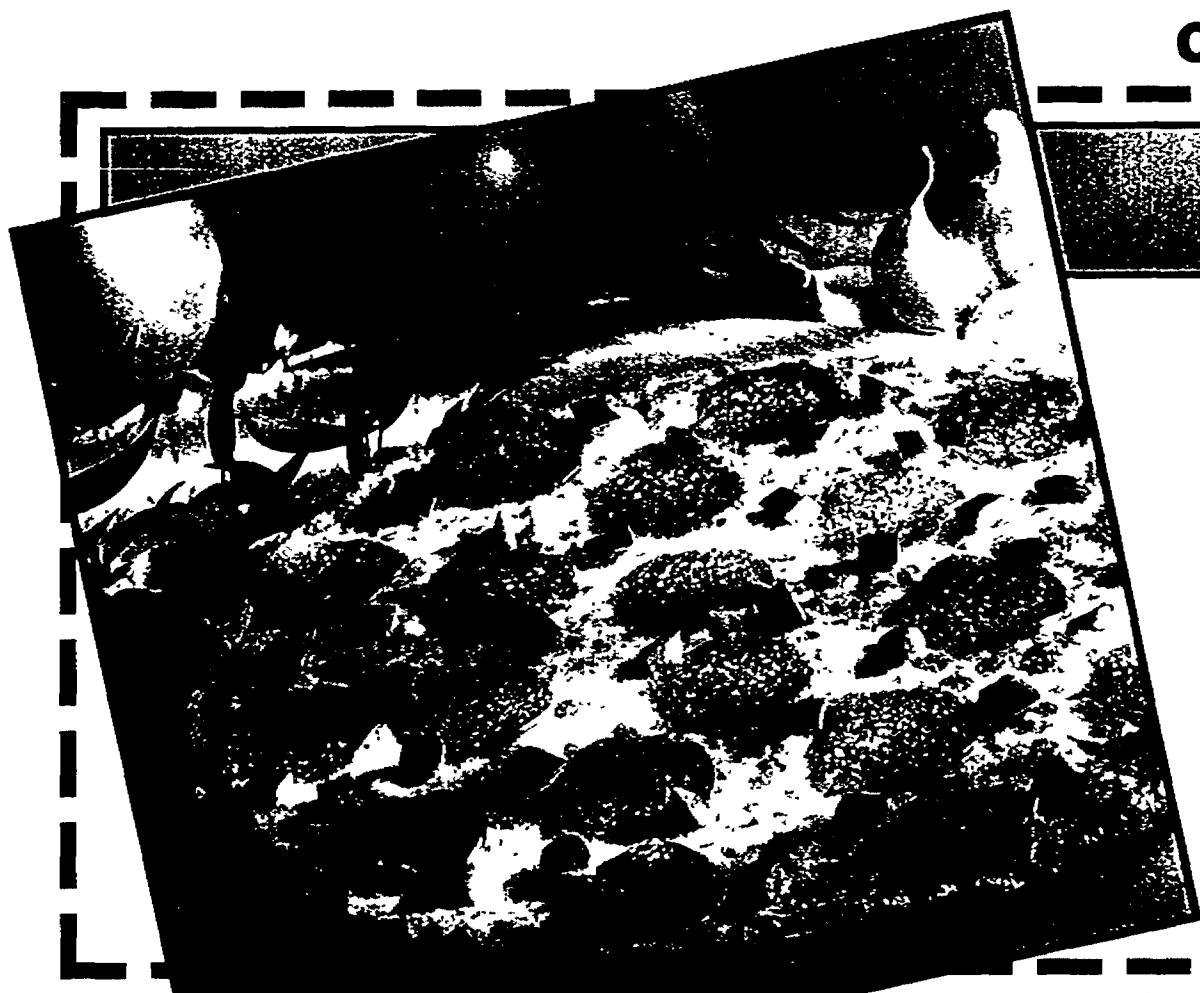
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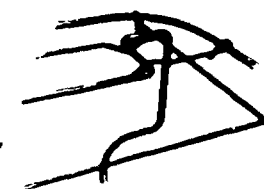
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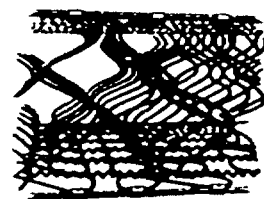
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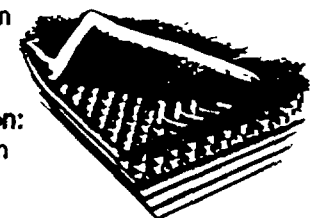
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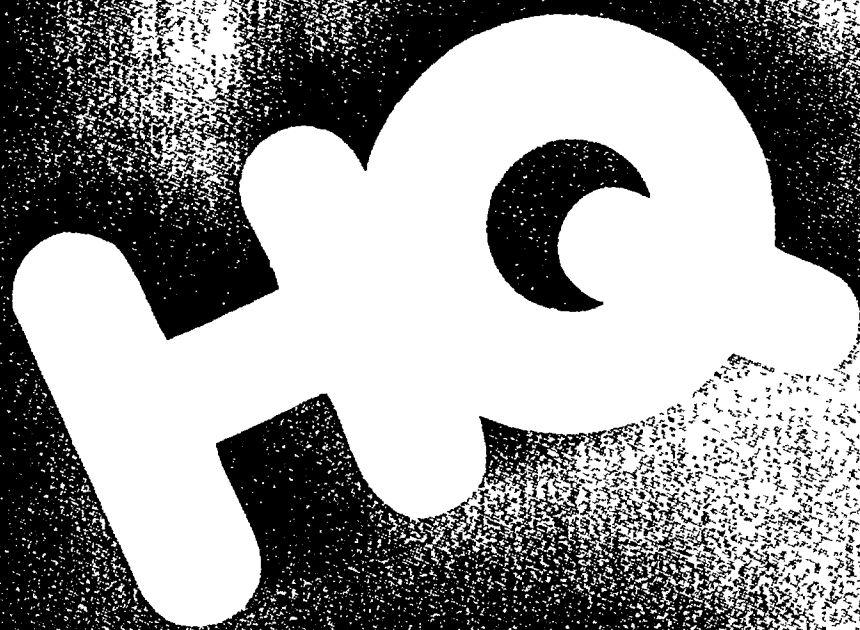
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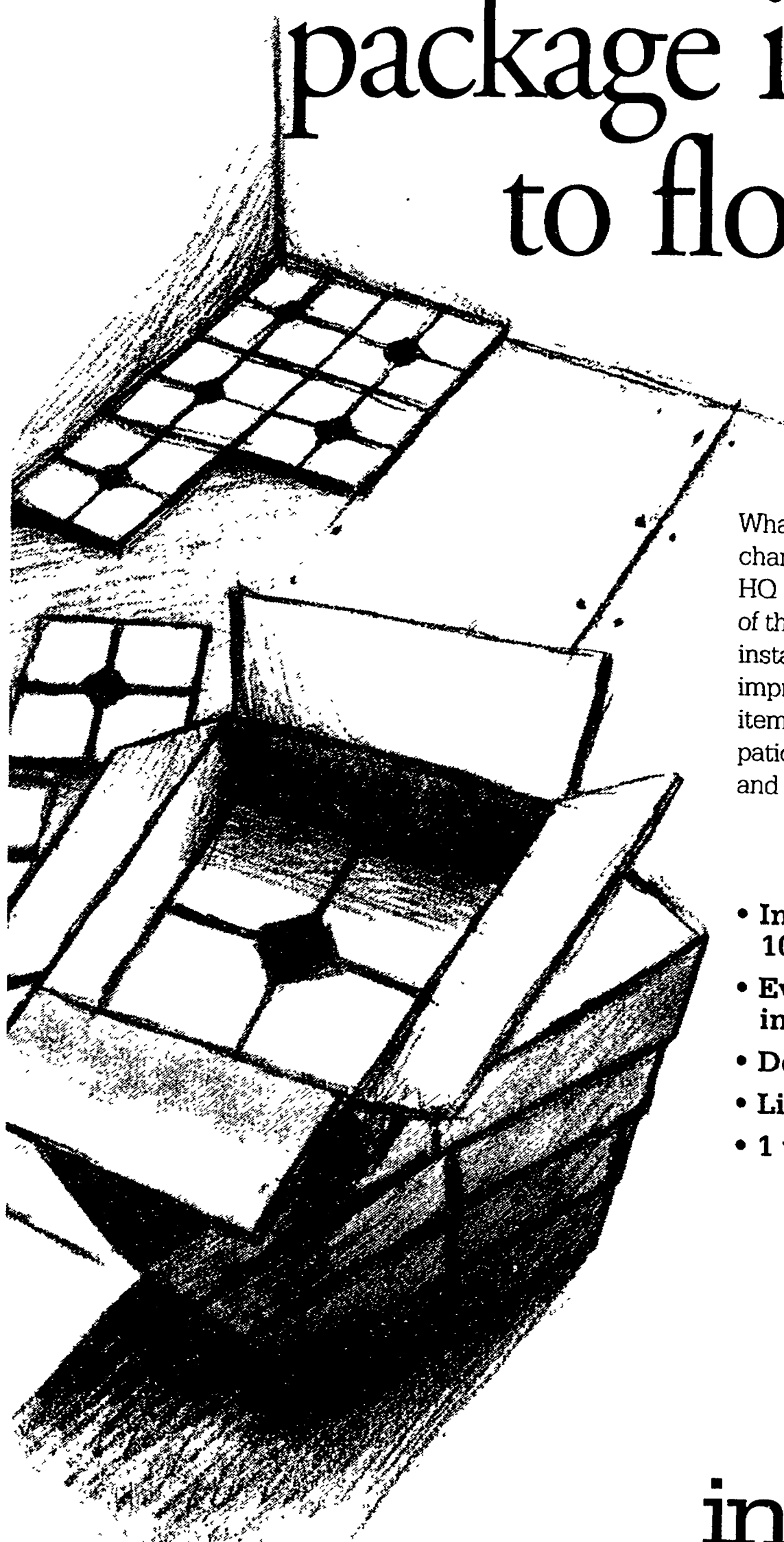
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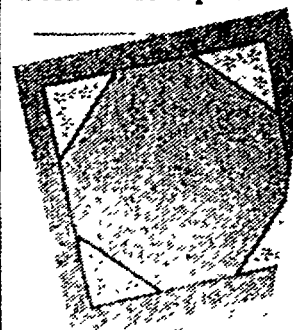
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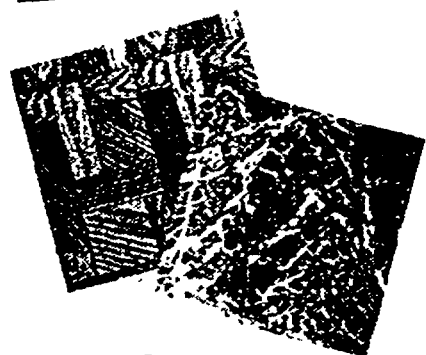
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•Printed design

Sold In 30 sq. ft. ctn... 38.10

156

Pc.

Armstrong

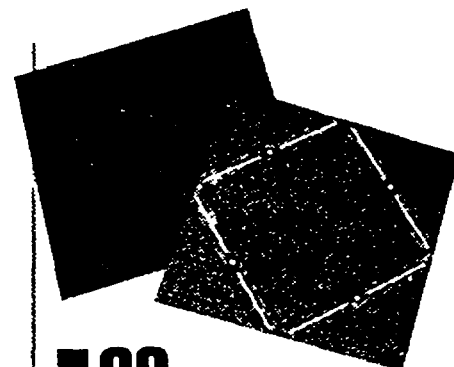
"Chelsea" Collection

•12"x12" •Assorted patterns

•Urethane no-wax •.08" thick

•Self-stick

Sold In 30 sq. ft. ctn 46.80



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Pc.

Armstrong

"Solarian" Collection

•12"x12" self stick •Assorted

patterns •.09" thick •Urethane

no-wax

Sold In 30 sq. ft. ctn.. 59.70

ARMSTRONG SHEET VINYL FLOORING

296

LF

Armstrong

12' Royelle®

•Vinyl no-wax wear surface

•.050" thick •Assorted patterns

Per Sq.Yd..... 2.22

788

LF

Armstrong

12' Intrepid®

•Vinyl no-wax surface •.06" thick

•Assorted patterns •Printed design

Per Sq. Yd..... 5.91

957

LF

Armstrong

12' Explorer®

•Urethane no-wax wear surface

•.065" thick •Assorted patterns

Per Sq.Yd..... 7.18

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Armstrong

**6'x9' Pre-cut
Vinyl Flooring**

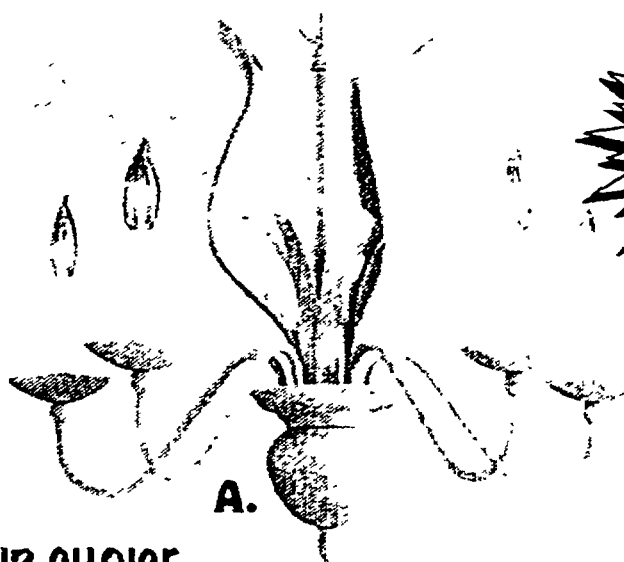
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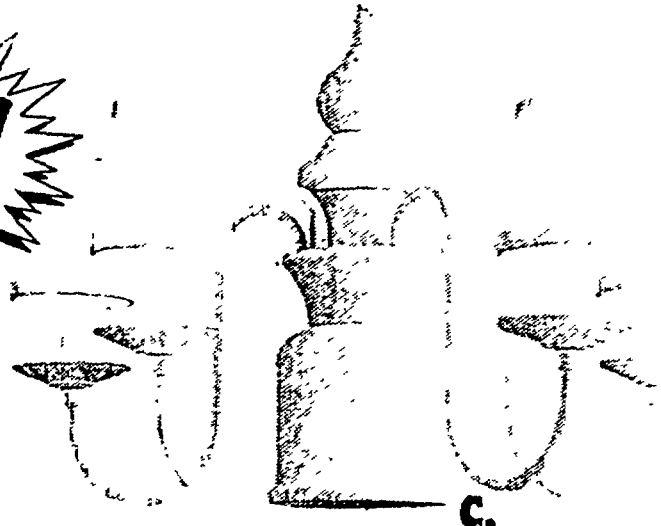
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NEW



YOUR CHOICE

99⁹⁹

Madison Avenue

installPlus

AVAILABLE ON
LIGHT FIXTURES

Chandeliers from Madison Avenue

In three styles from left to right

- A. 5-Light Country Iron Chandelier**
• Sienna wash finish • 21"x18" • (3041530)
- B. 5-Light Ribbon Iron Cage Chandelier**
• Textured white finish • 19"x16" • (3041522)
- C. Country Tankard Chandelier with Eggshell shades**
• Textured white finish • 5-Light • (3042090)

B.

Lightstyles

NEW PRICE!

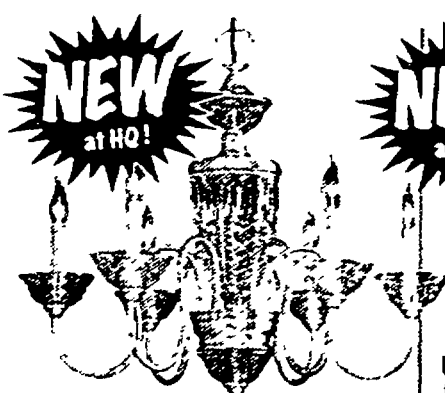
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Paintable

Ceramic Wall Sconces

• White textured finish • Three styles to choose from
• (3142353/403/5424217)

Hundreds of lights styles



129⁹⁹

Madison Avenue

6-Light Crystal Cut Glass Chandelier

• Polished brass • 24"x21" • (3042074)



169⁹⁹

BEL AIR LIGHTING

Polished Brass & Acrylic Pendant with Flairs

• 17"x17" • (5476726)

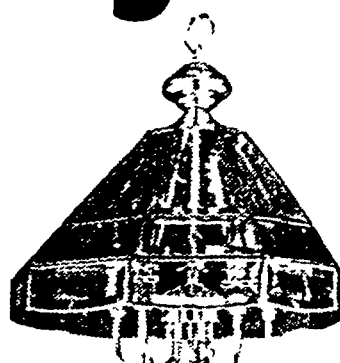


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Madison Avenue

Oak Trimmed Beveled Chandelier

• 3-Light plus 1 downlight
• (5466321)



99⁹⁹

CATALINA

5-Light Bound Glass Chandelier

• Amber and clear beveled glass
• 16-1/2"x16-1/2" • (309900)



59⁹⁹

Bibi

10" Crystal Basket

• Polished brass flushmount
• 2-Light • (3059680)
12" Basket..... 74.73
14" Basket..... 99.99



89⁹⁹

BEL AIR LIGHTING

4-Light Acrylic & Crystal Ceiling Fixture

• 14"x14" • (3302509)



69⁹⁹

Madison Avenue

3-Light Hanging Fixture

• Polished brass finish with oak wood accents • 12"x16" • (5466347)



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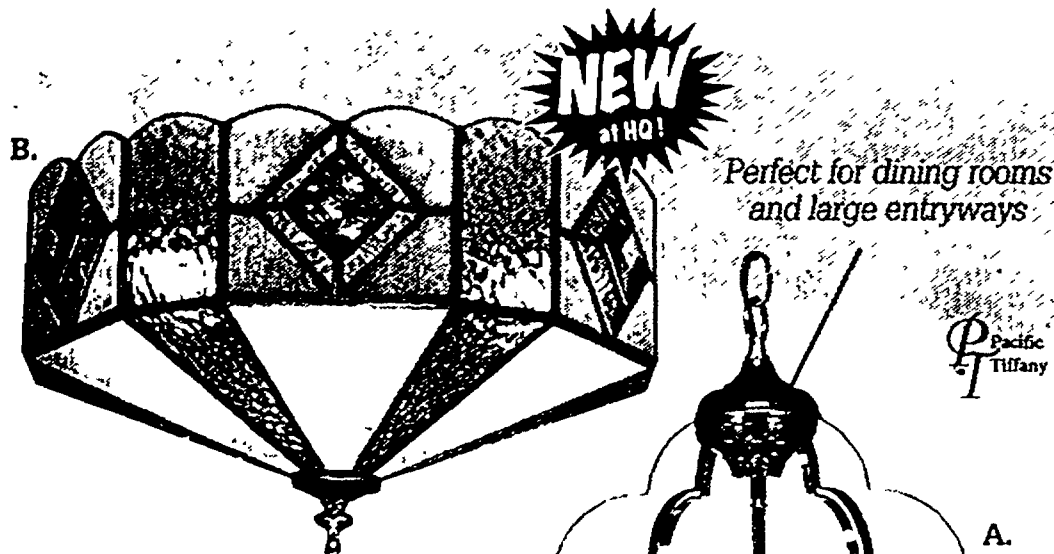
Madison Avenue

3-Light Polished Brass & Beveled Glass Flushmount

• 10" • (5473194)
4-Light (3001443)..... 19.99
• Also in white • (3306470) etc.

4 THE BEST RETURN POLICY IN THE BUSINESS.

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Solid brass cage with polished brass accents

Perfect for dining rooms and large entryways

Pacific Tiffany

84⁹⁹

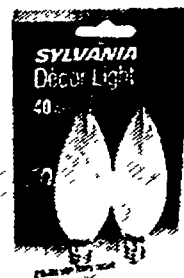
Handcrafted Tiffany Fixture

- A. •Glue chip with an accent of champagne water glass
•5-Light •(3042538)
- B. Flushmount Tiffany Fixture..... 119.99
•3-Light •Iridized white highlighted in ice crystal
•Solid brass channel •(3042470)

SYLVANIA

133
2 Pack Chandelier Bulbs

•A variety of wattages & styles to choose from
4 Pack Chandelier bulbs..... 2.78



SYLVANIA

175
Single Pack Globe Bulbs

•25, 40 or 60 watts
•Clear or white



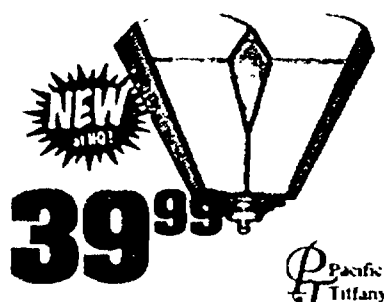
SYLVANIA

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2 Pack Globe Bulbs

•25 or 40 watt
•Clear or white

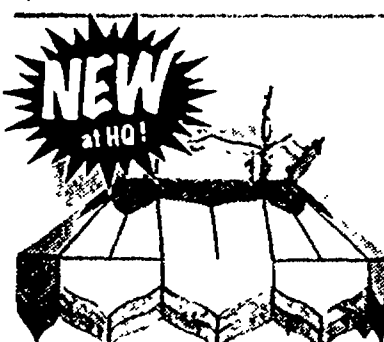


in stock guaranteed.



Handcrafted Tiffany Wall Sconce

- Cloud white accent in clear water glass •Solid brass cage with polished brass parts
•(3238177)



2-Light Tiffany Fixture

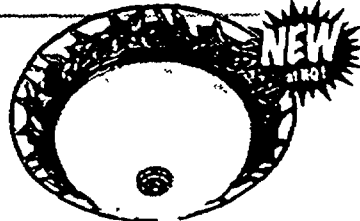
- Solid brass cage with polished brass parts •Cloud white/clear water & purple glass •(5460167)



99⁹⁹ LightStyles

Small Etched Design Glass Chandelier

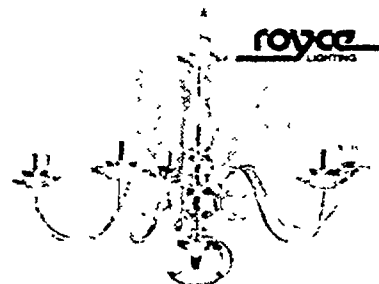
- Antique brass frame •3-light
•(5460290)



59⁹⁹ LightStyles

2-Light Small Flushmount with Floral Accents

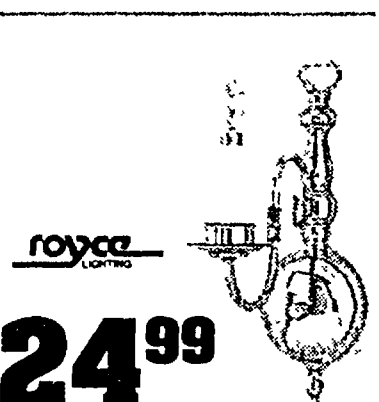
- Antique brass •Etched glass design •(5460514)
Medium Flushmount.. 89.99
•(5460506)



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5-Light Williamsburg Chandelier

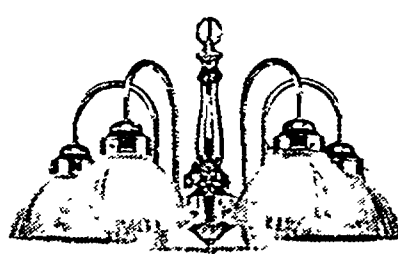
- Polished brass finish
•(3107711)



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1-Light Williamsburg Style Wall Sconce

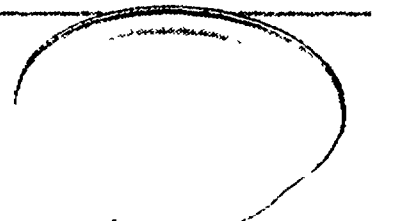
- Solid brass •(5460720)



59⁹² Angelo

5-Light Polished Brass Chandelier

- Clear and frosted dome glass shades •(3146859)



9⁹⁹ royce

Swirled Glass 1-light White Flushmount

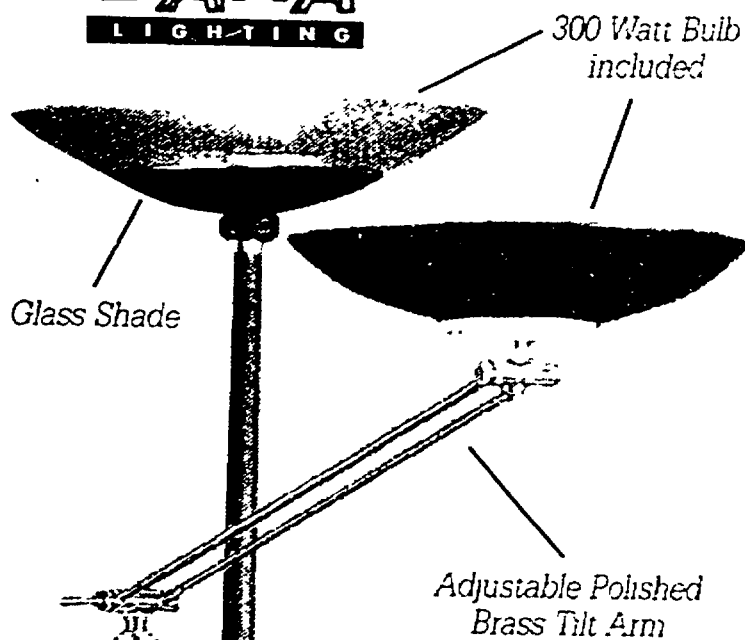
- 11" •(3001286)
13" Flushmount..... 14.99
•2-light •(3003456)
•Both available in polished brass



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DANA
LIGHTING



YOUR CHOICE
34⁹⁹

300 Watt Halogen Torchiera

- Variable dimmer control • 71"
- Matte black • #3053311 - #3053329

LIGHT BULBS

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4 Pack Soft White Bulbs

- 40 60 75 or 100 watts

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3 Way Soft White Bulb

- 50-100-150 watts or 30-70-100 watts

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Halloween "Boo Bulb"

- Includes 1 orange party bulb and 1 black light bulb



#3053329

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Coronet

49⁹⁹

27" Squiggle Table Lamp

- Black iron base • Contemporary design • #3012330

alsy
LIGHTING

29⁹⁹

Large 26" Beanpot Table lamp

- Oyster finish with Potpourri shade • 3-way switch • #300993

lighting-rite

79⁹⁹

30" Enameled & Toned Brass Table Lamp

- Enamel & knife pleated shade • #3008513

Stylesetter

79⁹⁹

28" Candlestick Table lamp

- Handcut crystal • #3008393

If you change your mind about the style, its easy to return!

The

Amerdale

119⁹⁹

Mission Design Accent Table Lamp

- Handcut art glass shade • Copper metal & leaded • Antique bronze cast metal base • #3008398

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Your Choice!

**A. 68" Reeded Torchiera
B. 56" Reeded Swing Arm Floor Lamp**

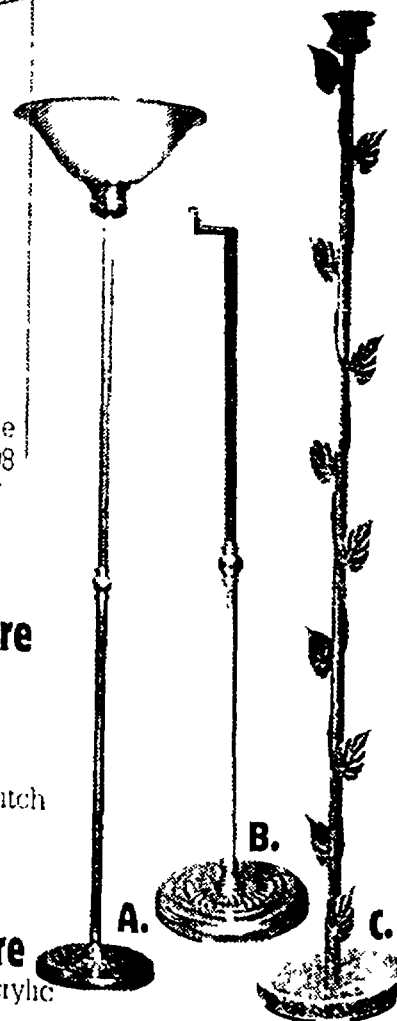
- #3010113 or #3042678
- Polished brass • Three way switch

99⁹⁹

C. Iron Vine 68" Torchiera

- #3010030 • Moss finish with acrylic shade • 3 way switch

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6 37,000 ITEMS GUARANTEED IN-STOCK, EVERYDAY.

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LITEWAY
... Value Leader in Lighting

Special Purchase!

Reg...74.32

64⁹⁹

**2 Light
Milford Oak
Fluorescent
Light**

•40 watt •Solid oak trim
•(3039690)
4 Light Fixture
(3039708)...**99⁹⁹** Reg...116.34

SYLVANIA LIGHT BULBS

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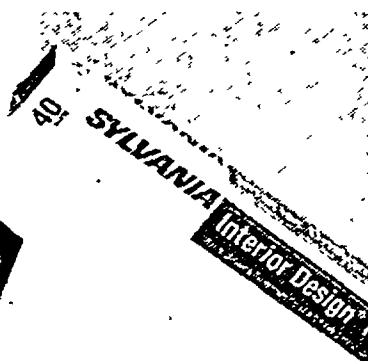
**Cool White
Deluxe Bulb**
• 2-Pack
•48" •40 watt



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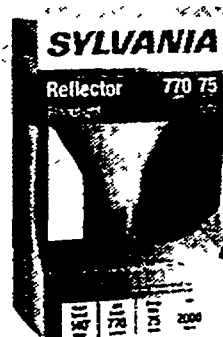
**Interior
Design Bulb**
•Provides warm
flattering light that
enhances colors
•48" •40 watt



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**Indoor
Reflector Bulb**
•75 watt flood
or spot



best lighting return policy

FLUORESCENT LIGHT FIXTURES

BULK RECESSED
Can & Trim Sold Separate

RECESSED PRE PACK
Can & Trim Sold Together



Reg...22.76

19⁹⁹

LITEWAY

Special Purchase!

**2-Light Wrap
Fluorescent Light**
•40 watt •Residential
•(3039492)



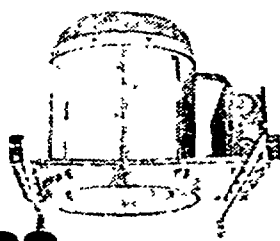
Reg...114.30

99⁹⁹

LITEWAY

Special Purchase!

**Whitehall Contemporary
White Fluorescent Fixture**
•Easy cleaning access •(3169299)



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HALO

**Non IC-Rated
Recessed Housing**
•Damp location approved
•(3144300)

29⁰⁵

EDISON LIGHTING

**White 8" Open
Recessed Fixture**

•Damp location approved •(3094141)



Reg...94.74

79⁹⁹

LITEWAY

Special Purchase!

**2 Light Lumina
Fluorescent Fixture**
•40 watt •Contoured white finish
•(3136801)



Reg...145.50

129⁹⁹

LITEWAY

Special Purchase!

**4 Light Montrose
Fluorescent Fixture**
•40 watt •White finish
•(3169257)



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HALO

White Halo Eyeball
•Damp location approved
•#(3144367)



\$27

EDISON LIGHTING

7" Round Baffle

•Damp location approved •(3094125)



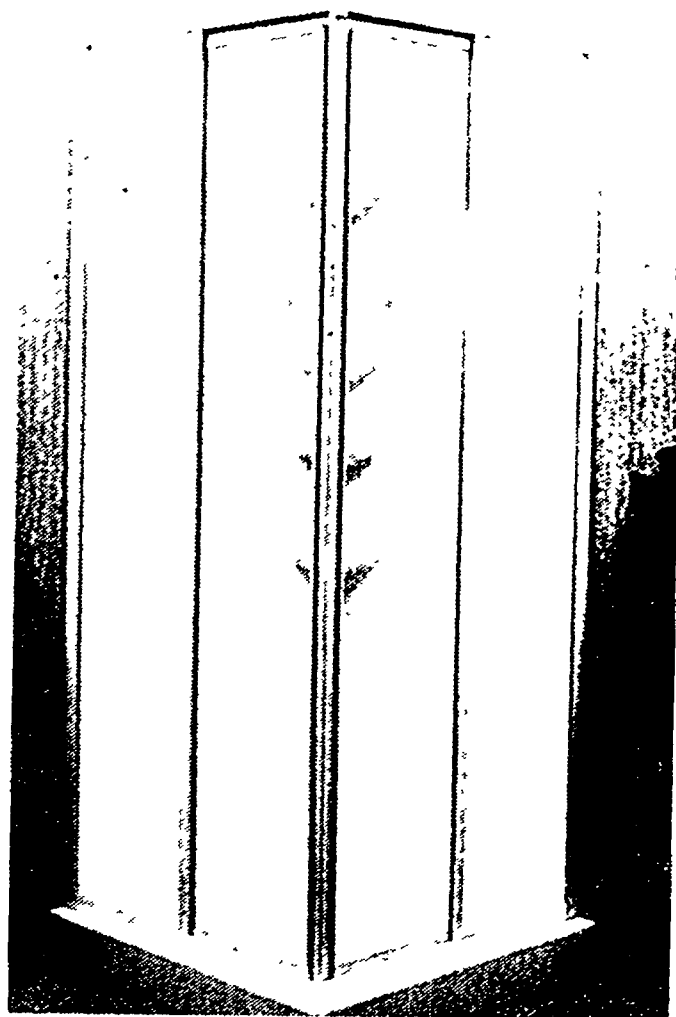
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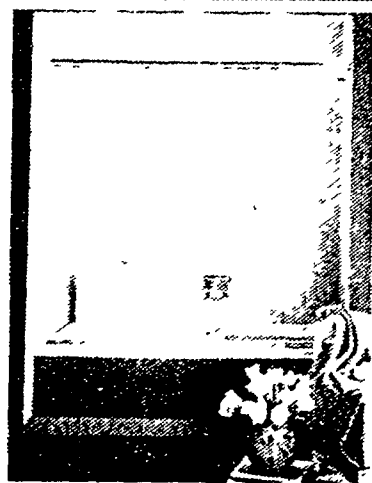
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Ask about special order!



\$249 **TRAYCO™**

32" White Corner Enclosure •#CORWPK32



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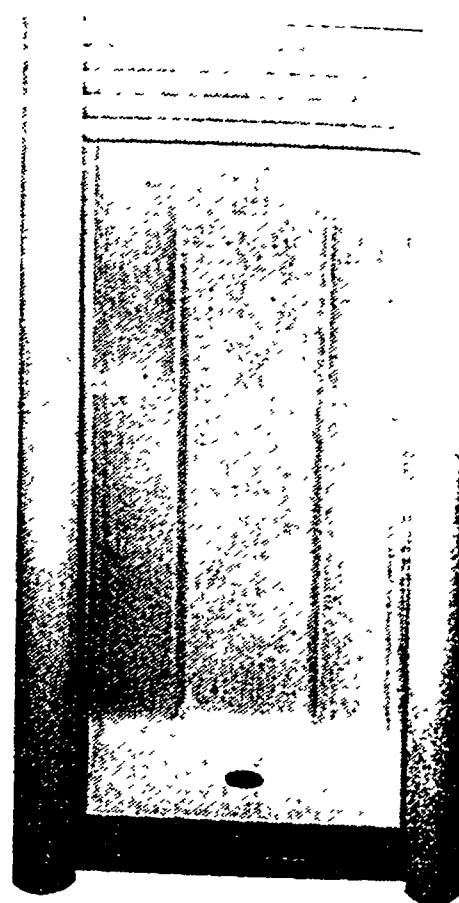
Frameless Silver Tub Door
•#3000-59S

MAAX

\$229

36" White Shower Stall

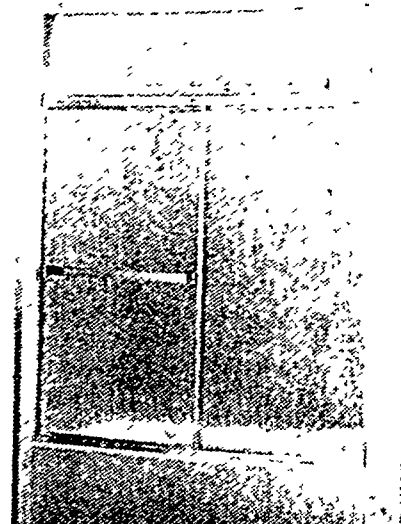
•#GS36M2000
Bone Shower Stall
#GS36A108..... 239.00



192³⁵

STERLING

Silver Pivot Shower Door
•#1500D



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STERLING

Silver Obscure Tub Door
•#690B

TELEDYNE WATER PIK

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Wall Mount Super Saver Showerhead

•#SS-1
Hand Held
#SS-3..... 17.29

TRAYCO™

36⁹⁹

White 4 Shelf Tub Surround

•#36850

TRAYCO™

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White 6 Shelf Tub Surround

•#36760

TRAYCO™

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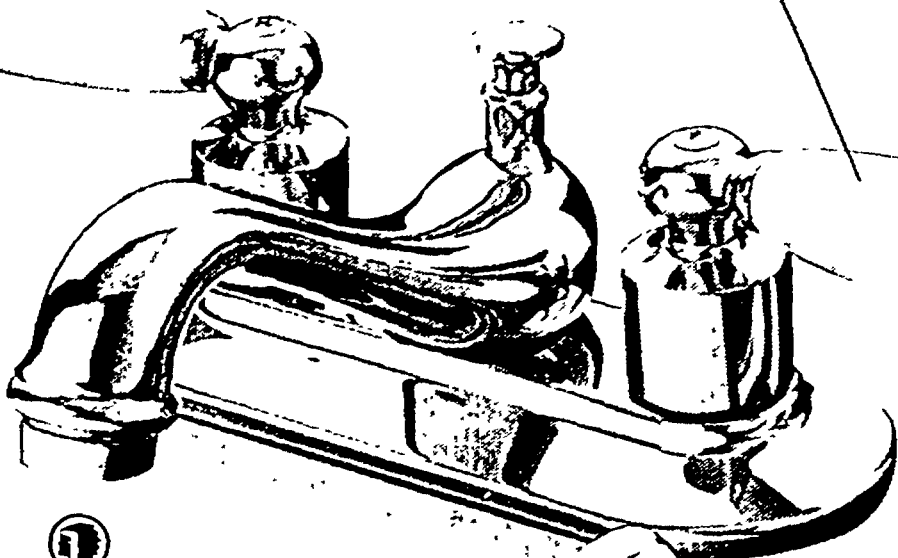
Reversible White Surround

•#36830

8 SAVE 5% ON PURCHASES WITH PROJECT REWARDS.

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Interchangeable Clear,
White & Oak levers



JAMECO

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**Two-Handle Chrome
Lavatory Faucet**

•#BS1203PP

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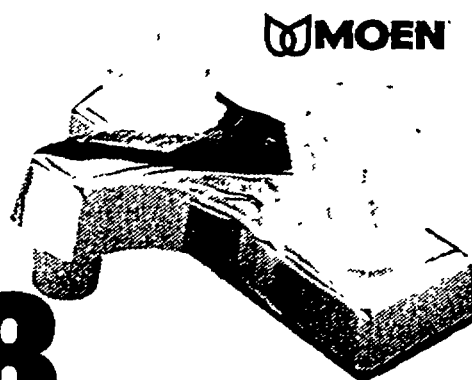


MOEN

\$28

**Single Handle Non-
Metallic Lavatory Faucet**

•#84004



MOEN

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**Two-Handle Chrome
Finish Non-Metallic
Lavatory Faucet**

•#84407

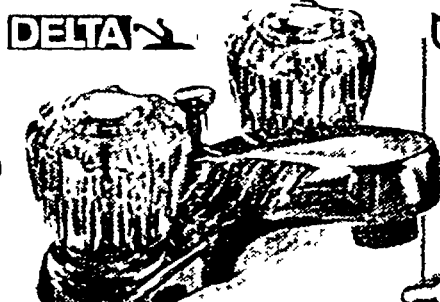
Always in-stock guaranteed



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**Single Handle
Chrome Lavatory
Faucet with Pop-Up**

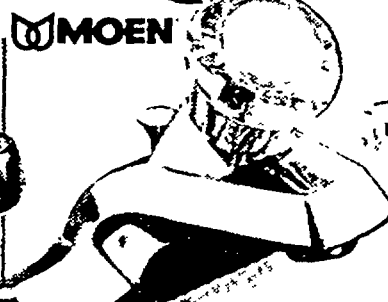
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**Two-Handle
Lavatory Faucet
with Pop-Up**

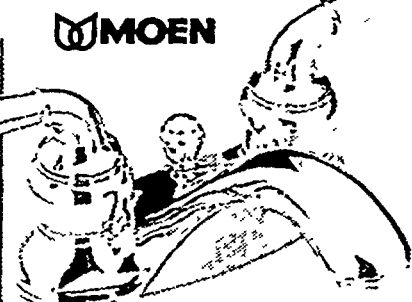
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**Single Handle
Lavatory Faucet
with Pop-Up**

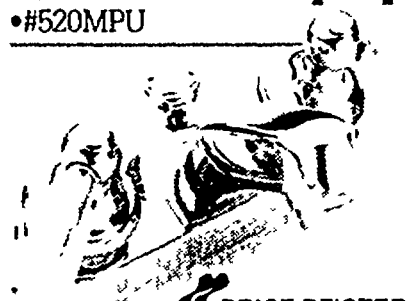
•#84521



\$93

**Two-Handle
Chrome Decorator
Lavatory Faucet**

•#84200



PRICE PFISTER

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**Two Acrylic Handle
Chrome Lavatory
Faucet with Pop-Up**

•#843-80AC

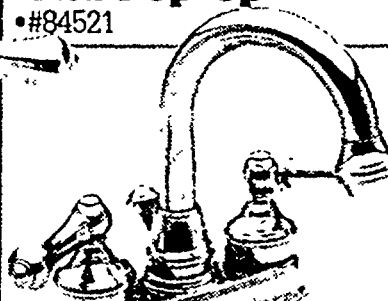


PRICE PFISTER

\$79

**4" Chrome Lever
Lavatory Faucet**

•#843-80BC



PRICE PFISTER

\$89

**Two-Handle High
Arc Lavatory Faucet**

•Swivel spout •#8H3-80BC



PRICE PFISTER

\$126

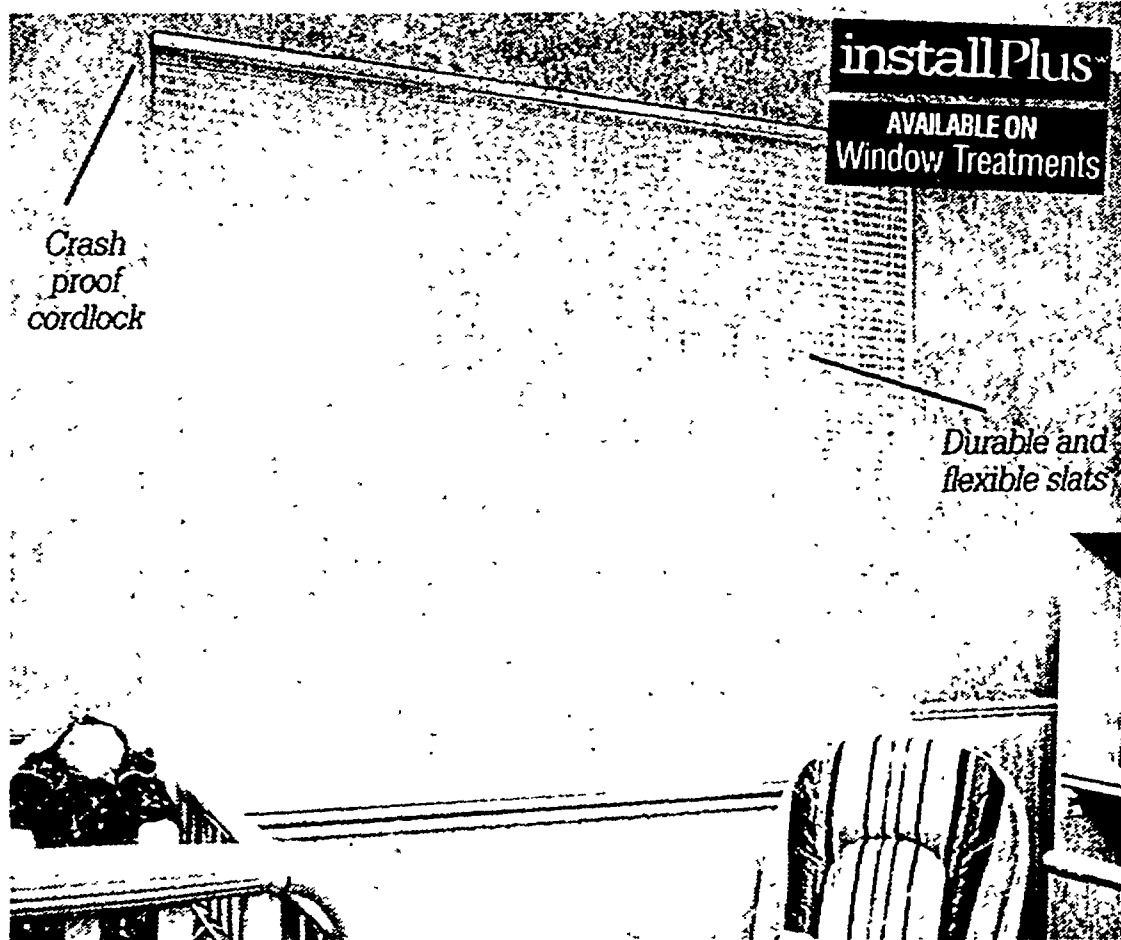
**Three-Lever
Tub & Shower
Faucet**

•#801-80BC



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Starting At...
23"W x 42"L

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BALI

1" Aluminum Mini-Blinds

•Available in cotton white or alabaster



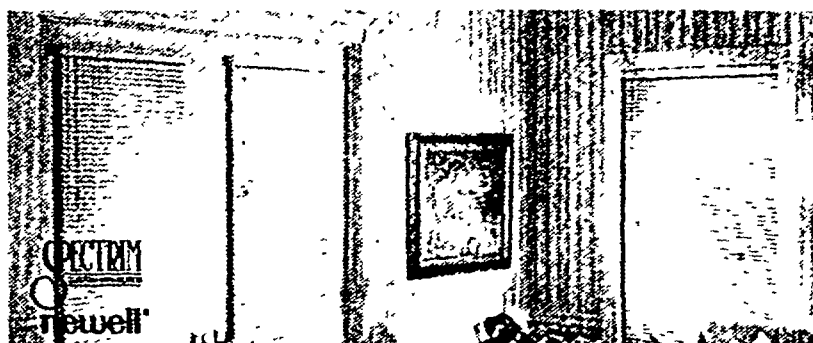
S. Lichtenberg CURTRON

7⁵⁰ To 47⁸⁰

Soft Window Treatments

- Choose from a huge assortment
- Styles may vary by store

Ask about special order



Starting At...

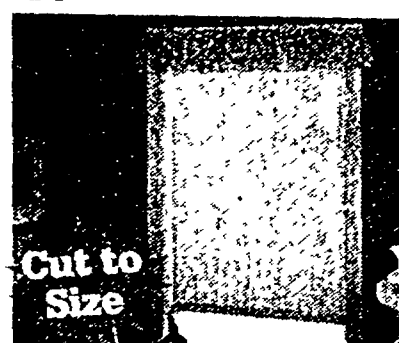
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Vinyl Mini-Blind
18"-23" x 72"L

Cut to Size While you Wait

Spectrim II Window Coverings

- White, alabaster, gulf blue, hunter green, tea rose and black
- 1' Aluminum Mini-Blinds 18"-23"x72" Starting at 15.96
- White or alabaster •Colors may vary by store



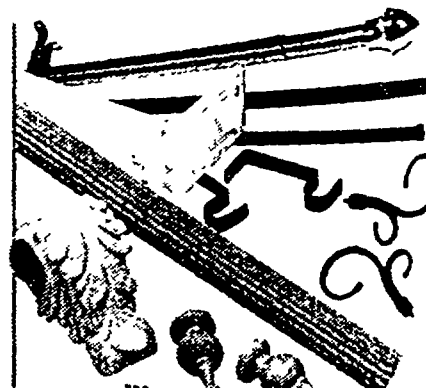
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newell Light Filtering
37"W x 60"L

Window Shades

- Choose from room darkening shades for total privacy or light filtering for softly diffused light



newell

79¢ To 76⁵¹

Drapery Hardware

- Choose from our wide selection



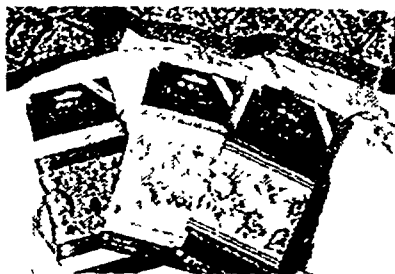
Starting At...

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Per Roll

Paintable Wallpaper

- Paintable to match any decor
- Textured Borders
- Starting at 5.87

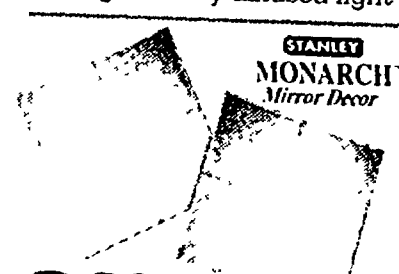


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BORDEN
HOME WALLCOVERINGS

Borderlines Removable Borders

- Just peel and stick to any smooth, dry surface

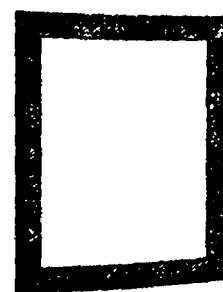


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6-Pk Plain Edge

12"x12" Mirror Tiles

- (5056866)
- Beveled Edge(5056858)...19.62
- Sold only in 6 sq. ft. ctn. •Other sizes & styles extra



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STANLEY MONARCH
Mirror Decor
16" x 20"

Floral Tapestry

- Many other mirror styles to choose from



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**Cash In
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Save \$2 a gallon on
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**Applies to 1&5 gallon pails only.
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AFTER INSTANT REBATE

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Reg. Retail
17.94

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PAINTS

**Great Life Exterior
Flat Latex Paint-Gallon**

• For wood & metal surfaces • Durable • One coat hide
Flat, 5 Gallon, Reg. Retail..... 84.70
AFTER INSTANT REBATE..... 79.70

AFTER INSTANT REBATE

17⁹⁴ **Great Life Exterior
Eggshell Latex
Paint-Gallon**
Reg. Retail 18.94

• High reflectance • One coat hiding
Eggshell, 5 Gallon Reg. Retail..... 89.70
AFTER INSTANT REBATE..... 84.70

AFTER INSTANT REBATE

18⁹⁴ **Great Life Exterior
Satin Gloss Latex
Paint-Gallon**
Reg. Retail 19.94

• Durable 100% acrylic finish
Satin Gloss, 5 Gallon Reg. Retail..... 94.70
AFTER INSTANT REBATE..... 89.70



MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE
DISTINCTION

19⁹⁶

PITTSBURGH

**Distinction
Maximum
Performance
Exterior Flat Latex
Paint-Gallon**

• Truly covers in one coat
• Durable 100% acrylic finish
• Perfect for all types of sidings
• Easy application & clean up
Satin, Gallon 22.84
Semi-Gloss, Gallon... 23.84



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**HQ 10 Year
Exterior Semi-Gloss
House & Trim Latex
Paint-Gallon**

• Resistant to peeling,
blistering & flaking • Durable
finish • Mildew resistant

<p>1²³ DAP Alex Plus Acrylic Latex Caulk Plus Silicone 10.3oz.</p>	<p>2⁶⁵ HQ 50 Year Silicone Sealant 10.1oz.</p>	<p>3²⁴ DAP Dow Corning Silicone Sealant 10.1oz.</p>	<p>2⁷⁵ Polyseamseal All Purpose Adhesive Caulk 10oz.</p>
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MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE DISTINCTION

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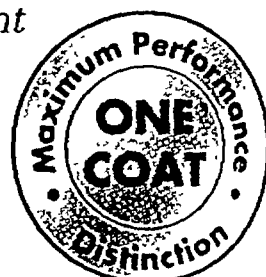


Distinction Maximum Performance Interior Flat Latex Paint-Gallon

• Elegant flat finish with superior washability • Resists household stains
Satin, Gallon 20.94 Semi-Gloss, Gallon 21.94

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TRAFFIC AREAS

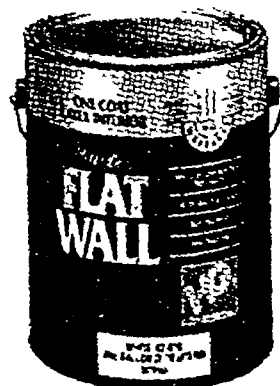


IDEAL FOR
WALLS &
CEILINGS

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HomeKraft Interior Flat Wall Latex Paint-Gallon

• Applies easily • Dries fast to a durable flat finish
• Hides minor surface imperfections
Flat, 5 Gallon 47.25
Semi-Gloss, Gallon 12.99
Semi-Gloss, 5 Gallon 59.95



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HQ 10 Year Interior Flat Wall Latex Paint-Gallon

• One coat coverage over most colors
• Non-yellowing • Spot resistant
Flat, 5 Gallon 39.50



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HQ 10 Year Interior Semi-Gloss Wall & Trim Latex Paint-Gallon

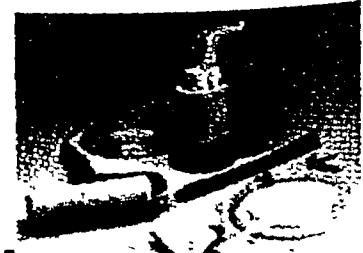
• Scrubbable, durable finish
Semi-Gloss, 5 Gallon 51.90



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HQ Interior Texture Paint-2 Gallon

• Available in smooth or sand texture • For walls & ceilings
• Hides irregularities



\$111

Wagner #959 Power Roller

• Portable with 30' of work area without moving unit • Applies up to one gallon of latex paint in 15 minutes • Interior/exterior system



AFTER INSTANT REBATE

14⁹⁷

Reg. Retail
15.97

MARTIN
SENOUR
PAINTS

**Bright Life Interior
Flat Latex Paint-Gallon**

• Durable, washable • Fade, spot & stain resistant
Flat, 5 Gallon Reg. Retail..... 74.85
AFTER INSTANT REBATE..... 69.85

AFTER INSTANT REBATE

16⁹⁷

Reg.
Retail 17.97

**Bright Life Interior
Eggshell Latex
Paint-Gallon**

• Scrubbable, washable • Spot & stain resistant
Eggshell, 5 Gallon Reg. Retail..... 84.85
AFTER INSTANT REBATE..... 79.85

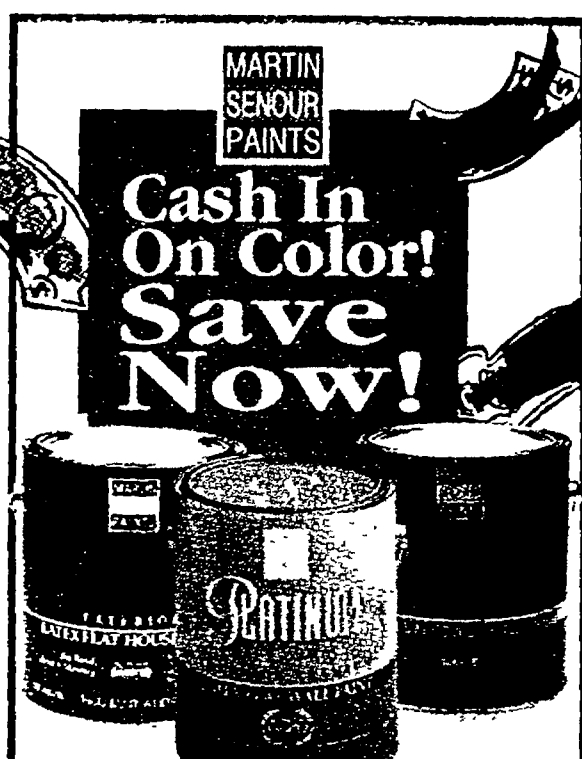
AFTER INSTANT REBATE

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Reg.
Retail 19.90

**Bright Life Interior
Satin Gloss Latex
Paint-Gallon**

• One coat hiding • Durable highly scrubbable
Satin Gloss, 5 Gallon Reg. Retail..... 94.50
AFTER INSTANT REBATE..... 89.50



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SENOUR
PAINTS
**Cash In
On Color!
Save
Now!**

Instant Rebate!
Save \$2 a gallon on
Platinum Paint Products.**
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**Bright Life or Great Life
Paint Products.****
Rebate taken at register

**Applies to 1&5 gallon pails only
Offer expires 9/30/96



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MARTIN
SENOUR
PAINTS

**Kitchen, Bath & Trim
Acrylic Semi-Gloss
Enamel-Gallon**

• Durable • Super scrubbable
• Moisture resistant • Fade,
spot & stain resistant



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MARTIN
SENOUR
PAINTS

**Stain Blocker
Primer/Sealer-Gallon**

• Blocks stains & odors
• Topcoat with latex or alkyd
paint • Sands easily
Quart..... 8.97



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MARTIN
SENOUR
PAINTS

**Interior Latex Wall
Primer-Gallon**

• Seals dry wall plaster • Promotes
color & gloss uniformity • Topcoat
with latex or alkyd paint
Quart..... 6.97



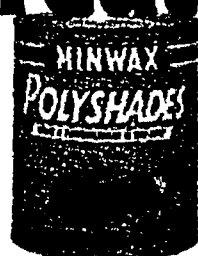
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UGL

**Drylok Masonry
Waterproofer-Gallon**

• Waterproof & decorate in one step
• Fills & seals porous masonry
• Holds back hydrostatic pressure
Latex, Gallon..... 14.90

Great Selection of Stains & Polys!



6⁹⁶

MINWAX

Minwax Polyshades-Quart

• Stain & polyurethane in one
• Cuts finishing time in half
• Saves time, effort & money



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MINWAX

**Minwax Fast Drying
Polyurethane-Gallon**

• Seals & protects • Long lasting
Quart..... 6.96

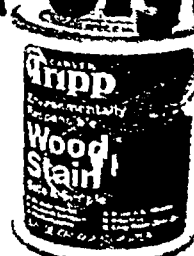


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HQ

**HQ Clear Polyurethane
Varnish-Gallon**

• Moisture resistant • Scuff,
scratch resistant • Durable
Quart..... 4.63



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CARVER
TRIPP

**Carver Tripp Safe &
Simple Wood Stain-Quart**

• One coat coverage • Uniform
results • Seals as it stains

HQ AND NOWHERE ELSE.

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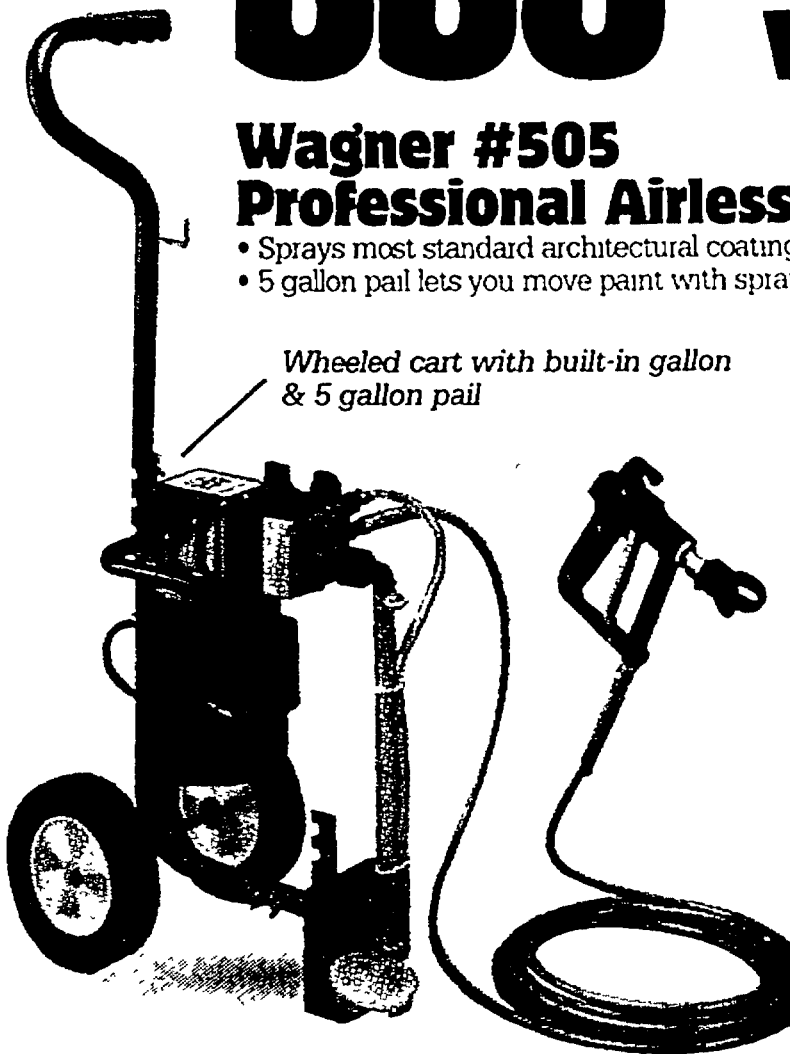
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WAGNER

Wagner #505 Professional Airless Sprayer

- Sprays most standard architectural coatings including unthinned latex paint
- 5 gallon pail lets you move paint with sprayer around the job site

Wheeled cart with built-in gallon & 5 gallon pail



Special Purchase!

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WAGNER

Wagner #220 Heavy Duty Sprayer

- Designed to spray thinned latex and oil-based paints • Draws paint directly from the can

Limited to stock No rainchecks

Thompson's Exterior Stains & Cleaners

Thompson's



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Thompson's Semi-Transparent & Solid Exterior Stain-Gallon

- Contains Thompson's WaterSeal™
- Ideal for all types of wood
- Great for house and deck



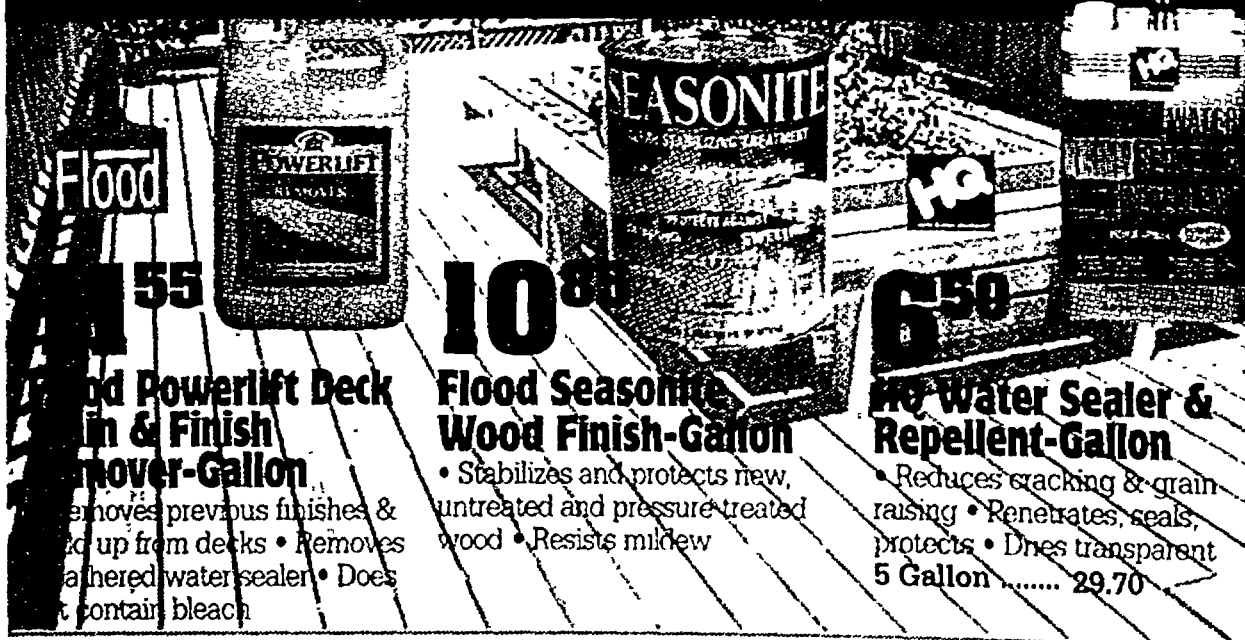
\$2/gal. Mail-In Rebate!

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Thompson's Water Seal Wood Finish Colors-Gallon

- Adds sheer natural wood color to all types of wood
- Provides waterproofing
- One coat coverage

Total Deck Care Center



Flood

55

Flood Powerlift Deck Stain & Finish Remover-Gallon

- Removes previous finishes & sets up from decks • Removes weathered water sealer • Does not contain bleach

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Flood Seasonite Wood Finish-Gallon

- Stabilizes and protects new, untreated and pressure-treated wood • Resists mildew

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HQ Water Sealer & Repellent-Gallon

- Reduces cracking & grain raising • Penetrates, seals, protects • Dries transparent

5 Gallon 29.70



Special Purchase!

OLYMPIC

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Olympic Clear Wood Preservative-Bonus Size

- Get 1 gallon free • Repels water and resists sun damage
- Mildew resistant
- Penetrating linseed oil
- Subject to stock on hand

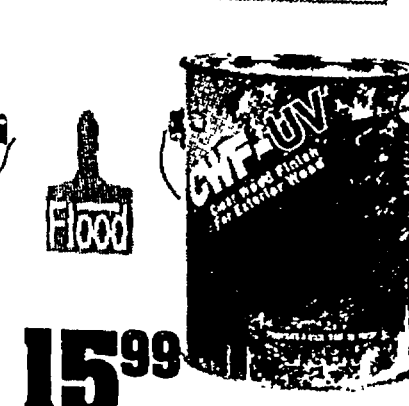
No rainchecks



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HQ Floor & Patio Latex Paint-Gallon

- Low luster • Interior/exterior use • Alkali resistant • Heavy duty latex

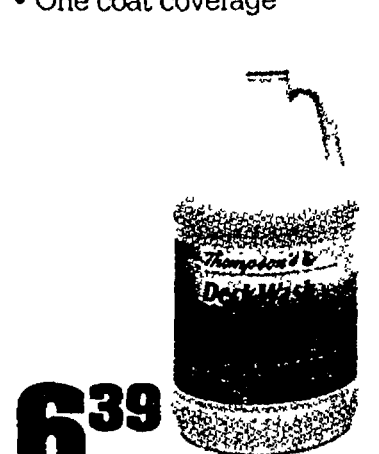


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Flood CWF-UV Clear Wood Finish-Gallon

- Clear penetrating finish
- Protects wood against moisture absorption • Ideal for horizontal or vertical surfaces

5 Gallon 74.80



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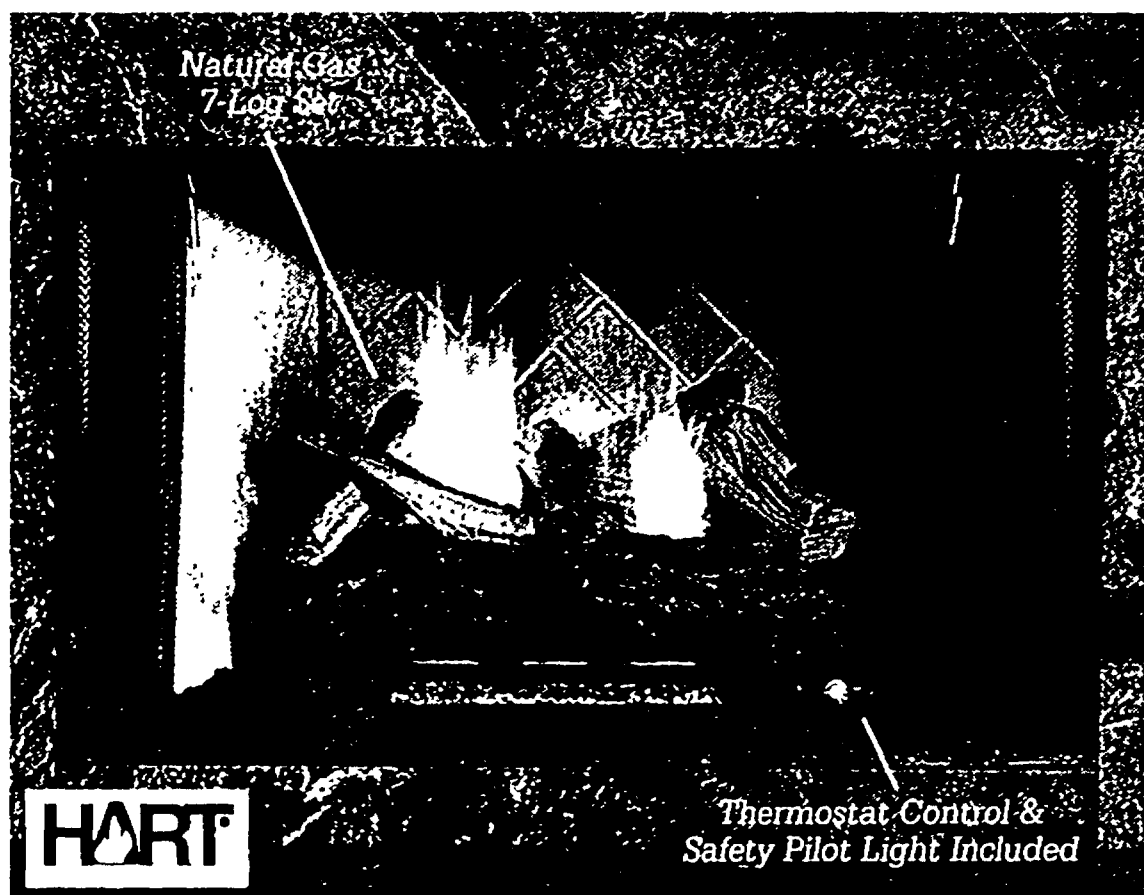
Thompson's Deck Wash-Gallon

- Fast! removes dirt and mildew in 10 minutes • Ready-to-use. no mixing

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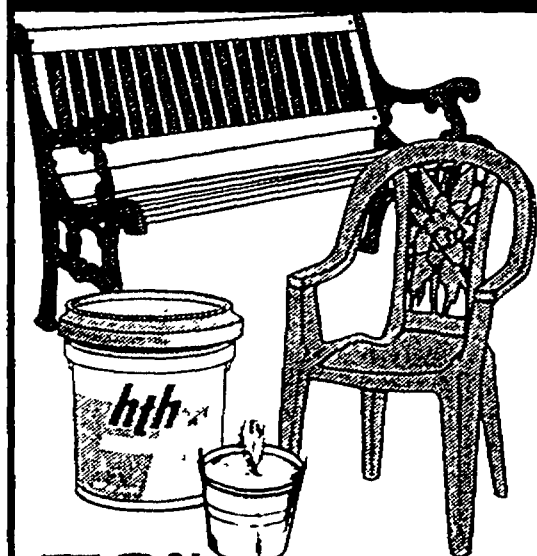


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18" Deluxe Vent-Free Gas Fireplace Log

- AGA approved •Safety shut-off
- Installation video •#VFT18NG (4497954)
- 24" #VFT24NG (4497970).. 329.99
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39⁹⁹
Traditional 8' Powder Coated Log Rack
 •Nylon reinforced cover has velcro® closures •UV resistant •#419 (4200671)

Fireplace

24⁹⁹
5-Pc. Toolset w/Pedestal Base & Ball Handles
 •Available in polished brass #200321 (4206355), Antique brass #200369 (4206363) or black & brass #209812 (4270070)

14⁹⁹
21" Log Basket
 •Available in polished brass #200031 (4206454) or Antique brass #200055 (4206462)

479⁹⁹ Weber
Genesis 1000 Gas Grill
 •36,000 BTU •635 sq. in. total cooking area •Exclusive Weber Flavorizer® System virtually eliminates flare-ups •Black •#211001 (4199626)

99⁹⁹ Weber
22-1/2" One-Touch Kettle
 •Red charcoal grill •Hinged cooking grate •One-touch easy cleaning system (4208914)

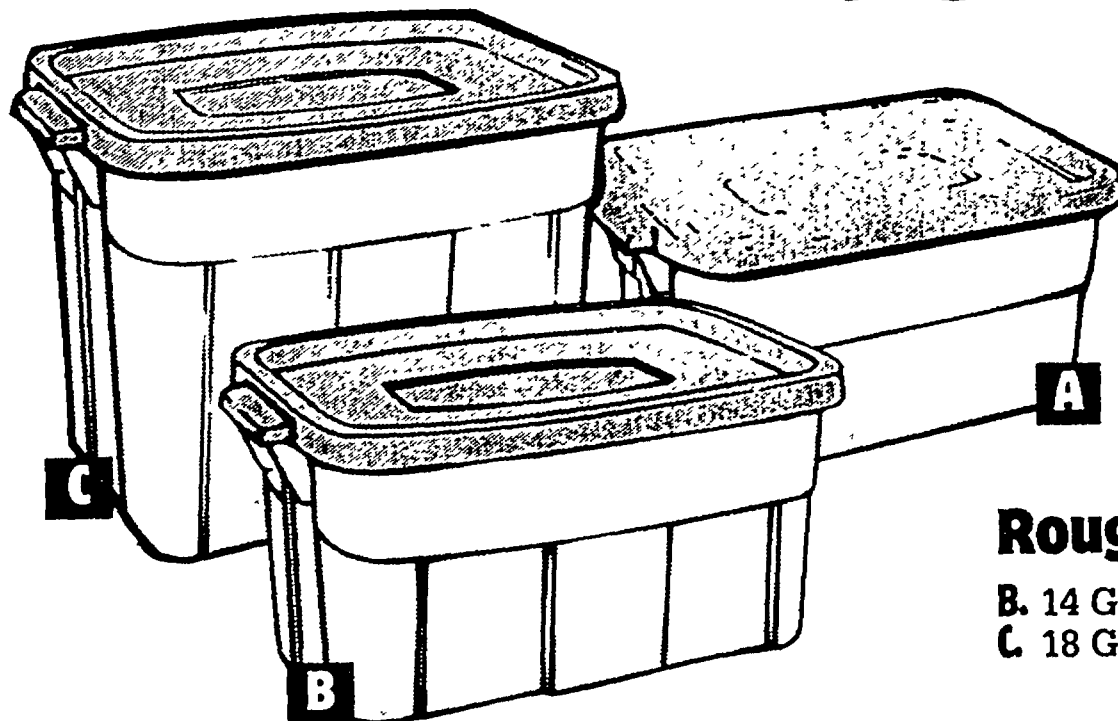
149⁹⁹ Char-Broil
35,000 BTU Gas Grill
 •Natural wood shelves •580 sq. in. total cooking area •Masterflame II Cooking system •#4657628 (4208955)
30,000 BTU. #4656602 (4208930)..... 119.99

27⁹⁹ Weber
Smokey Joe
 •14" portable kettle grill •150 sq. in. total cooking area •Heavy nickel-plated cooking grates (4403119)

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Rubbermaid

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A. 10 Gallon (5020433)

Rough Totes

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C. 18 Gallon (5020458) 8.87

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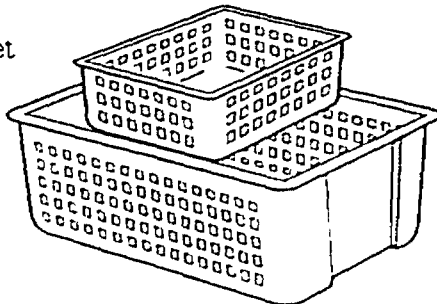
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11" Top Basket

Stackable Slide 'n Stack™ Baskets

• Stack alone or on sliding base basket

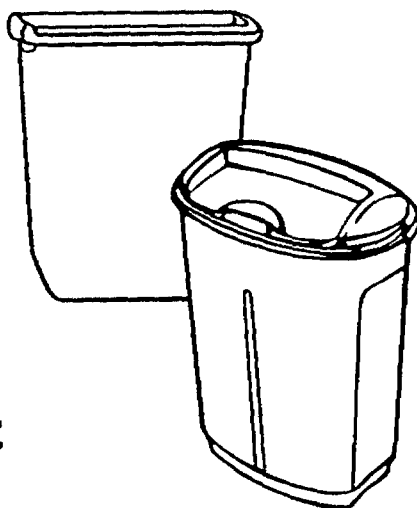
14" Top Basket ... 5.43
20" Top Basket ... 5.43



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20 Qt. Wastebasket

• White • Also available in Almond, Slate or Hunter



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45 Qt. Wastebasket

• White • Also available in Almond, Slate or Hunter

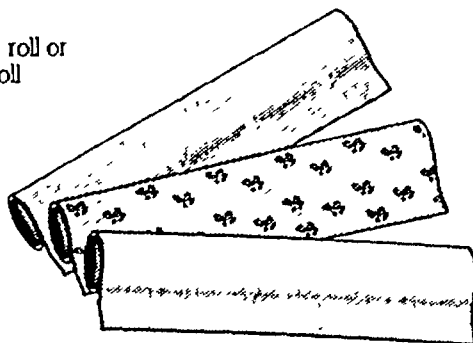
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12" width 10' roll or 20" width 5' roll

Shelf & Drawer Liner

• Available in 12" & 20" width • Choose from a variety of patterns

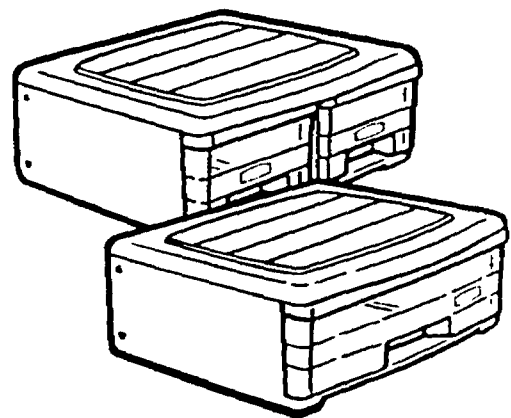
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Twin (5143136)



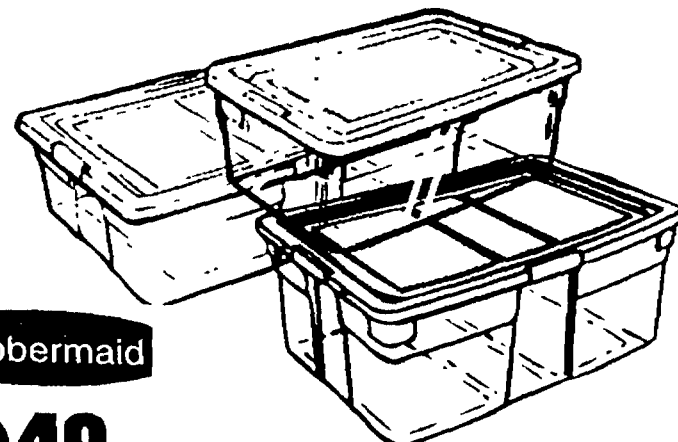
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• Twin stacking drawers • 13^{3/4}" D x 16^{1/2}" W x 6^{1/2}" H
Small Stacking Drawer
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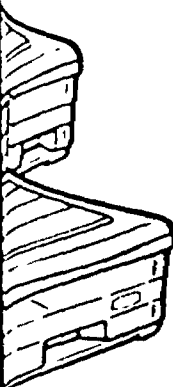
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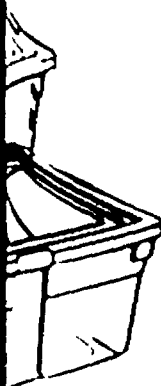
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6"H
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C. Base Cabinet
• 24"x16"x36" • 5105655 .. 65.00

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Roughneck™ 16 Gallon Utility Tub
• Blue • (5020615)

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19.5 Gallon Tote Locker II
• Hunter & Khaki • #2154 (5020581)
27 Gallon Jumbo Tote Locker
(5143219) 27.96

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50 Gallon Jumbo Tote
• 36" L x 19 1/4" W x 16" H
• Ideal for storing deck cushions and other seasonal items • (5020573)

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28 Gallon Hinged Top Rough Tote
• Unique snap-on hinged lid • Stackable
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22 Gallon Hi-Top Tote
• Great for storage of taller items • (5020219)

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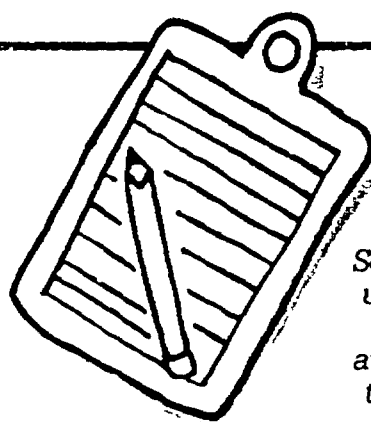
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4 Steps to Project Success

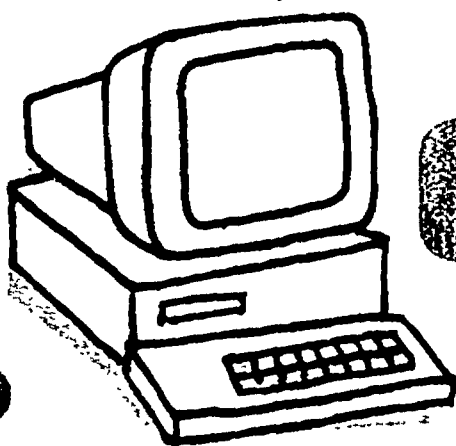
1. HOW-TO CLINICS



Schedule of upcoming clinics available at the store..

If you're not exactly sure how to tackle that next project, just keep an eye on our FREE How-to Clinics. Learn everything you need to know from our professionals.

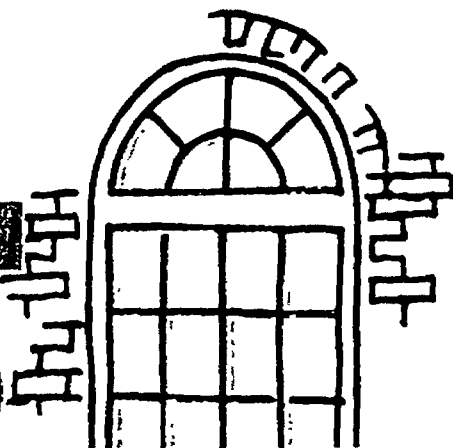
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CUSTOM DESIGN

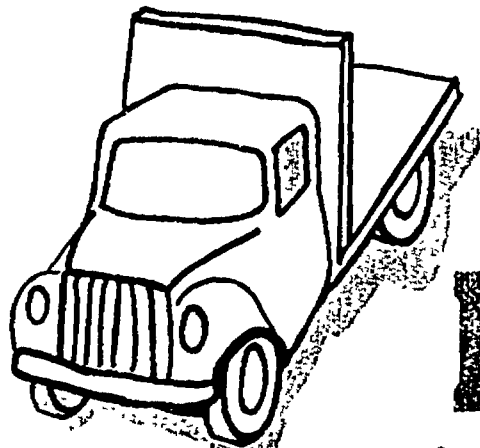
We can help custom design your kitchen, bath, or deck with our design computers. See how your project will look before you start! Just call for an appointment.

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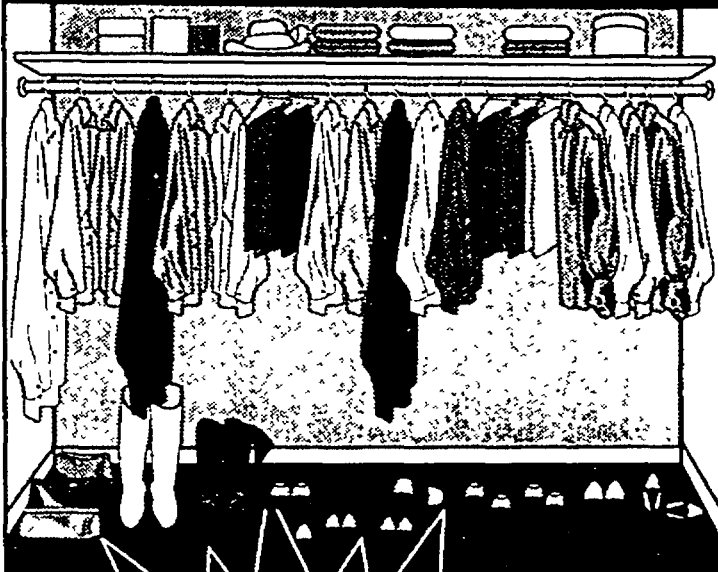
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Your Closet BEFORE.....



**Increase
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capacity by 50%**

See the Difference!

- More.....Storage space
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- Easy to install

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Free Slide Shelf

• 12"Dx4'L • For easy movement of hanging garments
16"Dx4'L shelf..... 11.35

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Wardrobe Shelf

• 12"Dx4'L • White epoxy finish

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Linen Shelf

• 12"Dx4'L • White epoxy finish
16"Dx4'L shelf..... 4.60

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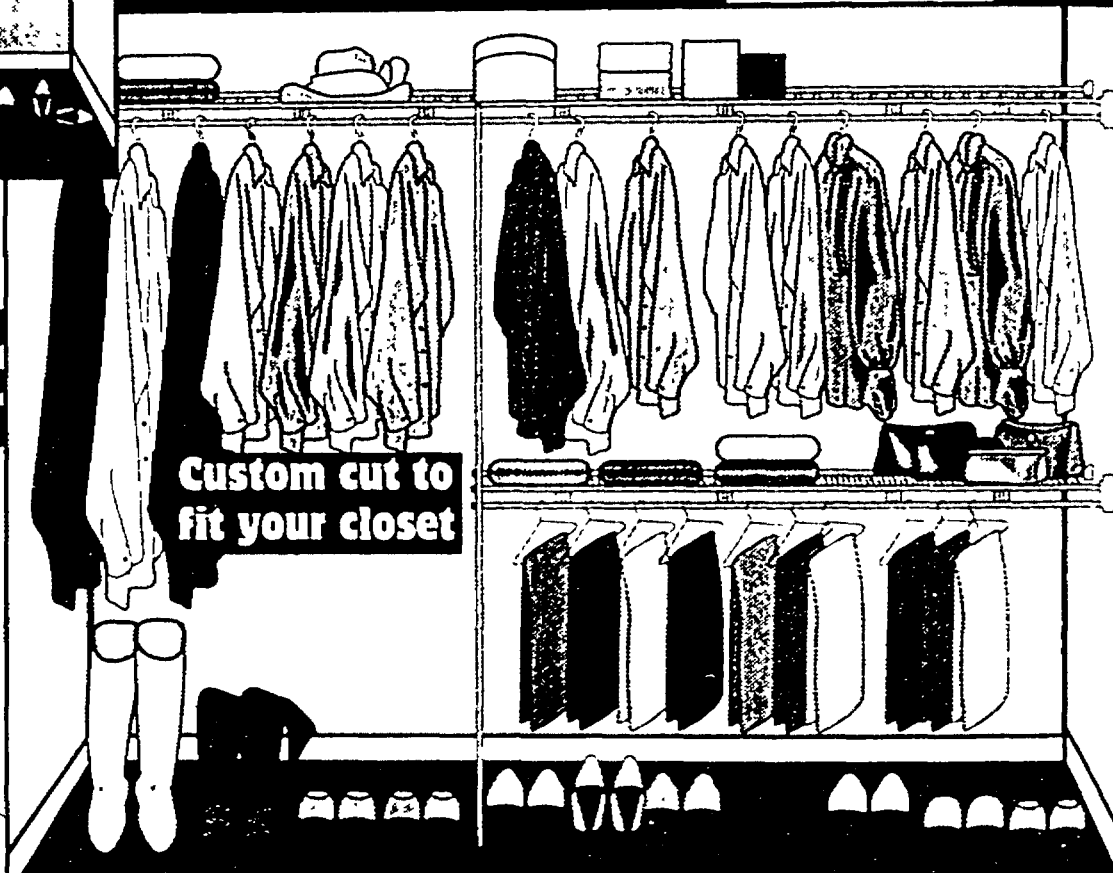
Tight Mesh Pantry Shelf

• 16"Dx4'L • Tight mesh keeps items from falling through

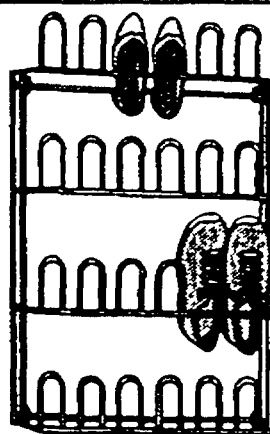
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Your Closet AFTER!



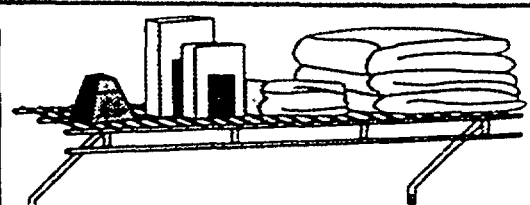
**Custom cut to
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12 Pair Shoe Rack

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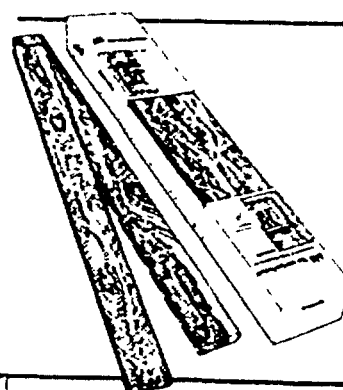


4' Prepackaged 12" Wardrobe Shelf

• Includes 2 support braces & 5 back clips • #5212

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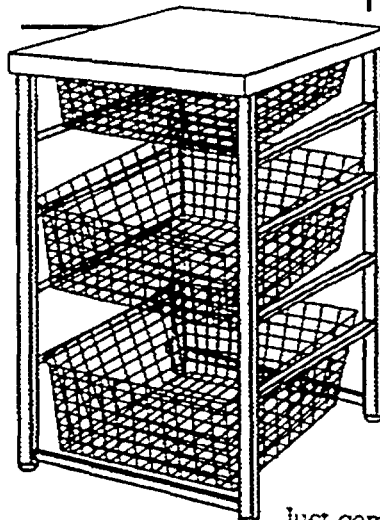


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(1) 5 Runner Frame	16.36
(2) "L" Crossbars Med	1.95
(2) "T" Crossbars Med	2.25
(1) Med 1 Runner Basket	7.30
(2) Med 2 Runner Baskets	8.45
(1) Med White Top	17.61



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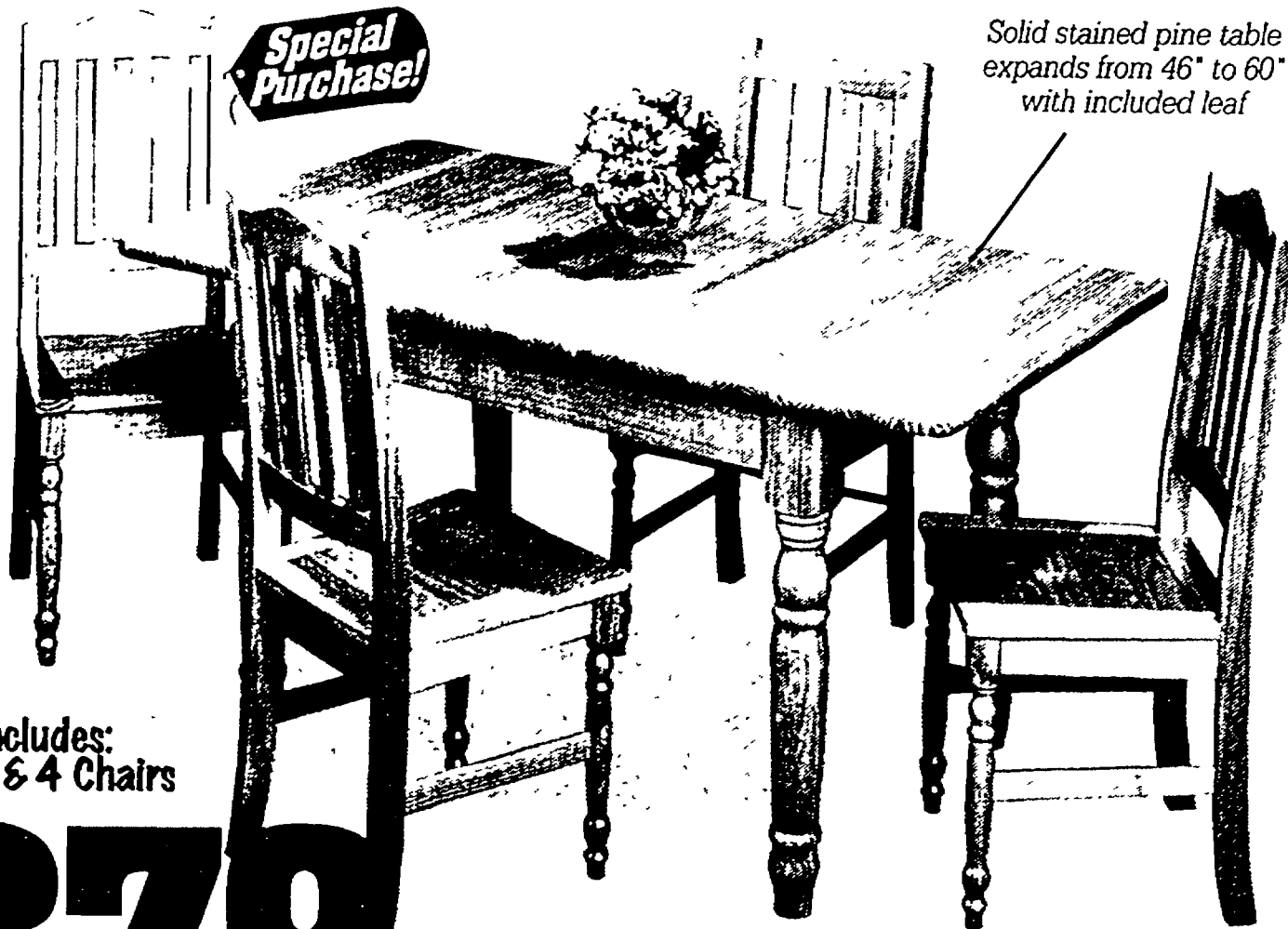
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Solid stained pine table expands from 46" to 60" with included leaf



Price includes:
1 Table & 4 Chairs

\$379

Stained Wood Dining Extension Table & Chairs

Table: \$186 * (2) Chairs: \$96.50
*Chairs sold in pairs only

• Dining chairs have generous solid stained pine seats
• Easy to assemble • 46-60" L x 34" W x 30" H • (5813373)
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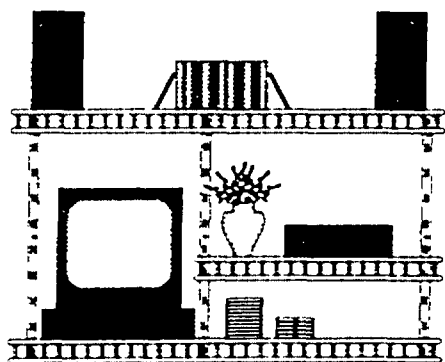
Ask about delivery

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3'x12" Shelf

Max-Track Shelving



Shelf	3'x16"	6'x12"	6'x16"	Adjustable Bracket	12"	16"
	8.36	13.74	15.87		3.25	4.98

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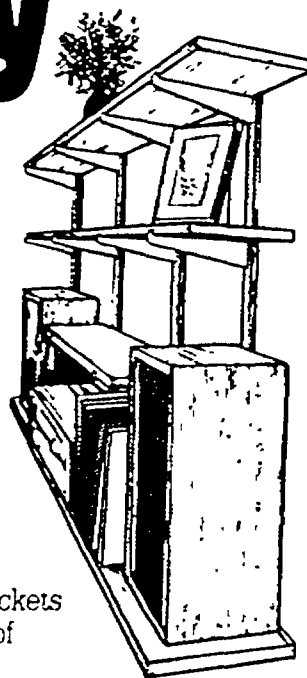
Starting at:

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8'x24" Shelf
Basic white

Dorfile Shelving & Brackets

• Design your own system with these versatile components • Standards, brackets and shelves are available in a variety of decorative colors and sizes

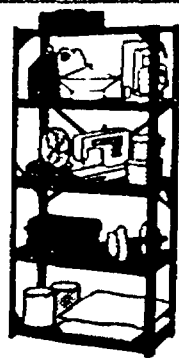


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Heavy-Duty Steel 5-Shelf Unit

• 16" D x 36" W x 72" H • Each shelf holds 250 lbs • For home use • Easy assembly (5075718)



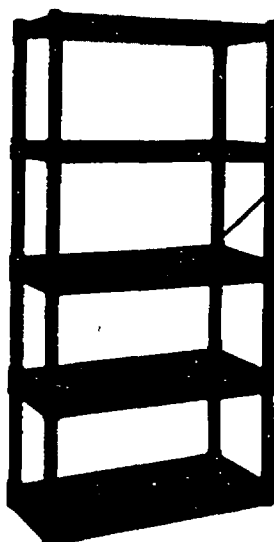
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5-Shelf Industrial Strength Shelving

• Shelves adjust every 1-1/2"
• Grey enamel finish
• 18" D x 36" W x 72" H (5085154)
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Rugged, impact resistant plastic

Holds up to 500 lbs

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PLANO

5-Shelf Durashelf

• 74" H x 34 25" L x 14 25" W • (5517305)
Ventilated 5-Shelf Durashelf.. 49.95
• Dividable into a (3) shelf unit & a (2) shelf unit • Extra rigid for heavy-duty applications • (5521778)



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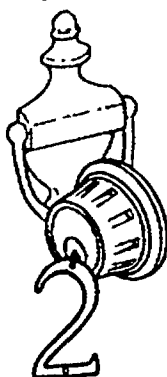
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Solid Saver White Storm Door #500

- 32 or 36x80 •Limited lifetime warranty*
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1. Buy any Cole Sewell Select door & receive a matching keylock**
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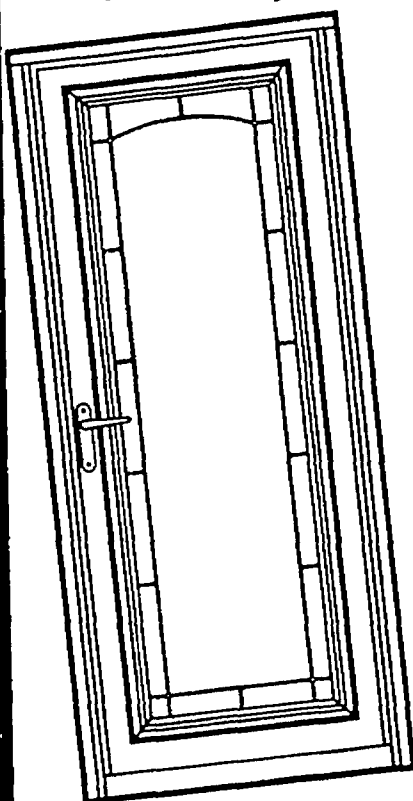
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Storm Doors

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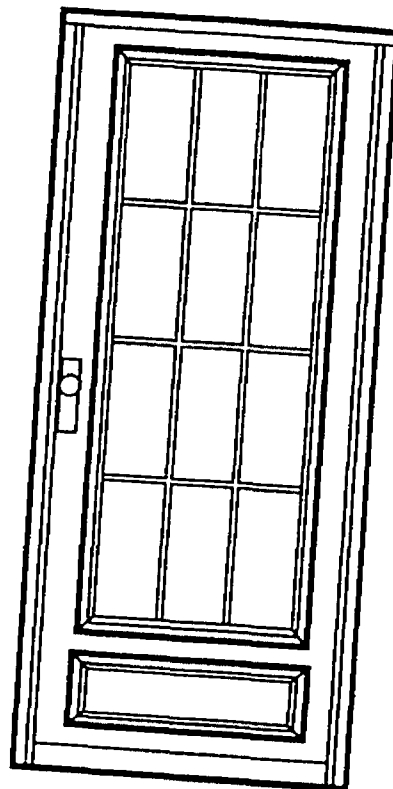
Customize the look you want by selecting the door, glass & handle style. Select from over 500 designs in stock!



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Select White Storm Door

- 36x81 •Full screen stabilizer bar included •Limited lifetime warranty*
- #S6500G40FV/HD630
- 1133172



\$343

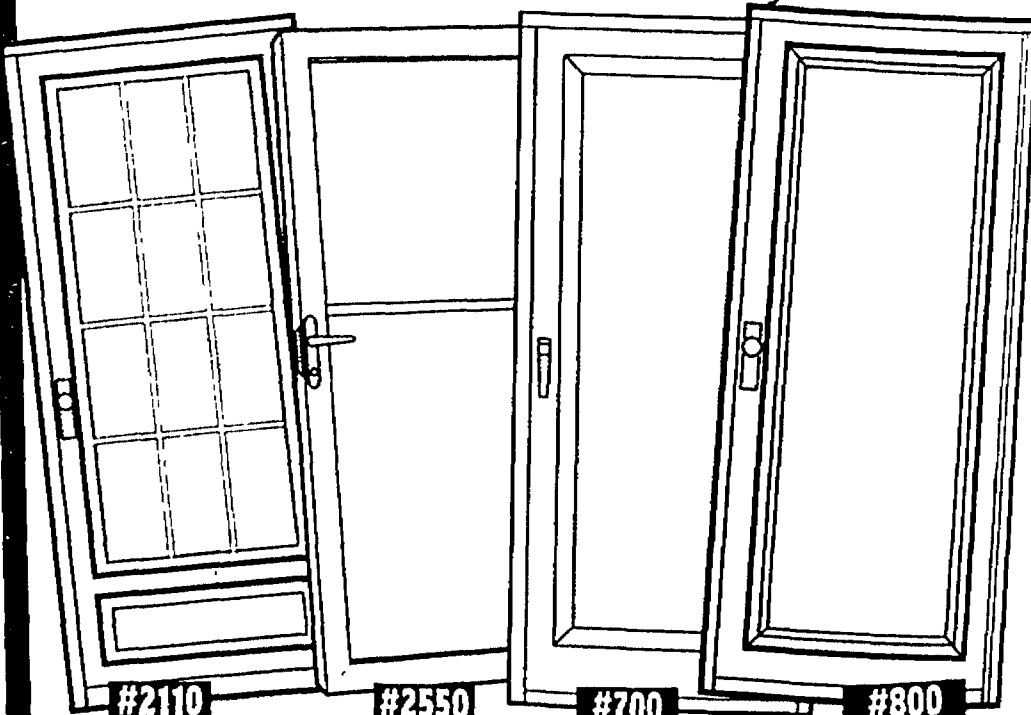
Select White Storm Door

- Air control window system •Self storing glass panels and screen included •Limited lifetime warranty*
- #S6025G/G30MV/HDC610
- 1133271

More doors from

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•Limited lifetime warranty*



#2110

\$242

Estate Midview White Storm Door

- 36x80
- Antique brass hardware
- 1103654

#2550

\$240

Fullview White Storm Door

- 36x80
- Keyed deadbolt
- 1133107

#700

\$142

Fullview White Storm Door

- 32 or 36x81
- Push button hardware
- 1133156

#800

\$172

Solid Saver White Storm Door

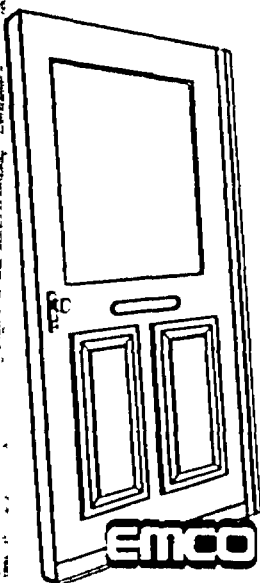
- 32 or 36x81
- Antique brass hardware
- 1103779

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DELIVERY AVAILABLE

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20% Off Door & Window Installation

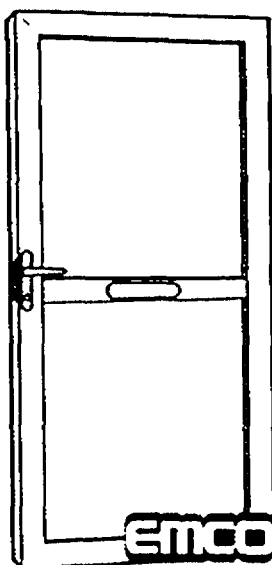


EMCO

\$197

**Forever
Traditional
White
Storm Door**

•32 or 36x80 •Limited
lifetime warranty*
1105469

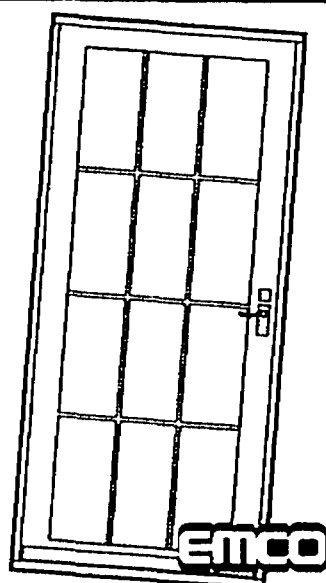


EMCO

\$248

**Forever
Gemini
White
Storm Door**

•36x80 •Limited
lifetime warranty*
1105584



EMCO

\$345

**Forever
Brass
White
Storm Door**

•36x80 •Limited
lifetime warranty*
1105568

CROFT

Storm Doors

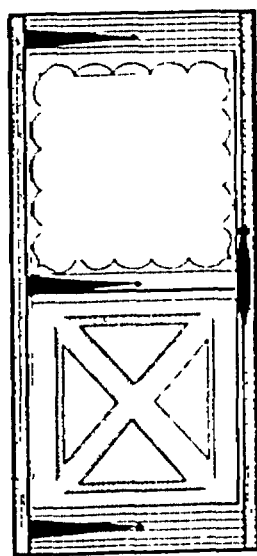
- 32 or 36x80 • Aluminum construction
- Push button hardware



\$89

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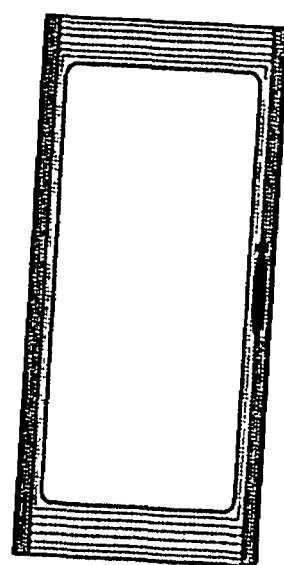
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\$88

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1102789



\$89

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**Croft
3-Track White
Storm
Windows**

•24x39

28x39.....29.87
28x55..... 29.87
32x39..... 29.87
32x47..... 29.87
Other sizes
available

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**Special
Purchase!**

\$149

**Emco
Forever Light
White
Storm Door**

- Tempered glass •1" thick heavy gauge aluminum frame
- Brass plated lockset •32 or 36x80
- Limited lifetime warranty*

Benefits of Forever doors

- Guaranteed for as long as you own your home •Full length continuous piano hinge
- SPLINE LOC™ Screen
- Color matched screw covers offer fully finished appearance, enhancing the beauty of the door





Special Purchase!
\$66

APC New Construction Vinyl Single Hung Window

- White • 24"x36" • Other sizes available, see store for details
- Insulated glass #712 • Half screen included • Fully welded sash

28x36	81.00
28x52	95.50
32x36	88.50

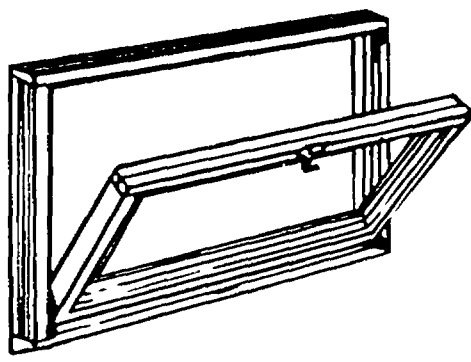
Benefits

- 3" frame depth
- Integral 1/2 screen
- Nailing fin for new construction
- Insulated glass



20% Off Door

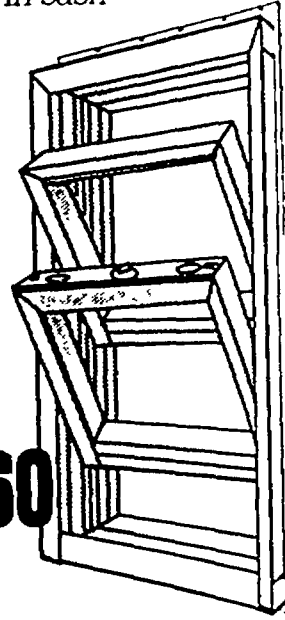
White • 25 year vinyl warranty* • 10 year glass warranty* • 7/8" insulated glass • Tilt-in sash



49³⁰

APC Vinyl Basement Replacement Window

- 32x15 • 7/8" insulated glass • Mechanical frame and sash • Full screen
 - Durometer glazing • Tilt in sash • Single lock
 - White
- | | |
|------------|-------|
| 32x17..... | 51.35 |
| 32x19..... | 53.57 |
| 32x23..... | 57.49 |



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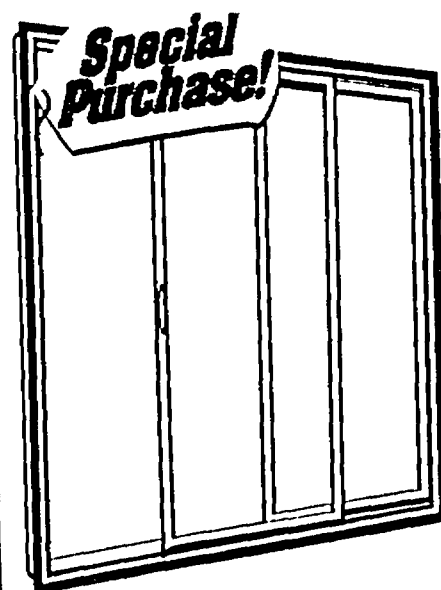
APC Double Hung New Construction Vinyl Windows

• 24x38 #616

32x38	128.00
32x54	147.00
36x54	154.00

• Other sizes available

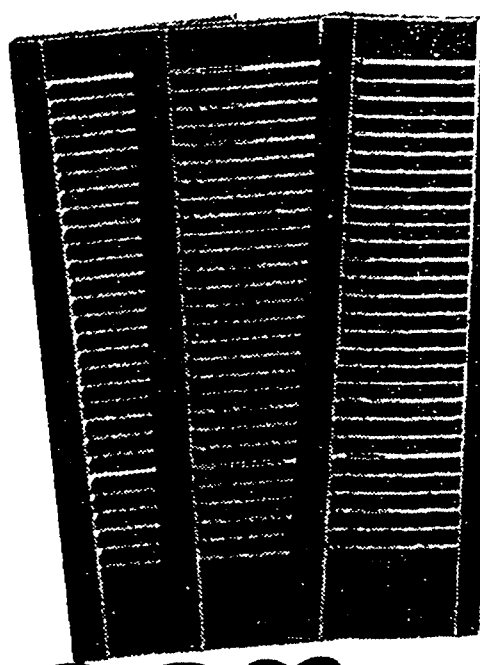
Patio doors & shutters



\$297

APC White Vinyl Patio Doors

- 6'0x6'8 • Welded panels
- Insulated glass • Brass hardware with keylock
- Screen included #995-SU



20⁶³

Builders Edge Shutters

• 15x39 • Choose louvered styles 15 wide in 5 different paintable lengths

15x43.....	22.45
15x48.....	24.09
15x52.....	26.39
15x55.....	27.61

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DELIVERY AVAILABLE

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& Window Installation

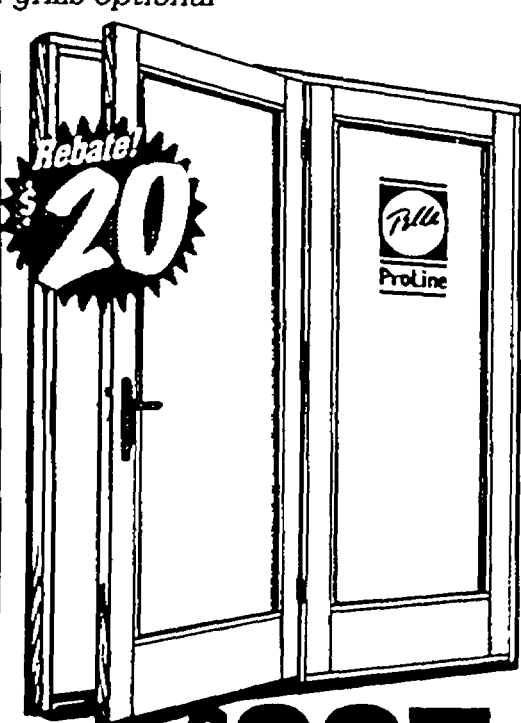
- Insulated glass • Low maintenance aluminum-clad exterior with ENDURA Clad coating resists chipping, cracking and peeling • Hardware included
- Screen and grills optional



\$689

Pella Proline White Sliding Patio Door

• 6' 8 ¹/₂" x 5' 8 ¹/₂"

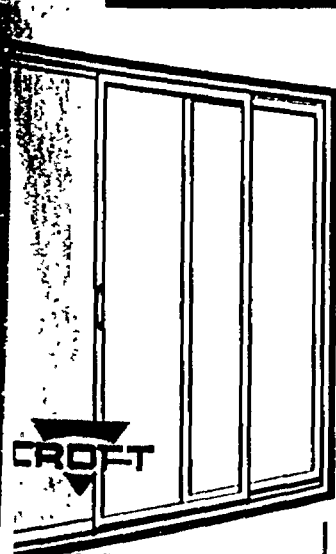


\$997

Pella Proline White Hinged Patio Door

• 6' 8 ⁵/₈" x 5' 8 ¹/₈"

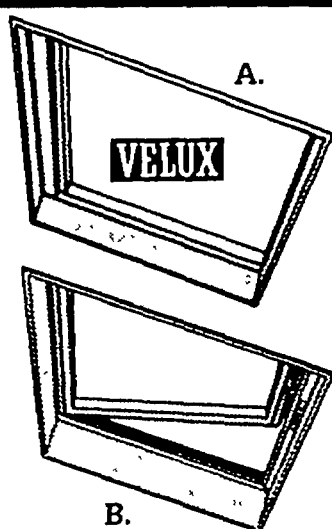
Patio Doors/ Skylights



\$234

Croft White Sliding Aluminum Patio Door

- #3002 • 6'x6'x8'
- Heavy duty rollers for smooth, easy operation
- Lockset included
- Screen included

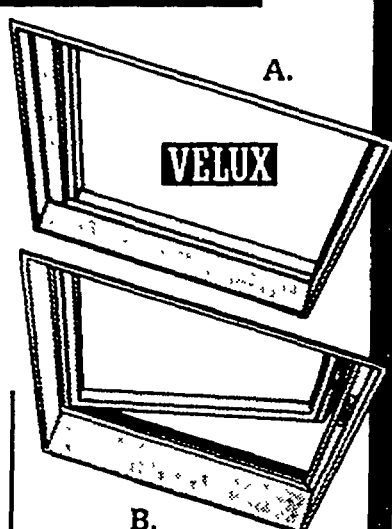


A. 140⁰⁸
Velux Fixed Mount Skylight

- 21-1/2"x39"
- #FS-104 • 1104595
- Low-e glass • Includes screen • Flashing extra

B. 256⁴⁷
Velux Venting Skylight

- 21-1/2"x39"
- #VS-104 • 1104546

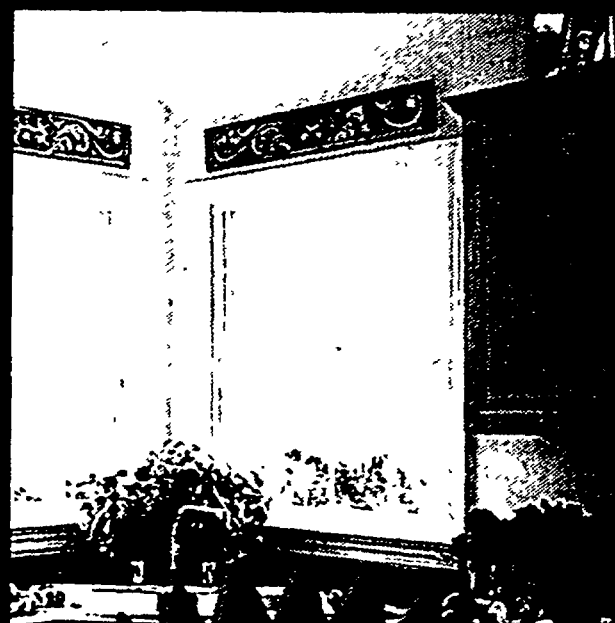


A. 157⁵⁹
Velux Fixed Mount Skylight

- 21-1/2"x46"
- #1104603
- Low-e glass • Includes screen • Flashing extra

B. 285³¹
Velux Venting Skylight

- 21-1/2"x46"
- #1104553



\$10 Rebate!

\$135

See details below

#PCD2947

Pella Double Hung Windows

- Rough Opening 2' - 5 1/2" x 3' - 11 1/2"
- Some sizes may be special order in some stores -see store for details

Rough Opening	Price
2' - 5 1/2" x 3' - 5 1/2" #PCD2941	—
2' - 5 1/2" x 4' - 5 1/2" #PCD2953	145.00
2' - 5 1/2" x 4' - 11 1/2" #PCD2959	155.00
2' - 9 1/2" x 4' - 5 1/2" #PCD3353	151.00
2' - 9 1/2" x 4' - 11 1/2" #PCD3359	161.00
3' - 1 1/2" x 3' - 5 1/2" #PCD3741	—
3' - 1 1/2" x 4' - 11 1/2" #PCD3759	168.00

Fall into Pella Savings

Thru September 30, 1996, receive a \$10 rebate on any Pella Proline Window & \$20 rebate on any Pella Proline Patio Door with mail-in coupon & your original HQ receipt.

Please allow 4-6 weeks for rebate.



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STANLEY

20% Off Door

STANLEY



Rochman Universal



#E27
1140672
1140680
1140722
1140771

#E32
1118082
1118090
1140730
1140748

**10 Year
Limited
Warranty***

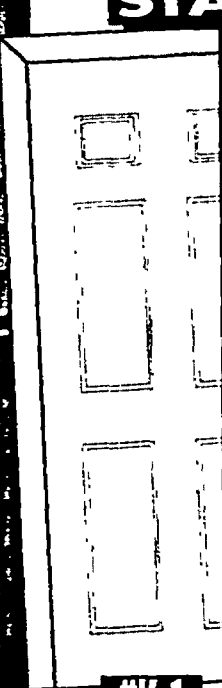
**Special
Purchase!**
\$153
YOUR CHOICE!

**4 Panel Fanlight Prehung
#E27 -or- 2 Panel 1 Lite
Steel Door #E32**

- Polyurethane foam core
- 32" or 36" x 80"

Benefits of Steel Door

- Rigid steel skin • 24 gauge galvanized steel will not warp
- Added security w/ 12" lock block
- Magnetic weatherstrip

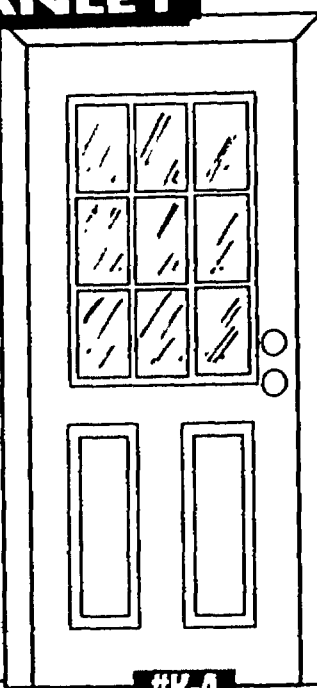


#K-1

\$112

**6 Panel
Steel
Door**

- #1009737
- Bored for lockset & deadbolt
- 10 year warranty*
- Brick mold

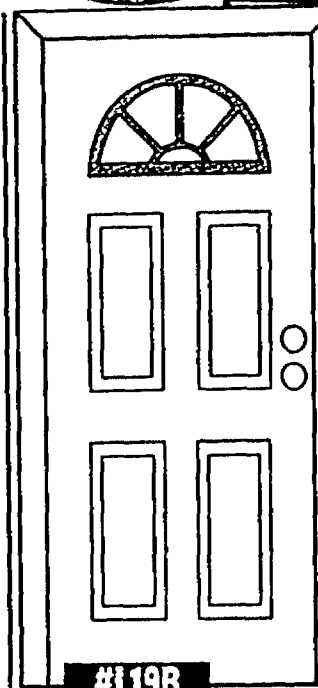


#K-4

\$156

**9 Lite Steel
Door with
2 Panels**

- #1009778
- Bored for lockset & deadbolt
- Thermal break construction
- 10 year warranty*

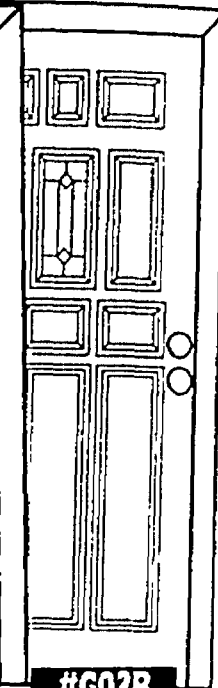


#L19B

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**4 Panel
Fan Lite
Steel Entry
Door**

- #1118298
- Prehung
- Clear insulated glass • 5 year warranty*



#G02B

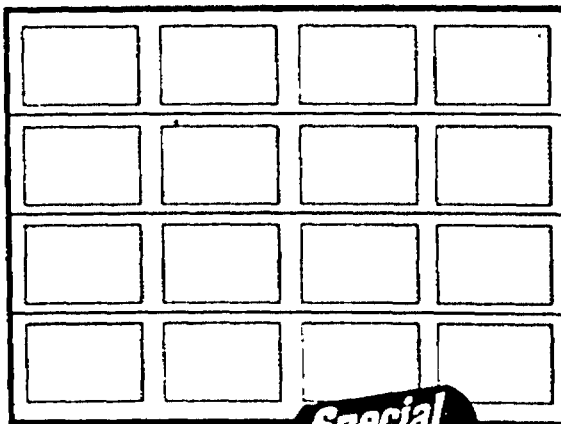
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**11 Panel One
Lite Steel
Entry Door**

- #1118314
- Prehung
- Clear diamond bevels with solid brass came • 5 year warranty*

Steel Garage Doors

- Steel garage doors have pre-finished white woodgrain exterior texture
- Raised panel design



Your choice
8'x7' or 9'x7'

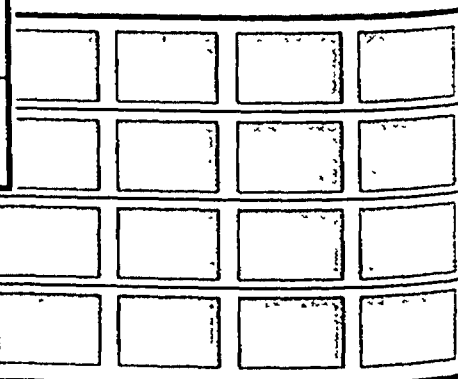
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**Insulated
Steel Garage
Door #183**

- 10 year warranty*
- 8x7-#1115146
- 9x7-#1115153

Clopay

Clopay



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**Clopay Garage
Door #82**

- 10 year warranty* • 8' x 7' • #1010578
- 9' x 7' -1010586 .194.00

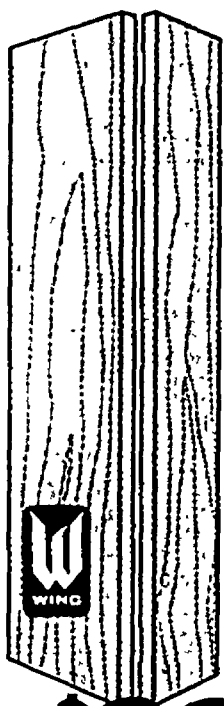
Clopay

DELIVERY AVAILABLE

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& Window Installation

• 24"x80" • 2 Prehinged door panels • Hardware included

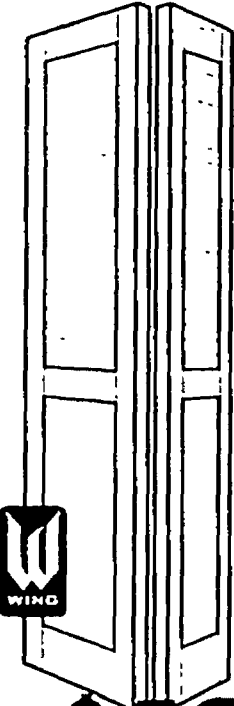


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**Flush Lauan
Bifold Door**

• Stain grade
• 24"x80"

30"x80" .. 25.00
36"x80" .. 29.00

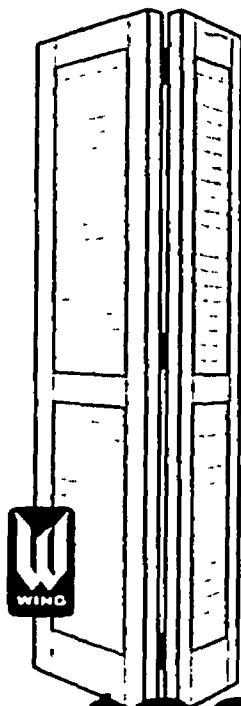


\$49

**Raised Panel
Louvered
Bifold Door**

24"x80" • White Pine

30"x80" . 54.00
32"x80" . 55.00
36"x80" . 63.00



\$39

**Louvered
Bifold Door**

• White Pine
24"x80"

30"x80" .. 45.00
32"x80" .. 54.00
36"x80" .. 54.00



\$59

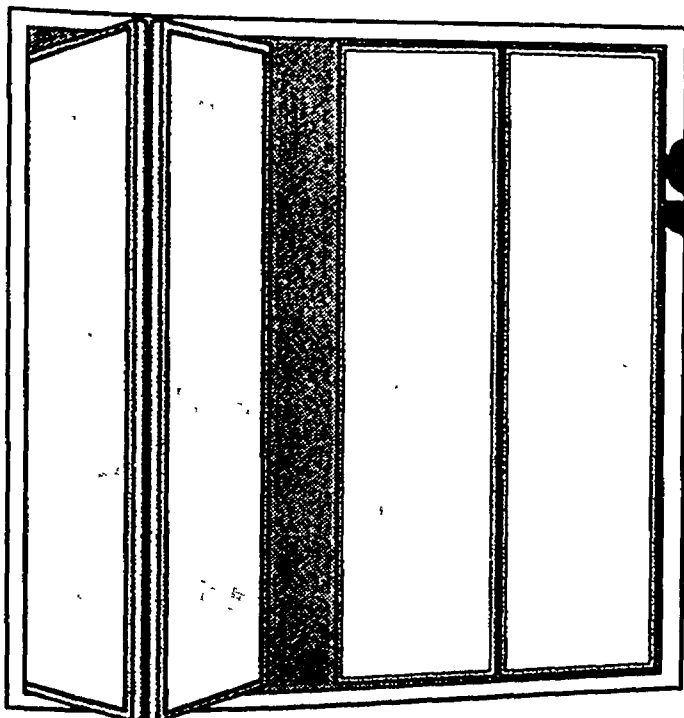
**3 Panel
Colonial
Bifold Door**

• 24"x80"

30"x80" . 72.00
32"x80" . 78.00
36"x80" . 84.00

Mirror Doors

Stanley mirror doors come complete with hardware and are 80" high



**STANLEY
MONARCH™
Mirror Decor**

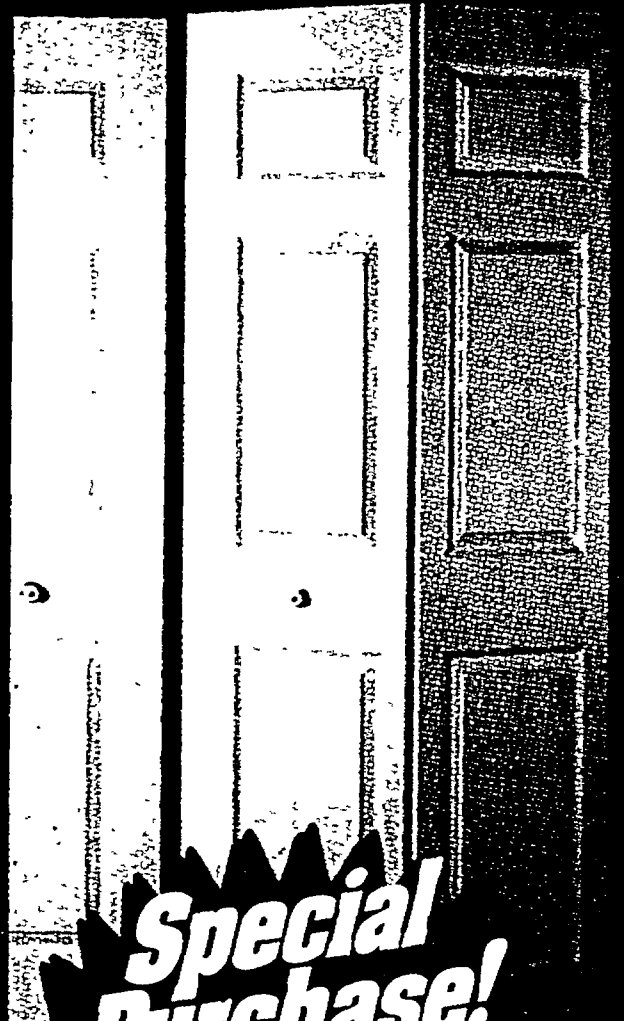
\$67

**Stanley White
Frame Bifold
Mirror Doors**

• 24"x80" • #221

- Includes 2 panels and hardware
- Smooth, fingertip operation

STANLEY MONARCH™ Mirror Decor	Bifold			Sliders		
	24"x80"	30"x80"	36"x80"	48"x80"	60"x80"	72"x80"
White Framed	67.00 #221	79.00 #221	92.00 #221	78.00 #220	98.00 #230	107.00 #220
Gold Framed	—	—	—	57.00 #120	77.00 #120	87.00 #120
Dove Grey Beveled	76.00 #321	88.00 #321	99.00 #321	99.00 #320	117.00 #320	138.00 #320



**Special
Purchase!**

\$24

**Colonist
Bifold Door**

- #24"x80" • Stain grade
- Hardware included
- 2 Prehinged door panels

30"x80" 30.00
32"x80" 33.00
36"x80" 33.00

Benefits of Colonist Door

- Easy to install
- Paneled door at an affordable price



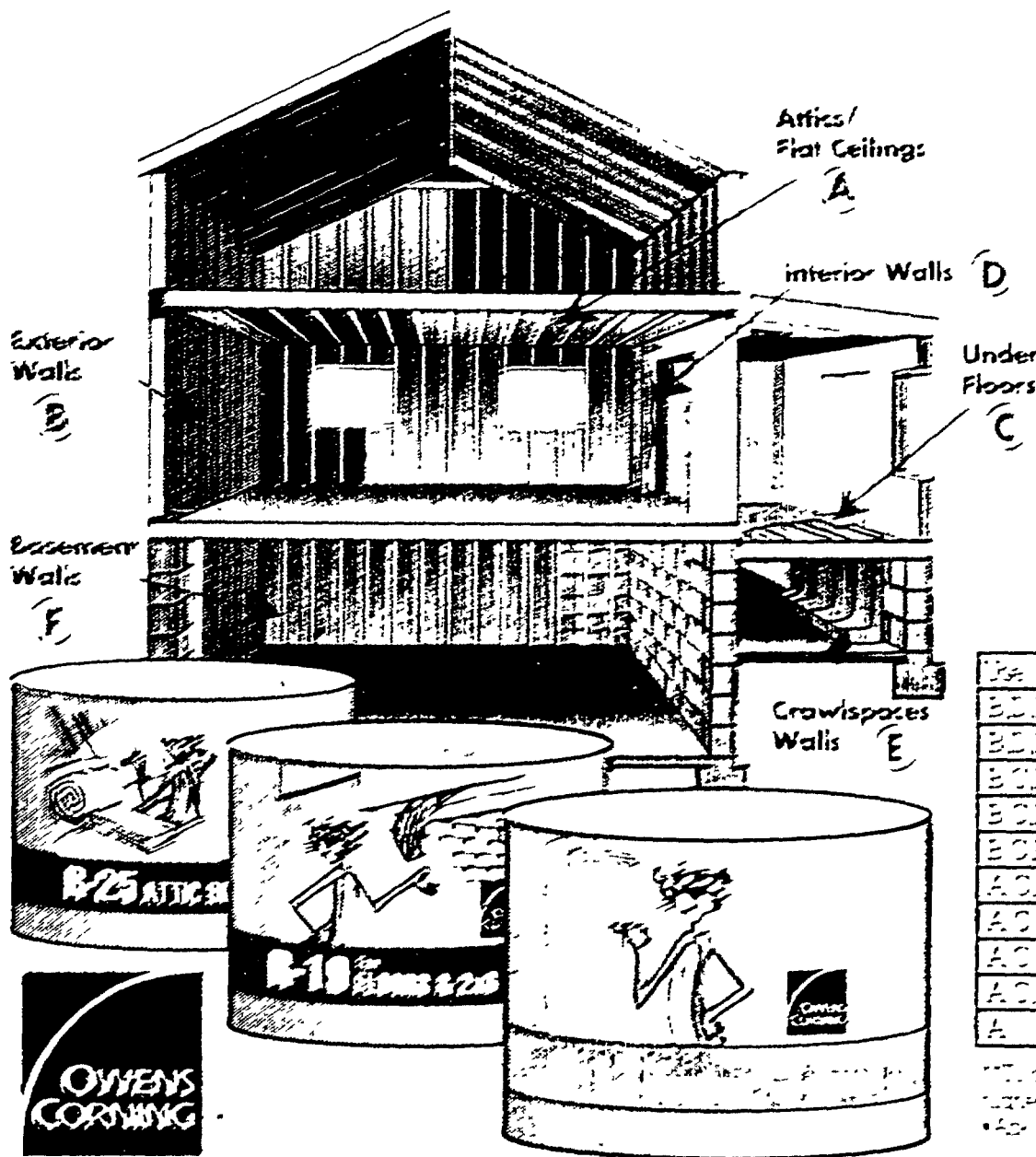
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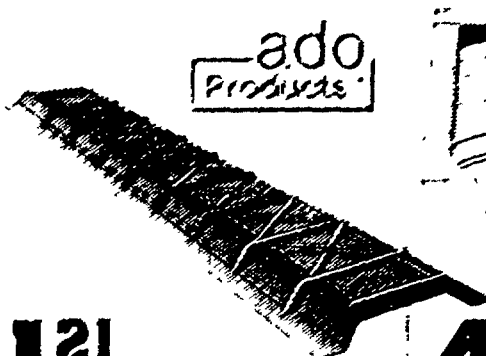
R-19⁺ Owens-Corning Kraft Faced Fiberglas[®] Insulation

• 15" wide • 48" 4' long • 48 sq. ft.

Type	R-Value	Thick	W	Sq. Ft.	
BDF	R-13 Kraft	3-1/2"	15	38.12	17.62
BDF	R-13 Pink Plus	3-1/2"	15	38.12	16.88
BCE	R-19 Kraft	3-1/4"	15	48.94	11.76
BCE	R-19 Kraft	3-1/4"	25	78.07	18.02
BCE	R-19 Pink Plus	3-1/4"	15	48.94	14.60
ACE	R-19 Unfaced	3-1/4"	15	48.94	11.76
ACE	R-19 Unfaced	3-1/4"	25	78.07	18.02
ACE	R-25 Pink Plus Miraflex	3-3/4"	15	38.35	10.98
ACE	R-25 Pink Plus Miraflex	3-3/4"	24	50	16.50
A	R-30 Kraft	3-1/2"	15	58.37	17.93

*R-Value is the R-Value of insulation. R-Value is the R-Value of the insulation plus the R-Value of the surface it is applied to. *48" is a full sheet.

Earn while you spend



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Attic Vent Chute

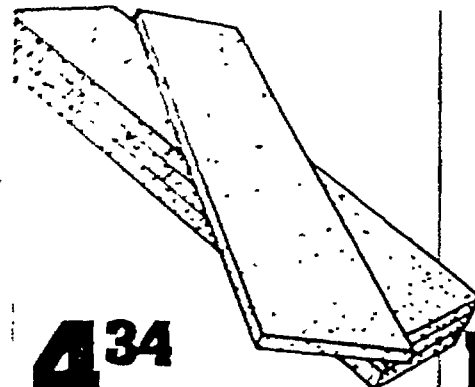
• 1/2" x 22" x 1.56



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Insulation Support

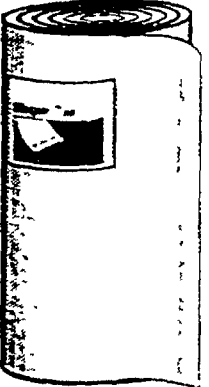
• 1/2" x 24" x 4.77



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R-2.9⁺ Polystyrene Panel Insulation

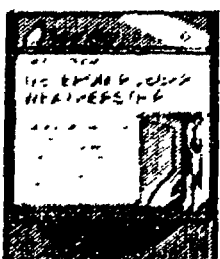
• 3/4" x 13-5/8" x 48" • 6pk



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Astro Foil R-7.8⁺ Foil Insulation

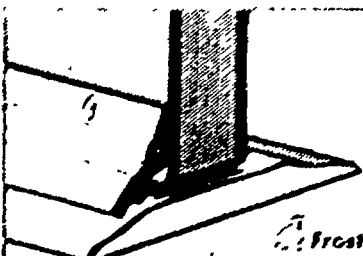
• 5/16" x 16" x 25" • Great as a basement wall insulation



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Frost King 1/8" EPDM Rubber Weatherstrip

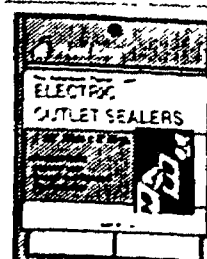
• 1/8" x 1/2" x 145" (45' x 1/2")



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Frost King Deluxe Aluminum/Vinyl Door Bottom

• 1 1/2" x 1/2" x 145" (45' x 1/2")



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Electric Outlet Sealers or Switch Sealers

• Reduces drafts around switches (4033924,32)



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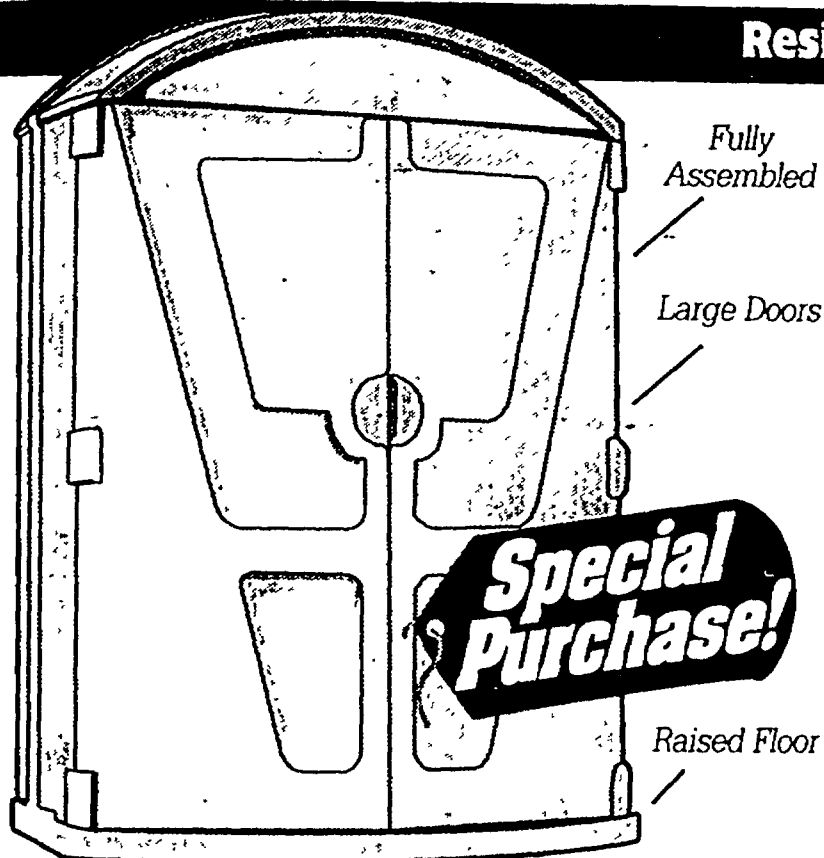
Frost King 16' Garage Door Bottom (4033973)

9' Garage Door Bottom (4033965) 6.98

26 37,000 ITEMS GUARANTEED IN-STOCK, EVERYDAY.

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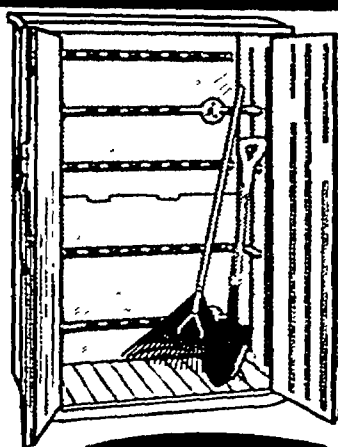
Resin Sheds



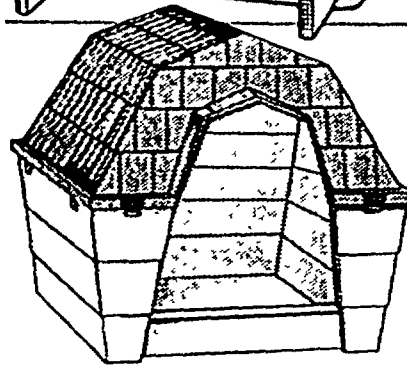
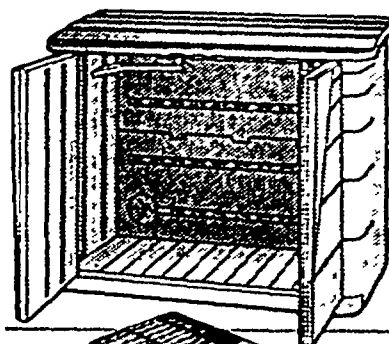
\$199 **STEP 2**

Step 2 Highboy Storage Shed

•71-3/4"H x 52"W x 27"D •Four permanently mounted extra-deep shelves



Rubbermaid



\$239

Rubbermaid 4'4"x6'5" Vertical Shed

•Interlocking panels allow for quick, easy assembly •Durable resin floor •5 years limited warranty*

\$168

Rubbermaid 5x4 Horizontal Shed

•Easy access from top or front •Easy assembly •Ideal for storing push mowers

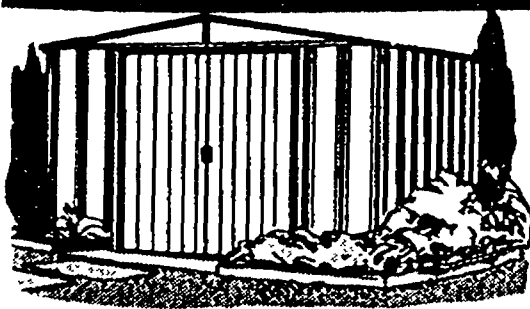
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Dogloo Large Poly Dog House

•Cool in summer - warm in winter •Easy to clean •Raised floor

with Project RewardsSM

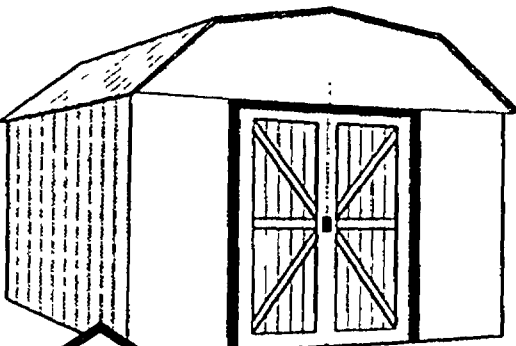
Arrow Metal Sheds



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10x8 Arrow Salem Shed

•Mid-wall bracing for greater strength •2 year warranty*

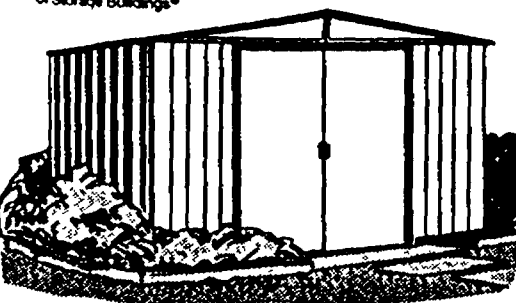


\$259

10x8 Arrow Yorktown Shed

•Steel coated building protected by Rust-Oleum •Tall gambrel and high gable building for greater storage •5 year warranty*

ARROW
World's Leading Maker
of Storage Buildings®



\$329

10x12 Arrow Arlington Shed

•High gable styled roof and 62" wall height •5 year warranty*

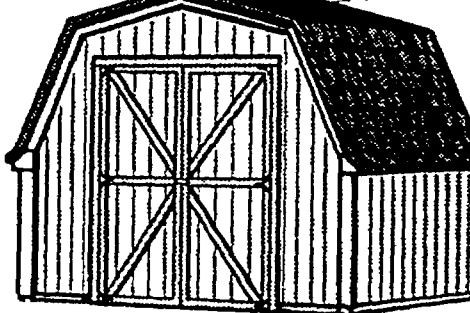
Handy Hut Wood Sheds



\$299

8x8 Handy Hut Marco Esquire Shed

•Deep groove 4" o.c. Ultraside siding •Shingles not included •5 year limited warranty*

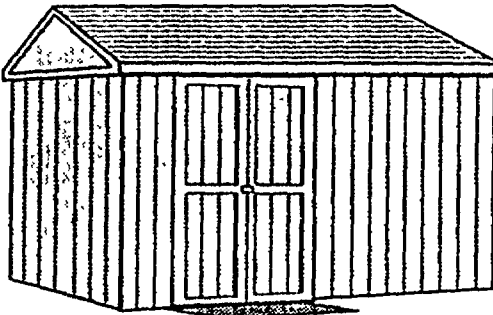


\$499

10x8 Handy Hut Oxford Shed

•Deep groove Ultraside™ siding •Over 8' tall with over 6' tall sidewalls •Shingles not included •10 year warranty*

HANDY HUT



\$657

10x10 Handy Hut Catalina Shed

•Over 8' tall with over 6' tall sidewalls •Shingles not included •10 year warranty*



HQ AND NOWHERE ELSE.

*See store for details on all product warranties

DEWALT
High Performance Industrial Tools

\$225

DeWalt 14.4V 3/8" Heavy-Duty Cordless Drill/Driver Kit

•0-450/0-1400rpm •Includes 2 extended run-time batteries, charger and carrying case •#DW991K

18 VOLT EXTREME CORDLESS

NEW at HQ!

DeWalt 18V Cordless 1/2" T-Handle Drill/Driver Kit

•Heavy duty keyless chuck •Durable transmission with 5 metal planetary gears •Includes (1) XR2 Pack* battery, 1-hour charger and carrying case •#DW995K (4035432)

\$259

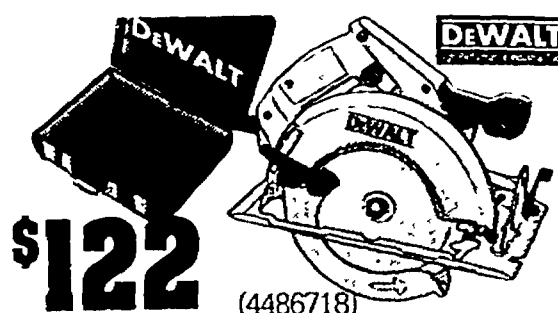
NEW at HQ!

DeWalt 18V 5-3/8" Heavy Duty Cordless Saw Kit

•3200rpm •Fan cooled motor with replaceable brushes
•Includes (1) XR2 Pack* battery, 1-hour charger and carrying case
•#DW936K (4036729)



DEWALT
High Performance Industrial Tools

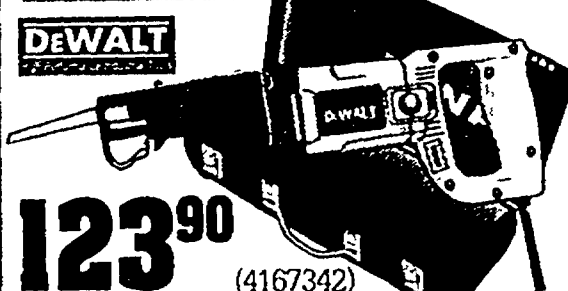


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DeWalt 7-1/4" Heavy-Duty Circular Saw with Kit Box

•13 AMP Lightweight design •1005 Ball and roller bearing construction •Heavy-duty plastic carrying case •#DW359K

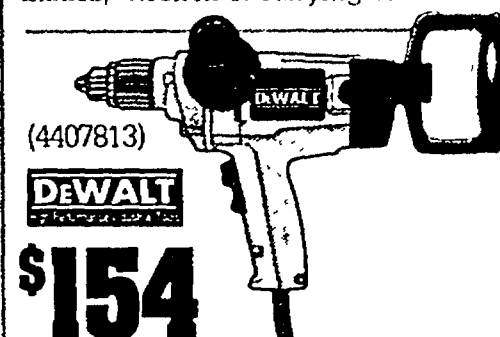


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DeWalt Reciprocating Saw Kit

•6 AMP •Dual range 0-1800/0-2400 SPM
•1-1/8" blade stroke •includes assorted blades, wrench & carrying case •#DW304K



(4407813)

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DeWalt Heavy Duty Spade Handle 1/2" Drill

•7 AMP •450 RPM •Reversing •AC/DC rocker switch •580 max watts out •#DW137



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DeWalt Heavy-Duty Deck Screwdriver

•5 AMP •0-2500 RPM •Variable speed reversing •Depth sensitive "Set and Forget" nosepiece •#DW254 (4433165)

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DeWalt 7-1/4" 20T Carbide Circular Saw Blade

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DeWalt 6 Piece Woodcutting Reciprocating Saw Blade Set

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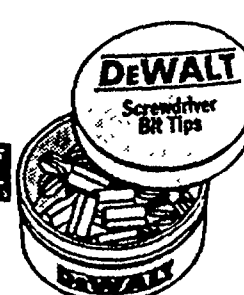
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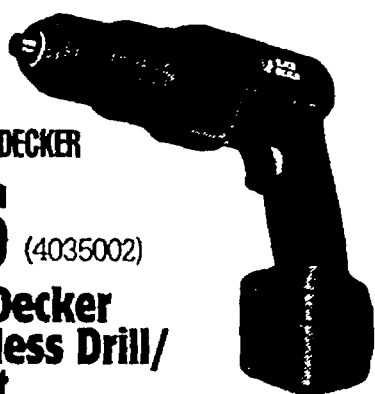
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Black & Decker 12V Cordless Drill/ Driver Kit

•0-800 RPM •Variable Speed •6 position clutch •Includes battery, 3-hour charger and screwdriver bit •#PS350K



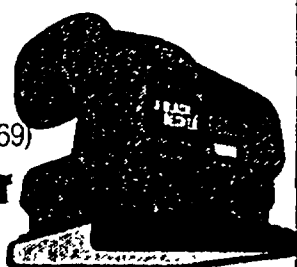
BLACK & DECKER

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Black & Decker 1/3 Sheet Finishing Sander W/Dust Extraction

•1.2 AMP, 10,000 OPM •Front handle for easy control •Through the pad dust extraction •Easy mount paper clamps •#FS350



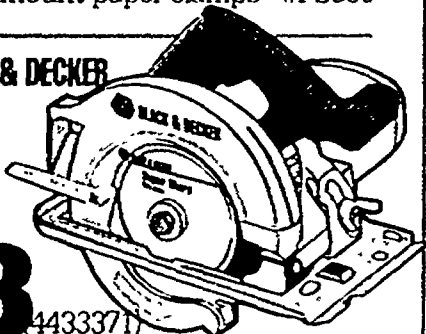
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Black & Decker 7-1/4" Circular Saw

•2-1/3 HP •11 AMP motor •5300 RPM •Easy bevel and depth adjustments •#7359



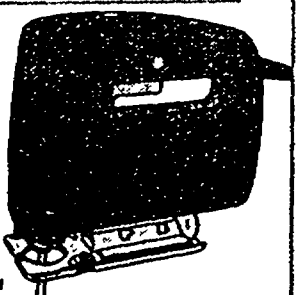
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(4407904)

Black & Decker Variable Speed Jig Saw

•3.5 AMP •1/3 HP •VS 800-3200 strokes per minute •11/16 inch stroke length •Includes wood cutting blade •#7568



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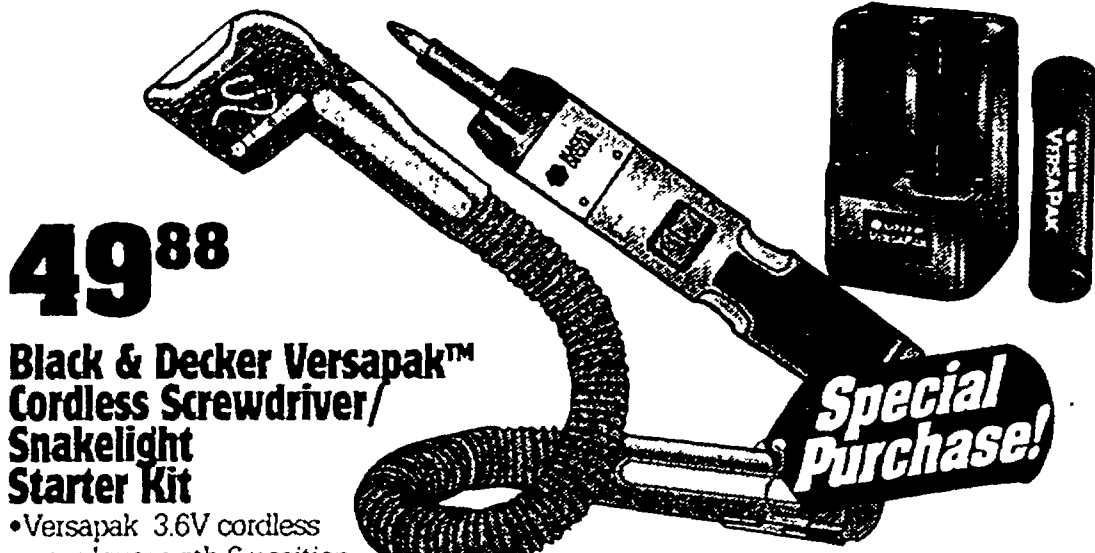
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Limited

•Cordless for maximum convenience •Continuously charges while stored in wall mountable base •Switch locks in "On" position to reduce hand fatigue •Includes removable washable filter •#DB100 (4000303)

Black & Decker Dustbuster® Cordless Hand Vac



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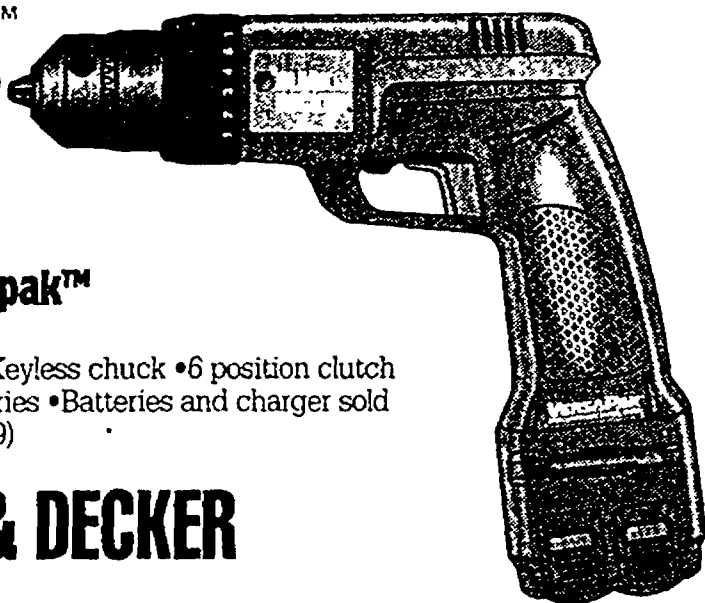
Black & Decker Versapak™ Cordless Screwdriver/ Snakelight Starter Kit

•Versapak 3.6V cordless screwdriver with 6 position clutch •Versapak Snakelight™ •includes 1-3.6V battery & charger •#VPSNSD (4001251)

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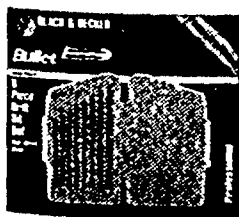
Black & Decker Versapak™ 7.2 V Cordless Drill

•300/600 RPM •Two speed •Keyless chuck •6 position clutch •Requires 2 versapak™ batteries •Batteries and charger sold separately •#VP840T (4486189)



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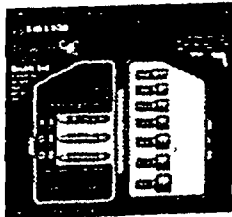
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Black & Decker 8 Piece Bullet™ Drill Bit Set

11 Piece (4113296) 18.93

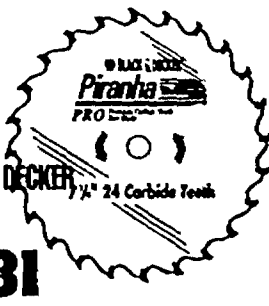


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Black & Decker Scorpion Bit/Nut Set

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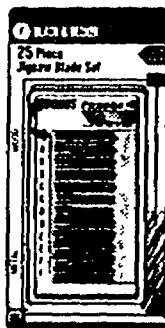
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Black & Decker 25 Piece Jig Saw Blade Set

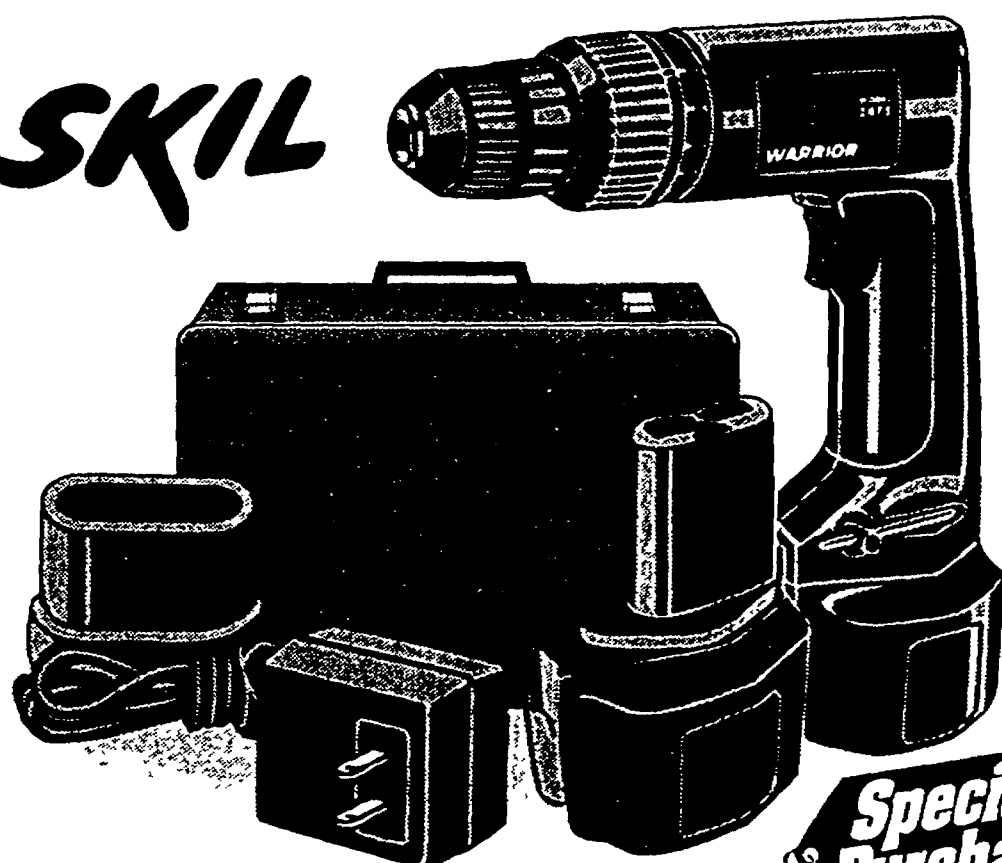
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12V Cordless 3/8" Warrior Drill Kit w/2 Batteries

- Variable speed reversing 0-700 RPM
- Keyless chuck •5 position clutch
- Includes 2 batteries, 3 hr charger and case •#2475-04 (4000253)

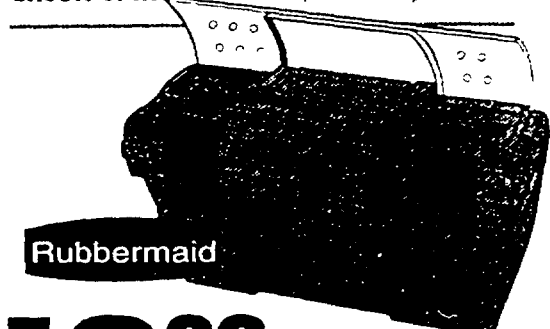


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PROFESSIONAL POWER TOOLS

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Profile Sander Kit

- 6000 spm •Includes 2 mounting plates, 17 different profile pads, hook & loop sanding sheets & more •#9444 (4028866)



Rubbermaid

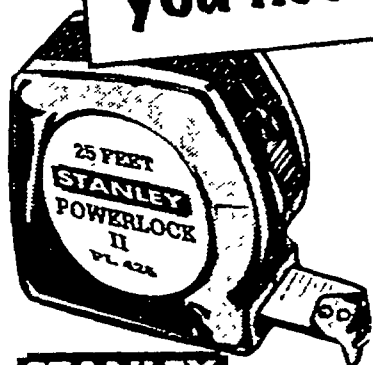
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Rubbermaid 24" Lid Access Toolbox

- Blue •Lift out tray •Comfort grip handle
- Transparent lid •#7798 (4769899)

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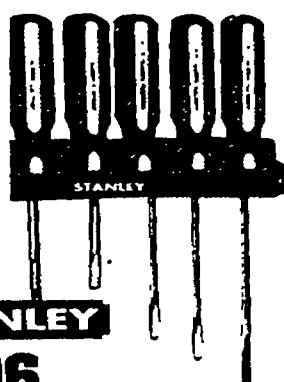


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Stanley Powerlock II 25' Tape Measure

- Lightweight •Durable •Easy to operate thumblock •1" wide blade •#33-425 (4007233)

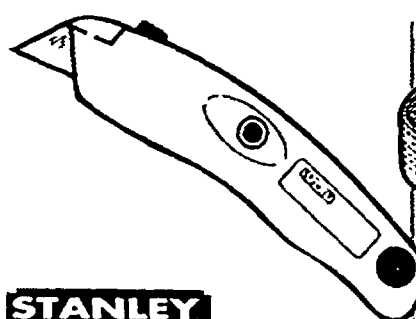


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6 Pc. Screwdriver Set

- Plastic handles •Nickel plated blades •Storage rack holds 6 sizes •#64-856K (4007803)

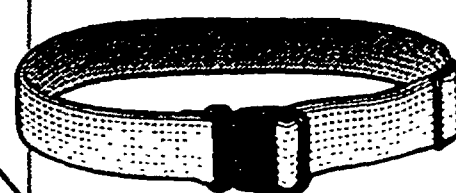


STANLEY

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Stanley Contractor Grade Swivel Lock Utility Knife

- #10-989 (4419545)



ROOSTER

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Cotton Web Tool Belt

- Fits waists 29-46" •#IR601 (4005088)

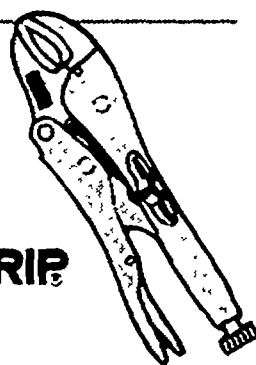


Estwing

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Estwing 16 oz. Steel Claw Hammer

- #E3-16C (4039947)
- 16 oz. Rip #E3-16S... 18.87



VISe-GRIP

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Vise Grip 7" Locking Pliers

- #7WR-3 (4022737)
- 6" Long Nose #6LN-3.. 9.98

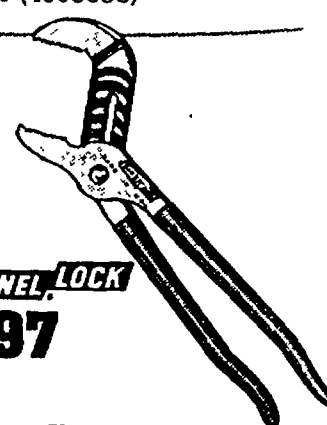


Crescent

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Crescent 8" Adjustable Wrench

- #AC18V (4011730)
- 10" #AC110V..... 13.78



CHAN NEL LOCK

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- #430C (4495438)
- 12" #440C..... 11.77

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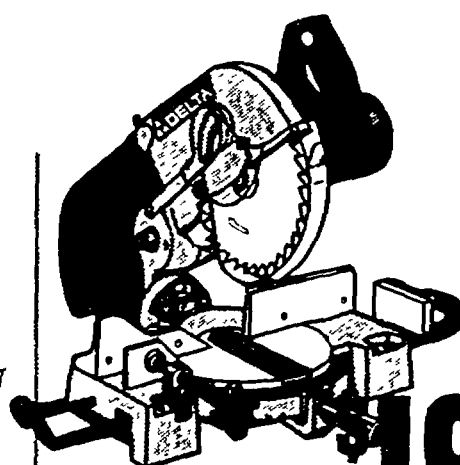
Self-aligning
Rip Fence

SKIL

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Skil 10" Table Saw with Stand

•13 amp motor •Self-aligning quick set up fence •Dust collection system
•#3400-08 (4013470)

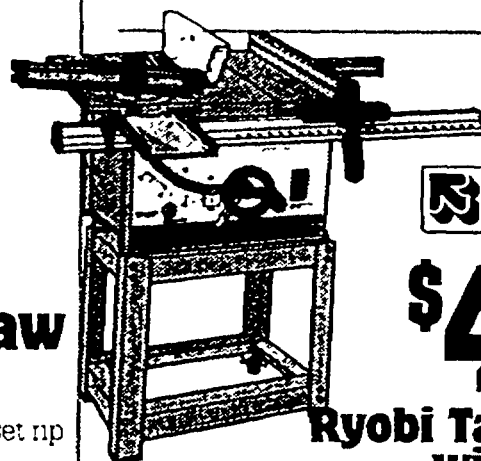


DELTA

10" Compound Miter Saw

•15 amp motor •5/8" arbor •4,900 RPM •Two position fence •Electric blade brake •Positive miter stops at 0, 15, 30 & 45° •#36-220 (4417911)

198



RYOBI

\$487

Ryobi Table Saw with Stand

•15 amp, 2 HP, 4700 RPM motor •Maximum depth of cut is 90° at 3", and 45° at 2.5" •5/8" arbor •Premium 36 tooth thin-kerf carbide tipped blade included •#BT3000 (4409140)

more than 5 minutes

RYOBI

39⁹⁷

4.5" Dual Action Random Orbit Sander

•Natural motion of hand sanding provides extra fine finish •Easy one hand operation •#RS112 (4409587)

RYOBI

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1.5 HP Router Kit

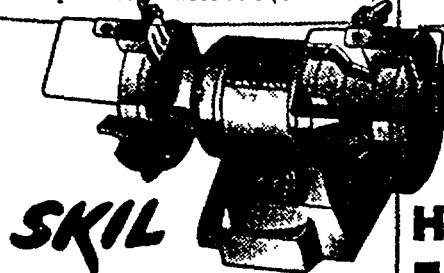
•8 amp ball bearing motor •25,000 RMP •1/4" collet •Spindle lock for easy bit changes •#R160K (4185991)

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All DEWALT ROUTER BITS!!

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DEWALT
High Performance Industrial Tools



SKIL

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6" Bench Grinder

•1/4 HP maximum •3,600 RPM •Fully balanced medium and coarse grinding wheels on 1/2" shafts •#3396 (4443479)

HOOVER

119⁶²

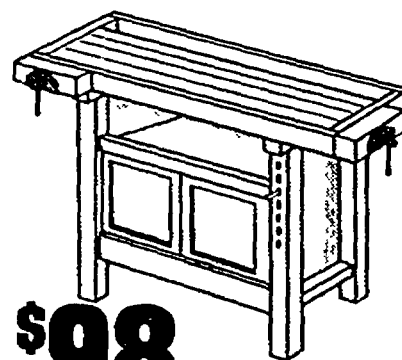
12.5 Gallon Wet/Dry Vac

•Upper tank for dry only, lower tank for wet only •Powerful blower •Auto shut-off •#S6751 (4495057)

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•Quick change collet nut •175+ uses guide •#14801 (4481586)



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MTD 5HP 22" Two Stage Snow Blower

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- 22" clearing width, 20" height intake
- 190° chute rotation
- 13"x 4" Snow Hog tires eliminates the need for chains
- 2 yr warranty* • #611D • (5444732)

MTD
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SUPREME
2 MANUFACTURER'S WARRANTY



\$389

MTD 4.5 HP 21" Single Stage Snow Blower

- 21" clearing width
- 190° chute rotation
- Fully assembled in carton
- 2 yr warranty* • #E150 • (5704531)

MTD
YARD MACHINES
SUPREME
2 MANUFACTURER'S WARRANTY

Push Button Electric Start



\$719

MTD 8 HP 26" Two Stage Snow Blower

- 6 speed-on the dash shift with clutch lock
- 26" clearing width
- 20" height intake
- 16"x 4 8" Snow Hog tires
- 2 yr warranty* • #E640F (4158648)

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SUPREME
2 MANUFACTURER'S WARRANTY

Make your fall yard work a breeze



\$388

MTD 5 HP Chipper/Shredder

- 3 stage pulverizing action shreds, chips, grnds mulches and bags
- Includes 2 5 bushel nylon mesh bag • #645B • (4071924)



\$598

Yardman 8 HP Chipper/Shredder W/Vac Hose

- 4-way chipper/shredder system
- 3" chipper capacity
- Includes 2 5 bushel capacity bag • #648D • (4815189)



\$999

MTD 5HP 25 Ton Log Splitter

- Vertical/Horizontal operation
- 18 second cycle time
- Log capacity • #552 • (4808473)

TRUE TEMPER Snow Shovels



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Timberland Poly Bent Handle

- Impact-resistant polymer blades • #B118PTW • (4141032)

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Timberland Snow Shovel

- Lacquered hardwood handles seal out moisture and decay • #118ATW • (5445994)

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Timberland Bent Handle

- Multi coat surface prevents snow from sticking • #B118ATW • (4347639)

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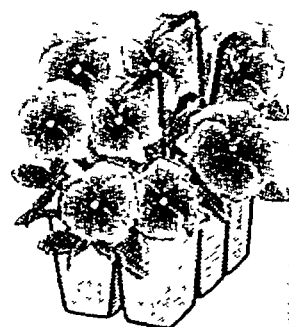


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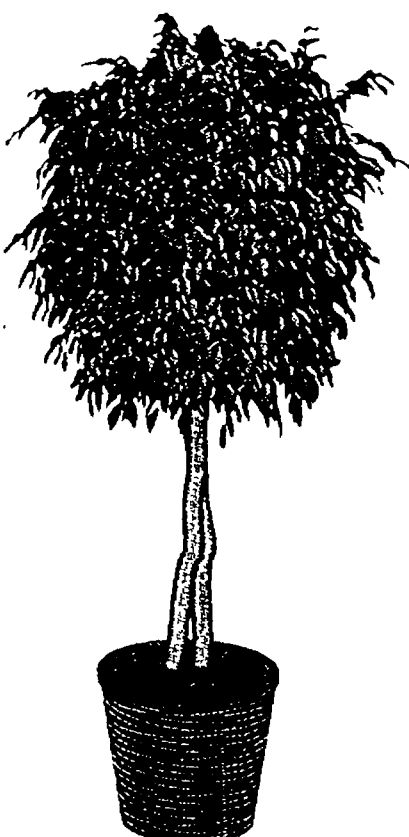
• 6 Plants per pack

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1 Gallon Perennials

Fall is for planting!



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• Bring nature's beauty indoors without the mess



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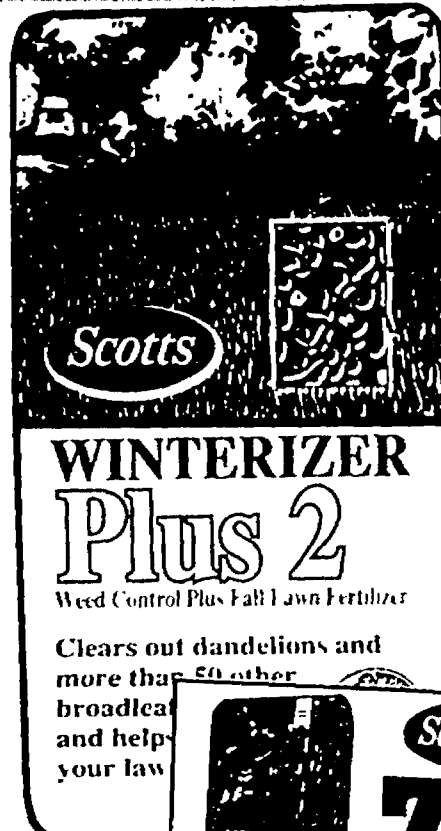
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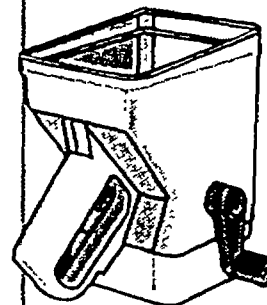
Scotts
783
Winterizer Fertilizer
•5,000 sq ft



Scotts
22¹⁰

Easygreen Spreader

•Easy assembly
•Spreads up to 7' swath •Cushioned handle (4152492)
Evengreen Spreader (4240529)..... 22.10



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EZ Hand Spreader

•Excellent spreading pattern •Easy flow adjustment •Rustproof
•No assembly required (4158838)

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Lawn Food

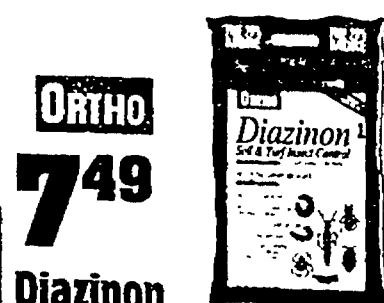
•5,000 sq.ft
•Controlled release nitrogen for extended feeding
•Feeds 6-8 weeks



Scotts
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Winter Lawn Food

•5,000 sq.ft.
•Slow release nitrogen for uniform growth & extended feeding •Helps prepare your lawn for Winter



ORTHO
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Diazinon Lawn Insect Control

•10.8 lb. •Use as pre-plant application in vegetable gardens to kill insects



ORTHO
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Home Defense Pest Control

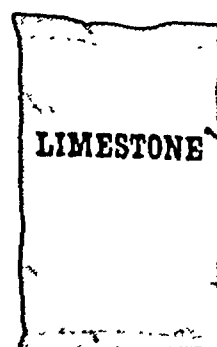
•Gallon •Kills cockroaches, ants, crickets, spiders, fleas, ticks, & other pests



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12-12-12 All-Purpose Fertilizer

•40 lb. •An economic choice for lawns, flowers, & more



3⁴⁴

Pelletized Limestone

•40 lb. •Virtually dust-free & easy to spread •Supplies essential nutrients



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Crystal Marble Chips

•.5 cu.ft. •Makes an attractive ground covering for your walkway



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Pea Rock

•.5 cu.ft. •Ideal for preventing soil erosion
•Long-term landscaping beauty

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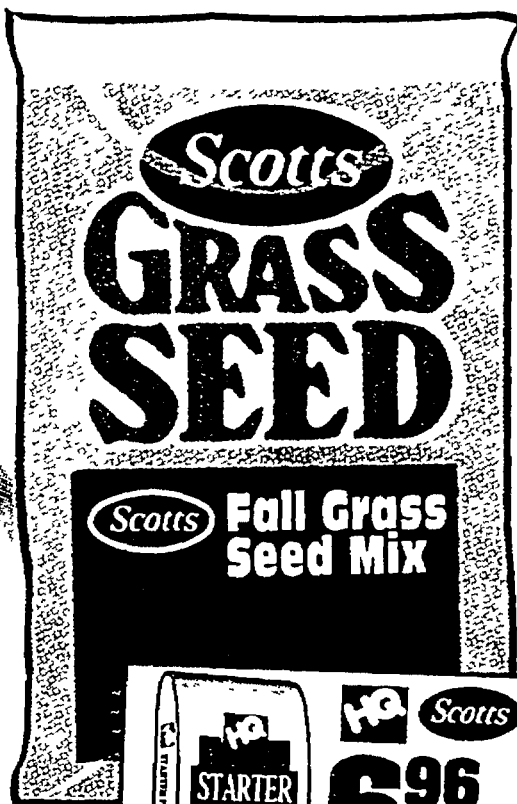
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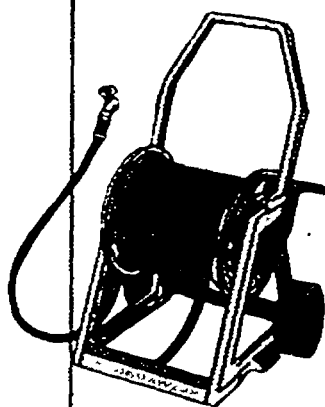
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5 Lb.

Fall Grass Seed

•Helps build a thicker lawn for next Spring •Contains perennial ryegrass, Kentucky bluegrass, & fescue seed



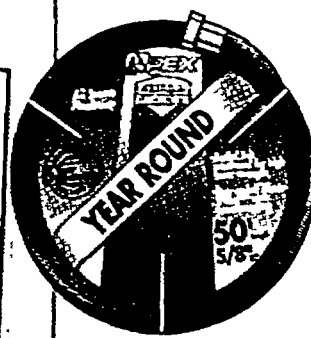
Scotts
696
Starter Fertilizer
•5,000 sq. ft.



SUNBELT
1892

Hosemobile Hose Cart

•Holds up to 200' of 5/8" hose •Fast & easy snap-together assembly (4103487)



APEX 5
1140

Year Round Hose

•5/8" x50' •Provides all season flexibility & comes with brass coupling & a protective collar (4238309)

& get your lawn in shape for Fall!

Roundup
1922

Grass & Weed Killer Concentrate

•Quart •One shot kills actively growing weeds & grasses
1/2 Gal. Conc. 35.88



296

Hardwood Mulch

•3 cu.ft. •Ideal ground covering for bare & shady areas



327

Professional Potting Soil

•16 quart •Specially formulated soilless growing medium like those used in commercial nurseries & greenhouses



129

Compost & Manure

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Emerald Edge Edging

•4' •Installs in minutes with hammer •Flexible for curves (4817250)

Easy Gardener

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Professional Lawn Edging

•60' •Use around flower beds or shrubs •Specially formulated plastic prevents cracking in cold weather (4155883)



Gilmour
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Spike Impulse Sprinkler

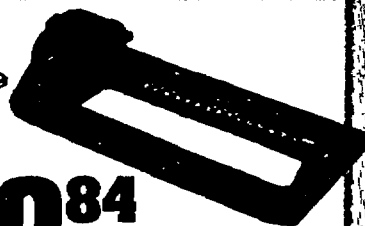
•Zinc spike base •94-112" diameter •Diffuser screw fingertip adjustment (4177333)



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Oscillating Sprinkler

•Even, rain-like watering for deep down soil penetration •3,000 sq. ft. (4171013)



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Dome Lid for More Volume

Snap Lock Lid

Rubbermaid

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Rubbermaid 32 Gallon Trash Can

•Slate Blue (4091377)



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Ironclad Lawn/Leaf Bags

•39 gallon/30 count (5437165)



12⁹⁹

Ironclad Strap/Seal Lawn & Leaf Bags

•40 gallon/90 count (45553805)



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ADAMS Mens Leather Grain Gloves

•#1130 (4044319)

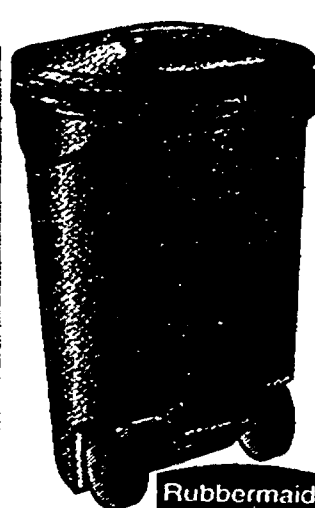
Lots of room for lots of leaves



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Rubbermaid Roughneck 30 Gallon Trash Can

- Built to last
- Snap-lock dome shape lids for increased capacity
- Evergreen (4100517)



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Rubbermaid Wheeled Roughneck 35 Gallon Trash can

- 6" heavy duty wheels
- Full 6 yr. warranty* (4104501)



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Rubbermaid 18 cu. ft. Yard Composter

- Interlocking panels for easy assembly
- No tools required
- Side access door slides up and out for easy removal of compost (4346516)

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TRUE TEMPER Basics Poly 24" Lawn Rake

- Rust proof
- Lightweight
- #TFS24 (4238200)



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TRUE TEMPER Gard N Grip 30" Poly Fan Rake

- Extra long cushioned grip
- #GNGPR30 (4238432)



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TRUE TEMPER Gard N Grip 22" Lawn & Leaf Rake

- Flexible steel tines
- #GNGR22 (4238424)



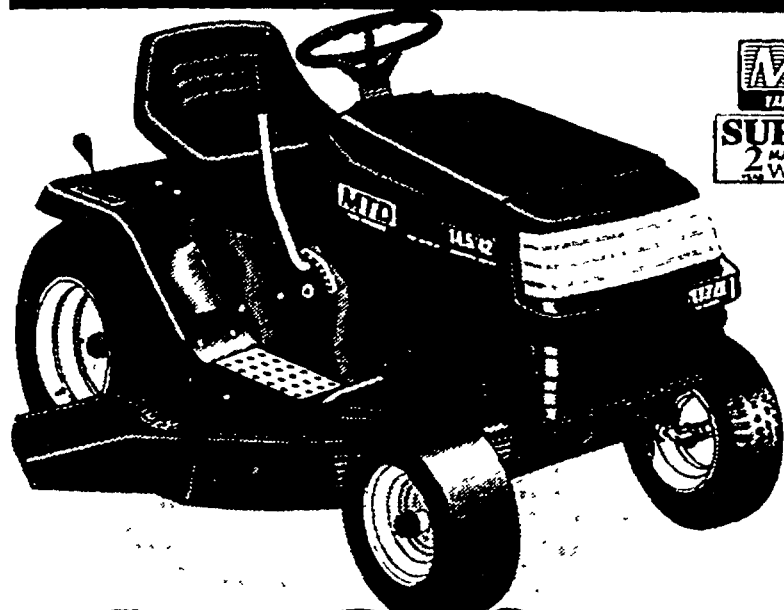
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1078²⁰ 16 HP "Gold-Series"
42" Lawn Tractor

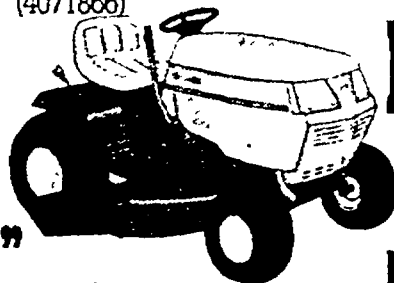
•Briggs & Stratton I/C twin engine
•Exclusive clutch free 7 speed
Shift-on-the-Go transaxle •3-in-1
capable •#675G (4071841)

YARD-MAN



1526⁴⁰
15 HP Hydrostatic
42" Lawn Tractor

•Kohler command engine •Infinite speeds •Clutch
free shifting •3-in-1 capable bag, mulch or discharge
(4071866)



1255⁵⁰

13.5 HP
38"

Hydrostatic
Lawn Tractor

YARD-MAN



•Briggs & Stratton OHV I/C engine
•Automatic transmission •3-in-1
capable: bag, mulch or discharge •Rack
& pinions caster camber steering
•#694F (4141560)

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4 HP 21" Rear Bag
Mower

•Briggs & Stratton Quattro
engine •Soft top rear bag
included •9 position height
adjusters •#414A (4071791)



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5.25 HP 21" 2-in-1
Self-Propelled Mower

•Briggs & Stratton I/C XTE
engine 3 speed rear drive trans-
mission •Single lever height
adjuster •Mulch kit & hard top
grass catcher included •#488Q
(4141446)

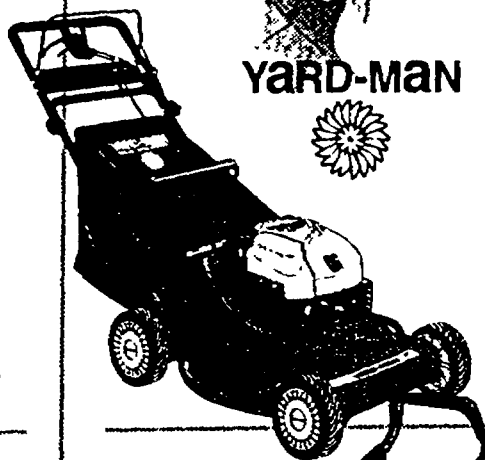
YARD-MAN



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6 Hp 21" 3-in-1
Self-Propelled Mower

•Briggs & Stratton I/C
engine •6 speed rear drive
transmission •Single lever
height adjuster •Mulches, bags
or discharges •#849C (4141537)



RYOBI



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18" Cordless
Mulching Mower

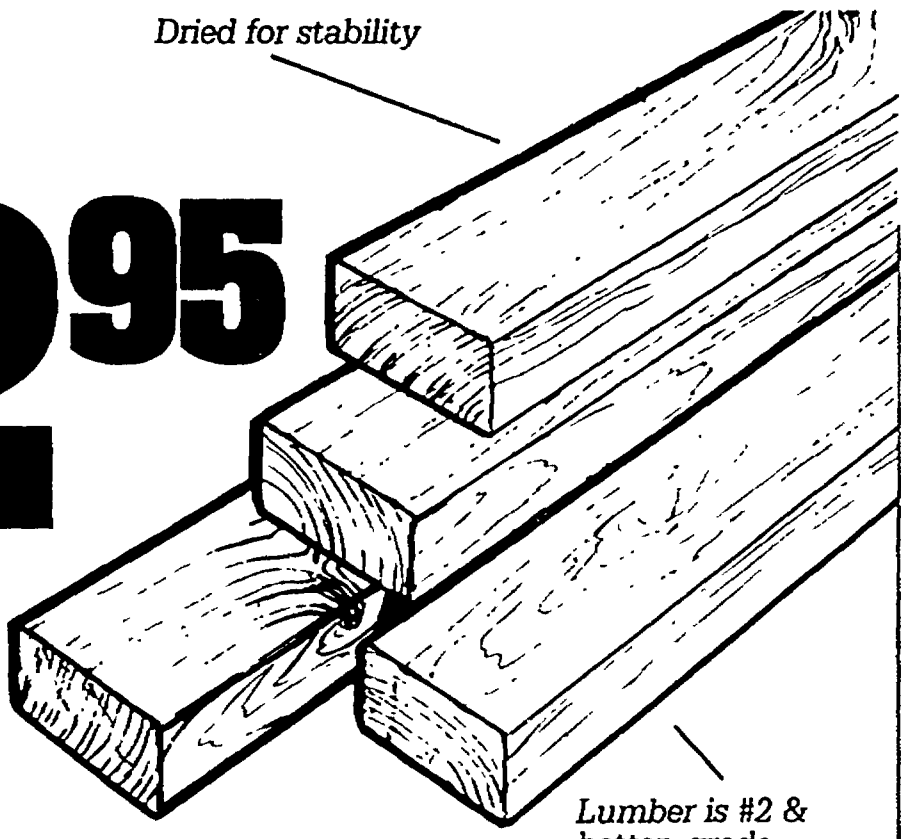
•Powerful 24 volt battery •Cuts
up to 1/2 acre on a single
charge •#BMM2400
(4803490)

HQ AND NOWHERE ELSE.

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2x4-10'

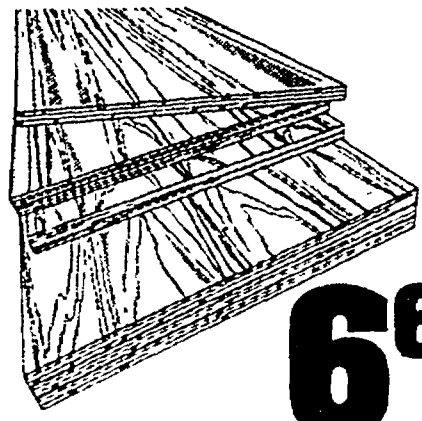


Lumber is #2 & better grade

Dimensional Lumber

• Sizes are nominal

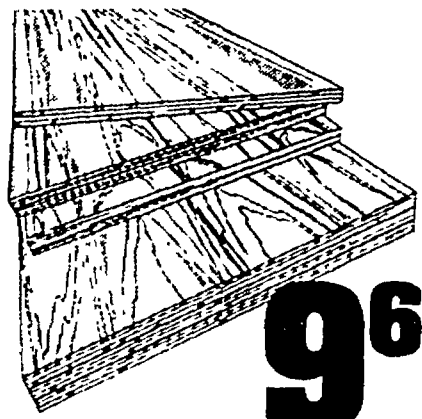
Available in Many Sizes					
2x4	8'	10'	12'	14'	16'
2x6	8'	10'	12'	14'	16'
2x8	8'	10'	12'	14'	16'
2x10	8'	10'	12'	14'	16'



6'60
4x8-1/4"

Waferboard Plywood

• Can be used as roofing and siding when protected from the elements • Thickness is nominal 4x8-7/16" 7.34

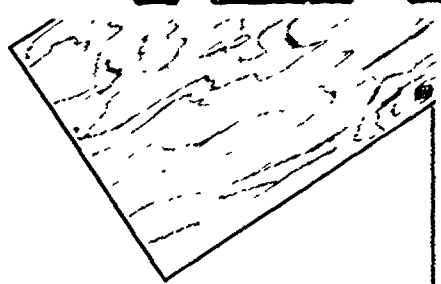


9'65
4x8-11/32" (nom 3/8")

CDX Plywood Sheathing

4x8-15/32" (nom 1/2") 10.85
4x8-19/32" (nom 5/8") 14.97

All lumber products

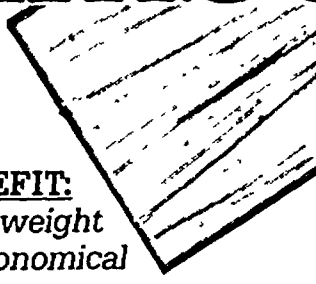


13'25

4x8-11/32" (nom 3/8")

BC Exterior Plywood

4x8-15/32" (nom 1/2") 15.75
4x8-23/32" (nom 3/4") 21.00



BENEFIT:
Lightweight & Economical

9'25

4'x8'-7/32" (nom 1/4")

Lauan Exterior Plywood

• 52 mm

BENEFIT:
No knots

43'60

4x8-23/32" (nom 3/4")

Birch Plywood

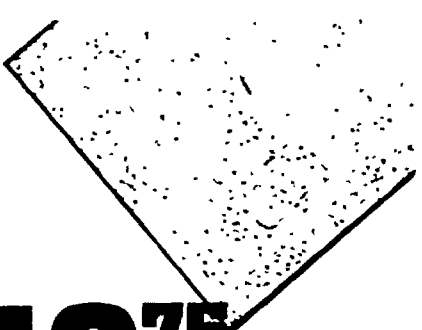
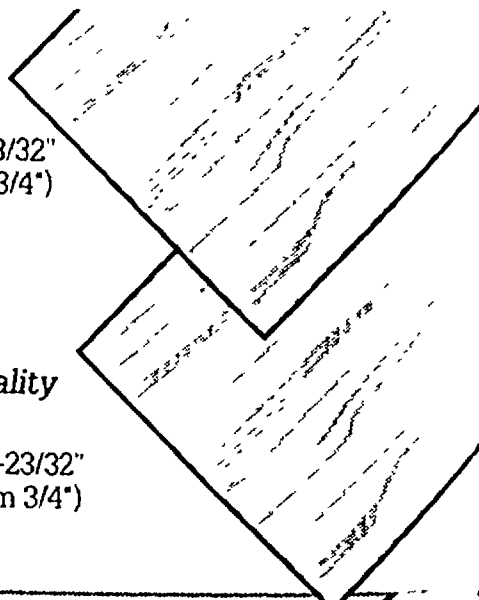
BENEFIT:

No knots Furniture Quality

47'05

4x8-23/32" (nom 3/4")

Oak Plywood

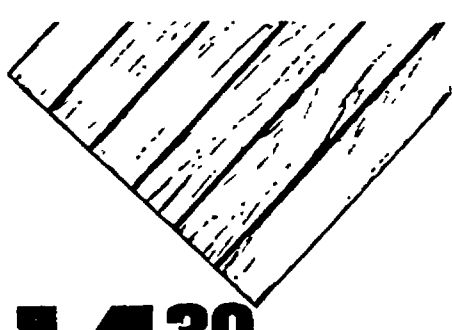


10'75

4x8-19/32" (nom 5/8")

Particle Board

• For application over structural subfloor



14'30

4x8-19/32" (Nom 3/8")

1-11 Texture Siding

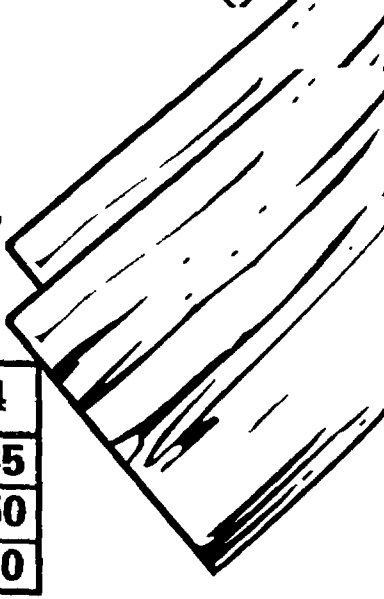
• Grooves are 4" or 8" o.c.
• Ready to finish
4x8-19/32" (nom 5/8") 19.90

6'98

2x4-1/2"

BC Handi Panels

SIZE	2x4	4x4
1/4"	5.98	11.85
1/2"	6.98	14.50
3/4"	9.50	18.50



38 SAVE 5% ON PURCHASES WITH PROJECT REWARDS.

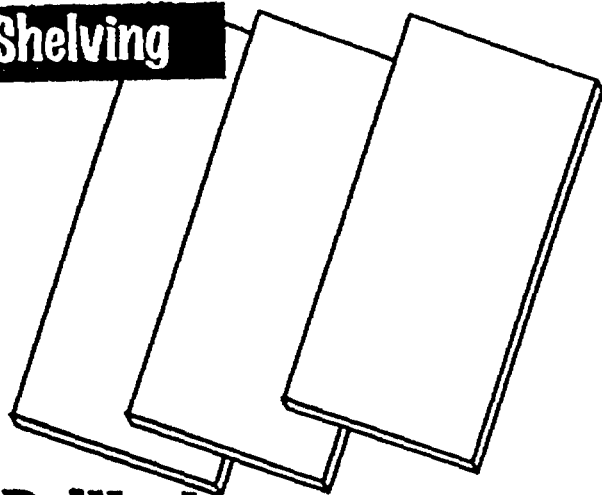
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Melamine Panels and Shelving

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Melamine Unfinished 12x48 Drilled

• Shelf supports available extra • Unfinished white • Ideal for closets, shelving, cabinets, storage & furniture



Unfinished Edge
24x48-3/4" White
48x96-3/4" White
Edge-Banded 1 Side, Drilled 1 Side
12x96-3/4" White
16x96-3/4" White
12x84-3/4" drilled thru white
Edge-Banded 1 Side
12x96-3/4" White
16x96-3/4" White
Edge-Banded 3 Sides
12x24-3/4" White
12x36-3/4" White
12x48-3/4" White

Other pieces sold separately

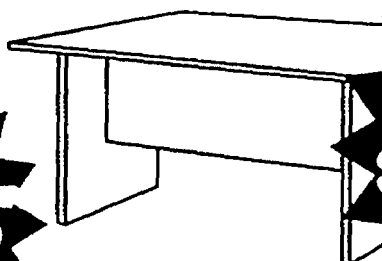
Build Furniture in Under an Hour



Under
\$45

Bookcase 24"x72"

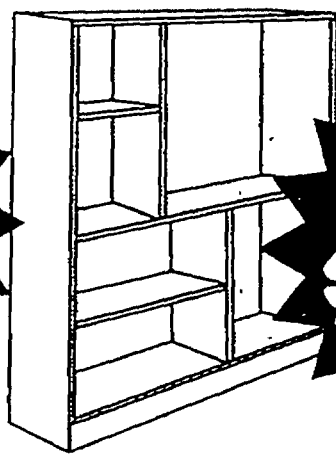
- (2) 12x96-3/4" White Panels
- (3) 12x48-3/4" White Panels
- (2) Screwcap Packages



Under
\$50

Desk 48"x62"

- (3) 24x48-3/4" White Panels
- (2) 12x36-3/4" White Panels
- (4) 12x24-3/4" White Panels
- (2) 12x48-3/4" White Panels
- (1) Screwcap Package



Under
\$70

Entertainment Center 48"x60"

- (4) 16x96" White panels
- (2) Screwcap Packages
- (2) Rolls Edge Band

See salesperson for instructions on how to build furniture projects

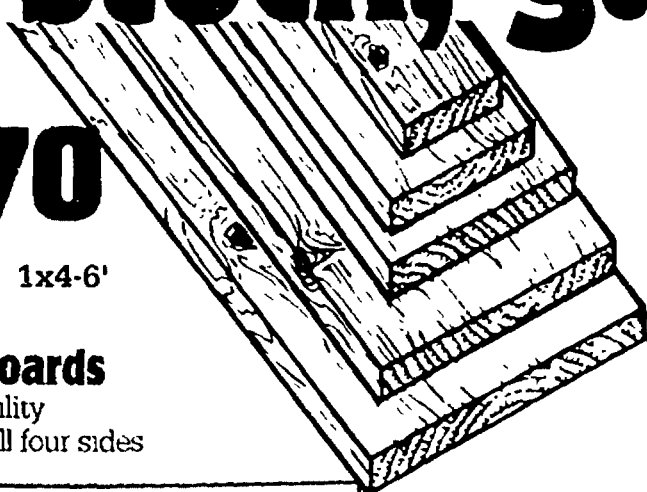
In-stock, guaranteed!

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1x4-6'

#2 Pine Boards

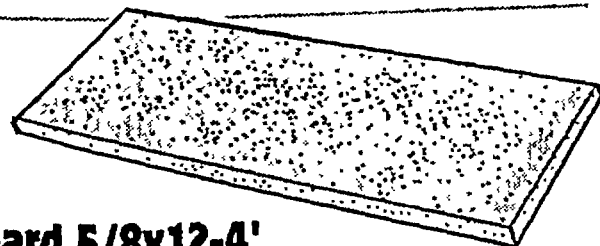
- Dried for stability
- Surfaced on all four sides



Available in many sizes

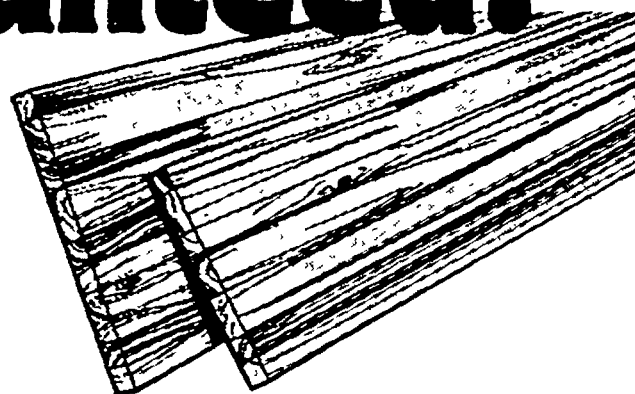
1x4	—	8'	10'
1x6	6'	8'	10'
1x8	6'	8'	—
1x10	6'	8'	—
1x12	6'	8'	10'

98



Particle Board 5/8x12-4'

- Perfect for lightweight utility shelving
- 5/8x12-8'..... 3.21



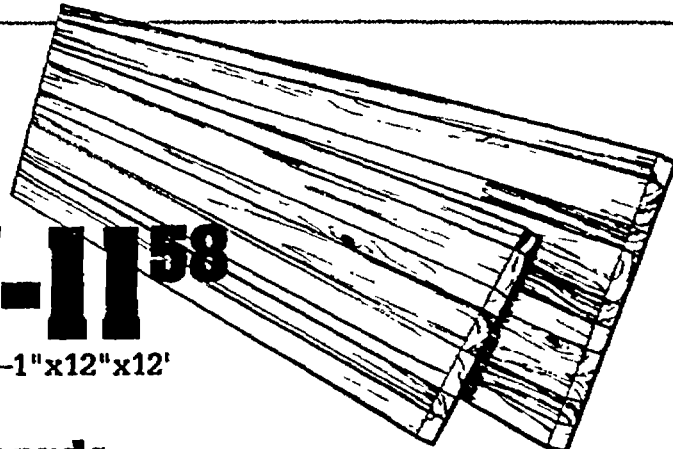
285 - 6132

1x2-3'

1x12-8'

Red Oak Hardwood

- Surfaced all sides • Sizes are nominal • Dried for stability
- POPLAR BOARD 1x2-3'..... 1.74 1x12-8'..... 38.90



427-1158

1"x12"x4'—1"x12"x12'

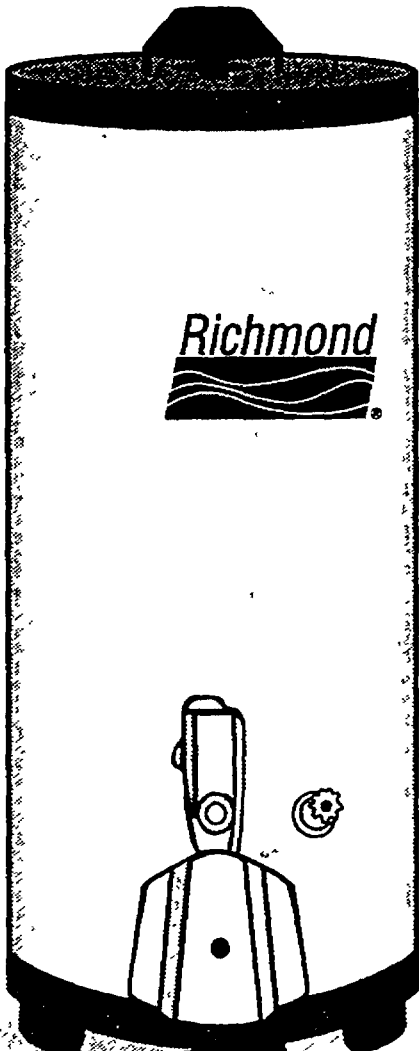
Classic Pine Boards

- Dried for stability
- Surfaced on all four sides



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Energy Efficient Gas
40 Gal. 5 yr. wnty*
(3004256)

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52 Gal. 8 yr. wnty* (3104478)... 255.00

Energy Efficient Gas

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• 3/4" #3052164
• 1" #3052172

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• #3033826
Fiberglass Pipe Wrap
• #3033818 ...2.08

Frost King **14⁹⁴**
R6.7 Water Heater Blanket
• #3033800
R10.0 Water Heater Blanket
• #3121043 ...15.18

The Higher the R-Value, the greater the insulating power. See store Fact Sheet.

Earn while you spend

Copper Pipe

LERAN

	Type L	Type M
1/2"x10'	5.96	4.26
3/4"x10'	9.26	6.78
1"x10'	14.22	11.63

Copper Pipe Fittings

	90° Elbow	Coupling	Tee
1/2"	26¢	22¢	37¢
3/4"	48¢	28¢	84¢
1"	1.80	1.25	3.26
1/2" 10 Pack	1.38	1.20	2.22
3/4" 10 Pack	4.06	2.22	5.56

Pipe Accessories

PLUMB SHOP **PLUMB SHOP** **Oatey** **B&K**

192 **198** **96¢** **302**

1-1/2 x 1-1/4 Plastic P Trap • #3116274
1-1/2 Brass P Trap • #3026465... 11.81

PVC J Bend • 1-1/4 x 1-1/2 • #3023702
1-1/2 Brass J Bend • #3023835... 5.02

Wax Bowl Ring w/Flange • #3000742
W/O Flange • #3205077... 81¢

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3/4" S & W Valve • #3028420 ... 4.07

ASB

926
8" x 8" Access Panel
• #3181252
14" x 14" Panel
• #3181260 11.20

Heavy Duty Laundry Tub
• #3093630
Durable Single Poly Tub
• #3004801...13.91

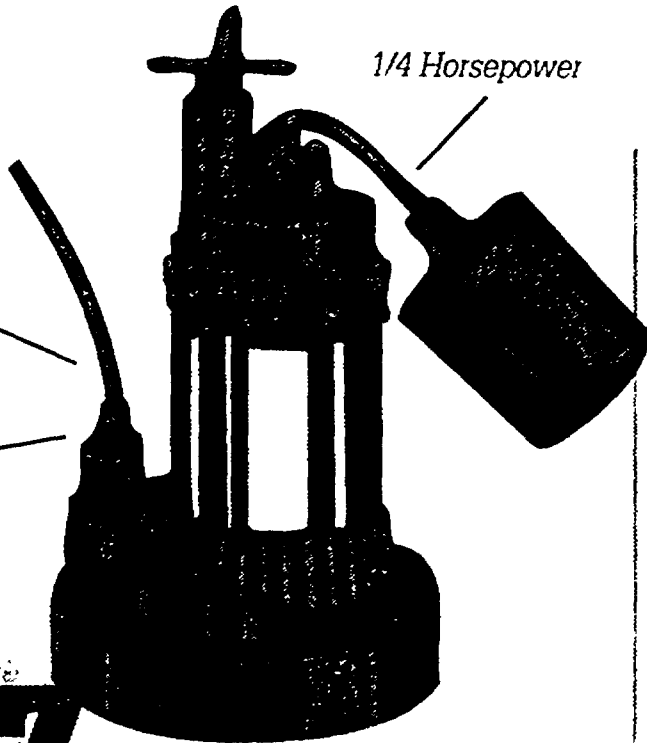
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Gas Furnace
• 80,000 BTU
• Sealed combustion
• #3203098
Furnace/100,000 BTU
• #3203106 ... 696.81

Flotec

Pumps 1800 gallons
per hour

Plastic Rust-Proof Pedestal

1/4 Horsepower



Flotec
59⁹⁷

**1/3 HP Plastic
Pedestal Sump
Pump**

•1/3 HP •Pumps 3600
gallons per hour •Rust
& corrosion resistant
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**1/3 HP Cast Iron Sump
Pump**

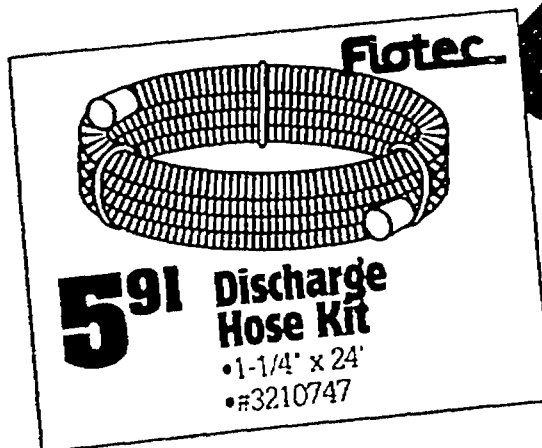
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**1/4 HP
Submersible
Sump Pump**

•Pumps 1800 gallons of water per hour
•Rust and corrosion resistant
•#3210648



**5⁹¹ Discharge
Hose Kit**
•1-1/4" x 24'
•#3210747



Flotec
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**1/2 HP Sump
Pump**

•Pumps up to 3200 gal-
lons of water per hour
•Rust and corrosion
resistant •#3210671

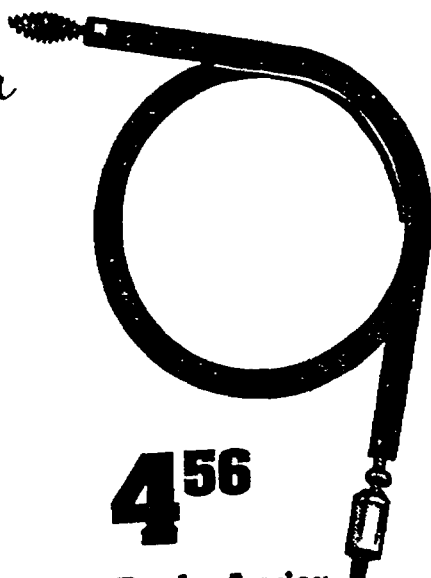
with project rewards

COBRA

Genova

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1/2" x 10'



**PVC-DWV
Schedule 40 Pipe**

1/2" x 10' 1.09
3/4" x 10' 1.51
1" x 10' 2.21
1-1/2" x 10' 2.81
2" x 10' 3.88
3" x 10' 5.61
4" x 10' 10.91

**CPVC Hot & Cold
Water Pipe**

1/2" x 10' 2.09
3/4" x 10' 3.74

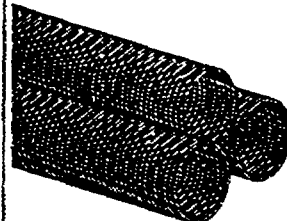
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Drain Auger

•1/4 x 15' •#3025020
3/8 x 25' Drain Auger
•#3025038 9.81

1/4 x 25'
Auger Cannister
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25' Power Auger
Cannister
•#3210234 14.09

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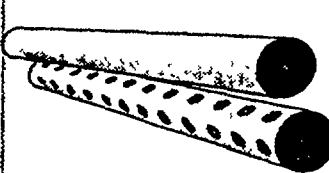


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**4 x 10' Perf Length
Pipe**

•#3009131
4 x 100' •#3009123....19.00

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**4 x 10' Solid or
Perforated Length
Sewer & Drain Pipe**

•#3007176/#3063526

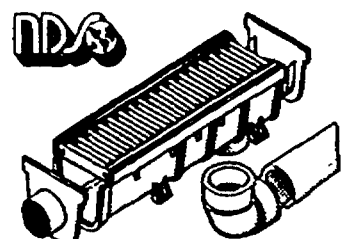
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Drainage Pipe Fittings

A. 4" 90° Elbow... 4.70
•#3009222
B. 4" Down Spout .. 2.98
•#3009198
C. 4" Snap Tee 4.70
•#3009230

NDS



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**NDS 5" E-Z Channel
End Cap and Outlet**

•Use for driveways, pools,
spas, sidewalks & wash-
down areas •#3335049

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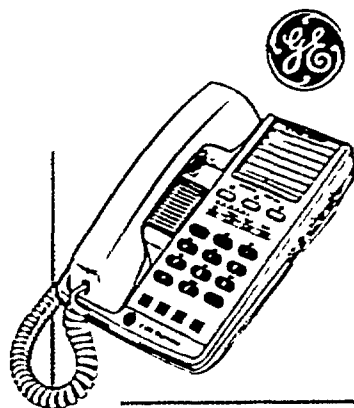


SONY.

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25 Channel Cordless Phone

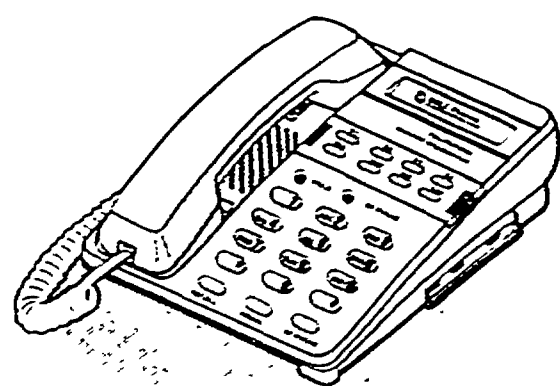
- One way paging • 21-day Battery
- 10-number redial • Available in Black or Ivory • #3340337/53



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2-Line Phone

- Dual ringers
- Line in-use light
- #2-9420

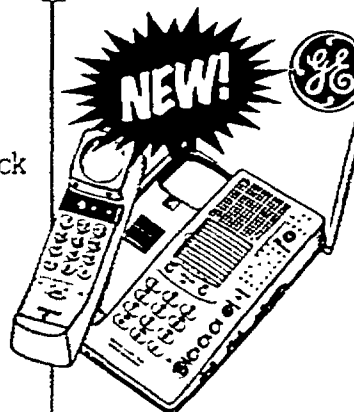


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Speakerphone

- 13 Number memory
- Speaker volume control
- Tone/Pulse switchable
- #5640636



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Cordless Speakerphone

- 25 Channel auto scan
- Two-way page/intercom
- #3340817

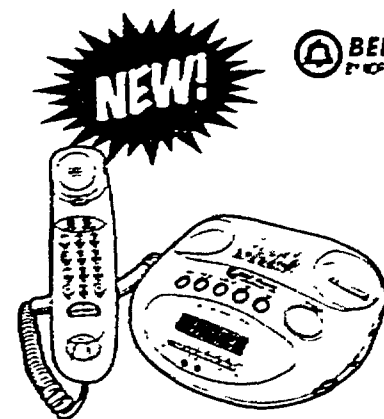


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Cordless Answerer Phone

- Time/Date Stamp • 25 Channel auto scan
- #3340858

Great prices, great styles.



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Clock/Radio Phone

- Dual alarm
- #3355054
- Trimstyle Phone
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CASIO
PHONE MATE

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Digital Answering Machine

- Time/Date stamp
- Speakerphone
- #3340882



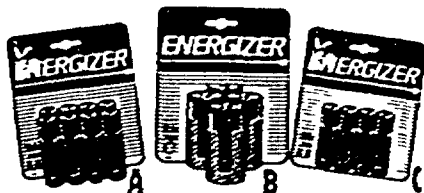
VTECH

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900MHz Digital Phone

- 100% Digital security
- Extended Range
- #3341914
- Speakerphone 900NDX
- #3341922 ... 179.95

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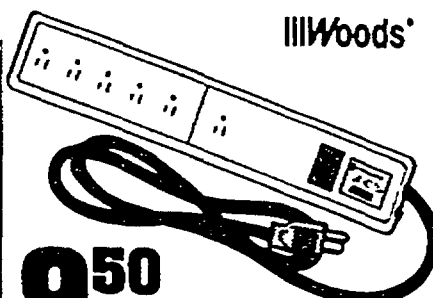


Eveready Batteries

4¹⁹ A 8-Pack AA Batteries • #3103292

3⁴⁷ B 4-Pack C Batteries • #3103306

2⁶⁷ C 4-Pack AAA Batteries • #3183217

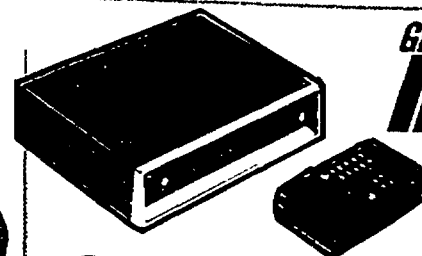


Woods'

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6-Outlet Surge Strip

- Protects small appliances and electronics
- #3103199

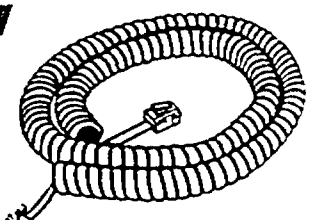


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Cable Converter

- 70 Channel cordless remote control
- #3070166
- 50' Coaxial Cable
- #3030616 10.44

GEMIN



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25' Phone Cord

- #3029329
- Modular Outlet Plugs
- #3029162 ... 3.98
- Telephone Conversion Kit
- #3029063 22.79



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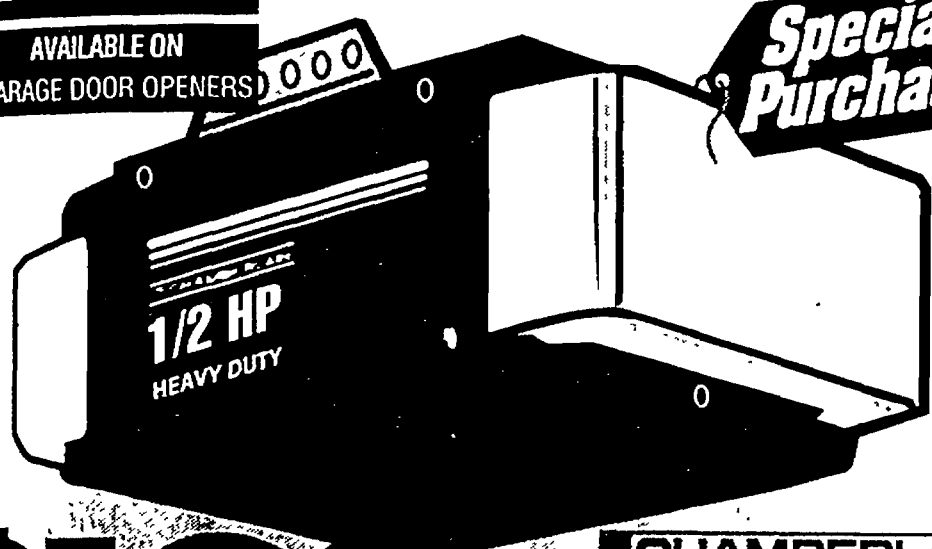
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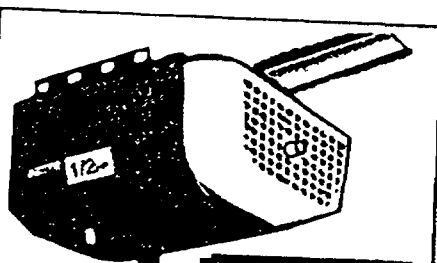
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1/2 HP Deluxe Garage Door Opener

- 2 transmitters • Wall control panel
- Keyless entry system • Chain drive
- Lifetime motor warranty* (4768701)

Special Purchases are subject to
stock on hand, sorry no rainchecks

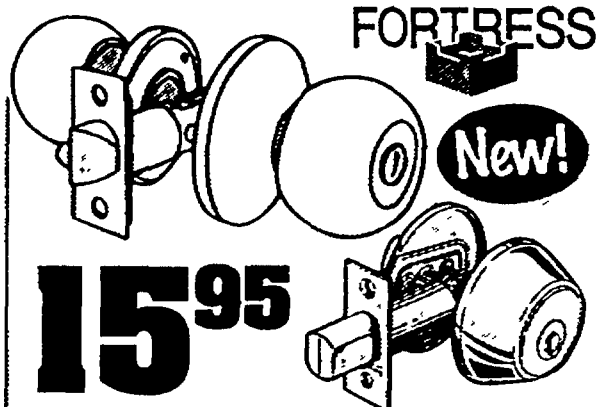
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\$129 **STANLEY**
**Special
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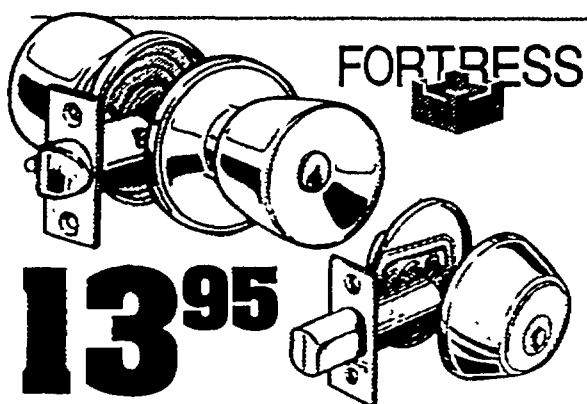
Door Keeper™ Garage Door Opener

- 1/2 HP chain drive motor • Includes
- 2 transmitters • 5 year motor
- warranty* (4254793)



Ball Polished Brass Entry Security Set

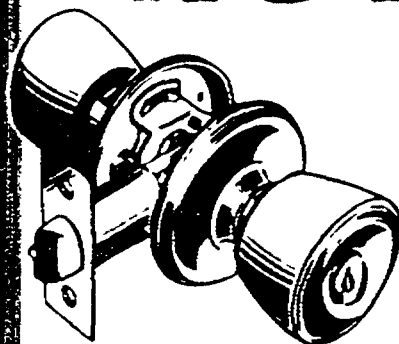
- Entry lock & single cylinder deadbolt
- keyed alike (4253522)



Tulip Polished Brass Entry Security Set

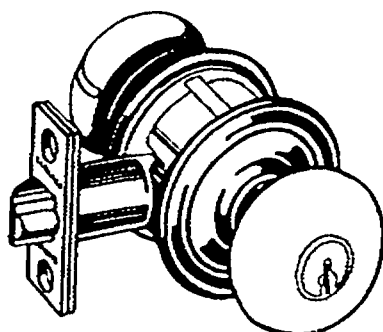
- Entry lock & single cylinder deadbolt
- keyed alike (4253340) • Also available in
- antique brass & stainless steel

We're always in-stock!



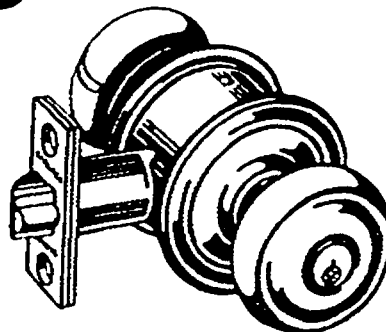
15⁹⁴ **Bell Polished Brass Entry Lockset**

- (4446761)
- Passage (4446746)..9.92
- Privacy (4446753)..12.93



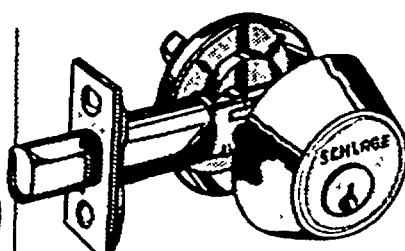
\$19 **Plymouth Polished Brass Entry Lockset**

- (4027959)
- Passage (4027975)..10.44
- Privacy (4027967)..13.93



19³⁶ **Georgian Antique Brass Entry Lockset**

- (4027926)
- Passage (4027942)..12.87
- Privacy (4027934)..13.96



16⁹⁷ **Polished Brass Single Cylinder Deadbolt**

- (4027983)
- Double Cylinder
- (4027991)..... 23.94

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available every weekend to answer your questions

Nursery Quality Plants

Same quality as nursery plants but for a lot less!

5,000 Fall Flowers & Shrubs

Every Saturday morning we re-stock each of our stores!

In-Stock Guaranteed

100s of lawn and garden basics in-stock or you get 20% off!

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7:00pm

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How to Install Kitchen Cabinets

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100 Days of Color

Starting at

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Per Pkg.

Enjoy color with flowering bulbs all spring long with easy-to-use color coded packaging and display!

With our easy-to-follow instructions, you can enjoy color all spring long. Choose from a mixture of Crocus, Tulips, Daffodils, Hyacinth and many more varieties to brighten your Spring flower beds.

We have assembled one of the most extensive selections of flower bulbs that you will find anywhere.

EARLY Spring

Choose from

- Tulips
- Daffodils
- Crocus
- Anemones



MID Spring



LATE Spring



Quality Mark for Dutch Flower Bulbs

Brought to you by the Dutch flower bulb industry, this quality mark assures the consumer of the correct bulb size and variety as stated on the package.

100% Satisfaction Guarantee

If you are not totally pleased with your Spring, we'll give you a refund. Remember, you must see your receipt.

Bulk Buy
Buy 1 or 1,000!
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Choose from a huge selection of Tulip, Daffodils, Crocus, Hyacinth and more. Bulk selection makes choosing just the right mix easy... and affordable!

Bone Meal
4-12-0 Slow release nitrogen feeding for all bulbs, flowering shrubs & perennials
3lb. Bulb Booster 9-9-6 ... 3.49

featuring The Ballade Tulip!

Award Winning TULIPS FROM HOLLAND!

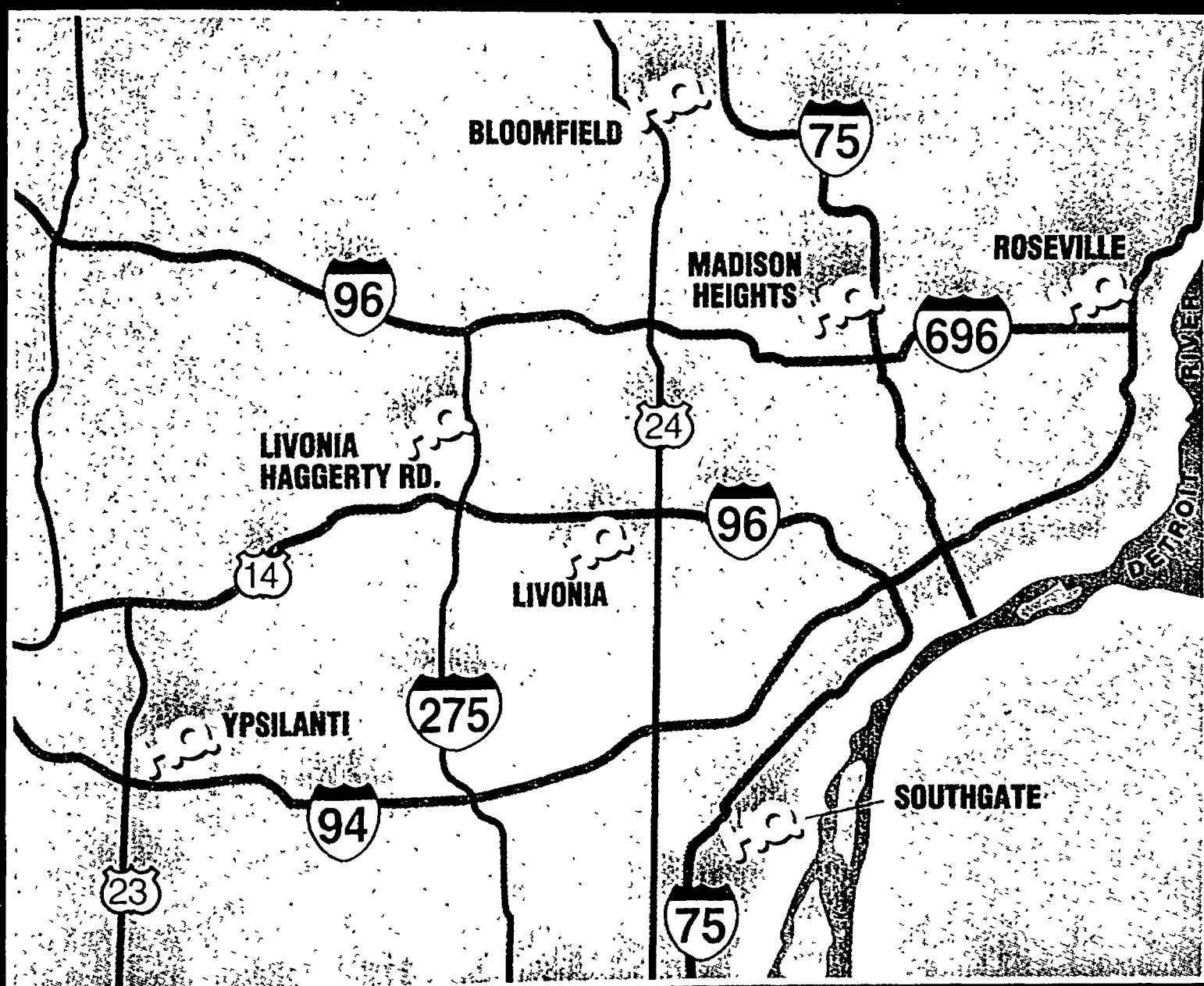
We've gone all the way to Holland to buy award winning bulbs for your garden! Choose from a different assortment each week to collect all of these unique & beautiful bulbs! Limited supplies while they last.

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(810) 335-8331

Livonia:

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(313) 432-1200

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30550 Stephenson Highway

(810) 588-0805

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(313) 973-0035

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27118 Gratiot

(810) 772-2633

Southgate:

I-75 and Northline Road

(313) 246-2866

Livonia:

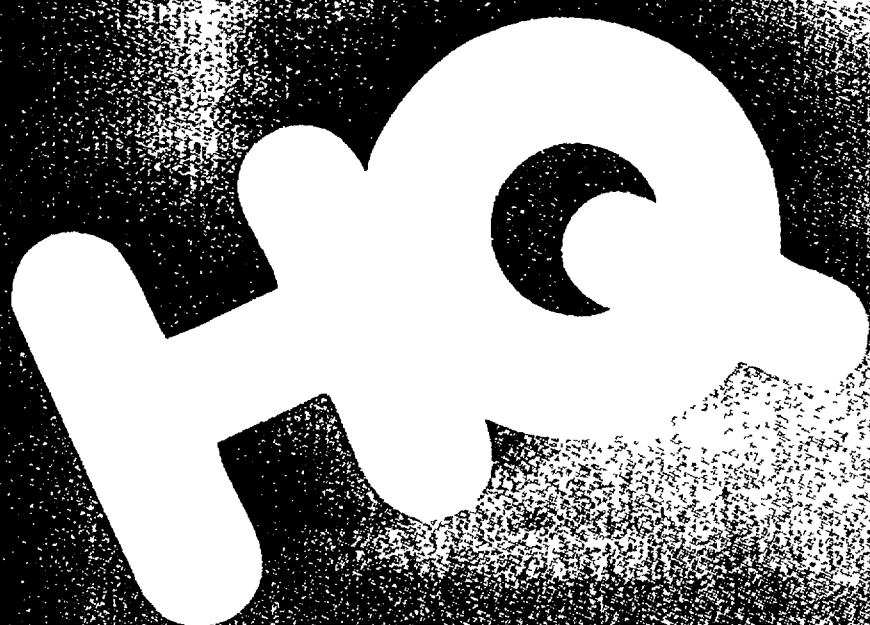
13700 Middlebelt Road

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