

Child saved from manhole

Tragedy averted as witness helps mother pull child to safety

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL
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Screams for help interrupted a bright, sunny Monday at the Park Place Apartments in Northville Township.

Next to the picnic table near the pine trees and pond filled with swimming ducks, a mother and child were trapped in a drainage sewer, the victims of what Northville Township Fire Department officials say may have been a nasty prank and could have been a tragedy.

Instead, it was a scene from "Rescue 9-1-1,"

except that the heroes of the piece were not trained professionals.

Playing in the common field near Building 10 of the complex, located on Eight Mile Road, the mother had just turned away when her 20-month-old child toddled over to an open sewer cover and fell into the water about ten feet down, township fire officials said. Because of the grass, the open hole was not readily visible.

"She turned back around and the kid disappeared," explained Fire Sergeant Michael O'Brian.

"She had just turned around to get a toy and he was gone-like that. They didn't see it was open. She looked in and very instinctively

jumped in after him. She pulled the guy out and he was crying."

Dianne Burkhardt was unloading her artwork from her car when she saw the mother and child walking in the grass.

"All of a sudden I heard 'Help! Help!' and this woman was going into the (hole)," she recounted.

"She was holding onto some hooks trying to reach her baby. All I could see was her baby's legs. His head was under water. I held onto her arm and somehow she managed to get the baby to hold onto her leg."

Burkhardt wasn't strong enough to pull her

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Sgt. Michael O'Brian peers at the covered manhole that trapped a township mother and child Tuesday.

Parade to honor local veterans

By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

You can still have your barbecues and trips to the lake this weekend, but Northville's veterans are asking for a few moments of time to honor those who died for their country by attending the 54th annual Memorial Day parade.

Organizer Rebecca Yarbrough said Northville's parade has managed to stay true to the purpose of Memorial Day amid a sea of other such marches that have clowns and floats.

"The Fourth of July is a celebration, and that's the way it should be approached," she said. "Memorial Day is different. It's a memorial, and needs to be taken with respect."

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MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

WHERE: Downtown Northville, beginning at Griswold and Main.

WHEN: Monday, 10 a.m.

(Marchers should register by 9:30 a.m.)

WHO: Rep. Bob Geake - grand marshal, Rev. Douglas Vernon, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 4012, VFW Post No. 345, American Legion Post No. 147, VFW District No. 4 commander Jim Warner, Vietnam Veterans of America Post No. 528, Marine Corps color guard, local Scout troops, and the Northville High School marching band.



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Meads Mill Middle School students and physical education teacher Brian Masi, right, see how fast they can pass a koosh ball around their circle during part of their day at the University of Michigan Adventure Challenge Course.

Meads students take part in challenge

By WENDY WHITE
Staff Writer

Sometimes you learn the most when you leave your comfort zone and challenge yourself to try new things.

A group of 28 Meads Mill Middle School students realized that when they embarked on an adventure challenge field trip to Ann Arbor on May 6.

The randomly selected students supported each other through problem solving exercises staged on adult playground equipment in the woods.

Getting through the course, which was designed by the department of recreational sports

at the University of Michigan, required communication, cooperation and guts.

"We create a scenario, give the groups a challenge to try and solve, a situation to work through. Going through the group process and identifying group dynamics helps them learn what it takes to be part of a group, to be a leader or supporter," said Mark Belson, a challenge course coordinator.

"Although a lot of these things are physical, what they're really stressing is mental activity and problem solving."

Brian Masi

"The fear factor can come in because of heights, leaving the ground, but also having to speak ideas and share what took place. That can really be a challenge for some students."

After the students arrived by bus, they split into small groups and met their activity

leaders, who had created a program from a roster of more than 100 activities.

"These kids are some of the smartest kids around. They're not lacking academically or physically. What I wanted them to build is learning to treat each other better and caring for others," said Meads Mill physical education teacher Brian Masi.

"The course incorporates socialization, physical education and teamwork blended all together with challenging activities. Although a lot of these things are physical, what they're really stressing is mental activity and problem solving."

The day began with ice-breaker

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Voters to decide fate of school millage proposal

By WENDY WHITE
Staff Writer

As a Northville resident, you'll soon have the opportunity to make someone else pay taxes in support of your local schools.

But don't feel guilty. The Northville Chamber of Commerce is urging you to vote yes.

"I'd like to see a perfect world where I could vote on my own taxes. I feel this is taxation without representation. But no, it doesn't bother me because this particular issue is in support of the kids in our district," said Todd Knickerbocker, president of the Northville Community Chamber of Commerce and the owner of the Knickerbocker office suites at 124-128 N. Center St.

Voters are being asked to approve the renewal of the 18 mills on non-homestead property, which includes commercial and agricul-

tural holdings. The election is slated for June 8.

One mill is equivalent to one dollar in taxes for every \$1,000 of assessed property value. Therefore, 18 mills means \$18 for every \$1,000 of assessed property value.

That means the owner of a building in Northville assessed at \$100,000 is paying \$1,800 in public school taxes each year. A \$300,000 building will generate an annual school tax bill of \$5,400.

For Knickerbocker, whose building has a taxable value of \$62,320, the school tax bill will total around \$1,122. For Robert and Margene Buckhave, who are renovating the former church at 145 N. Center, the tax will total \$5,760 on property assessed at \$320,000.

Knickerbocker, along with four other board members, voted that

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The toys of spring

Kites, yo-yos are popular, store owner says

By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

The trees are covered with leaves and a light breeze is beckoning from the west.

Must be spring...which means it must be kite-flying weather.

Lou LaChance knows that better than just about anyone. His downtown shop has moved dozens of the aerial favorites from shelves since warm weather broke last month.

"In terms of the most popular toys for spring, it's yo-yos and kites — easily," said Lou LaChance, owner of Northville's Ultimate Toys & Gifts. "They're really hot items these days. We just ordered another shipment of them today."

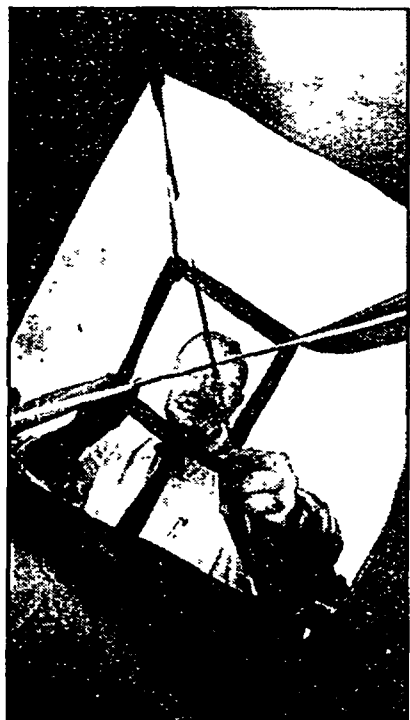
Unlike the balsa wood relics of the past which took a Carl Lewis-like sprint to get the thing airborne, today's kites are often made of nylon and durable plastic. There's a price to be paid for the better quality, but LaChance said kite enthusiasts are willing to pay it.

"People these days want something that's going to last and not fall apart after you use it once," he said.

The two most popular brands are Go Fly A Kite and Brookkite. Little-known fact: Brookkite was the brand of kite used by Benjamin Franklin in his famous electricity experiment.

And not only are kites becoming more

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Northville toy store owner Lou LaChance with one of the many unique kites found on the shelves of Ultimate Toys & Gifts.

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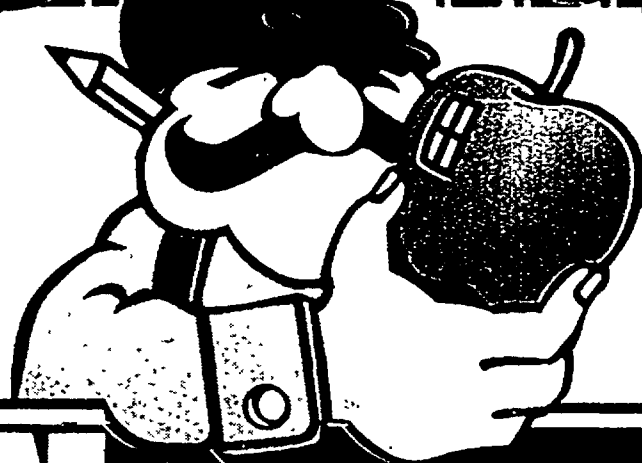
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Pen pals finally meet after 62 years

Northville visit caps lifetime of correspondence, memories

By WENDY WHITE
Staff Writer

Their friendship began more than 60 years ago, when Mary Earl was an eighth grader at a Catholic School in Detroit, and Enid Keast was a 14-year-old high schooler in Berkhamsted, England.

Now, in their 70s, they're meeting face-to-face for the first time.

Until Keast, 74, paid a recent visit to Northville, their relationship was confined to letters, as the lifelong pen pals sent handwritten news of their everyday lives across the Atlantic Ocean.

"I don't remember who wrote the first letter, do you?" Earl, 75, asked Keast over tea at Marywood Nursing Care Center in Livonia, where Earl now lives.

"No but there have been hundreds since," Keast said. "We didn't think about it lasting so long. We just got a letter and responded."

The two became pen pals after Earl's teacher took a trip abroad and brought back names and addresses for her students to contact.

Neither know if any of the other student pen pal pairings were as successful as theirs.

"I only know that I got Mary, which was good," Keast said. "Mary used to write and tell me all about what was going on over here. She told about farm life and when we got married I had loads to tell about my children. Unfortunately Mary didn't have any. I suppose it was interesting knowledge about the U.S. and what was going on, not that we entered into much political conversation. Just common, everyday things. Where we'd been on holiday, that sort of thing."

The letters gave each a glimpse into the customs of another country, and though they both wrote in English, the women said they were always entertained by language

differences that would crop up in their correspondence.

"I think it's been educational about how the rest of the world lives," Earl said. "Enid used different terms, different words."

"They'd come out all the time," said Keast, who calls television "the telly," cookies "biscuits," sweaters "jumpers" and trucks "lorries."

Sometimes the letters dwindled to one a year.

But they still came.

Keast graduated from school in 1939, just a month before World War II began. For nine years she worked in the offices of an English railway company that was evacuated to an estate outside of London to avoid bombings.

During the war, Keast's letters arrived from England cut up and censored, barely legible. When goods were rationed there, Earl sent chocolates and make-up to her friend.

Keast once sent Earl a pair of gloves.

"I must have worn them for 15 years, they were such lovely material," Earl said.

Married in 1949, Keast had three children with her husband Leslie, who is now deceased.

She belonged to charitable organizations and has sang in a choir for decades.

Earl grew up in Detroit and earned a math degree from Marygrove College in 1945. She worked as a mathematical analyst until she got married in 1964. Then, she moved with her husband Herb to his parents' farm in Durand, Michigan, until it was sold.

When Herb retired after more than 29 years at the Fisher Body plant, the couple finally had a chance to travel, and Keast still has stacks of postcards from extensive trips the Earls took in their trailer, or "caravan."

The pen pals often wrote of visiting each other during retirement,

but their plans were waylaid time and again.

In 1980, Earl's husband died. On the same day, she was diagnosed with Parkinson's disease, a degenerative condition that causes tremors and muscle rigidity.

As the disease worsened, Earl moved into nursing homes that offered increasingly more care. Northville resident Jeannine Meade followed, bringing Earl Holy Communion every Sunday through the Christian Services organization. Meade soon became friends with Earl, and eventually began assisting her in writing letters to her pen pal.

"Since I got so bad I couldn't write with pleasure so she did the writing for me every so often so they became pen pals too. And Enid came to America and now we're all sitting together," Earl said.

Keast entertained Meade and her husband Ed during their visit to Europe, so the couple was more than happy to host Keast in their home at the East Street Club Condos and to show her the sights of Northville.

"I didn't think my feet were going to touch the ground here," Keast said.

For nine months before her arrival, Earl worked on lists of places she wanted her friend to see during her three week stay in Michigan. Now confined to a wheelchair, Earl wasn't able to join many of the excursions.

Still, she did venture to the Grand Court Theater in Novi for a performance of "Driving Miss Daisy." And the two got to chat

during Keast's frequent visits to Marywood.

According to Keast, downtown Northville is very similar to her home town in England, but she still marveled at the water tower, the fare at Little Italy restaurant, and the selection of food at Shopping Center Market.

She was also impressed by the facade of Woolly Bullies and the frog legs she tried for the first time at Rocky's.

"It's all a surprise to me," Keast said. "Everyone is wonderful, ever so kind and welcoming. It's really great. You have some lovely buildings here. I was surprised to find dandelions in the grass and see that you have many of the same flowers as we do. I think it's very nice, very nice indeed."

During her stay, Keast also had a chance to sing at Marywood with a choir group directed by the Meades.

Her longtime pen pal listened from the audience.

Keast left Northville May 18, and although this probably marks the only meeting the two women will ever have, they have shared much more than a short visit.

Through stacks of meticulously detailed and flowing letters the women can look back on a lifetime of shared memories.

"It's surprising reading these letters. We're discussing when we retire, we'll try and get over and that sort of thing. They smell a bit musty because I've kept them in the cupboard for a good many years," Keast said.

And Meade said that Keast's visit left quite an impression on



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Pen pal Enid Keast of Crediton, England, greets her 62-year partner in correspondence Mary Earl Monday evening at the Marywood Nursing Center in Livonia.

her friend.

"She's really an up person, optimistic, and that's really good for Mary. The fact that Enid would sell her house and say 'I'm going

to go to the States and visit Mary,' it was such a morale booster for her. I think it's remarkable they've kept up all these years," Meade said.

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Mobil station expansion has neighbors up in arms

By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

Competition doesn't scare Ed Hanna. You don't work in Nigeria like he had for almost 20 years without coming into contact with people who'd like to see your business go under, and then get fazed easily.

But competition from a corporate neighbor has him rattled, and that's why a proposed expansion and renovation of the Mobil gas station at Eight Mile and Taft Roads has the owner of Northville Gourmet so upset.

"How can I compete?" he asked. "They're a huge corporation and I'm just me."

The station has received tentative approval for renovation of the station's existing sales structure and the addition of a carry-out Pizza Hut. As planned, the existing building would be demolished. A new, larger building would be constructed against the northernmost property line. The location would have 20 parking spaces developed.

Per an agreement drafted by the city, no delivery of pizzas may take place from the location.

Hundreds of Mobil stations across the country are being converted to the so-called "On The Run" stores. The Northville renovation is being spearheaded by Southfield developer John Matthews.

Hanna described his own business as an upscale party store, but he shunned the notion of

labeling Northville Gourmet as purely a "party store." Prior to taking over the shop five years ago, the business was home to booze and cigarette promotions and a virtual library of sex magazines.

"It was filthy," Hanna said. "People didn't want to go there or send their children there. I wanted to change the entire feeling of the place."

When Hanna bought the location, his first priority was to clean the store out, both in terms of sanitation and reputation. Close to \$100,000 in renovations and landscaping went into Northville Gourmet, and the April 1995 grand re-opening of the store was attended by city and business leaders — a virtually unheard-of show of support for businesses of that kind, Hanna said.

Since taking over, Hanna said Northville Gourmet and the Mobil station have had a good business/neighbor relationship. But plans for the expansion have him and residents who live nearby up in arms.

Among those leading the charge on the residential end of things is Northville Oaks Condominium Association president Nan Oliver. In a letter dated April 1 to Northville mayor Chris Johnson, Oliver and other Association members voiced their opposition.

"In its current form, the Mobil station barely has enough space in

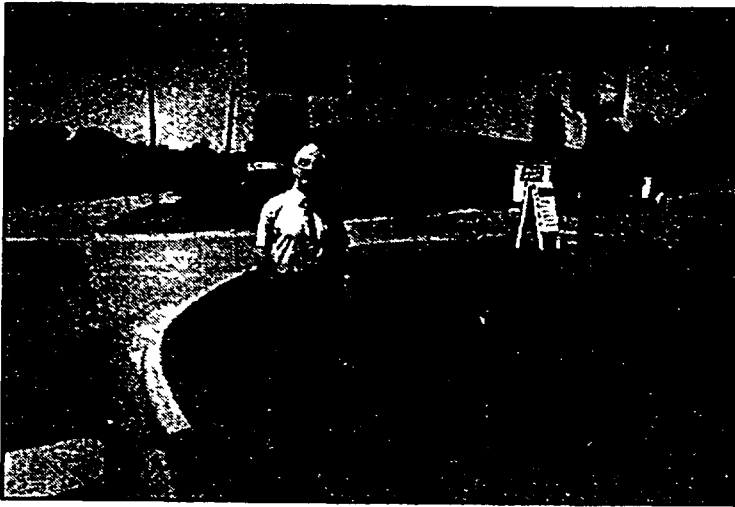


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Edward Hanna, owner of the Northville Gourmet at Eight Mile and Taft Rd., is among those who oppose the expansion plans of the neighboring Mobil station, which include more parking spaces and a carry-out Pizza Hut.

which to operate and barely enough employees to operate the station," she said. "We don't think Mobil is capable of successfully executing this plan in this location."

The letter also cited traffic problems with the intersection of Eight Mile and Taft Roads.

The Taft/Eight Mile/Griswold area has been the site of two fatal car crashes in the last five years.

"Cars already have problems exiting the station onto eastbound

Eight Mile," Oliver wrote. "Several of our neighbors have witnessed near-accidents. If the purpose of Mobil's plan is to bring in more customers, it would seem that this problem would only get worse."

Oliver's letter indicated she wished to turn over the petition to the appropriate persons. City manager Gary Word responded to Oliver by advising her that such complaints regarding zoning needed to be directed to the zoning board of

appeals.

In a 4-2 vote, the city planning commission ultimately voted to approve the preliminary site plan. The commission members found "the siting of (the service station buildings to be) logical."

Commission members Richard Birdsall and Jay Wendt voted against it.

Wendt said he based his vote largely on observations he had made at other Mobil stations which had added Pizza Hut carry-outs. After making those observations, Wendt said he had noticed that a large number of construction or lawn maintenance vehicles had the tendency to stop by the station.

And while such vehicles could park and still permit a free flow of traffic in the parking lot, he questioned whether the same could hold true at the Eight Mile / Taft location.

Wendt said he was also concerned about the lure pizza-by-the-slice would have for high school students.

"They only allow two kids at a time in there as it is now," he said. "What's it going to be like with all these cars streaming over there during lunch hour? They won't be able to handle it."

In addition, Wendt said he opposed the construction on the grounds that there was a lack of decent sidewalks to connect the station to other locales nearby.

A call to Matthews was forward-

ed to Mobil media representative Betsy Eaton of Joliet, Ill. Eaton said she believed discussions between Mobil representatives and residents of the area had helped to quell concerns held by those who lived or did business in the area.

In those discussions, Eaton said Mobil made assurances that adequate trash containers would be provided and that the pickup of the trash would be done at a proper hour of the day.

"Mobil wants to be a good neighbor," Eaton said.

With regards to concerns over competition issues, Eaton said trepidation is a common feeling among residents when new business comes to town.

"I think any time there's a change in a business, there are concerns from people who do business in the area as to how it will affect their livelihood," she said. "That's perfectly normal. Whether they have a basis of fact if it will cause problems for their own business, that remains to be seen."

Wendt said he wasn't as certain Mobil had smoothed things over.

"I'm still taking calls from people who are upset about this," he said.

Before any work can begin, Mobil must still win final site plan approval from the planning commission, which meets next June 2. The commission met last night, but Mobil was not on the agenda.



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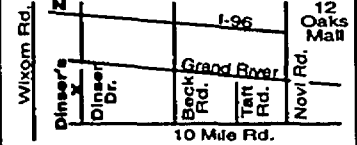
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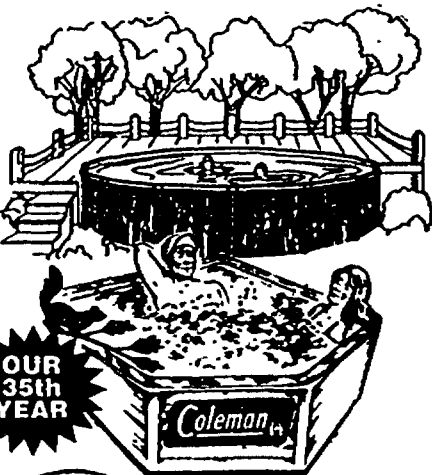
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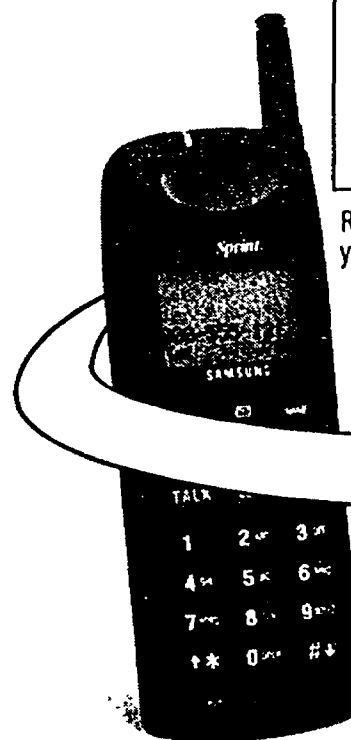
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Police Reports

FALSE ALARM: Last Saturday, a mother reported that a strange couple was twice spotted talking to her 3-year-old son at a street corner downtown. But what at first appeared to be a suspicious encounter turned out to be harmless fun.

"It was simply neighbors who stopped to 'play race' with the boy," police said.

After recognizing the description of themselves and their car in the Northville Record police reports last week, the couple called the boy's family to discuss the misunderstanding. His mother quickly called police to clear up the matter, telling them that the couple is like a set of grandparents to her son and that they often drive alongside him while he pedals his big wheels on the sidewalk.

A neighbor had misconstrued the game and reported the couple as a possible cause for concern.

SHATTERED: A 23-year-old Northville resident became suspicious when she found shattered glass and discarded items in the stairwell leading to her second story apartment on Grace Street around 2:30 a.m. May 16. Although the door locks weren't

tampered with, she decided it would be a good idea to call police and ask them to check two crawl spaces in her home. Police arrived to find the shattered glass, and since no windows were broken in the apartment they assumed it was from a drinking glass. They also found a blue knit cap and a silver necklace adorned with colored heart shaped beads. They advised the woman to keep her doors locked and report any further suspicious circumstances.

BUSTED ON WHEELS: A Northville High School 10th grader was cited for violating a local ordinance when he was spotted in-line skating in a city parking lot Wednesday evening, May 13. In-line skating and skate boarding is prohibited in downtown Northville.

TOO YOUNG TO DRIVE: An officer on a mountain bike pulled over a motorist who ran a stop sign at the corner of East and Elm around 2:15 p.m. on May 12. The 15-year-old driver confessed he had never gotten a license and said he was driving his mother's black Dodge Dakota without her knowledge. He was cited with a misdemeanor for driving without a

license, and ticketed for running the stop sign and failing to wear his seat belt. Police impounded the vehicle and the youth faces a date in juvenile court.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS: Three car accidents occurred in the city last week. In one, a 16-year-old Farmington resident rear-ended a 45-year-old Novi woman on east bound Eight Mile Road near Randolph Street. In another, a 49-year-old street sweeper backed into a 20-year-old Canton motorist on N. Center St. near Ely. In the third fender bender, an 81-year-old woman drove away unaware she had scraped a parked car while backing out of the parking lot. A witness gave police her license number, enabling them to track her down and issue her a ticket. Both vehicles were damaged, but the woman wasn't injured, police said.

TOWNSHIP POLICE REPORTS

HOME GARDENING: A chance situation involving a 43-year-old resident led township police to two flower pots containing marijuana plants.

The woman came into the town-

ship public safety office at around 10 p.m. May 17 and told police she had come upon what appeared to be two marijuana plants. She said she had made the discovery when her 16-year-old son asked her to look after his pet iguana in late March. The iguana was contained in an aquarium placed on a bedroom bookshelf.

The woman said she was unsuccessful in locating the heating lamp used for the iguana, but noticed a light coming from behind the bookshelf. When she moved the shelf away, she discovered the plants, as well as marijuana growing instructions, which appeared to have been downloaded from the Internet.

The woman told police she didn't want her son arrested; only that he receive substance abuse treatment. Police responded by saying such a mandate could only be handed down by the courts, which first required police attention. Police then went to the woman's house and photographed the items, which were placed on a box and moved to the kitchen floor.

When the woman's son came home that evening, reports said officers at the home asked the boy if he knew what the items were, to

which he responded, "Looks like mutant marijuana to me."

The materials and photographs were confiscated by police as evidence. A determination if the case would be turned over to the prosecutor is being made.

CURIOUS HANDICAP: A wheelchair-bound woman and the 36-year-old Farmington Hills man assisting her were both arrested by township police the evening of May 17. The man was spotted by store personnel selecting a \$40 camera and an \$8 camera case, which were placed inside a satchel strapped to the back of the woman's wheelchair.

While the man was fingerprinted, the woman was unable to be, as she was stricken with cerebral palsy.

OUIL: While traveling northbound on Northville Road at around 2:15 a.m. May 15, officers noticed a southbound vehicle traveling at around 48 mph. Reports said the car's wheels hugged the solid white line on the right side of the road. Officers turned the patrol car around and began following the suspect, later identified as a 33-year-old Canton man. The driver accelerated as fast as 53 mph in a

40 mph zone, which caused a traffic stop to be initiated.

At first, the man rolled down his window only a few inches to slide out his driver's license, but then rolled it down all the way. Officers then noticed a strong odor of intoxicants coming from the car. The man told police he'd had one beer, but when asked to perform a heel-to-toe walk and stand on one foot for seven seconds, the man said he "couldn't do that when (he) was sober."

The man's blood alcohol level checked out at .106. He was arrested at the scene.

BB WORLD TOUR: A 60-year-old Bedford woman told police she had heard an unusual noise near her home at around 1:30 a.m. May 17, but didn't think much of it. When she awoke, she discovered a dime-sized hole had cracked through one of her windows, apparently caused by a BB gun. Damages were estimated at \$150.

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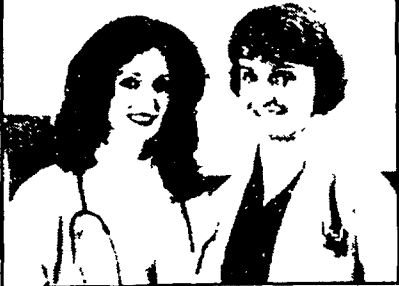

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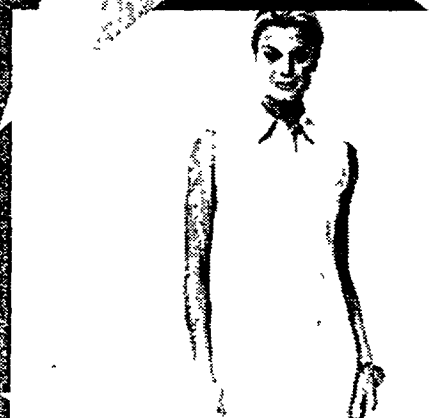
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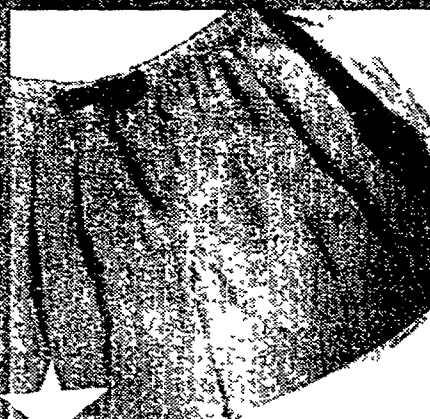
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By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

His life was cut short, but the friends of 1993 Northville High School graduate Steven Carter are hoping to let his memory live on in the a golf outing and silent auction to benefit the Make-A-Wish Foundation.

The second annual Steven Carter Memorial Golf Outing is slated for July 6 at Walnut Creek Country Club in South Lyon. The event begins at 10:30 a.m.

Carter died after a lengthy battle with Hodgkin's disease, a form of cancer that attacks the lymph nodes. Despite several forms of treatment, including a bone marrow transplant, he eventually succumbed to the condition.

His mother, Joyce, is helping to promote the outing. Steven Carter apparently had such an impact on those who knew him that before he was even eulogized in a wake, his friends had already discussed

organizing some sort of benefit in his name. A plaque bearing his name is on display near Northville High's football field.

"This is a great way to honor my son and carry on his memory," Joyce Carter said. "He was a very special young man. This is the sort of activity he would have been really proud of. Steven loved children."

Before he died, Steven was afforded the opportunity to live out one of his dreams, which was to attend a Chicago Bulls basketball game. Unfortunately, Steven was beyond the age that the Make-A-Wish Foundation serves. His dream was made possible by associates of his father who worked with him at the FBI's Detroit office.

"It was a very moving thing for me," he said. "It's neat that people would want to remember him this way. What makes the golf outing so touching is that it's all basically

Northville people who come out for the event."

The entry fee for the golf outing is \$200. A hole-in-one contest, closest-to-the-pin contest, and long drive contest will also be held. Golfing will begin with a shotgun start at 1 p.m.

For more information on the Steven Carter Memorial Golf Outing, call the Make-A-Wish Foundation at (800) 622-9474. Walnut Creek Country Club is located on the west side of Johns Road, one mile north of Ten Mile Road.

Friends of Steven Carter have also planned to serve as guest bartender's at Poole's Tavern in downtown Northville July 1. A collection for the Foundation will be taken up that evening, as well.



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Treblemakers

Singing their hearts out during last Thursday's Spring Choral Concert are Northville High School choir "Treblemakers" (from left) Megan Hiemstra, Jaclyn Ansara, Sara Arndt, Meredith Brexler, and Kellie Reichard.



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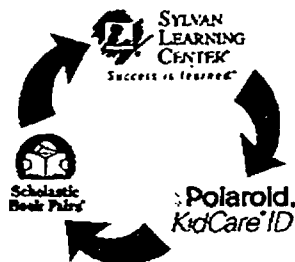
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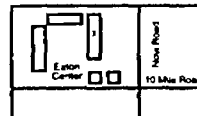
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Giving back to the community

Northville student volunteers her time for senior citizens

By WENSLEY WHITE
Staff Writer

Lisa Milnes has spent the last three years doing volunteer work out of a desire to give back to her community.

She hasn't asked for money and she hasn't sought recognition, but she concedes that a recent award helped reinforce that all her hard work has not gone unnoticed.

"The award was something that made it real that I'm helping someone," Milnes said.

Milnes was among 100 students nationwide to receive the Horatio Alger/Louis Feinstein award for community service. Two students in each state receive the honor each year, which carries with it a

\$2,000 savings bond.

Milnes, a Northville High School Junior, has volunteered after school and over the summer about 3-4 days a week since her freshman year.

She works with Northville's senior citizens, tutors younger students in math and science and initiates various projects through the local chapter of Rotary Interact, of which she is currently vice president.

A member of the Junior Rotary group during its first international ventures, she helped gather thousands of donated books for a poor village in Ghana, Africa and filled 110 backpacks with school supplies for students in Honduras.

Twice a year she visits soup

kitchens with the Rotary to prepare and serve food to the poor.

Also active in her youth group at the Detroit First Church of the Nazarene, and a member of the new Make a Difference Club at Northville High School, Milnes said her favorite volunteer activity is spending time with folks at the Northville Senior Center.

Once a month she and her friend Nikki Lalonde take a platter of cookies and host Bingo games there.

"I think it's fun. It's really touching to the heart. In a way it shows the seniors that teenagers really do care," Milnes said. "The seniors are probably the most important to me, to watch them and know they're having fun, getting love

and cared for."

Milnes moved to Northville from Dearborn at age nine with her parents Gordon and Charlotte.

After graduating from high school next spring, Milnes said she plans to study elementary education at Spring Arbor College where her brother Dan is currently a freshman.

And she said she will continue to be an active volunteer.

"I think it almost develops your personality more and you gain a better perspective on the world beyond your high school. It broadens my horizons a little bit to needs out there," she said. "I get out of it what I put into it. A smile is enough to make it all worth it."

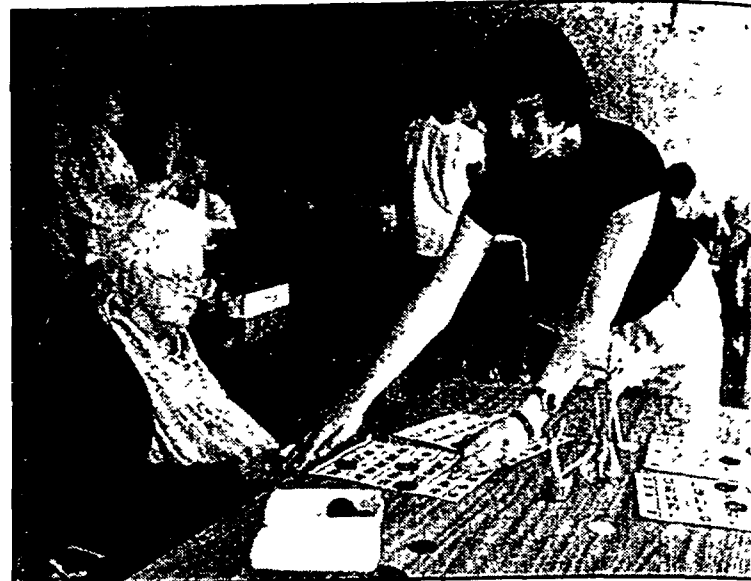


Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Northville student Lisa Milnes spends plenty of time visiting and helping senior citizens. "The seniors are probably the most important to me," Milnes said.

PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING NOTICE

There will be a Public Information Meeting on Tuesday, June 2, 1998 at 7:00 p.m. for the Eleven Mile-Wixom Road Watermain & Sanitary Sewer Extension. The Meeting will be held at the Novi Civic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile Road, in Conference Room C. The Public is invited to attend this meeting to discuss questions and/or concerns with this project.
(5-21-98 NR/NN 828770)

SYNOPSIS CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SPECIAL MEETING/STUDY SESSION

DATE: May 14, 1998
TIME: 7:35 p.m.
PLACE: 41600 West Six Mile Road
CALL TO ORDER:
ROLL CALL: Karen Woodside, Supervisor, Mark Abbo, Trustee, Sue Hillebrand, Clerk, Russ Fogg, Trustee (absent), Richard Henningsen, Treasurer, Bill Seinsky, Trustee, Mary Gans, Trustee.
Pledge of Allegiance:
1. Regular Agenda: Approval of special meeting agenda — Approved.
2. Toll Brothers (Northville Hills Country Club), Tentative Preliminary Plat — Approved with conditions.
3. Approval of Ballot Language, and Millage Amount — Approved.
4. Any other Business that may Properly be brought before the Board of Trustees: none.
STUDY SESSION (Immediately following Special Meeting)
1. Wayne County PUD/Building Department/Timline Issues — discussion.
2. Northville Schools/New High School — discussion.
3. 35th District Court-Bond Authority Establishment — discussion.
4. WTUA Update — discussion.
5. Detroit Edison Franchise Agreement — discussion.
6. Update DPS Director/Engineer — discussion.
7. Planning Department Update — discussion.
8. Township Manager Study Update — discussion.
9. Community Center update — discussion.
10. CWW Update — discussion.

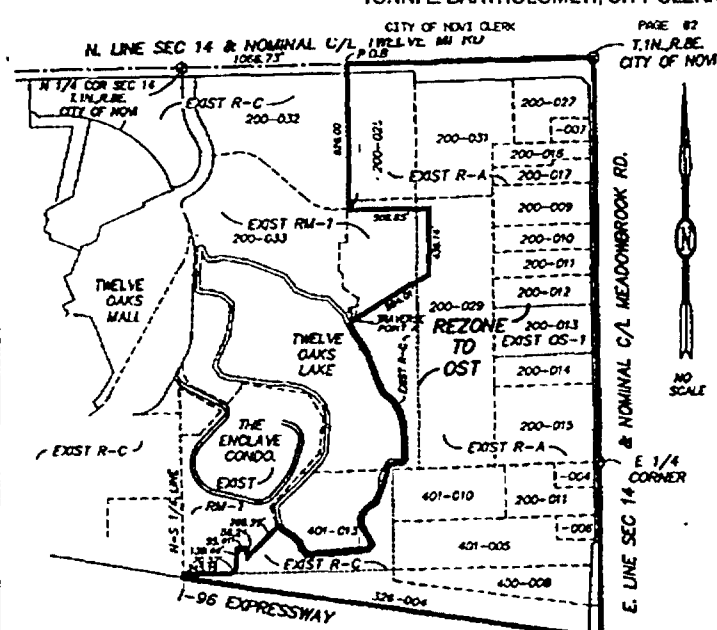
RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
JAN BALOGH, DEPUTY CLERK

(5-21-98 NR 828766)

CITY OF NOVI ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 590

CITY OF NOVI ORDAINS:
PART I: That Ordinance No. 97-18, known as the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Novi, is hereby amended by the amending of the Zoning Map as indicated on ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 590 attached hereto and made a part of this Ordinance.
PART II: CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED. Any Ordinances or parts of any Ordinance in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.
PART III: WHEN EFFECTIVE. The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety and is hereby ordered to take effect fifteen (15) days after final enactment. It shall be published within fifteen (15) days of adoption. The effective date of this Ordinance is May 26, 1998.
MADE AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Novi, Michigan, this 11th day of May, 1998. Copies of the Ordinance Amendment may be purchased or inspected at the office of the City Clerk, Novi, Michigan, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. local time.

KATHLEEN McALLEN, MAYOR
TONNI L. BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK



To rezone a part of the East 1/2 of Section 15, T1N, R8E, City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan, being more particularly described as follows:
Beginning at a point on the North line of Section 14 (nominal centerline of Twelve Mile Road), said point being N89°24'35"E 1066.73 feet from the North 1/4 corner of Section 14; thence continuing Easterly along said North Line to the NE corner of Section 14; thence Southerly along the East line of Section 14 (nominal C/L of Meadowbrook Road) to the East 1/4 corner of Section 14; thence continuing Southerly along said East line to its intersection with the Northerly R.O.W. line of the I-96 Expressway; thence Northwesterly along said R.O.W. line to its intersection with the N-S 1/4 line of Section 14; thence Northerly along said N-S 1/4 line to the Southwest corner of The Enclave Condominiums as recorded in Liber 15694 Pages 297 thru 366 and amended in Liber 15913 Pages 600 thru 606 and in Liber 16282, Pages 322 thru 325 of Plats, Oakland County Records; thence along the Southerly and Easterly line of said condominiums the following six courses N89°20'01"E 245.19 feet and N41°58'04"E 70.32 feet and N04°01'24"E 130.44 feet and N88°56'39"E 55.41 feet and S06°42'58"E 56.24 feet and N45°00'25"E 269.29 feet; thence continuing N45°00'25"E to the Westerly shoreline of Twelve Oaks Lake; thence Southeasterly and Northerly along the shoreline of Twelve Oaks Lake to a point, said point being S00°35'25"E 926.00 and N89°24'35"E 508.65 feet and S00°35'25"E 436.14 feet and S59°05'44"W 594.01 feet, to Traverse Point "A", thence continuing S59°05'44"W 6 feet more or less to the Point of Beginning of the above described parcel, also being the Point of Ending of the above described parcel.

FROM: R-A RESIDENTIAL ACREAGE
OS-1 OFFICE SERVICE DISTRICT
R-C REGIONAL CENTER DISTRICT
TO: OST OFFICE-SERVICE-TECHNOLOGY DISTRICT
ORDINANCE NO. 18.590
ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 590
CITY OF NOVI, MICHIGAN
ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL May 11, 1998
KATHLEEN McALLEN, MAYOR
TONNI L. BARTHOLOMEW, CLERK
(5-21-98 NR/NN 828748)

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CITY OF NOVI NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Novi City Council will be interviewing applicants on Monday, June 15, 1998 beginning at 7:30 p.m. for appointment to the Beautification Commission, Community Clubs of Novi Board of Trustees, Economic Development Corporation, Historical Commission, Parks & Recreation Commission, and Planning Commission. Applications for City Boards and Commissions are available in the office of the City Clerk or by calling 347-0456. Please submit your application no later than Wednesday, June 11, 1998 to allow time for scheduling appointments.

TONNI BARTHOLOMEW,
CITY CLERK

(4-30 & 5-7/14/21/28 & 6-4/11-98 NR, NN 826064)

NOTICE CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT TUP 98-012

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Cunningham Limp Development is requesting a Temporary Use Permit to place a construction trailer at 42500 Arena Drive from May 27, 1998 through November 27, 1998 to use during construction of the Novi Sports Club. Arena Drive is located on the east side of Novi Road between Nine and Ten Mile Roads.

A public hearing can be requested by any property owner of a structure located within 300 feet of the boundary of the property being considered for temporary use permit.

This request will be considered at 3:45 p.m. on Wednesday, May 27, 1998, at the Novi Civic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile Road. All written comments should be directed to the City of Novi Building Official and must be received prior to May 27, 1998.

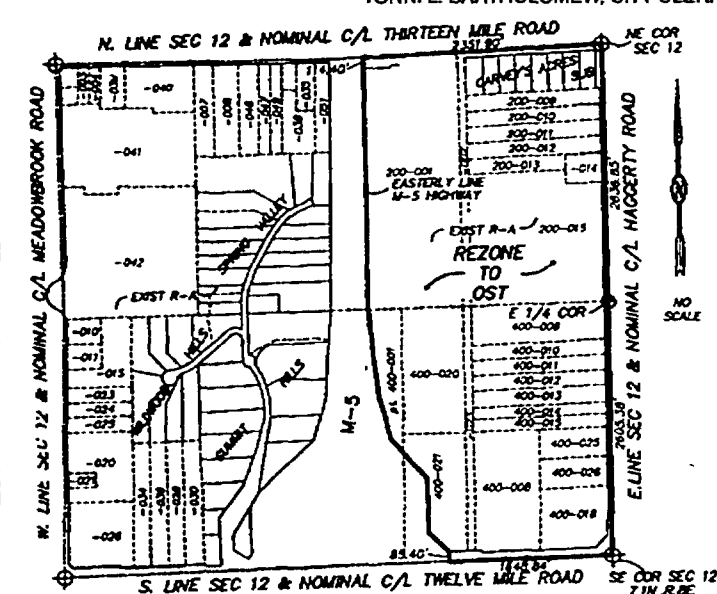
GERRIE HUBBS, PERMIT ANALYST
(248) 347-0415

(5-21-98 NR, NN 828763)

CITY OF NOVI ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 593

CITY OF NOVI ORDAINS:
PART I: That Ordinance No. 97-18, known as the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Novi, is hereby amended by the amending of the Zoning Map as indicated on ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 593 attached hereto and made a part of this Ordinance.
PART II: CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED. Any Ordinances or parts of any Ordinance in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.
PART III: WHEN EFFECTIVE. The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety and is hereby ordered to take effect fifteen (15) days after final enactment. It shall be published within fifteen (15) days of adoption. The effective date of this Ordinance is May 26, 1998.
MADE AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Novi, Michigan, this 11th day of May, 1998. Copies of the Ordinance Amendment may be purchased or inspected at the office of the City Clerk, Novi, Michigan, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. local time.

KATHLEEN McALLEN, MAYOR
TONNI L. BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK



To rezone a part of the East 1/2 of Section 12, T1N, R8E, City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan, being more particularly described as follows:
Beginning at the S.E. corner of Section 12; thence S86°55'36"W 1648.84 feet along the South line of Section 12 (nominal centerline of Twelve Mile Road); thence N03°04'24"W 85.40 feet to the intersection of the Northerly R.O.W. line of Twelve Mile Road and the Easterly R.O.W. line of M-5 Highway; thence Northerly along the Easterly R.O.W. line of M-5 Highway to its intersection with the Southerly R.O.W. line of Thirteen Mile Road; thence N04°29'39"W 114.40 feet to the North line of Section 12 (nominal centerline of Thirteen Mile Road); thence N85°30'21"E 2351.90 feet along said North line to the NE corner of Section 12; thence S02°34'54"E 2636.85 feet along the East line of Section 12 (nominal centerline of Haggerty Road) to the East 1/4 corner of Section 12; thence S02°33'29"E 2605.38 feet along the East line of Section 12 (nominal centerline of Haggerty Road) to the point of beginning

FROM: R-A RESIDENTIAL ACREAGE
TO: OST OFFICE-SERVICE-TECHNOLOGY DISTRICT
ORDINANCE NO. 18.593
ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 593
CITY OF NOVI, MICHIGAN
ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL May 11, 1998
KATHLEEN McALLEN, MAYOR
TONNI L. BARTHOLOMEW, CLERK
(5-21-98 NR/NN 828749)

CITY OF NOVI ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS CUSTODIAL SERVICES

Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Novi, Michigan, as owner, until 3:00 p.m., prevailing eastern time on Thursday, June 11, 1998, at the City of Novi Administrative Offices, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan 48375, at which time said proposals will be opened and read.

The City of Novi seeks proposals for the following:
CUSTODIAL SERVICES
FOR A ONE (1) YEAR PERIOD WITH RENEWAL OPTIONS
Proposals, contract forms and specifications under which the work will be done are on file and may be obtained at the MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE to be held Thursday, May 28, 1998, at 9:00 a.m. at the City of Novi Administrative Offices, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan 48375.
All bids must be signed by a legally authorized agent of the bidding firm. Envelopes must be plainly marked, "CUSTODIAL SERVICES CONTRACT," and must bear the name of the bidder.

ADDRESS ALL BIDS TO
CITY OF NOVI
ATTN: CAROL J. KALINOVIC, PURCHASING DIRECTOR
45175 W. Ten Mile Rd.,
Novi, Michigan 48375

No bidder may withdraw his proposal within ninety (90) days after the date set for the opening thereof. 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 contract in any manner deemed by the City, in its sole discretion, to be in the best interest of the City of Novi.

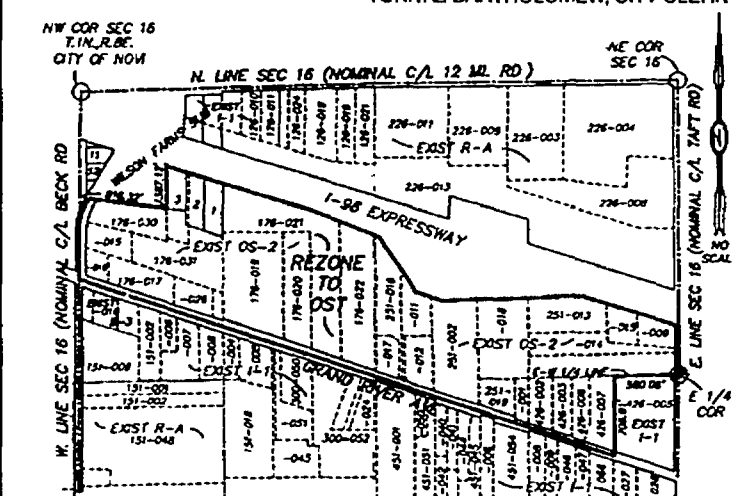
CAROL J. KALINOVIC,
PURCHASING DIRECTOR

(5-21-98 NR, NN 828761)

CITY OF NOVI ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 588

CITY OF NOVI ORDAINS:
PART I: That Ordinance No. 97-18, known as the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Novi, is hereby amended by the amending of the Zoning Map as indicated on ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 588 attached hereto and made a part of this Ordinance.
PART II: CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED. Any Ordinances or parts of any Ordinance in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.
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KATHLEEN McALLEN, MAYOR
TONNI L. BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK



To rezone a part of Section 16, T1N, R8E, City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan, being more particularly described as follows:
Beginning at the East 1/4 corner of Section 16; thence S89°27'40"W 580.06 feet along the East-West 1/4 line of Section 16; thence S00°36'30"W 706.91 feet to the centerline of Grand River Avenue; thence Northwesterly along said centerline to its intersection with the West line of Section 16 (nominal centerline of Beck Road); thence Northerly along said West line to a point of easterly deflection of the nominal centerline of Beck Road; thence continuing Northerly along said west line to the SW corner of "Wilson Farms Subdivision" as recorded in Liber 69, Page 34 of Plats, Oakland County Records; thence S81°26'38"E 816.32 feet along the South Line of said Wilson Farms Subdivision to the Southwest corner of Lot 3 of said subdivision; thence N00°32'45"E 387.12 feet along the West line of said Lot 3 to the Southerly R.O.W. line of the I-96 Expressway; thence Southeasterly along the Southerly R.O.W. line of the I-96 Expressway to its intersection with the East line of Section 16 (nominal centerline of Taft Road); thence Southerly along said East line to the point of beginning. Excepting therefrom, all that part of Section 16 that lies south of the South line of said Wilson Farms Subdivision & west of the nominal centerline of Beck Road.

FROM: OS-2 PLANNED OFFICE SERVICE DISTRICT
TO: OST OFFICE-SERVICE-TECHNOLOGY DISTRICT
ORDINANCE NO. 18.588
ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 588
CITY OF NOVI, MICHIGAN
ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL May 11, 1998
KATHLEEN McALLEN, MAYOR
TONNI L. BARTHOLOMEW, CLERK
(5-21-98 NR/NN 828750)

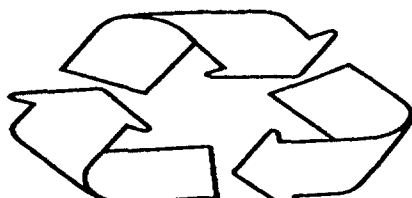
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School Board Briefs

GROUND BREAKING: Although the date isn't set in stone, school officials are planning on early June for a ceremonial turning of earth at the site of the future high school, to be located on Six Mile Road between Sheldon and Beck.

WOODS OF EDENDERRY DISPUTE: The campus of the new Northville High School is still obtrusive, according to residents of Woods of Edenderry, a subdivision that abuts the nine-acre parcel of high school property. But resident Jeff Schulz took the floor at the May 11 meeting of the Board of Education to thank school officials for meeting with subdivision residents on May 3.

"We had an opportunity to share

some of our concerns," Schulz said. "Thanks again for the communication." Some residents disputed a lit soccer field to be built 20 feet from backyard lot lines, a storm water detention pond they deem unsafe and the removal of trees that would otherwise form a natural barrier between homes and the high school.

TEACHERS TENURED: Seventeen educators representing virtually every school in the district were recommended for tenure at the May 11 Board of Education meeting. Vicky Abodeely, Kim Grinenko, Amanda Hirko, Sharon Kavanaugh, Gretchen Krawiec, Heather Kuzma, Martine Leech, Kathy Montmorency, Cathy Ooms, Kristen Riegall, Cris Seedott, Katie Shirik,

Elizabeth Sole, Richard Tabor, Wendi Trexler, Anna Ukleja and Clara Wagner all completed a four-year probationary period. During that time they were evaluated by building principals or assistant principals and passed a final review by Roy Danley, director of district personnel.

NEW TEXTBOOKS: Classrooms will be full of the sound of fresh bindings being cracked open for the first time next fall, after a bevy of new textbooks are delivered to Northville schools. Under the recommendations of committees of teachers and assistant superintendent of instructional services Linda Farr, the district will purchase more than \$100,000 worth of textbooks,

workbooks and educational software for middle school students. On order are calculus, chemistry and language arts materials.

According to Farr, the books will replace old volumes in dire shape and were chosen with "effort to spend tax dollars on the best textbooks."

ACCOLADES: Three Northville school programs were recognized by the Michigan Education Association's "Showcasing Public School Success." The 1998 local winners

include Northville High School's Conservation Class, taught by Ron Meteyer, the Freshman Focus integrated learning project and Mission ABC at Amerman Elementary, a NASA space experience led by Janice Henderson and Wendy LaValle.

Two district teachers who recently received prestigious awards were recognized at the May 11 board meeting. Amerman Elementary teacher Jeffrey Lightfoot was pronounced Arc Michigan Teacher of the Year, and Meads

Mill Middle School teacher Kathleen Mroz was pronounced "Outstanding Teacher of 1998" by the Metropolitan Detroit Science Teachers' Association.

"We're very pleased," said Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski.

CABLECAST: It's not too late to catch the May 11 meeting of the Northville Board of Education on cable TV. The meeting will be broadcast on MediaOne Channel 18 Friday, May 22 from 6-9 p.m.

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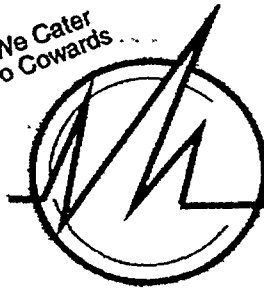
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games and moved into trust-building activities, which required students to spot each other. In one challenge, students let themselves fall backwards from a platform, trusting that their peers would be there to catch them.

In another, students walked across a wobbly log high off the ground while teammates stood by.

"The log was scary but they have supporters there that were very helpful. It made you feel safe," said seventh-grader Kathie Posa. "I didn't come here with anyone I hang out with but I've gotten to know Jenni and meet new people. It's a good experience."

Students were also passed through holes in a web of rope or rolled one at a time over a high spool.

After each initiative, teams were debriefed and asked how they might apply what they learned to daily life.

"It's exciting," said seventh-grader Jenni Karoub. "When we first got here I thought it was kind of dumb but it's been really fun. Silly but fun. I've learned a lot about teamwork, that we have to work together for safety and for fun."

Seventh-grader David Oljace attested to the success of the program at getting kids to break out

of cliques, at least for a day.

"We worked together and got through the situations and the counselors made it fun as well as educational. I didn't really know a lot of the sixth graders. People I didn't know before now I'll see in school and know as familiar. I'm glad I had the opportunity," he said.

The students who were singled out for the day-long venture will bring what they've learned back to Meads Mill and lead the rest of the students through some of the challenges they faced.

For the fifth year in a row, the school will hold an adventure challenge day next fall.

Masi and counselors Sharon Pernia and Jack Wickens returned with new exercises to add to the school's adventure challenge cache, which now stands at about 15-20 activities.

In addition to instructing teachers on how to lead the activities, they plan to apply for more grants to build permanent challenge stations on the school grounds.

"All the teachers on the Meads Mill staff went through similar activities in the gym," Pernia said. "When you take pencil and paper away from the task, you find different leaders, different strengths and weaknesses. You respect different people for different things."



Meads students go over the top of one of the obstacle courses at the U of M Adventure Challenge Wednesday morning. The course required the team to work together to get all their members up and over the huge rotating spool.

Photo by JOHN HEIDER

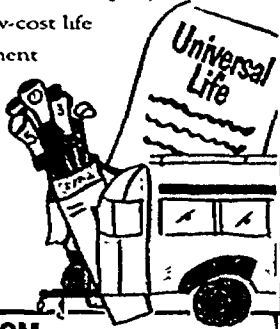
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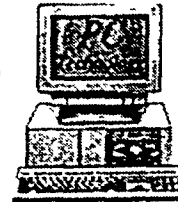
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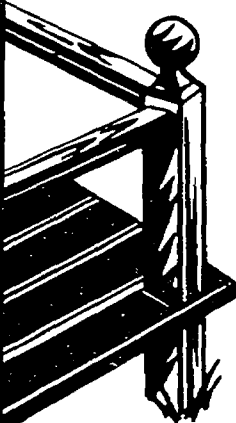
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Local honored for service to youth

By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

After spending 20 years at the helm of one of metro Detroit's leading youth assistance programs, Northville resident Ouida Cash was recognized at the state capitol Tuesday by the Michigan Women's Commission as part of the Commission's "30 Years - 30 Women" celebration.

To qualify for the award, the commission sought nominees who:

- Exemplified positive characteristics and acted as a positive role model for other women;
- Contributed in a special way to the well-being of the community;
- Made a special contribution to the well-being of other women through work or community service; and;

• Developed a specialized skill, worked in a difficult situation or overcame difficulties to achieve success.

Cash was nominated for the award by National Bank of Detroit regional manager Melanie Myers.

"She's absolutely selfless in what she does," Myers said. "She's extremely outgoing and works so hard with the youth in our community."

Myers said those who were being sought for awards were most often women who participated in ways that were less visible but nonetheless helped make better the communities in which they lived.

"We were looking for people who didn't get a lot of press," she said. "If you look at the list of nominees, I think you'll find there are a lot of people who work behind the

scenes."

Cash is the leader of Youth Living Centers, a nonprofit agency dedicated to providing care for children and families. More than 600 youths have their housing problems addressed by the Centers, while the agency also seeks to provide education and crisis programs to 5,000 children and families. She also serves as president of the board of directors of the Children & Youth Initiative of Detroit.

Before she came to YLC, Cash said she'd spent several years working primarily with delinquent children or youth with severe personal problems. That soon changed.

"I decided that I wanted to go a little upstream," she said. "It was one of those things where I wanted to work with kids who had some degree of choice in their housing situation."

As for the nomination?

"It was such a gift for me," she said. "I'm honored, regardless of what may come of it. It's a very special feeling."

A Northville resident for the last eight years, Cash has previously lived in Detroit and Novi.

"What am I going to say? Northville's my favorite," she laughed.

Cash is married to Ken Barnhill. The two have one son, 28-year-old Ken, and two grandchildren — Mitchell, 4; and Jacob, 1.

Among the other 29 women who were recognized: Lieutenant Gov. Connie Binsfield and Michigan first lady Michelle Engler.



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Director of Inkster's Youth Services Center Ouida Cash chats with a child in the after-school program.

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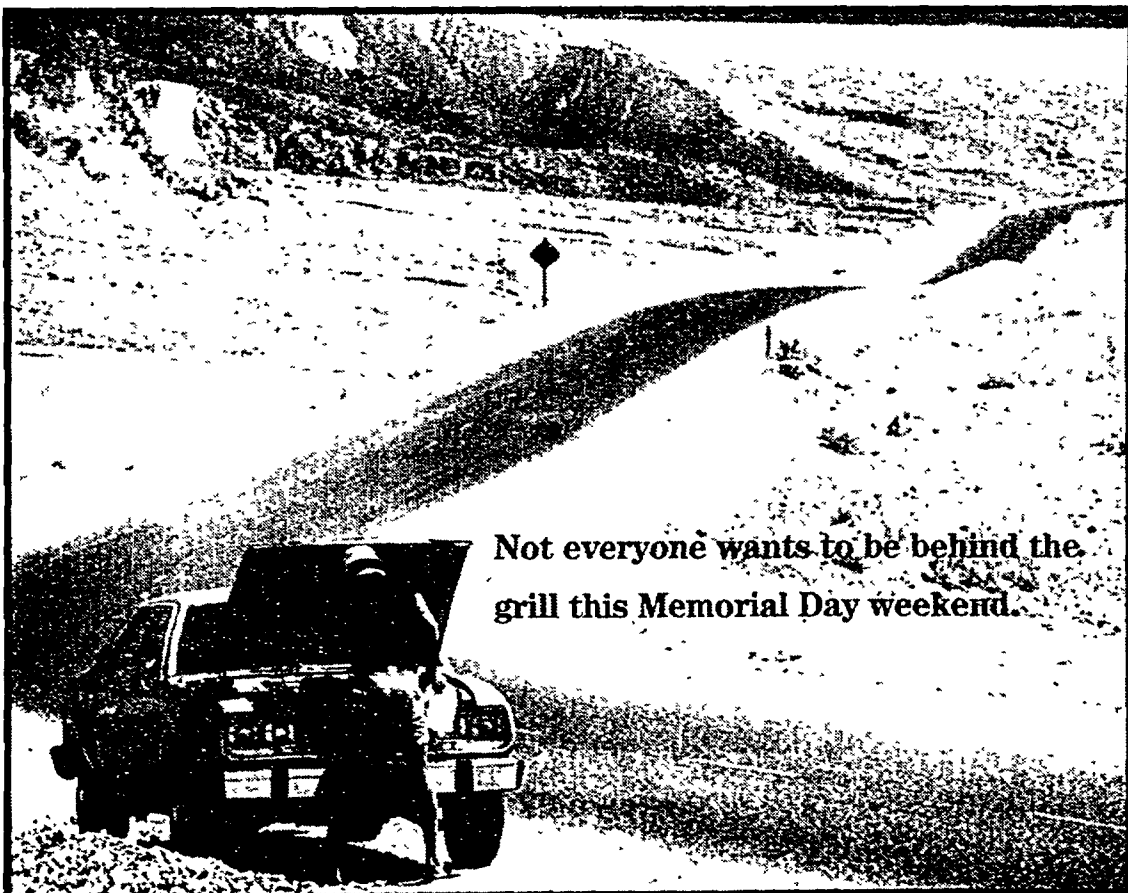
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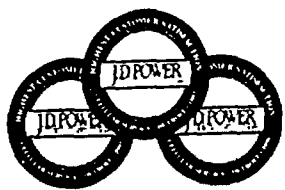
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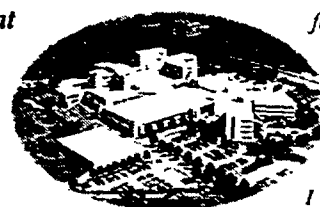
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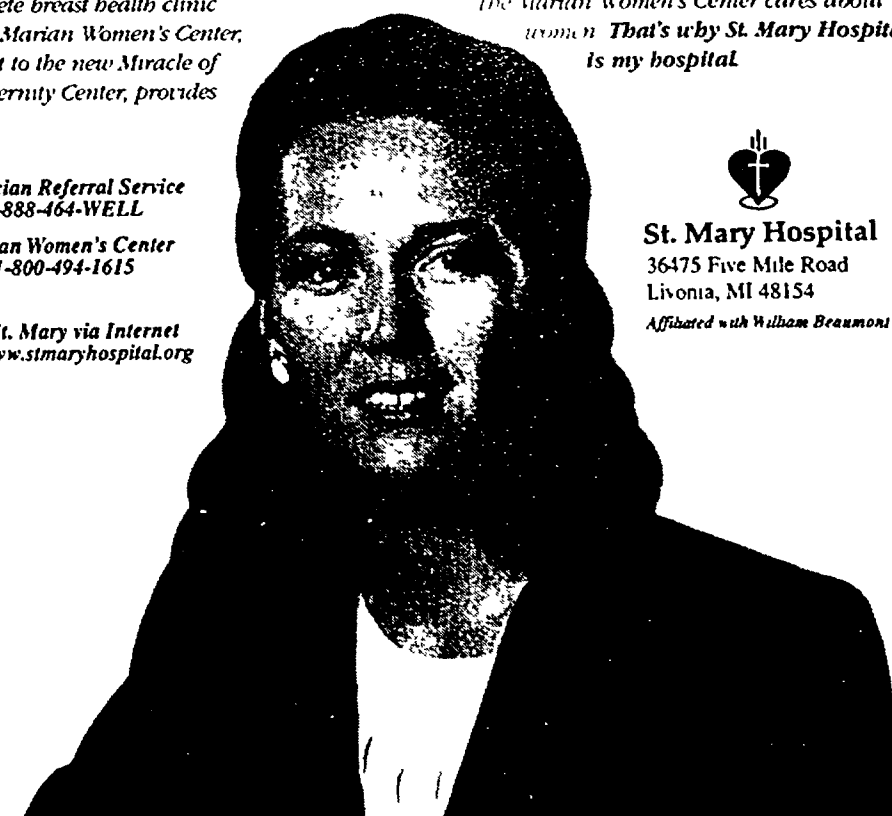
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The volunteers who keep the Wayne County Meals on Wheels program humming will be honored at a luncheon on May 21 at the Dearborn Civic Center.

More than 500 people, including drivers who deliver the food, site food packers, site servers,

liquid nutrition distributors and office assistants will be honored at a luncheon from Wayne County. Each weekday, the volunteers provide a balanced meal to 3,000 homebound seniors and 1,800 others who gather at one of the 41 designated nutrition sites.

"Often the community doesn't realize how much planning goes into getting food to senior citizens who need it," said Judith Pozan, director of the County's Nutrition Services programs.

Wayne County Edward McNamara will be in attendance to pre-

sent awards at the luncheon. "Without assistance from these dedicated troops, we just wouldn't have a program," says McNamara, who, throughout his years of public service, has always been a strong supporter of the senior nutrition program. "This service helps seniors stay self-sufficient and gives them the chance to stay in their own homes as long as possible."

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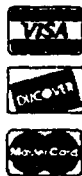
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By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL
Staff Writer

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"These were ones I bottle fed and took to my programs," Schmidt said, referring to the educational

programs she puts on for local schools in which she introduces students to a host of farm animals. "The kids knew them."

An Eight Mile resident was investigated and ticketed according to Oakland County Animal Control, but not for the killing of the farm animals. His beagle did not have a license.

Schmidt said she awoke about 3 a.m. to the sounds of barking near her Wixom Road farm but imagined it was a lost puppy looking

for home. It wasn't until the morning when she went to check on her animals that she found the lambs dead.

"It was terrible what they did," she said. "I couldn't stop crying all day."

Schmidt and her husband waited up the next night to see if the attackers would return, and sure enough they did. A long-legged Husky-type dog with a gray charcoal body and a beagle showed up on her

property, but escaped before the Schmidts were able to catch them.

"I just really feel these dogs belong to somebody," she explained. "I thought I heard tags."

Down the road to the south, Farmer John Beemer of Maybury State Park at Eight and Beck roads is having the same problem. Last Wednesday, three pregnant sheep were killed during the early morning hours, he said. He stopped by the Schmidts last week

to discuss the similarities in the incidents.

Last summer, several farm animals along Beck Road were attacked by what owners believed were wild dogs or coyotes, but Schmidt said she's sure it wasn't a coyote.

No other animals have been injured since the attack, but she continues to worry about the safety of her Alpaca and sheep. She keeps them locked in the barn at night for now.

"It looks like a fortress," Schmidt said. "You can't have a quiet, peaceful farm around here any more."

"There's nothing we can do," she added. "We open the windows to hear if something happens, but what can you do?"

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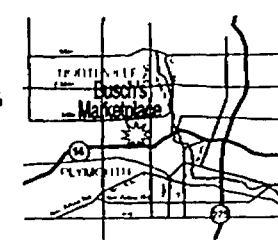
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OPINION

Durant II: we're getting awfully tired of state tricks

Here we go again. School districts in Michigan have barely gotten over the so-called Durant lawsuit and they appear to be headed back to court with the state government.

In fact, Northville schools is still trying to figure out what to do with its extra cash and Novi schools just received its check from the settlement. Now 80 school districts across the state have filed suit again saying the state has done the same thing. Quickly dubbed Durant II, the suit has been joined by both local school districts.

It took 17 years and endless hours in legal wrangling to resolve the debate over the first Durant case.

"In a nutshell the state has found a wonderfully magical mathematic way to take our amount per student funding and apply it to special education funding. They are paying us with our own money," Northville Public Schools Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski said.

"They're taking money from the foundation grant and earmarking it for special ed and that's supposed to be a way to fulfill the Headlee Amendment," said Novi Superintendent Dr. Emmett Lippe. "The school districts don't see it that way."

One has to give the school officials a good deal of credibility, considering their victory in the first case. Both suits claim that the state didn't meet its obligation of funding programs that it mandated under the Revised School Code of 1978, namely special education and special education transportation. The original suit reclaimed money that the state failed to provide between 1978 and 1997, which amounted to \$3.8 million for Northville and \$1.7 million for Novi. The new case aims to reclaim money lost from 1997 to

the present. The Durant II suit alleges that the state paid for special education programs using per pupil funding, or Foundation Grants, when they should have used separate funds.

The news is highly disturbing.

For one, wasn't it Gov. John Engler who went off to Washington D.C. to complain about unfunded mandates from the feds? Wasn't it the Republicans who have made such a cause of fighting unfunded mandates. And now that it's the Republican administration's turn to face up to responsibilities, it's doing the same thing. Well, what good for the goose is good for the governor.

Secondly, the rules are all of the state's own making. From the mandate for special education and transportation to the foundation grants from which the money is being diverted to the Headlee Amendment that outlaws it, all are creatures of the state government. The state should be able to follow its own rules, shouldn't it?

Perhaps most disturbing is the fact the state is doing it again after having just been told by judges that it's wrong. One can understand some honest differences of opinion over something as complicated as school funding, but when the courts say you're in error, you'd ought to listen.

Typically, judges don't like to see a defendant back on the same kind of case. They get ornery about that. And this is a dangerous game the state is playing, because it is a good way to convince a judge to take over the operation of educational finance in the state of Michigan.

Local representatives and senators should make the argument to the administration, as strongly as possible, that its time the games came to an end ... before a judge does.

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al sense of peace in our communities. But that doesn't change the fact that thousands have died so that we might enjoy these happy times.

There are plenty of ways to show your thanks, not the least of which is attending the Northville Memorial Day parade Monday morning. It won't be a carnival-like atmosphere, but that's by design. As parade organizer Rebecca Yarbrough said, those things are best left for July 4. After all, Independence Day is a birthday and should be approached as such.

Monday, on the other hand, is a more somber day set aside for reflection. We hope the sidewalks are jammed with people this weekend, and we also hope those who do attend approach the parade with a both a sense of happiness and reverence.

Let's pause this weekend and remember those who paid the ultimate sacrifice, so that we can continue to enjoy freedoms we sometimes take for granted.

Mobil expansion could cause big mess

Ed Hanna has a problem.

The owner and operator of the Northville Gourmet has spent the past few years making a name for himself and his business. The entrepreneur has managed to transform an aging liquor store into a pretty successful business venture.

His is the kind of story we like telling to people outside of our community. Stories like Ed Hanna's build on the growing reputation of Northville.

Unfortunately that story has provided an unexpected twist for Hanna, and he's fighting mad about it.

The twist has come in the form of a proposed expansion of the Mobil gas station at Eight Mile and Taft roads. The gas station just so happens to be Hanna's neighbor, and if the expansion takes place could very likely put a crimp in Hanna's business plans.

The station has received tentative approval from the city to renovate the station's existing sales structure and construction of an addition of a carry-out Pizza Hut. As planned, the existing building would be demolished. A new, larger building would be constructed against the northernmost property line. The location would have 20 parking spaces developed.

"How can I compete?" he asked. "They're a huge corporation and I'm just me."

How indeed.



Robert Jackson

If for only a moment, let's forget about things like unfair competition and improvements. The proposal to add a carry-out Pizza Hut to the Mobil station at Eight Mile and Taft Roads, in my mind, has more to do with safety concerns than it does ledgers or loyalties.

There are some very real and observable reasons why adding the restaurant could present some major problems, not the least of which is the track record of the intersection.

Three fatalities have occurred at a very gnarled convergence of roads within the last 10 years. Despite the addition of the new traffic light off of Randolph Street, driving through that area during rush hour can be downright harrowing at times.

Which is why I've been seeing plenty of Northville Police Officers monitoring traffic the past few months. During peak afternoon hours - from 2:15 to 5:30 p.m., the volume of traffic travel-

ing Eight Mile and Taft is quite large.

Where will a good portion of these additional cars be coming from? Northville High School, of course. As soon as school lets out, watch the stream of cars migrate west on Eight Mile down the hill, clamoring for a slice of pepperoni and cheese. Hungry, tired and relatively inexperienced behind the wheel, I unfortunately envision a rat race for an afternoon snack.

And while the cars are en route, I hope the drivers will be watching out for pedestrian traffic, since there's a noticeable lack of sidewalks in the area surrounding the station. The slope of the land just east of the station is steep, meaning that walkers will need to stroll fairly close to the road where land is a bit more flat.

I wonder if our planning commissioners considered this potential mess. I'm certainly hoping city administrators have plausible solutions that will correct the perceived problems.

And then there's Ed Hanna. A man who breathed life into a business that was heading for the dumper. He has been good for Northville, and city officials need to keep that in mind when they are making further decisions regarding the Mobil property

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In Focus by John Heider



Taking the challenge

A Meads student works her way across a swaying log with the help of her teammates at the University of Michigan obstacle course. The students spent the day overcoming obstacles and learning to trust each other as part of Meads Mill's Adventure Challenge program.

Memorial Day reminds us of cost paid for freedom

As you pack your bags and prepare to head up north to the cabin this weekend, joining the thousands who'll be making the annual unofficial-startup-of-summer pilgrimage with you, take a moment on Monday to remember the true meaning of Memorial Day.

Those roads we all travel and the laughter-filled evenings we all enjoy were made possible in no small part by the brave men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice for the sake of America's freedom. Theirs was a gift given to us which can't be bought at any Memorial Day Weekend sale-a-thon; it was earned on a battlefield.

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It's easy to take our freedom for granted. After all, our storefront windows aren't asking for us to buy war bonds, nor are draft cards popping up in our mailboxes. There's a gener-

Hey, they pay me to write this stuff

More random thoughts and observations on life...

• To our state legislators: we already have a state school board. Either mandate the high school MEAP test or throw it out. There's no sense in having a "we-can't-make-you-take-it-but-we-d-really-appreciate-it-if-you-would-so-we-can-look-good" exam. It's either on or it's off. This whole thing has just made a mockery of education. To Northville High School parents: did you just mindlessly scribble your name on the chicken-out form for the high school MEAP, or did you honestly talk things over with your son or daughter? Ever hear that saying "Just because all your friends jumped off a bridge, would you?" To Northville High School students who sat down to a western omelette instead of taking the test: quit your baby routine, sit your rear ends in class, pick up your pencils, take the MEAP and do your protesting by writing letters to your state representatives to voice your concern. One word of warning, though — your writing will be judged, possibly by someone you don't know.

• A home day-care provider telephoned to tell me one of her more enlightened neighbors asked her "where those black children" she was caring for came from. (Apparently someone never got The Talk.) The caller then told me the neighbor ordered her to "keep those brats away" from her house because they'd ruin



Chris C. Davis

her property. (Gotta watch out for those four-year-olds, huh?) As a public service to this Rhodes scholar, I'd like to remind people that this is 1998 — women have the vote, there's a cure for polio, and there's this little thing called "equality" which has become a fairly popular idea.

• I'm frankly rather amazed at the stupidity of some smokers who light up while standing directly underneath the sign that reads "No smoking" at a gas station. Even more amazing was the store clerk I saw who stepped out of the station office for a few quick pulls not five feet away from the pump. Apparently the thought of a going up in a ball of flame shouldn't stand in the way of enjoyment.

• With pay phones popping up everywhere from the fast-food restaurants to the movie theaters, I'm completely stumped as to why people find

it necessary to yap away on car phones in the middle of traffic. It's a dangerous, and frankly, arrogant thing to do. Unless you're having a heart attack while you're behind the wheel, there's no reason you can't wait five whole minutes to pull off to the side of the road and call. You have exactly one priority while driving down the road. It's to drive safely, and you're not doing it. The bumper sticker I saw today says it all: "hang up and drive."

• All is not lost. I happened to drive past a pretty nasty traffic accident in Northville Township a few days ago and was prepared to pull over and see if the people involved needed assistance. As it turned out, I didn't need to, because — lo and behold — not one, not two, but five other cars had already done so. Hats off to those who show compassion for each other. Let's be patient on the roads this weekend so we can all enjoy the holiday.

• As the roommate of a dog owner, I know very well that cleaning up after Chester the dachshund isn't the greatest job in the world. Having said that, I also know it's definitely not the job of the runner who's out for a morning trot. For those who think it's someone else's problem, perhaps I'll invite all other dog owners to bring their pooch over to your front yard and see if it changes your mind.

Chris C. Davis is a staff writer for the Novi News and Northville Record.

MEAP should be high school requirement

What a mess!

Responding to complaints about last year's Michigan High School Proficiency Test (MEAP), the one with "novice" and "not yet novice" ratings for those who performed poorly, the Legislature and the State Board of Education rushed to make changes.

They shortened the test from 505 to 370 minutes. They eliminated the pejorative rating nomenclature. They even changed the name of the test to Michigan Educational Assessment Program High School Test (MEAP).

So what happened? A shockingly high number of juniors in Michigan high schools skipped the MEAP test when it was given last month.

In Livonia, 50 percent skipped; in Farmington, only 18 percent took the test; in Birmingham, 90 percent skipped; in Bloomfield Hills, nobody took it. In Northville, where the boycott got a lot of publicity, only 92 out of a junior class of 310 took the test.

The MEAP test is a key part of the effort to reform Michigan schools. The idea is to set out what kids are supposed to learn and then test them on it. Scores would not only help parents and taxpayers decide which schools were doing a good job, but they would also help employers figure out which job applicants were up to the job and assist colleges and universities in making admissions decisions.

To have such a high percentage of no-shows casts serious doubt on the entire school reform movement.

In all this, there's is plenty of blame to spread around.

Start with the State Board of Education, already badly split between moderates and radical right-wingers. In hindsight, it now seems clear the board fooled around with the test too much and too late, thereby confusing students, parents and teachers. And

the board failed to set out compelling reasons for students and parents to take the MEAP test, when lots of juniors are already taking the ACTs and SATs for college admissions.

Far worse, the State Board tolerated uncertainty about whether taking the MEAP test was required. In the January 1998 issue of "MEAP Update," the board proclaimed, "high school students must take the high school assessment ... the current policy of opting out is only to be used by parents of students with disabilities and limited English proficiency."

But State Board spokesperson Deb Small then conceded that "the law says you (the schools) must give the test, but there's no law that says you (the students) have to take the test ... We have a policy of encouraging all students to take the test because we believe it is the best way to measure what students know according to state standards. But the State Board has no authority to make laws; that's why it's a policy."

Schools were put squarely in the middle, required to give the test but denied the hammer to require kids to take it. No wonder there was a boycott.

The flyer put out by kids at Northville High

School was tellingly to the point: "As of March 5 1998, there were no school or state requirements that state we must take this test to graduate high school. If the school board changes the requirements to make it mandatory for graduation after our testing, we will be exempt; we cannot be punished in retrospect."

Of course, the fundamental reason there is no law requiring students to take the test is because the Legislature is terminally scared (especially in an election year) to require anybody to do anything.

Some parents might wish to consider whether it's rank hypocrisy to argue on the one hand that it's unfair to force their kids to take the MEAP when it will have no effect on college admissions and on the other loudly to insist that local schools be held accountable for the quality of the education they provide.

The business community, after complaining for years about job applicants who could not read, write or reason, has much to answer for in failing to require MEAP test scores be part of every job application. The universities, too, have been whining about poor high school preparation for incoming freshmen. But Michigan college presidents, when asked by Gov. John Engler to request MEAP scores on college admission forms, declined.

Enough is enough. Too much is at stake here to let the current round of finger pointing go on much longer.

The Legislature should pass promptly a law requiring completion of the MEAP test for graduation from Michigan high schools.

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Phil Power

What do teachers mean when they say...

For angry letter-to-the-editor writers who believe that "nefarious" school people are hiding the truth from them, I have some comforting news: They are.

I didn't believe it myself until I came across a booklet published some time ago by the National School Public Relations Association and the National Educational Association. In it the authors describe, among other things, ways to talk to parents at conferences. Instead of telling the truth about little Johnny or Sarah, the booklet tells teachers how to avoid it.

Let me explain. Under the heading, "Watch Your Language," the booklet properly advises teachers to avoid using educational jargon in conferences. But then the booklet has two columns, one termed "Negative Expressions," and one labeled "More Positive Expressions." It urges teachers to use the so-called "more positive" expressions rather than the so-called "negative" expressions, a blatant call for teachers to hide the truth from parents. Here are two examples from the booklet:

• Negative Expressions: Troublemaker, poor

grade of work.

• More Positive Expressions: Disturbs the class, below his usual standard.

And so on. To illustrate how truly nefarious all this is, I took the same two columns, switched them around, and put accurate labels on them. I want you to see just what mumbo-jumbo that covers up the truth? They are up to, and to help you interpret the lies being told at conferences.

When the teacher says — He/She really

means:

- Can do more when he tries — Lazy
- Can do better work with help — Stupid
- Depends on others to do his work — Cheats

- Took without permission — Steals
- Inconsiderate of others — Rude
- Has a chance of passing, if — He's failing
- Capable of doing better — Dumbbell
- Seldom shares with others — Selfish
- Poor habits — Unclean
- Insists on having his own way — Stubborn
- Tendency to stretch the truth — Liar
- Working at his own level — Below average
- Could do neater work — Sloppy

How can we trust educators when I hold in my hand this document that proves that they encourage lying? I mean, wouldn't parents rather be told that they have a lazy, stupid, cheating, dumbbell rather than all that mumbo-jumbo that covers up the truth? How nefarious can you get?

G. Michael Abbott is a columnist for the Northville Record.



G. Michael Abbott

Letters to the Editor

How far down the slippery slope will we fall?

To the editor:

Two weeks ago in the Sunday News and Free Press, Jon Pepper had a full page story about how generous Davison (owner of Guardian Glass) is. He said he gave \$80 million to charity.

When he came to build the OIS factory in Northville Township, the Federal government gave him \$50 million, the state of Michigan gave him \$20 million and the county of Wayne gave him about \$10 million in land for about \$10,000.

That accounts for about \$80 million of his generosity. The township also granted OIS 50 percent off its abatements on their property tax for 12 and 1/2 years. They had a law suit for their personal property tax but recently, I was talking to the township supervisor and they dropped the lawsuit. I was the only one who stood up at the township meeting and opposed the tax abatement.

Within the past year, DeMattia, developer, has the same thoughts that I have had for years. They are going to build with or without the tax abatements. We have location, location and location.

The township is talking about more millage in August as the police and fire departments need a lot more money with the new Hi-Tech.

The schools are talking about more money as when you spend 90 percent for salaries, that doesn't leave much left for new school busses, roof repairs, etc.

Next year my property taxes will be another \$55 as my assessment went up another \$10,000. We will soon be where we were before Proposition A. I hope I can sell it for the amount of the assessment some day.

When President Clinton talks of low inflation, I need former Free

Press writer Fitzgerald's throw-up pot. He has never known what a property tax bill is.

We are in our 42nd year in the area and there is no better place in my mind, but I'm wondering how far down the slippery slope we are going to fall.

Dean H. Lenheiser

Quiz bowl team should be proud

To the editor:

The McDonald's at Six Mile Road and Haggerty in Northville would like to congratulate the Northville High School's Quiz Bowl team and Mr. Donahue for participating in the state finals. We know the team did their best.

Everyone on the team and coaches should be proud for doing something most adults would not or could not do which is share their knowledge in a highly pressured and public forum.

Keep up the good work.

Nancy Collins and Staff at McDonald's-Northville

Where are the family values

To the editor:

Since over half of married women work outside the home, care for their children has become a national issue. Federal, state and local government programs provide subsidies for some working parents. But many parents don't know they are eligible for some help, others don't meet eligibility requirements.

Some American businesses have instituted programs that provide

child care at the workplace. They've come to realize that not only are families helped, but that employers, along with their bottom line, are also helped.

With fewer than 70 days left in this year's session, child care legislation before Congress needs to be tackled now if it is to be dealt with at all this session.

Those who mouth "family values" at the drop of a soft-money offer must come to understand that that phrase should mean more than just a sound bite to garner votes. Unless we as a people deal with the dramatic changes that have occurred in the character of the American work force, eventually, a price will have to be paid that will negatively affect the character of a considerable number of those who will go to make up the coming generation.

Alfred P. Galli

Thanks for the contributions

To the editor:

The Mother's Club of Northville has come through once again in a big way for our Northville public school students. We requested and received 13 financial camp scholarships for our middle school students to attend various camps throughout the summer. A camp experience for many students can often be one of the factors that move their lives in a more positive direction.

Thanks again for your very generous contribution to the lives of our students and future members of our community.

Mary Ellen King, Director Northville Youth Assistance

Valerie Kaplansky, ACSW School Social Worker

School choirs performed well

To the editor:

Last Thursday, on a night when Seinfeld captured most of the nation's attention while the Red Wings held the rest, the Northville High school choirs played to their second, sold out, standing-room-only concert. The talent and energy of the nearly 200 singers was matched only by the enthusiasm of the overflow crowd. Top MEAP scores and athletic accomplishments are wonderful, but could there be any greater tribute to this community, its people and its students? Northville High's Choir Director Mary Kay Price is a national treasure. That she lives here and works with our children is a blessing upon our entire community.

Scott Sedam

Post office food drive successful

To the editor:

The employees of the Northville Post Office would like to extend our gratitude to the community for another successful food drive. We collected close to 6,000 pounds of food.

Also, we would like to thank Meijer's for their gracious donation of \$100 to buy food for us and our volunteers on May 9. We had an excess of \$24, which we donated to the Civic Concern Committee.

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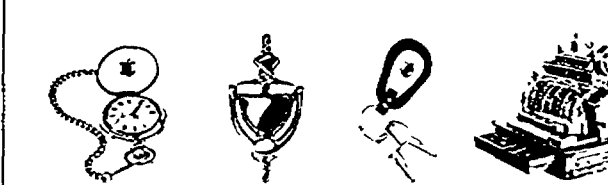

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Summer concert series slated

The Northville Arts Commission has announced its 1998 Clock Concert schedule. It is as follows: May 29, Northville High School Jazz Band; June 5, Lonesome & Blue; June 12, To Be Determined; June 19, Plymouth Community Band; June 26, Novi Concert Band; July 3, No Concert; July 10, Ick & Erk; July 17, Farmington Community Band; July 24, Schoolcraft Wind Ensemble; July 31, One Flight Up; Aug. 7, Rich Eddy's Rockin' Oldies Band; Aug. 14, Schoolcraft Wind Ensemble; Aug. 21, Stronghold (Northville Recreation Department Family Night).

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Obituaries

MARION E. MCKERNAN

Marion E. McKernan of Northville died May 11 at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. She was 75. Mrs. McKernan was born Jan. 25, 1923, in London, Ontario, Canada, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Walker.

Before retirement, Mrs. McKernan was a registered nurse at the Detroit House of Correction. Her memberships included the Eastern Star, and the Scottish Terrier Club and Greyhound Connection.

She is survived by daughters, Melinda McKernan of Oak Park, Mich., and Susan McKernan of Northville; brother, Jim Sangster of Canada; and sister, Eva Bradley, also of Canada.

Mrs. McKernan was preceded in death by her husband, Frederick C., in November 1991, and son, Frederick Jr., in 1975.

Services were held on Wednesday, May 13, at Casterline Funeral Home Inc. of Northville. The Rev. Dr. Douglas W. Vernon, First United Methodist Church of Northville, officiated. Interment was in Victoria Memorial Park Cemetery in Windsor, Ontario, Canada.

Memorials to the Cancer or Heart Foundations would be appreciated.

MYRTLE M. MANZEL

Myrtle M. Manzel, 84, of Novi died May 11 at St. Mary Hospital, Livonia. She was born March 27, 1914, in Novi to Ameal and Augusta (Kreger) Bollat.

Mrs. Manzel was a homemaker. She was born and lived her life in the same house in Novi.

Mrs. Manzel is survived by daughter, Elaine Vaughn of Plymouth; and one grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clarence H., in August 1992. They were married in June 1946.

Services were held on Thursday, May 14, at Casterline Funeral Home Inc. of Northville with the Rev. Dr. Douglas W. Vernon, First United Methodist Church of Northville, officiating. Interment was in Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens, Novi.

FLORENCE KONOPASKA

Florence Konopaska, 74, of Northville died May 15 in St. Mary Hospital, Livonia. She was born March 10, 1924, in Northville to Frank and Mary (Scida) Bongiovanni.

Mrs. Konopaska was a lifelong resident of Northville. She retired from Burroughs and was a member of the Holy Family Church in Novi and the V.F.W. Auxiliary of Northville.

Mrs. Konopaska is survived by sons, Charles of Arizona, Frank of Minnesota, and Michael of Northville; sisters, Catherine Holman of Plymouth, and Irene Bongiovanni and Angela McKnight.

both of Northville; brothers, Tony Bongiovanni of Florida, Eugene Bongiovanni of Highland, and Frank and Joe Bongiovanni, also of Northville; six grandchildren and one great grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles A., in 1977, and a brother and sister.

The V.F.W. Auxiliary of Northville conducted a service on Monday evening, May 18. A funeral service was held on Tuesday, May 19, at Casterline Funeral Home Inc. of Northville. The Rev. Denis Theroux of Holy Family Church of Novi officiated. Interment was in Novi Hill Cemetery, Northville.

ELIZABETH COWIE

Elizabeth Cowie died May 14 in Courtyard Manor of Wixom. She was 92. Mrs. Cowie was born Aug. 13, 1905, in Coatbridge, Scotland, to John Irwin and Elizabeth (Fryer) Christie.

Mrs. Cowie has been a resident of Northville since 1950. Prior to her marriage, she was the head fitter with the B. Siegel Co. in Detroit.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, where she was a former Deacon, Sunday School teacher, and a volunteer of many hours to church projects.

Mrs. Cowie was a lifetime member of the Women's Association at

the church and the Northville Women's Club. In addition, she was a volunteer at Northville State Hospital for 25 years and taught sewing at Kings Mill.

Mrs. Cowie was preceded in death by her husband, James, in January 1991.

Memorial services for Mrs. Cowie were held on Monday, May 18 in the First Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. W. Kent Clise and the Rev. James P. Russell officiating.

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

Memorial contributions in the name of Mrs. Cowie to the First

Presbyterian Church would be appreciated.

PATRICIA R. BUFFA

Patricia R. Buffa of Northville died May 10, in University Hospital-Ann Arbor. She was 75. Mrs. Buffa was born July 25, 1922, in Flint.

Before retiring in 1970, Mrs. Buffa was owner of Buffa's Market, a grocery store in Flint. She was an active senior at Our Lady of Victory and a resident of Northville for over 11 years.

Mrs. Buffa is survived by daughters, Nancy (Dolan) Sievert, Marcia

(John) McWilliams, and Patricia Sawyer; sons, Joseph (Denise) and Ronald (Heidi); 13 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph, in 1978.

A Memorial Mass was celebrated on Wednesday, May 13, at Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church. Interment was in New Calvary Cemetery, Flint.

Arrangements were made by The Care Memorial Society in Clinton Township.

Memorial tributes to the Patricia Buffa Memorial Fund, c/o Nancy Sievert, 677 West Dunlap, Northville, MI 48167 would be appreciated.

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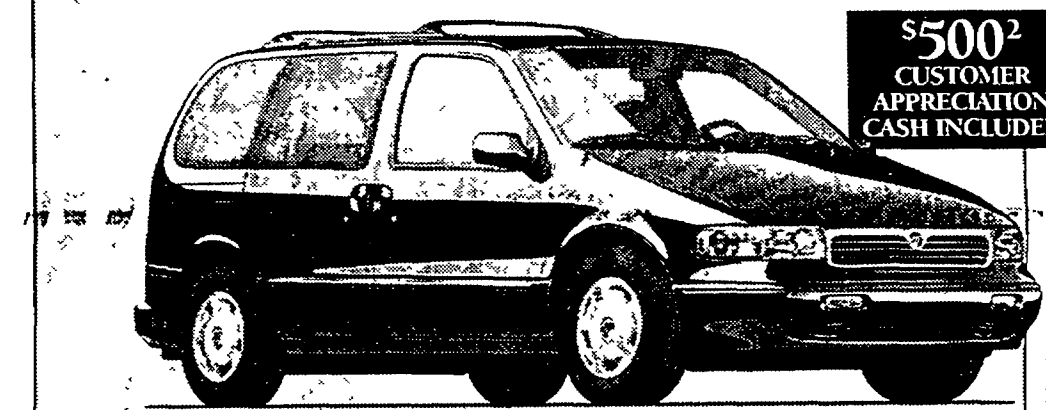
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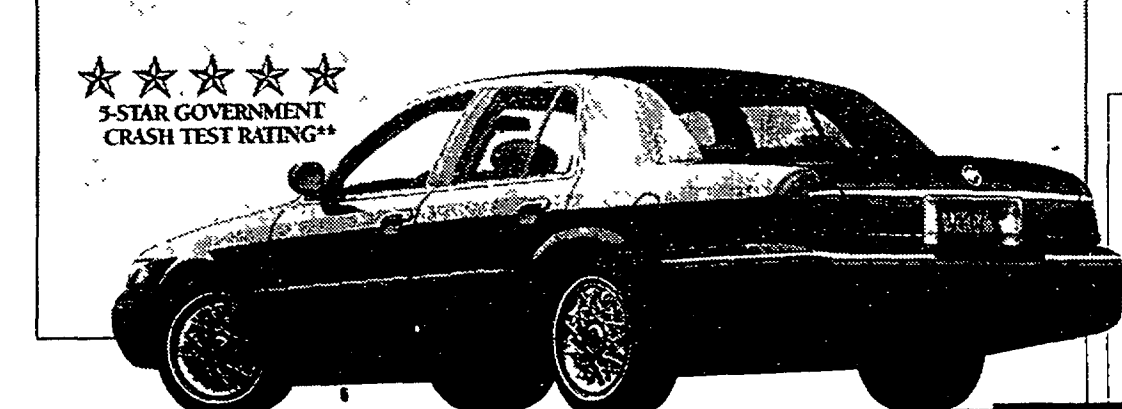
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Several items are still being sought to be auctioned, including: golf packages, jewelry, computer software, new or retired Beanie Babies, electronics or appliances, gift certificates for goods or services, tickets to sporting or concert events and lithographs or framing certificates.

The dinner will be held at Monaghan Knights of Columbus, located at 19801 Farmington Road in Livonia. Tickets are \$25 per person or \$200 for a table of eight.

Officer Jim Marks will serve as the dinner's auctioneer. One of the items being auctioned off is a rare Princess Diana Beanie Baby.

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Voters to decide on school millage

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the chamber endorse the millage at a meeting of the chamber board of trustees held May 7.

The other two abstained from voting.

"I look at it as continuing to support the schools like we have been. I believe that in order to have a strong system, you have to have a strong tax base. Without a good school system, you're going to lose your tax base," he said. "The community looks to the chamber for guidance. Basically the board thought the wise thing to do was to go along with the mil-

lage."

Knickerbocker rents office space to three tenants, the Edward Jones investment firm, True North Development, and Creative Logic, a consulting company. His tenants ultimately bear the brunt of the school taxes, he said.

"Even if the business operator doesn't own the property, they're probably still paying the taxes," he said.

And although the millage is being proposed at the same rate, non-homestead property owners will see an increase in their tax bills in proportion with increasing

property values.

Still, the district's director of business and finance John Street said the district could use even more money than the millage generates.

But in this case, they don't have a choice.

"That's the maximum we can levy according to state law," Street said.

Under Proposal A, which was passed in 1994 and revised the way schools are funded, districts are given the opportunity to levy 6 mills on homestead property and 6 mills on non-homestead property.

They are able to put an additional 18 mills of non-homestead taxes on the ballot as well.

"That 18 mills along with state funding brings us to our maximum foundation grant, which is \$7,012 per student," Street said. "Generally there hasn't been much contention about them."

Also on the June 8 ballot will be two school board seats, vacated by Martha Nield and Tom Gudritz. Both members are running again, unopposed.

ELECTION INFORMATION

Polls will be open for the annual Northville Public Schools election on Monday, June 8 from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. You can also cast an absentee ballot anytime from now until election day if you meet at least one of the following criteria:

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Persons must apply for an absentee ballot by visiting the district's third floor business office or mailing a request to the Board of Education offices, 501 W. Main St., Northville, Michigan 48167-1583. Absentee ballots must be received by the close of election day, and must be mailed or dropped off by registered voters personally. For more information, contact the business office at 349-8444.

Mother saves child from manhole

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out, so she left the hole and drove to the clubhouse where she found maintenance man Kevin Murley. Murley heard about the incident and was running out to help. The two drove back to the site.

"By the time we got there she had managed to get the baby up her body," said Burkhardt.

They lifted the baby from his mother and then yanked the woman to safety.

"I grabbed her child and I grabbed the mother and pulled them both out," Murley said.

"The child wasn't crying. It was so young. The mother was in hysterics."

The incident happened about 11:30 a.m. Another neighbor called for help who arrived to find the pair safe. They were sent out to Providence Hospital for a check-up because the sewer water was presumably contaminated by stagnant rainwater.

"I thought it was incredible she could hold onto her composure so well," Burkhardt said.

"She did it all herself."

She said the woman had just moved in about a week ago from Beijing with her husband.

Burkhardt, who had never met the woman, picked her and the child up from the hospital a couple hours later.

"The baby is fine and so is the mother," she said.

"It's miraculous, (the baby) didn't even have a bruise on it."

Fire Chief Bill Zhmendak commended Burkhardt for her help. Burkhardt and the mother, who did not want her name released, will be given an award at the Northville Township meeting tonight.

"It makes for another success story for Northville," he said.

Zhmendak and O'Brian speculated the grate was moved either by a lawn mower or by people. The heavy iron grate lid took two men to lift. It was found inside the sewer hole.

Someone mowing the lawn could have jiggled ...It takes two grown men to take this up, so it just doesn't pop up," said O'Brian.

Murley also said he did not know why the manhole was uncovered. Later Monday, the grate was soldered into place.

"The only thing I could think of was it's somebody trying to pull a prank and obviously it was not a pretty good prank," he said.

Zhmendak said it could have been teenagers.

"Kids come through and take manhole covers off and think it's funny to drop them off into the hole," he explained.

The chief said anyone who finds open manhole or sewer grates should call the fire department.

"This could have really been a major disaster," he said. "Everybody worked well together today."

Meanwhile, Murley's, like Burkhardt has, become a local hero at Park Place.

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Kites a hit for spring, store owner says

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LaChance said. "You wouldn't think it looking at it, but the wind just catches in the pockets and really keeps this model aloft," he said. "A lot of people really enjoy this kind."

Box kites often have a passenger on board in the form of a wind twister — a corkscrew-shaped tail which helps to balance out the kite's weight and gives the illusion of spinning.

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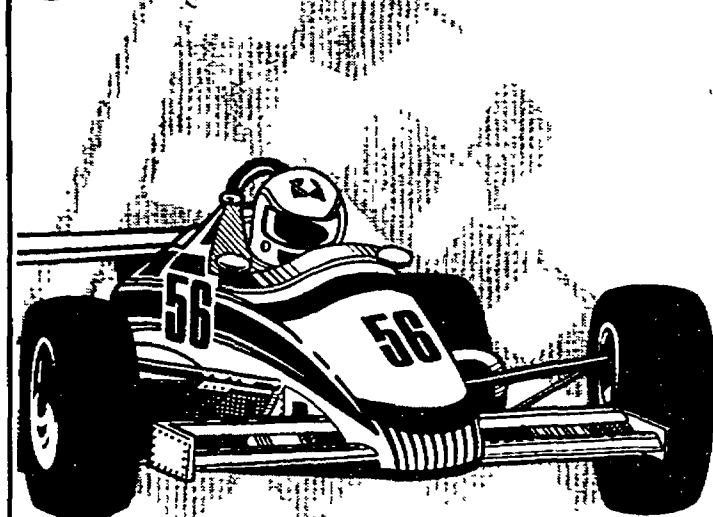
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Parade honors Northville veterans

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Northville's police officers, she said, take the time to salute the American flag.

"That's an indication as to the reverence people in Northville have for this day," she said.

This year's parade will begin at the corner of Main and Griswold Streets and proceed through town, beginning at 10 a.m. It will follow the same route as last year's parade.

State Sen. Bob Geake, R-Northville, will serve as the parade's grand marshal. A benediction will be delivered by Rev. Douglas Vernon of the First Methodist Church of Northville.

MEMORIAL DAY PARADE ROUTE

WHEN: Monday, 10 a.m.

ROUTE: Starting a Northville Downs parking lot at Griswold; west on Main to Wing; south on Wing to Cady, west on Cady to Rogers; south on Rogers to Seven Mile; east on Seven Mile to Rural Hill Cemetery.

Last year's honorary head of ceremonies, Congressional Medal of Honor recipient Bob Simenak, was extremely taken by Northville's holding fast to the day's tradition. "I talked with Bob after the parade," she said. "He's been in

tons of other parades, but he said Northville's was the first he'd been in that was true to the origin of Memorial Day. If you ask me, this is a really good parade."

An estimated 3,500 people

turned out for the 1997 version of the parade.

Memorial Day, or Decoration Day as it's known in some parts of the U.S., was established in 1868 as a day to decorate the graves of fallen veterans of the Civil War — a duty now often taken up by the American Legion.

Parade organizers request that those wishing to join the parade refrain from filling in until the entire group has filed past, and also ask that parade-watchers who follow marchers to Rural Hill Cemetery clean up after their pets out of respect of those buried in the cemetery.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS BID PACKAGE NO. 1

PROJECT: Amerman Elementary School Northville, Michigan
DESCRIPTION: Additions, Miscellaneous Remodels, including Window Replacements
OWNER: Northville Public Schools 501 West Main Street, Northville, MI 48167
ARCHITECT: Fanning/Howey Associates, Inc. 540 E. Market Street, Celina, OH 45822
CONSTRUCTION MANAGER: A. J. Etkin Construction Co. 30445 Northwestern Highway, Suite 250 P.O. Box 9061 Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9061 (810) 737-5800 Attention: Robert J. Valesano, Project Manager

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of Northville Public Schools for the following bid category on this project until 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 26, 1998.

BID CATEGORIES

1A Selective Demolition	1J Drywall & Acoustic Ceilings
1B Earthwork & Utilities	1K Floor Finishes
1C Concrete (including Drilled Piers)	1L Athletic Floor Finishes
1D Masonry	1M Wall Finishes
1E Structural Steel & Miscellaneous Metals	1N Blinds
1F Carpentry	1O Wheelchair Lift
1G Roofing	1P Mechanical
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Bike safety program set

A bike safety program for children ages 4-12 will be offered on Saturday, May 30, from 9 a.m. to noon. The program is sponsored by the Northville Rotary and the Northville City and Township Police Departments.

The program teaches children how to ride safely and will feature a riding course, street safety, signaling and helmet safety. Bike inspections and licensing will also be offered.

The program will be held in the parking lot behind the Northville School Board and Community Recreation buildings.

The program is free but reservations are required by May 25. Call Officer Carlson at (248) 449-9945, extension 5911.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS BID PACKAGE NO. 1

PROJECT: Moraine Elementary School Northville, Michigan
DESCRIPTION: Storage Room Addition and Miscellaneous Remodels
OWNER: Northville Public Schools 501 West Main Street, Northville, MI 48167
ARCHITECT: Fanning/Howey Associates, Inc. 540 E. Market Street, Celina, OH 45822
CONSTRUCTION MANAGER: A. J. Etkin Construction Co. 30445 Northwestern Highway, Suite 250 P.O. Box 9061 Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9061 (810) 737-5800 Attention: Robert J. Valesano, Project Manager

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BID CATEGORIES

1A General Trades
1B Mechanical
1C Electrical

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CITY OF NOVI ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 594

CITY OF NOVI ORDAINS:

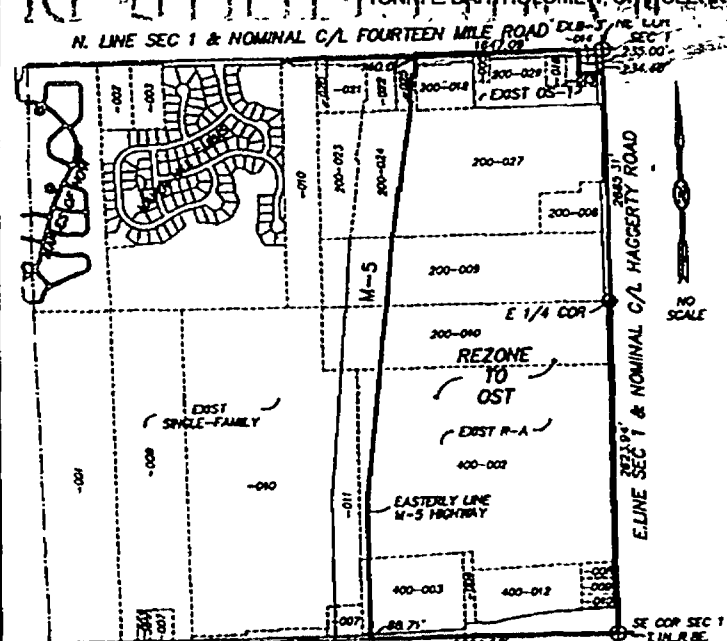
PART I: That Ordinance No. 97-18, known as the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Novi, is hereby amended by the amending of the Zoning Map as indicated on ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 594 attached hereto and made a part of this Ordinance.

PART II: CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED. Any Ordinances or parts of any Ordinance in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

PART III: WHEN EFFECTIVE. The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety and is hereby ordered to take effect fifteen (15) days after final enactment. It shall be published within fifteen (15) days of adoption. The effective date of this Ordinance is May 26, 1998.

MADE AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Novi, Michigan, this 11th day of May, 1998. Copies of the Ordinance Amendment may be purchased or inspected at the office of the City Clerk, Novi, Michigan, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. local time.

KATHLEEN MCALLEN, MAYOR
TONNI L. BARTHOLOMEW, CLERK



To rezone a part of the East 1/2 of Section 1, T.1N., R.8E., City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan, being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the S.E. corner of Section 1; thence S85°30'21"W 224.67 feet along the South line of Section 1 (nominal centerline of Thirteen Mile Road); thence N04°29'39"W 88.71 feet to the intersection of the Northern R.O.W. line of Thirteen Mile Road and the Eastern R.O.W. line of M-5 Highway; thence Northern along the Eastern R.O.W. line of M-5 Highway to its intersection with the Southern R.O.W. line of Fourteen Mile Road; thence N02°35'30"W 140.00 feet to the North line of Section 1 (nominal centerline of Fourteen Mile Road); thence N87°24'30"E 1647.09 feet along said North line; thence S02°39'00"E 235.00 feet; thence N87°24'30"E 234.40 feet to the East line of Section 1 (nominal centerline of Haggerty Road); thence S02°30'15"E 2885.31 feet along said East line to the East 1/4 corner of Section 1; thence S02°30'14"E 2623.94 feet along the East line of Section 1 (nominal centerline of Haggerty Road) to the point of beginning.

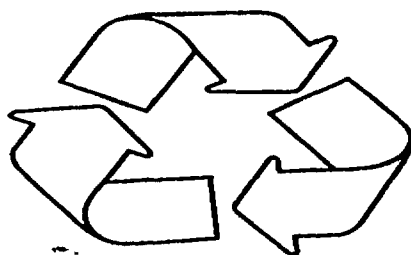
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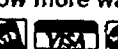
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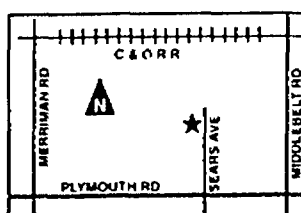
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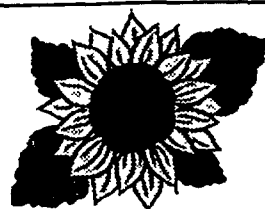


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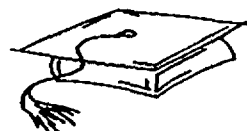
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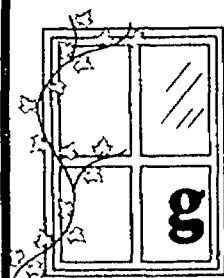
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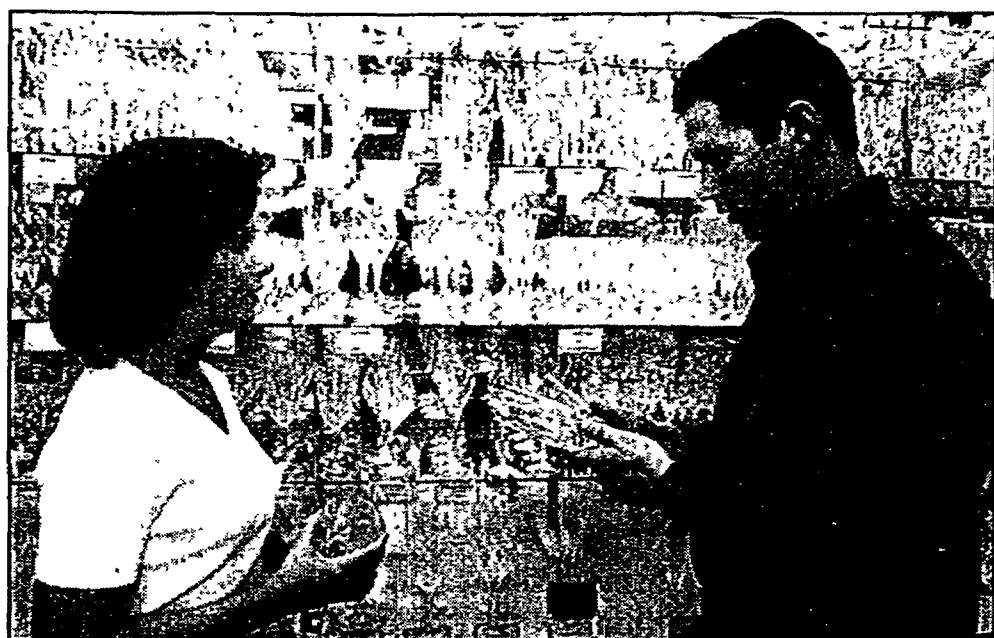
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William Weaver and fiancée Tracey Frenz shop at Novi Town Center's Heslop's for their china, glass and tableware.
Photos by JOHN HEIDER

By CAROL DIPPLE
Feature Editor

Some people may have a hard time deciding what to have for dinner tomorrow, while others can successfully plan a menu weeks in advance.

But what if you're trying to make a selection on what kind of dinnerware you'll be eating those meals on 10, 20 or even 30 years from now?

For soon-to-be newlyweds who are faced with selecting dinnerware for their bridal registry there are so many questions and unknowns.

There's formal and casual dinnerware. Trendy and traditional. Number of place settings. There's color and pattern. What type of entertaining do they expect to do and how often.

Due to changing lifestyles, couples are doing more at-home entertaining, more cooing, as opposed to going out, according to Karl Ziegler, direct marketing manager for Heslop's in Novi.

"We're finding that couples still register for formal and casual china," said Ziegler, "but the trend is starting to become more are registering for casual that is more upper end instead of both."

Bucking the new trend, two local couples have stayed with the traditional registry of selecting both casual and formal dinnerware.

Since Tracey Frenz and her fiancé William Weaver, both of Novi, live in an apartment now and don't know what type of house they will eventually move into, they selected the color of their dinnerware accordingly.

The couple, who will be getting married Aug. 8, registered for 12 place settings of both Block casual dinnerware called Windsor Bone and formal dinnerware by Niekko, called Gold Filligree.

The Windsor Bone has a wavy design on the edge of both the plates and bowls. The Gold Filligree pattern has a gold edge.

"We wanted all white because it would go with everything," Frenz said of both selections.

"We wanted something that would last and go with any decor," she said of their decision to stay away from trendy patterns. "We have similar tastes which help."

Frenz, a social worker with Big Brothers Big Sisters and her fiancé, a department manager at Home Depot in Commerce, moved into Novi a year and a half ago. The new casual dinnerware will replace her parent's old Corelle Ware which they are currently using.

Like Frenz and Weaver, Carolyn Quint of Northville and her fiancé Marc McClelland

took into consideration that they are not settled into a home, but are renting an apartment, when selecting the color of their dinnerware.

"It keeps the options open," Quint said of staying with neutral colors.

They selected Garden Vines for their casual dinnerware and Jacquard Gold for their formal dinnerware. Both are made by Lennox, which just recently introduced an upper end casual line.

"It was a pretty given situation when it came around," Quint said of their selecting both formal and casual.

While both Garden Vines and Jacquard Gold have raised borders, the casual dinnerware is all white while Jacquard Gold is ivory.

"I thought it was neutral enough it would be timeless

and match with a variety of decors and be something I would like in 20 years," she said. "We had a pretty clear idea when we went in as to what we like and didn't like."

Carolyn is the daughter of Diane and Daniel Quint of Northville and is a teacher at Walled Lake Western High School. Her fiancé is graduating with from the University of Chicago with a degree in medicine.

The two couples also took into consideration expense when selecting their dinnerware.

Heslop's bridal registry is a large portion of their business, according to Ziegler who sees an increase in sales for casual entertaining up 40 percent. A trend she sees continuing for at least the next few years.

"It translates into the whole casual work day where people who once wore suits and ties to work don't have to and are now wearing polo shirts and khakis," she said.

Typically the casual end of things is more trendy and the formal china end is more traditional, according to Ziegler, but upscale casual tends to be less trendy. More couples are registering for two sets of casual dinnerware and no formal dinnerware.

"With larger kitchens and more cupboard space, there's more room to store these things and they're more apt to do it," Ziegler said.

Today's brides are in their mid to upper 20s, more sophisticated, more anchored in their professions, goal oriented and really know what they want, according to Ziegler.

More grooms are coming in with the brides to register, although they never come by themselves.

"They are really getting into it, they really enjoy it," Ziegler said.

Formal or Casual?

Newlyweds-to-be have many options to consider when choosing their dinnerware



Carolyn Quint chose eight settings of Lenox Jacquard Gold china for her bridal registry.

Volunteer

Troschinetz recognized by Scouts

By CAROL DIPPLE
Feature Editor

After decade of dedication to scouting Valerie Troschinetz has received the "Green Tree" Award.

The Huron Valley Girl Scout Council awarded Troschinetz the award at the council's 16th annual Volunteer Recognition Dinner held April 23 at the Sheraton Inn in Ann Arbor.

The Green Tree Award is given to volunteers whose efforts have provided Girl Scouts with understanding and enjoyment of the outdoors.

Troschinetz received the award for "using outdoor progression, beginning with camping and backpacking, hiking on the Appalachian Trail and adventuring in the Grand Canyon, as a means to help girls develop valuable life skills," according to Lori Blair, a member of the council's board of directors.

"The one word that sums it up is progression, offering a challenging program is great but you have to slowly work your way up to those big challenges," she said. "It allows

the adult leader to learn with the girl. I didn't know how to kayak or explore caves. We slowly developed those skills over the 10 year period."

During the time that Troschinetz has been involved with the Girl Scouts, which began when her daughter Annie was in second grade, she has been a leader for a Brownie, Junior, Cadette and Senior Girl Scout troop. Most recently as a leader for Troop 122 at Northville High School which has active members from Mercy High School, Henry Ford High School as well as Northville High School, of which her other daughter Alexis, 17, is also a member.

A Northville resident for 21 years with her husband David, Troschinetz is making this her last year with the Girl Scouts.

"There will be an empty hole in my life for a while, but there are other volunteer groups," she said. "I think it is important that there is a healthy turnover of leadership, so you don't get stuck in a rut."

Troschinetz did not have an opportunity to be a Girl Scout

when she was growing up and said she always envied the girls in Girl Scouts because of all the activities they were able to do.

"So when I took on a troop that was my goal to do fun stuff," she said.

There's been lots of backpacking, including the Smoky Mountains, camping, wall climbing, kayaking, white water rafting, canoeing, cave exploring, and skiing snowshoeing. The troop will be taking their second trip out west this summer thanks in part to a successful spaghetti dinner fund raiser they held recently.

"We always tell girls that are joining 'we are a high adventure group,'" she said.

Presently the troop has three girls in college that help out with the spaghetti dinner, car wash, and participate in outdoor activities with the troop whenever they are home from college.

"We have had a pretty good retention with girls," she said. "Presently we have 15 registered girls in the troop, with four adult girl members who are in college or

are college age."

Adult girls apply for lifetime membership so they are in Girl Scouts for the rest of their lives.

"Their goal is to be awesome girl scout leaders," she said.

Troschinetz has always strived to expose girls to other arenas that they would not get elsewhere with a lot of emphasis on the outdoors.

"Having an older girl program, it has to be girl run," she said. "If it's not girl run, it doesn't belong to the girls."

"I hated camping when I joined Girl Scouts," she said. "I don't especially like family camping but I love troop camping. I have less responsibility. When I go with the girls, the girls make sure things happen when they're supposed to. When you're a mom camping, it's overwhelming, you're everything. I don't like that. [Troop camping] allows me to enjoy myself."

"Our greatest joy in the last 10 years is to see the girls build their self esteem, to be able to set a goal and achieve it or at least be able to do their best in achieving that goal," she said.



Valerie Troschinetz has volunteered for 10 years.

In Our Town

Scout is collecting canned food

Boy Scouts from Troop 755 will be distributing plastic bags for food collection on Tuesday, May 26, to residents in Parkstone, Northville Colony Estates, Brookstone, Woods of Northville, Whisper Woods and Ambrose Estates.



Carol Dipple

The Scouts will pick up the filled bags from the doorsteps on Saturday, May 30.

This food collection is part of Michael Ryzyl's Eagle Scout project to help the needy of the community.

Cans in good condition with labels and which are not outdated will be accepted. Canned goods will be donated to Northville Civic Concern.

For more information, call Michael Ryzyl at (248) 344-0812.

Educator addressed peers

Bob Sornson, executive director of special education in the Northville Public Schools, spoke briefly to guest educators during Barnes and Noble's Teacher's Appreciation Day on May 20. He is the father of four children and has worked as an educator for 23 years. He is known for helping children, teachers, and parents learn to appreciate their unique gifts and develop them to their fullest. His presentations on parenting, early learning success, and sensory development make him a sought after presenter. In his most recent publication "Teaching and Joy" Sornson emphasizes the relationship between joy and wonderful learning experiences.

If you have information for the In Our Town column, call Feature Editor Carol Dipple at (248) 349-1700.

Class helps prepare students for parenting

By CAROL DIPPLE
Feature Editor

Some students at Northville High School may become teachers, psychologists, day care workers or just better parents as a result of their completing parenting classes this semester.

The Northville High School offers classes on Parenting Decision and Parenting Preschoolers, taught by Carla Tibble. Students are assigned to either Northville First Care, Main Street or Thornton Creek Center during the semester they are taking the class.

During the class the students learn about the physical, cognitive, social, and emotional development of preschoolers and get first-hand experience working with preschoolers at one of the day care centers in the area.

Northville United Methodist Church's First Care, which celebrated their first anniversary recently, is one of the area day care centers that participates in the high school's Parenting Preschoolers class.

"It's a chance for students in child development to see what a quality program looks like and what it should be like when they go out into the work place," said Beth Yurek, director of First Care. "I've done this for many years with training programs and it's good recruiting for potential staff."

Students from Schoolcraft also observe at First Care.

"Working directly with children is very different than learning it off a book," Yurek said.

Assigned to First Care this semester is Christine Baca, a senior who is planning on attending Michigan State University in the fall, and team member Melissa Dewyer, a junior who is planning on a career in psychology.

"I learned a lot about day care," Baca said. "When it's time for me to pick one (as a parent) there's helpful things that I learned."

Melissa said she knows more about children and their interaction skills than she did before the class.

Both noticed a difference in the structure, activities, and interaction between children after visiting a variety of day care centers this past week.

The number of high school students assigned to each of the day care centers during the semester does not count in the student/teacher ratios used at the centers.

One of the Thornton Creek teams consisted of Kristin

Stevenson, a junior, who likes little children and wants to be an elementary school teacher. Kristin, whose team member is Marcy Magnuson, a senior, who will be attending Michigan State University in the fall where she will major in special education, said she learned a lot through the program, especially parenting skills.

Kristin and Marcy, as well as the other students in the class, were responsible for making up their own large and small group activities for their visits to the day care centers every other week.

"We just played with the kids a lot and talked to them," Kristin said.

Marcy said she learned how to handle and discipline children better.

At first Ryan Giles, a junior, was concerned about being the only guy enrolled in the class this semester.

"I kind of knew I was going to be the only guy but that's all right," he said.

He took the class because he likes children and plans on a career as a teacher.

"It's kind of hard to keep kids under control when they're really wild," he said of the most important lesson he learned this semester. "You have to learn how to compromise with them."

He said the class taught him how to handle children when they are misbehaving without getting stressed out.

A second member of his team, who was also assigned to Thornton Creek, is Ilse Devereux, a senior who plans on a career as a fashion designer. She didn't like kids going into the class but figured she might learn to have more patience.

"I thought I hate kids, now I know I hate kids," she said. "Now I know how to talk to kids, I used to be so scared because I have never been able to talk to them. It has been very helpful. It is scary how little kids can be so original. Plus, Mrs. Tibble is a good teacher. I love her classes."

The third member of the team is Kayo Kawamura, a senior who plans on attending Michigan State University in the fall.

"I learned how to discipline a child and how to play with them," Kayo said.

The high school students said their farewells to the day care students this week. Since they visited just a handful of times during the semester, only a few children really had a chance to get to know them.

Yurek knows each of the chil-



Christine Baca interacts with First Step day care students as part of a Parenting Preschoolers class offered at Northville High School.

Photo by JOHN HEIDER

dren by name and each of the parents by sight.

"They feel they know me and I feel that I know them," Yurek said.

Northville and Novi residents who teach at First Care include Diane Kuckenbecker who grew up in Northville and went through the Child Development program at the high school. She is the head teacher for the toddlers and, besides being a member of the church taught Sunday school.

Elaine Wroe, who lives in Novi, is the head teacher in the three day preschool program.

Heather Rhea is a head teacher with the infants and is married to Novi firefighter Steve Rhea.

About half of the students at First Care are members of the church, with the rest coming from the community, according to Yurek. Accepting less children than they are licensed for allows

teachers to spend more time with each student and with less chaos.

Next year First Care, which is now taking registrations for the fall, will be offering morning and afternoon preschool two- and three-day programs for 2 1/2 to 5 year old children.

The 3,100 square foot day care facility was part of a \$3 million building expansion and renovation last year.

Reunions

NORTHVILLE HIGH SCHOOL: Class of 1993, 5-year reunion. Saturday, June 6, Genitt's Hole-in-the-Wall in Northville. Call Stacey at (410) 415-4863 or snield@juno.com.

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Deanna Kowalkowski, from left, finished in 10th place in the America & Me Essay Contest and attended an awards ceremony in Lansing with her mother and father Marilyn and Walter Kowalkowski, and her teacher Cheryl Gibbs where she met Gov. John Engler, center.

Eighth grader in top ten

Deanna Kowalkowski, an eighth grade student at Cooke Middle School in Northville finished in tenth place in the statewide America & Me Essay Contest.

The 13-year-old daughter of Walter and Marilyn Kowalkowski of Novi received an engraved plaque and a \$500 savings bond during an awards ceremony in downtown Lansing on April 28. Eighth graders from across the state participated in the 29th annual contest, which is sponsored by Farm Bureau Insurance.

For Deanna's eighth grade team, the essay assignment was mandatory. Cheryl Gibbs is the team's English teacher.

"It was hard to think of the ideas but once I thought of those it was easy from there," said Deanna, who is contemplating a career in engineering.

Deanna's favorite subjects are math and English and she also plays soccer and piano. She has an older brother, Andy, who is 10th grade student at Northville High School.

Deanna's essay, based on the topic "How My Community Inspires Me to Become a Better American," was chosen as one of the top ten in the state out of 3,500 essays submitted by students from 380 Michigan schools.

The Kowalkowskis and other winners and their families were welcomed to the city by Lansing Mayor David Hollister. The winners then met with Gov. John Engler, who presented them with certificates of congratulations in the Governor's Press Auditorium. John Truscott, press secretary for the governor, spoke to the young winners next about the importance of good writing skills.

The winners also met with Sen. Dick Posthumus, who presented each winner with a framed Senate resolution recognizing their achievement and also recognized each from the floor of the State Senate at the Capitol Building.

After their meetings with the state officials, the young winners were honored at an awards banquet at the Lansing Center. Jack

Laurie, president of Michigan Farm Bureau, and Jack Stucko, director of Farm Bureau's Corporate Communication Services, presented awards to each of the winners during the banquet.

Following the banquet, the top ten statewide winners were featured guests at a Lansing Lugnuts minor league baseball game at Oldsmobile Park, where they were honored on the field in pre-game ceremonies.

The final ranking of the top ten winners was determined by a panel of VIP judges comprised of Gov. Engler and Bob Talbert from The Detroit Free Press.

Open to any eighth grade student in Michigan, the American & Me Essay Contest was developed in 1968 to encourage Michigan youth to explore their roles in America's future. As sponsor of the contest, Farm Bureau Insurance has earned 11 national awards from the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge.

Look alike contest announced

By CAROL DIPPLE
Feature Editor

Scenario - You're sitting at a restaurant and another customer walks by, stops, backs up, and says to you "Has anyone ever told you you look like Diane Keaton?" or "You know, you remind me of Paul Newman?"

You reply, "Oh yeah, I get told that all the time."

If it's the first time this has ever happened, you excuse yourself from the table, go to the restroom where you can take a closer look

at the image staring back from the mirror.

Have you ever been told you look familiar? Maybe you don't think you look in the least bit like a famous person. But your family and friends do.

So, you, or your family and friends unbeknownst to you, can send us your picture, along with your name and phone number, and the name of the person you look like to Look Alike, Northville Record/Novi News, 104 West Main Street, Northville, MI 48167.

Those selected will be subjected to a short interview by a reporter. This will be an opportunity for them to describe life as an almost celebrity.

We'll publish the photos on June 25, so contact us by June 4.

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How My Community Inspires Me

by Deanna Kowalkowski

When a sculptor begins to work, he starts with a shapeless lump of clay; he collects the many tools that he needs to begin sculpting, and he starts to shape the clay with his hands and tools. As he works, he uses his hands and tools to mold the clay to look like the vivid picture that he has in his mind. After hours of work, the shapeless lump has taken a new form; it has become something of value. In the same way that a sculptor shapes the clay, my community is shaping me. My school, church, and family, all important parts of my community, shape and inspire me to become a better American. In a way, I am the clay. My community represents the sculptor. The values from the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence are the tools.

To begin with, in many ways my school inspires me to become a better American. In social studies, I learned about the birth of America. I discovered that early

Americans fought hard for independence and freedom. Because of their fighting, today I enjoy and am thankful for my own independence and freedom. I also learned about famous Americans. I am inspired by Lincoln's fight against slavery and Martin Luther King, Jr.'s work for equal rights. Also in school, I am involved in our student council's own democracy which has a fair representation of each grade. Finally, my school involves me in service learning projects. As I clean, paint, and weed, I know that I am promoting the general welfare of my community.

Next, my church helps to shape me into a better American. My catechism classes help me to understand right from wrong and teach me what is called justice. My church encourages me to donate to the poor every week and complete community service hours yearly to be responsible for the general welfare of the community.

Last, my family inspires me to

become a better American. My parents model what it means to be good citizens. They exercise their right to vote. They campaign for certain issues that they believe in. Also, my family has a government that is similar to the American system of government. Each family member can express his/her feelings which models freedom of speech. The needs of all family members count and are taken into consideration before the final decision is made. Our process inspires me to participate in a democratic way.

My school, church, and family combine to make my community. Because of my inspiring community, I am a better person today. As far as the sculptor and his art, in the end, the sculpture has value because the artist used all the right tools. Likewise, I have value because my community, my school, my church, and my family uses the right tools to shape and inspire me to become a better American.



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Engagements



Kimberly Wicklund/Sanjay Nayakwadi

The parents of Kimberly A. Wicklund and Sanjay A. Nayakwadi announce their engagement.

Kimberly is the daughter of Steve and Peg Wicklund of Clarkston. Sanjay is the son of Anant and Susan Nayakwadi of Novi.

The bride-elect is a 1993 graduate of Clarkston High School. She earned a bachelor's degree in Spanish and French from Western Michigan University and is now teaching Spanish at Linden Middle

School in Linden, Mich.

The groom-elect is a 1993 graduate of Northville High School. He received a bachelor's degree in integrated supply management from Western Michigan University, where he was affiliated with Sigma Nu fraternity.

Sanjay is currently an assistant analyst at RWD Technologies in Auburn Hills.

Their wedding is planned for this summer.



Michael Polydoras/Colleen Pawlak

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald J. Pawlak of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Colleen, to Michael Polydoras, the son of Phyllis Polydoras of Dearborn and the late Nick Polydoras.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Northville High School. She earned a bachelor of arts degree from the University of Michigan-Dearborn, where she is currently studying for her master's in addition to her

teaching at Meads Mill Middle School in Northville.

The groom-elect graduated from Edsel Ford High School. He received his bachelor of science degree in occupational therapy from Eastern Michigan University and is presently employed as a registered occupational therapist at Oakwood Hospital.

A June wedding is planned.

Singles

SINGLE PLACE, an adult ministry for single people at First Presbyterian Church of Northville, meets Thursday evenings in Fellowship Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Every Sunday, the group worships at 11 a.m. in the sanctuary followed by brunch at the Northville Crossing Restaurant, 18900 Northville Road, at 12:30 p.m.

On Thursday, May 21, Carol Chambers, M.S.W. will discuss "Healthy Boundaries, Healthy Relationships" at 7:30 p.m. or there will be an open forum on "25 Ways to Energize Yourself" with Darleen Sweeney at 8 p.m.

On Thursday, May 28, the topic will be "The Role of Childhood Trauma and How it Interferes with the Effect of Intimacy" with Ken Adams, Ph.D., at 7:30 p.m. or an open forum with Sandy Baumann at 8 p.m.

The cost for each is \$4.

Following the presentations, the group will meet at Mulligan's of Northville at 9:30 p.m.

Upcoming events include a movie at Laurel Park on May 23 at 5:30 p.m.; a Memorial Day party on May 25 at 2 p.m.; and Dinner at McVee's

followed by Bethany Together Dance at Divine Providence, both in Southfield, on May 30.

On Sunday evenings, Single Place meets for coffee and cards at 6 p.m. at Tuscan Cafe, 150 N. Center Street in Northville.

On Fridays, the group meets at 5:30 p.m. at Tremor's, 17123 N. Laurel Park in Livonia.

A Walk in the Park is scheduled every Saturday at 10 a.m. in Heritage Park between Ten and Eleven Mile in Farmington Hills.

For more information about any of the Single Place programs or to register, call (248) 349-0911.

SINGLE POINT MINISTRIES of Ward Presbyterian Church, Six Mile Road west of Haggerty in Northville Township, meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 7 p.m. in room C317/C319. The group offers support, fun, fellowship, vacations and other activities. Free child care is available.

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Birth



Ben and Nate Yackie

Dr. and Mrs. Scott Yackie announce the birth of their identical twin sons born April 2 at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor.

NATHAN SCOTT was born at 8:35 p.m. and weighed 5 pounds, 9 ounces. **BENJAMIN GRANT** was born at 8:53 p.m. and weighed 5 pounds, 5 ounces. Both were 18 1/2 inches in length. They join their brother Drew, 2 years old.

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Bandit is a very active dog and needs a fenced yard. He is housebroken.

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For more information, or the location on where a specific breed will be shown, call (248) 855-4136 or (313) 563-1823.

Church Notes

BETHLEHEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, 35300 West Eight Mile Road in Farmington Hills, is taking registrations for "Lighthouse Adventure!" Vacation Bible School June 15 through June 19 from 9 a.m. until noon. Classes are available for children from three years old through those finishing sixth grade.

For details or to register, call (248) 478-6520.

NEW BEGINNINGS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST FELLOWSHIP, which meets in Holy Cross Episcopal Church at 46200 Ten Mile Road in Novi, has Saturday services which include Bible Study at 10 a.m. and a Worship hour at 11 a.m. Every Tuesday, there is a Daniel and Revelation Bible Study which meets at 7:30 p.m. On the third Saturday of each month, there is a vegetarian-style Visitor's Luncheon.

For information, call Pastor Charles Possente at (248) 442-9843.

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH, 39200 West Twelve Mile Road in Farmington Hills, has a Moms and Tots group which meets every Monday morning from 10 until 11:30 a.m.

Sunday worship services are at 8:30 and 11 a.m. There is a Family Learning hour at 9:45 a.m.

For more information, call the church at (248) 553-7170.

On Sunday, worship and church school are held at 9:30 and 11 a.m. at the **NORTHVILLE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**, 200 East Main Street. Child care is available at both services.

The Youth Logos Program meets on Wednesday at 4:15 p.m. for children in grades 1-5 and at 5 p.m. for middle school and senior high school students.

The Singles Life Ministry meets on Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Rev. W. Kent Clise, senior pastor, or Rev. James P. Russell, associate pastor, at (248) 349-0911.

SPIRIT OF CHRIST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, 40700 West Ten Mile in Novi, announces a new way for families to praise God. Sunday mornings at 9 a.m., "Saints ALIVE!" begins with folks of all ages meeting for songs and a message geared toward children. Small group sharing follows, wrapped up by refreshments and fellowship.

Worship services are held Sundays at 10:30 a.m. as well as Saturdays at 5:30 p.m.

For more information, call (248) 477-6296.

In Service

Marine Gunnery Sgt. **Pamela M. Zilch** has been promoted to her present rank while serving with the Marine Security Guard Battalion in Quantico, Va. Her promotion was based on sustained superior job performance and proficiency in her designated specialty.

A graduate of Lancaster High School in Ohio, Zilch joined the Marine Corps in January 1983. She is the daughter-in-law of Constance M. Crawford of Northville.



Photo by AMY GIBBONS

Piazza Dance Company's competitive dance team (from left) Rachelle Hadley, 7, Kendall Kosbe, 12, Kim Baber, 11, Jackie Sinko, 10, and Renee Hadley, 10, are prepared to perform 'Sugar & Spice' at Disney World in July.

Dancers to represent state at nationals

By AMY GIBBONS
Staff Reporter

Five local girls, ages seven-11, are dancing their way to Disney World as members of a competitive dance group with Piazza Dance Company in Northville.

The girls will go to Disney World in July to represent Michigan in their age group at a national competition, said their teacher and choreographer Tania Garrant.

The group consists of Kim Baber, 11, Kendall Kosbe, 12, and Jackie Sinko, 10, of Livonia and Rachelle and Renee Hadley, 7 and 10 respectively, of Novi.

They qualified for Nationals at a regional competition held recently at West Bloomfield High School. At that competition, the girls received a platinum gold medal, high score in the junior age division, first overall, the high score award out of 59 junior groups, outstanding choreography out of 76 junior groups and lines and best overall choreography.

They also received a gold medal at the Dance Makers competition

held at the Novi Hilton and a gold and third overall out of 29 junior groups at the Headliners competition at Clarendonville High School in Livonia.

This year was the first time the five girls competed as a group. The girls' mothers said they were concerned at first because of their varying ages. At the competitions, their ages are averaged and they compete at that age level. Because the girls range in ages seven-12, they've been competing in the nine-year-old age group.

The mothers said their fears were unfounded because the girls have been doing really well and seven-year-old Rachelle has been holding her own.

All that matters to the girls is that they're having fun.

"When you win, it makes you feel good," Sinko said. "The important thing is we have fun."

"It makes you feel like you worked hard which we did," Kosbe added.

The number the girls perform is called "Sugar and Spice." It's a hip

hop routine using chairs, Garrant said.

"One of the big reasons I'm back teaching at Piazza is because we wanted to start a hip hop curriculum," she said. "It's really taking off."

An ex-Detroit Pistons dancer, Garrant, 22, started dancing with Piazza at age six. She began teaching dance at Piazza while a student at South Lyon High School. She gave up teaching for awhile to dance with the Pistons and go to school, but now she's back teaching the traditional tap and jazz classes and also hip hop.

The girls said they like hip hop better than the traditional dances.

"It's fun because sometimes you get to chew bubble gum," Rachelle said.

"I like it better than regular jazz," Sinko added.

The mothers agreed Garrant is the driving force behind the girls' success.

"I think she's the one that makes it all happen," said mother Kim Kosbe. "She's so supportive of

these girls. She goes above and beyond."

Kosbe said Garrant even goes as far as sending the girls congratulatory notes to their homes and giving them flowers at their competitions.

Next stop, Disney World. Kendall said they are looking forward to swimming at the hotel and meeting Mickey Mouse and of course, dancing.

Piazza Dance Company will hold its annual dance recital June 19-20 in South Lyon High School's auditorium.

For information on hip hop classes, call Piazza at 248-348-3720.

Tania Garrant was one of the dancers selected for the first 15-member precision dance team for the Detroit Pistons who performed during halftime at home games.

Garrant has been dancing since she was 3 years old and has studied jazz, tap, ballet, pointe, Hawaiian and Tahitian dance.

On Campus

The Libraries, Computing and Technology Division of Michigan State University sponsored its annual student book collection competition; each student was to submit an essay describing their book collection and its contents.

Among the finalists chosen were Northville students Laurie Hrydziuszko and Marc Wilson.

LAURIE HRYDZIUSZKO was recognized for her book collection of works by Anne Rice. Hrydziuszko, a sophomore, is enrolled as a political science and pre-law major in the college of social science.

MARC WILSON received recognition for his book collection featuring wildlife and fictional topics. Wilson is a junior majoring in computer science in the college of engineering.

The first place winner received \$500 and the second place winner received \$300. The third place winner, \$200; fourth place, \$100; and five finalists received \$50.

A Northville High School senior has been awarded a Martin Luther Award and a Lutheran Heritage Scholarship to use in attending Valparaiso University in the fall.

GREGORY SCOTT LUBECK plans to enroll in the VU College of Arts and Sciences. Among the awards he has received, the Martin Luther Award is a grant awarded to sons and daughters of full-time professional Lutheran church workers. The Lutheran Heritage Scholarship is a grant awarded to superior high school students who are active members in the congregation of a Lutheran church. Both awards are renewable for an additional three years if the appropriate academic standings are maintained.

Lubeck is the son of the Rev. Thomas and Susan Lubeck of Northville. He is a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Northville.

Lou Kasischke, lone survivor of the Mt. Everest disaster, will deliver a commencement address on Sunday, May 17, at St. Mary's Preparatory at Orchard Lake. Kasischke will share the events of his expedition and the lessons he learned in his address.

Two years ago, the Bloomfield Hills attorney found himself trapped 400 feet from the top of the world's highest mountain after six weeks of climbing. Eight fellow-

climbers died and Kasischke survived.

Among the graduates will be: **BILL HARTSOCK III** and **ADAM R. OLESZKOWICZ** of Northville; and **JASON R. CAMERON**, **FREDERICK J. LYONS**, and class president, **RYAN D. NAGORSEN**, of Novi.

JOAN KELLY and **SCHARMA J. PISCITELLO** were named to the Dean's List for winter quarter at the Detroit College of Business. To qualify for recognition, students must achieve a 3.5 or better grade point average at the end of a quarter. Kelly is a full-time student and Piscitello is part-time. Both students are from Northville.

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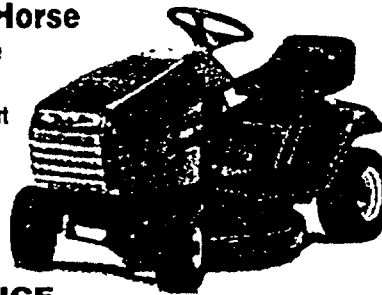
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Classic story continues its run

The enchanting tale of "Hansel and Gretel" is coming to life on the Marquis Theatre stage through June 6.

The Marquis Theatre Children present the classic story about Hansel and Gretel who are lead into the deep, dark forest by their stepmother Bertha, and left alone.

As the story magically unfolds, Hansel and Gretel, lost and hungry, discover a house made of gingerbread, a silly witch, a cuckoo bird and a talking tree.

Performance dates are Saturdays, May 23, 30 and June 6 at 2:30 p.m. Tickets to all public performances are \$5.50.

For general ticket information, group rates, and for teachers to arrange for special performance times and rates, call the Marquis Theatre at (248) 349-8110.



'Hansel & Gretel' cast members include, from left, Hana Kalinski from South Lyon; Erin Chupinsky and Chris Burns, both from Northville; and Lauren McCabe from Novi.

No children under the age of three will be admitted.

The Marquis Theatre is located at 135 E. Main Street in down-

town Northville. For details, call (248) 349-8110.

In town

Submit items for the entertainment listings to *The Northville Record/Novi News*, 104 W. Main, Northville, MI 48167; or fax to 349-1050.

SPECIAL EVENTS

BARNES & NOBLE: Upcoming events include Dr. Susan Madden, author of "Nobody Overeats" will sign copies of her book on Thursday, May 28, at 7:30 p.m.; and New Generation Quintet will perform classic and modern jazz on Friday, May 29, at 7:30 p.m.

Barnes & Noble is located at 17111 Haggerty Road in Northville.

For details, call (248) 348-0696.

BORDERS BOOKS: Upcoming events include the illustrator of "The Legend of Sleeping Bear," Gijbert van Frankenhuyzen, during story time on May 27 at 10 a.m.; and "Meet the Wild Things" on May 30 at 1 p.m.

The Novi store is located at 43075 Crescent Boulevard in Novi. For details, call Borders at (248) 347-0780.

PERFORMER'S SHOWCASE: The public is invited to attend the Performer's Showcase performances held prior to select Novi City Council meetings in the Novi Civic Center at 7:30 p.m. On occasion, performances may be taped by Time Warner and cablecast to residents.

Musicians, actors, poets and dancers are invited to submit application forms and audition tapes, if available, to the Novi Arts Council.

For details, contact the arts council at 347-0400.

CARRIAGE RIDES: Northville Carriage Co. offers carriage rides throughout the year and packages for holidays and special occasions.

For more information or reservations, call Northville Carriage Co. at 380-3961.

THEATER

GENITTI'S: The interactive comedy dinner theater at Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall is "Trial by Error!"

Audience members may not find themselves called for duty if the jury box is full, but there are always other jobs available as, say, the defendant.

All dinner theater presentations include the restaurant's famous seven-course, family-style Italian dinner.

For the kids there's the mini luncheon and show "Beanie Baby Capers".

Genitti's is located at 108 E. Main Street in Northville.

For reservations or more information, call (248) 349-0522.

MUSIC

MR. B'S FARM: Mr. B's Farm is located at Novi Road north of Ten Mile. For details, call 349-7038.

OXFORD INN: The Oxford Inn is located at 43317 Grand River in Novi.

For details, call (248) 305-5856.

LIBRARY SPORTS PUB AND GRILL: The Library Sports Pub and Grill is located at 42100 Grand River Avenue in Novi. For details, call 349-9110.

TUSCAN CAFE: Tuscan Cafe presents a variety of entertainment acts nightly except Sundays. Weekday performances are from 8:30 to 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday performances are from 9 until 11 p.m.

Tuscan Cafe is located at 150 Center Street in Northville. For details, call 305-8629.

BRADY'S FOOD & SPIRITS: Live entertainment is offered from 7:30 until 11 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Friday and Saturday.

Brady's Food and Spirits is located at 38123 West Ten Mile in the Holiday Inn in Farmington Hills.

For details, call (248) 478-7780.

FRIGATES INN: Frigates offers live music every Wednesday at 9 p.m. featuring the 2XL Band. The Tim Flaherty Trio with emcee Dan McNall will host an open blues jam every Thursday from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. All musicians are welcome. Dance with The Globe at 9 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays.

Frigates Inn is located at the corner of Fourteen Mile and East Lake Drive in Novi. For details, call (248) 624-9607.

SPORTS EDITION: Enjoy live entertainment at the Sports Edition Bar, located inside the Novi Hilton Hotel, 21111 Haggerty Road.

The Sports Edition is home to Intrigue and other high-powered hits groups every weekend. A cover charge begins at 8 p.m.

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

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

TOO CHEZ: Too Chez, located across from Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi, offers live jazz entertainment from 6 to 10 p.m. Mondays and 7-11 p.m. Fridays.

CARVERS RESTAURANT: Nikki Pearce will be appearing on Friday and Saturday evenings from 8:30 p.m. until 12:30 a.m.

Carvers is located at Grand River and Ten Mile roads in Farmington Hills.

For details, call (248) 476-5333.

JAZZ NIGHT: DePalma's Dining and Cocktails, 31735 Plymouth Road in Livonia, offers live entertainment.

Larry Nozero and Friends perform intimate jazz from 8 to 11 p.m. on Mondays.

Ron DePalma plays jazz piano from 7-11 p.m. every Tuesday featuring a wide variety of guest performers. Guest singers are welcome.

Strolling musicians David and Francesco entertain diners on the accordion, mandolin and guitar from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. Thursdays. On Friday and Saturday Ron DePalma performs.

For details, call (313) 261-2430.

ART

ART SOURCE: Photographs by Northville resident Kathleen Thompson will be on display at Art Source through May 24.

Art Source is located at 126 Main Centre in Northville and features prints, museum reproductions, art posters, photographs, etchings and custom framing. Business hours are Monday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and on Friday until 8 p.m. or by appointment.

For details, call 348-1213.

DANCING EYE GALLERY: The gallery is located at 101 N. Center at Main.

For details, call (248) 449-7086.

GATE VI GALLERY: An exhibit of traditional Japanese and Chinese calligraphy will be on exhibit through mid-May.

Month-long exhibits of local artists are held in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile in Novi. Viewing of the exhibit is possible during the hours the Civic Center is open.

Local artists interested in exhibiting at the Civic Center should call 347-0400.

ATRIUM CENTER GALLERY: Atrium Center Gallery is featuring the works of well-known Michigan coil weaver Sandy Askew through May.

Atrium Center Gallery is located at 109 N. Center in downtown Northville.

Hours are Monday through Friday 10 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. and noon until 4 p.m. on Sunday.

For details, call (248) 380-0470.

BACKDOOR GALLERY: Farmington's Backdoor Gallery, 37220 Eight Mile Road, specializes in unusual art dolls. The gallery is in the home of co-owner Kathy Landers. She and the other owner, Kathleen Bricker, are both artists.

Gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays; 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturdays, and by appointment.

Call (248) 474-8306 for additional information.

PAINTER'S PLACE: Owned by Caroline Dunphy, Painter's Place, located at 140 N. Center Street in downtown Northville, is featuring watercolor prints of Northville's Mill Race Village during May and June. One print is an autumn scene of the village. The other print is of the gazebo.

Gallery hours are Tuesday through Thursday from noon until 4 p.m. or by appointment. Call (248) 348-9544 for details.

MUSEUMS

MOTORSPORTS: The Motorsports Museum and Hall of Fame features 75 racing vehicles of all types, covering a 90-year time span. Highlights include a 1965 Novi Indy Special, 1960 Miss U.S. unlimited hydroplane, racing motorcycles, Indy cars, stock cars, sports cars and drag racers.

The museum is located in the Novi Expo Center. Admission is \$4. \$2 for seniors and children. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. For additional information, call 349-RACE.

NEARBY

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER TEA: The public is invited to attend a Mother and Daughter Tea sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary Unit 224 of Wixom on Sunday, May 24 from 2 until 4 p.m. at the VFW Hall, 2652 Loon Lake Road in Wixom.

The cost is \$5 per person. Children under 10 are free.

Everyone is welcome - grandmothers, daughters, aunts, neighbors, etc.

For details, call (248) 624-9742.

TOLLGATE GARDEN SALE: The Michigan State University Tollgate Gardens Volunteers are sponsoring a Spring Plant Sale on Saturday, June 13, from noon until 4 p.m. and Sunday, June 14, from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the MSU Tollgate Education Center, Twelve Mile Road and Meadowbrook roads in Novi. The MSU Master Gardeners will be on hand to answer questions.

For details, call (248) 347-3860, ext. 300.

MURDER MYSTERY: Authors to visit Murder, Mystery & Mayhem, 35167 Grand River in Farmington, include Jeanne Dams, author of "Holy Terror in the Hebrides" in June 1 at 6:30 p.m.

For details, call (248) 471-7210.

TENT PARTY AND FUND RAISER: Al's Copper Mug, 1704 Maple Road at the corner of Decker Road in Walled Lake, and the Friends of the Foster Farmhouse, will host a Tent Party and Fund Raiser on Sunday, June 7, from 4 until 9 p.m.

Entertainment will feature Bugs Beddow Band. A 50/50 raffle drawing will be held around 9 p.m. Raffle tickets are \$2 each or 3/\$5.

Dearborn hot dogs, Italian Sausage, Buffalo burgers and cheese burgers will be cooked on the outside grill.

You must be 21 years or older to enter.

For details, call (248) 624-9659.

ART EXHIBITION: The Plymouth Community Arts Council's spring art exhibition "Hanging by a Thread" will continue at the Jeanne Winkleman Hulce Center for the Arts at 774 N. Sheldon Road in Plymouth through May 29. Hours are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9 a.m. until noon; Wednesday from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m.; and Saturday from 1 until 4 p.m.

For additional times or information, call (734) 416-4278.

ANTIQUE APPRAISAL: The Canton Historical Society will host their annual DuMouchelle Antique Appraisal Clinic on Saturday, May 30, at the Cherry Hill School at the corner of Cherry Hill and Ridge roads.

Hours for the clinic are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Each participant is limited to three hand-carried items.

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Godzilla returns

Classic movie monster makes summer comeback

A devastating, blinding flash of white light fills the Eastern sky. Thousands of miles away, the Pacific Ocean churns, engulfing a freighter with wicked speed. Ships off both U.S. coasts capsize and are dragged into an inexplicably rolling sea, where they are instantly demolished.

On another part of the globe, giant footprints plow an ominous path through miles of Panamanian forests, Tahitian villages and Jamaican beaches.

What is the source of all this mysterious, far-flung mayhem? An enormous beast in on a terrifying trek to the densely populated island of Manhattan, leaving a trail of ruin in its wake and creating a ripple effect of profound and jaw-dropping destruction.

Despite their often conflicting agendas and motives, a scientist, a TV reporter, a cameraman and an enigmatic French insurance investigator, as well as the U.S. military, must join forces in an odd and often uneasy alliance to unravel the mystery behind this creature and prevent it from reducing the world's greatest metropolis to a pile of rubble before it is too late.

"Godzilla" comes to the screen once again in an update by Roland Emmerich and Dean Devlin, the filmmakers behind the 1996 box office phenomenon, "Independence Day." Emmerich directs and Devlin produces.

The film stars Matthew Broderick as the earnest scientist, Dr. Nick Tatopoulos, and Jean Reno as the enigmatic Philippe Roache. Hank Azaria also stars as the intrepid cameraman, Animal, and Maria Pitillo as Audrey, an inexperienced but determined reporter.

Godzilla, a character that was first created in 1954 by Toho Co., Ltd., who also owns the character, and first appeared in a 1954 release, "Gojira." An American version of the film was released in the United States in 1956 called "Godzilla, King of the Monsters."

Godzilla went on to star in 22 films, including the recent Japanese entries, "Godzilla vs. Mothra" and "Godzilla vs. Destroyer."

proved to be more than a worthy adversary, as any resident of Tokyo at the time of his assaults can attest.

It was Godzilla's monumental status — indeed, he stood 400 feet high in the first film — that intrigued Emmerich and Devlin. The filmmakers wanted to deliver a worthy follow up to their movie "Independence Day," which established new worldwide box office records.

"Because of the phenomenal reaction to 'Independence Day,' Roland and I were fortunate enough to travel around the world to promote it. It seemed that in every country, we were asked the same question: how do you follow up a movie like 'Independence Day?' It was a really tough question to answer. The only thing that seemed remotely in the ballpark was 'Godzilla.' It afforded us the opportunity to do something bigger, wilder and more amazing than we'd ever attempted before," Devlin says.

"The challenge of 'Godzilla' is that when people think of it, they immediately think of something that has a great deal of nostalgic fun but is not to be taken seriously. For us, that posed an intriguing question: how do we reinvent 'Godzilla?' Devlin adds: 'We feel that only with the advances in special effects technology that exist today we can do that.'

Emmerich added "Godzilla" is "the ultimate monster movie." He said, "We hope to push the limits of all the visual effects available. The technology is changing every year, and in every movie we use new tools. In many ways, this film was actually more complicated than 'Independence Day.' It was a huge undertaking."

As in "Independence Day," the filmmakers used a variety of Shot-specific effects to create the mammoth creature, including miniatures, animatronic models and computer-generated images.

While advances in effects, particularly in CGI, allowed the filmmakers to reconstruct and, to some extent, reinterpret and reinvigorate the creature, Devlin hastens to add that they did so with



Cars in front of New York City's Grand Central Terminal are poised to be flattened as Godzilla puts its foot down.

an underlying fondness and esteem for the original monster. This regard for the Godzilla series, of course, was coupled with a healthy dose of levity.

"I think as long as you make these genres with love, the comedy will come naturally because they're inherently fun," says Devlin.

Emmerich says that even while he too enjoyed the classic Godzilla films, he did not want to recreate them.

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Fourth singles player Yusuke Ishigami lost in the regional finals to North Farmington Friday.

Tennis team advances

Netters finish second to North Farmington, advance to state meet

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

It boiled down to a two-team race between Northville and North Farmington, just as Mustang tennis coach Dick Norton had hoped for.

In the end North Farmington was just too much for Northville to handle, but this time a runnerup finish wasn't all that bad.

Norton's team collected 20 points and advanced to the state tennis tournament May 29 at the Midland Community Tennis Center. The team qualified for the state finals in the first year of the new four division format that equaled the playing field for all schools.

North Farmington finished with 24 points, Northville 20, Novi 11, U of D Jesuit 10, Kettering 7, Farmington 6, Lakeland 6, Harrison 5 and Detroit Central and Redford Union 0.

Northville and North Farmington met in the finals in four different flights, and the Raiders were able to win three of them.

At second singles, Matthias Eggel remained undefeated by winning the regional championship with a 6-

7 (5), 6-2, 6-0 win over Novi's Glenn Gabriel. The win followed up wins over Lakeland and Kettering in the second and third rounds. Eggel's record is now 21-0.

Freshman Dean Conway needed three sets, but held on to defeat North Farmington's Steve Krieger in the finals 6-7 (5), 6-2, 6-0. He had lost to Krieger twice previously this season, and had totaled just two games in four sets against the senior. He defeated Kettering and Lakeland in the second and third rounds.

"That was just a great, great win," Norton said of Conway's North Farmington match. "It shows that anything can happen."

Northville also had three runnerups on the day. Yusuke Ishigami fought his way to the final, but lost to Brandon Finkel of North Farmington 2-6, 3-6. On his way to the finals, Ishigami defeated U of D Jesuit 6-1, 6-1 and Kettering 6-3, 6-1.

Derek Sokloski and Matt Schlanser were also runnerup, at No. 1 doubles. The tandem fell to North Farmington 7-6 (5), 6-7 (5), 2-6 in the championship. They beat Novi 6-0, 6-3 in the semis and Farmington 6-1, 6-4 in the quarters.

Chris Gerlica and Mark Thomson took home second place at third doubles. They, too, lost to the Raiders in the finals by a score of 7-5, 2-6, 3-6. Earlier they had beat Kettering 6-2, 6-2 and Farmington 6-2, 6-0.

At No. 1 singles, Matt Thomson fell to Harrison's Ryan Shade in the semifinals 3-6, 4-6. Thomson was

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Six Mustangs qualify for state meet at Bay City

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

It was a huge day for the Northville boys' track team last Friday. The Mustangs advanced six kids in five events to the state track and field finals at Bay City Western-High School May 30.

Northville won four regional championships and the 400 relay team set another school record in winning their race.

Tony Clemens, Jim Clemens, Chris Ceane and Geno Peters teamed up to run the 400 relay in a school-record time of 43.1 seconds. They broke their own record of 43.6 seconds set two weeks ago.

Tony Clemens won both the 100 and 200 meter dashes, qualifying him for both events. But assistant coach Dave Meisner said Clemens will only run the 200 at the state meet.

"With all of the preliminaries he had to run to get to the finals, he wants to be fresh for the other two events," Meisner said.

Clemens ran an 11.0 to win the 100 and a 22.2 in the 200. He is ranked 11th in the 200 going into the state meet. His season-best time is 21.9 in the 200.

Bryan Grider put it all together and won the discus event with a throw of 152 feet, 1 inch. He will be ranked 10th heading into the meet.

"You could just tell he was excited about winning the regional," the coach said.

Matt Carroll will head to the state meet for the second-straight year. The senior posted a qualifying time of 1:59.1 in the 800. He finished fifth in the state last year.

"The kids did one heck-of-a job," Meisner said. "They are really starting to come into their own."

N'VILLE 72, CANTON 65

With the entire Canton team thinking they were going to come into Northville's domain and walk all over the Mustangs, the Chiefs were in for a big surprise.

"I think they came in here thinking they would beat us and finish undefeated in the division. I think that meet was the turning point for us. From that meet on the kids now have the confidence that they can beat any one."

Dave Meisner,
Northville assistant track coach

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The Mustangs were solid throughout the lineup and swept both the 100 dash and 3,200 run.

Tony Clemens, Jim Clemens and Ceane finished 1-2-3 in the 100 and Kevin Arbuckle, Tim Schovers and Brian Bilyk took the top three spots in the two-mile run.

Other winners for Northville included: Brett Pawling in the 110 and 300 hurdles; Steve Weicksel in the 400; Carroll in the 800; Tony Clemens in the 200; Arbuckle in the 3,200; the 400 relay team of Jim and Tony Clemens, Ceane and Peters; and the 3,200 relay of Weicksel, Schovers, Arbuckle and Carroll.

Other placers included Peters, second in the 110 hurdles, and Arbuckle, second in the 1,600. Eric Retzbach and Ryan Downing were second and third in the pole vault and Grider was second in both the shot put and discus. Ceane was second in the 200.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Matt Carroll (right) qualified for the state track meet in Milford. The senior qualified for the event in a time of 1 minute, 59.1 seconds.

Despite the losses, Northville continues to improve

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

The season has been a long one for Northville softball coach Corey Lipson and her squad, but the team continues to chug along and has seen some solid play despite the losses.

Churchill handed the Mustangs a 13-4 loss Friday after scoring eight runs in the final two innings.

Northville built a 2-0 lead in the first inning when Emily Moak tripled in Makiko Kawamura and Amanda Rice. The lead didn't last. Churchill scored four runs in the top of the second inning thanks to three Northville errors.

Northville would add two more runs on a Rice two-run homer, but the Chargers scored three in the sixth and five more in the seventh to ice the game.

Maureen Emaus pitched the first 1 1/3 innings and struck out eight Churchill batters.

"This was the first time this year that her changeup worked for her," Lipson said.

Kellie Reichard went 3 for 4 in the last home game of her Northville career. Moak and Rice were each 1 for 3 with two RBIs.

SALEM 10, N'VILLE 6

Lipson said her team played one of its best games of the year against the Rocks.

Again, Northville took a 2-0 lead on a two-run double by Rice in the first inning. Famiko Kawamura and Jenny Caverly scored.

The Mustangs would add a few more in the fifth and sixth innings.

"It's kind of nice to see us score in the late innings," Lipson said. "We kept fighting and hit the ball well. Usually we hit well early or late."

Emaus started on the mound, and pitched 4 1/3 innings.

Famiko Kawamura was 3 for 4 with two runs and Lisa Scheich was 3 for 4 with two RBIs. Rice finished 2 for 4 with four runs batted in.

HARRISON 11, N'VILLE 1

Northville scored its only run in the bottom of the first on a Makiko Kawamura sacrifice and held Harrison in check for the first three innings.

Then the Hawks broke free for four runs in the fourth, two in the sixth and three more in the seventh. Famiko Kawamura and Caverly each had two hits.

The Mustangs had a Western Lakes playoff game yesterday (after The Northville Records deadline) and will square off with South Lyon in a pre-district game Tuesday in Brighton. The winner will advance to play Brighton in the district semifinals Saturday, May 30.

Golfers exit state tournament in middle of pack

Girls team finishes 14th out of 19 teams at regional tournament, look ahead to WLAA

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

With some of the top golf teams in the entire state converging at Oak Pointe in Brighton, the Northville girls' team had its work cut out for it last Friday.

As a result, the team shot a 435 and finished 14th out of 19 teams at the regional tournament in Brighton.

Saline took home the regional championship after shooting a 330. Brighton

was second with a 352 and Ann Arbor Huron was the third team to advance with a 355.

Sophomore Jessie Mills shot a team-leading 99 and Jennie Church was second with a 110. Becky Rankin shot a 112 and Sara Church rounded out the scoring with a 114.

"I'm not disappointed at all," coach Trish Murray said of her team's coach-tier finish. "We were just trying to all stay

at or around 105 each.

"It's just incredible to look at these top team's scores. I mean when we went to states (in 1993), we shot a 400 and went. I don't think it will be too far off when teams begin to break 300."

1993 was the last time a Northville team qualified for the state tournament. Murray coached state qualifiers in both 1991 and 1993.

SOUTH LYON 191, N'VILLE 200

Despite the strong showing on the course, the Mustangs just couldn't get the win.

"They played really well, but we happened to lose," the coach said. "But I'm

happy that we've continued to improve this year. I was really happy with the way we played."

Jennie Church led the way with a 49 and Rankin and Mills followed closely with 50s. Marie Dingwall and Andrea Troshinetz rounded out the top four with a pair of 51s.

Northville's score of 200 was where Murray had hoped her team would be shooting when the conference tournament came around.

Tuesday the team played at the Western Lakes Activities Association meet (after The Northville Records' deadline). Results from that meet will be in next Thursday's Record.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Freshman Emily Carbutt played strong in Monday's game.

Morris, Reel lead Mustangs to victory

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

Ryan Morris pitched his second-straight solid divisional game and Rob Reel had three RBIs to lead Northville to a 5-3 win over Churchill last Friday.

Morris, who pitched a nice game against Western a week earlier, again proved he belonged in the rotation by going the distance and allowing just five hits and no earned runs. The senior struck out five and walked three.

"He was outstanding for us," coach Mickey Newman said. "They really didn't threaten him. I was happy with the three walks. He has had trouble controlling the hitters, but he had no problems that day."

Reel had a two-out two-run double in the first inning and, another RBI-double in the fifth, scoring Kevin Gilchrist and giving Northville a 4-2 lead. Eric Arnold and Kelly Bingley each had two-out RBI-doubles for the Mustangs.

Churchill had one final chance in the last inning, but catcher Tim Edick nalled a runner at second to end the game and preserve

the win for Northville.

SALEM 7, N'VILLE 4

The Rocks scored all of their runs in the first two innings, capitalizing on two Northville errors in this conference game.

The Mustangs had one error in each of the first two innings, which led to six unearned runs. Reel pitched a complete-game, striking out six and walking just one. He also had an RBI in the game.

Arnold had a RBI-double in the second inning and two wild pitches scored two more runs for Northville in the last-inning. Arnold finished 2 for 3 and no other Mustang had more than one hit.

The last six hitters in the lineup were a combined 1 for 17.

The Mustangs had a Western Lakes playoff game yesterday (after The Northville Records'

Kickers season comes to a close

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

The Northville soccer team's season came to an abrupt and disappointing end with a 1-0 loss to Novi in the first round of district action Monday night.

The Mustangs waited until the second half to make a charge and they did make a late-game surge, but Novi goalie Sarah Clark came up big when it counted.

"If we'd have played like we did in the second half the entire game, we would have had a chance," coach Doug Lyon said. "I feel we dominated the second half. But the first half was theirs. They beat us to the ball and played well."

Novi's goal came early in the second half at the 2:42 mark when Lydia Raburn headed the ball over Northville goalie Stephanie Myers and Jill Gibson pounded it in for a 1-0 lead.

It was the lone mistake by the goalie.

"Stephanie played a great game for us," Lyon said. "She stopped several big chances for them."

"Our defense did a good job. Kristy Maciver and Emily Carbutt played solid and Colleen Thompson did a great job covering Lydia Raburn."

Lyon said he made some adjust-

ments at the half which allowed his team to gain the offensive zone for a good portion of the second half.

"We stepped out and we needed to push out a little faster," he said. "We did make some changes, but we needed to do that a little earlier."

The loss ends the season for Northville (9-7-2), who will lose five seniors.

"We do have some holes to fill next year, but I think we can do well next year," Lyon said. "We just have to focus on playing strong for the entire 80 minutes of the game."

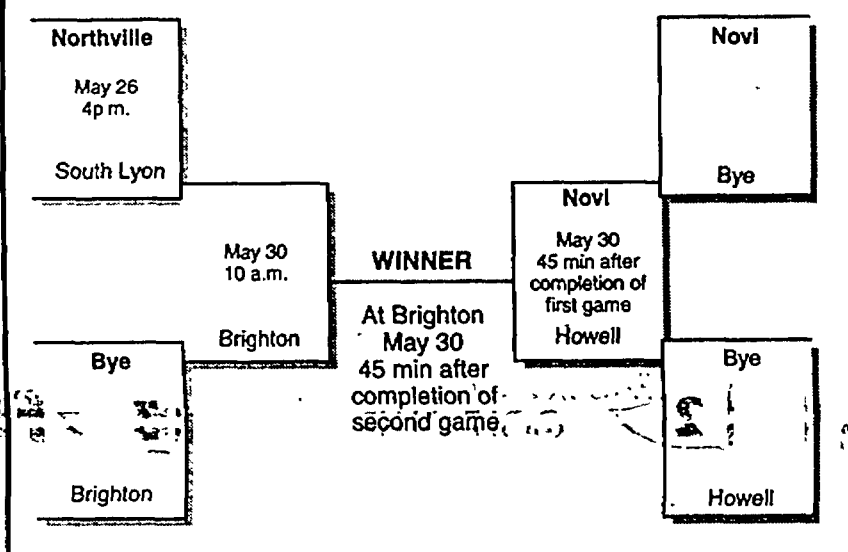
N'VILLE 2, FARMINGTON 2

Playing in its last regular-season game of the year, the Mustangs fell apart in the second half and settled with a tie in this cross-over game with the Falcons.

Brigid Bowdell and Jackie Rompel each scored a goal in the first half to give their team a 2-0 lead at the break. But the second half was a different story as Farmington fought back to force the tie.

"I think we started slacking off and they just came back on us," Lyon said. "Give them credit, they didn't give up."

District No. 16 Baseball and Softball Pairings



deadline) and will square off with South Lyon in a pre-district game Tuesday in Brighton. The winner

will advance to play Brighton in the district semifinals Saturday, May 30.

League Line

U-9 BOYS

The Hot Spurs topped the Cosmos and Alex Bartee had two goals. Boris Warszawski and Gerard Pawell were the MVPs.

Alex Bird, Bradley Ferris and Michael Kraft scored goals as the Hot Spurs beat Livonia 3-1. Michael Troost and Ferris were the MVPs.

The Cosmos beat the Hot Spurs 4-2. Matt Amatagelo scored two goals and Shawn Miller and Bud McCourt each added one. Adam McCarthy and Chris Ollara were the MVPs.

U-11 BOYS

The Arsenal opened up their season with a 5-0 win over Farmington Apr. 26. Matt Drake scored two goals and Ken Beason, Ryan Bond and Matt Rutkowski added one each. MVPs were Alan Shanowski, Chris Hudson, Ross Abraham and Sean Tonero.

The team topped Novi 3-1 in game two. Peter Cohen, Dan Roberts and Toner scored the goals and Rutkowski, Fred Oehmke, Ross Abraham and Shad Seward were defensive MVPs.

The Arsenal also picked up a win over Novi's second team 3-0. Beason, Michael Appice and Cohen scored and Patrick Hammer, Bond and Neil Rao were MVPs. Dan Roberts scored both of the Arsenal's goals in a loss to the Hot Spurs.

The Sting picked up a win and a tie this past week. Michael Cornelius, Colin Ackerman and Michael Jamison scored in a 3-1 win over Farmington and Ryan Lomas scored the game-tying goal against the Canton Strikers.

U-12 BOYS

The Arsenal defeated Farmington 6-1 in their season-opening game. Michael Arnold and Jason Kimpel were the MVPs and Michael Earel picked up the shutout in goal.

The Arsenal topped Plymouth 5-2 behind Chris Broe's two goals. Victor Sultana, Tim Arnold and Luke Hutchins each added a goal.

U-14 BOYS

Gerard Brettenbeck scored the lone goal in a 1-0 Hot Spurs' win over Novi. Michael Marquardt scored the team's only goal in a 5-1 loss to Farmington.

U-9 GIRLS

The Rockers topped the Cosmos 3-1. Alex Posa scored a pair of goals and Tessa Kellar added one for the Rockers. Colleen Rossiter and Lauren Frampton were the MVPs.

Repeating their performance, the Rockers defeated the Lightning 3-1 and Chelsea Janer had a hat trick for all of the Rockers' goals. Emily Rozanski scored the lone goal for the Lightning. Rockers' MVPs were Robyn Paul and Courtney Williams and MVPs for the Lightning were Angela Guerro and Emily Rozanski.

Needing a pair of goals by Meredith Bartolo, the Hot Spurs edged the Cosmos 3-2 last week. Sylvia Zannis added the other goal and Andrea Soloko and Julie Foucher were the MVPs.

U-14 GIRLS

The United shut out the Stars 3-0 on the strength of two Beth Superfisky goals. Emily Ott added the other goal and Ott and Magalie Schulz were the MVPs. Lisa Longeway and Carolyn Dowdell were the United's MVPs.

The Express edged Plymouth 3-2 to up its record to a near-perfect 3-1. Rebecca Eley scored the hat trick for the Express and Erin Wilkinson was the MVP.

U-16 GIRLS

The Northville Arsenal ran into a tough Dexter Blaze, falling 6-0. Michelle Longeway was the Arsenal's MVP.

Editor's note: All coaches should report scores to their league commissioners no later than Sunday of each week. Only those scores reported to the commissioners on time can be printed in The Northville Record the following Thursday. Commissioners should have the information to the Record no later than 5 p.m. Monday.

Burke receives award

Tim Burke, a 1997 Northville graduate, was named "Most Improved Receiver" by Eureka College at its annual football team awards banquet this spring.

A two-year starter in high school, Burke received significant playing time as a freshman and was a starter by season's end. He also spent time returning kickoffs for the Red Devils.

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Mohar (Milford)	151-1
Gearhart (Howell)	142-3
Lawrence (Howell)	140-1
Sciberras (Milford)	140-0
Greenman (Pinckney)	140-0
Mize (South Lyon)	138-0

LONG JUMP	
Carpenter (Howell)	21-6 1/2
Perkins (Novi)	21-0
LaCroix (Brighton)	20-5
Hix (Milford)	20-5
Kujowski (Howell)	20-0 1/2

HIGH JUMP	
Nash (Milford)	6-7
Quinn (Brighton)	6-5 1/4
Perkins (Novi)	6-5
Falls (Brighton)	6-4
Nix (Milford)	6-2
Hinckley (Milford)	6-2
LaCroix (Brighton)	6-2

SHOT PUT	
Pearson (Brighton)	58-7
LaCroix (Brighton)	54-4 1/2
Baron (Milford)	54-2
Mohar (Milford)	50-3 3/4
Wilson (Howell)	49-4 1/2
Snow (Milford)	49-3
D. Agostino (South Lyon)	48-7
Oaks (Brighton)	47-3 1/2
Helfner (Pinckney)	46-11 1/2
Lawrence (Howell)	46-11 1/2
Gearhart (Howell)	46-8
Ferguson (Fowlerville)	45-3 1/2
Grunder (Northville)	45-1

POLE VAULT	
Lynn (Fowlerville)	14-8
Alberti (Novi)	13-4 3/4
Burnett (Milford)	13-3
Minghini (Pinckney)	12-6
Firek (Howell)	12-0
Schaele (South Lyon)	12-0

3,200 RELAY	
Lakeland	7:51.5
Milford	8:03.9
Novi	8:06.9
Howell	8:10.0
Brighton	8:10.5
Pinckney	8:17.8
South Lyon	8:23.5
Fowlerville	8:33.2
Northville	8:39.5

110 HURDLES	
Bl. Burnett (Milford)	14.7
Quinn (Brighton)	15.0
Merna (Pinckney)	15.1
Stenaway (Pinckney)	15.5
Nash (Milford)	15.5

Ritche (Pinckney)	15.6
Peters (Northville)	15.7
Sterett (Novi)	15.8
Breault (South Lyon)	15.8
Needham (Howell)	15.9
Falls (Brighton)	16.0
Pawling (Northville)	16.1
Tryba (Howell)	16.1
VanLandschoot (Novi)	16.2

100 DASH	
T. Clemens (Northville)	10.8
Be. Burnett (Milford)	10.9
J. Clemens (Northville)	11.1
Brndson (South Lyon)	11.2
Ceane (Northville)	11.2
Falls (Brighton)	11.2
Seals (Fowlerville)	11.2
J. Clemens (Northville)	11.3
Wild (Pinckney)	11.3
Goto (Novi)	11.4
Carpenter (Howell)	11.4
Sterett (Novi)	11.4
Reaume (Novi)	11.5
Hayden (Milford)	11.5

800 RELAY	
Howell	1:32.4
Milford	1:32.5
Northville	1:33.0
South Lyon	1:34.4
Brighton	1:33.5
Pinckney	1:34.1
Fowlerville	1:34.5
Novi	1:36.1

1,600 RUN	
Avenius (Novi)	4:19.2
Bauer (Howell)	4:26.7
Greenless (Milford)	4:27.0
Taylor (Brighton)	4:31.5
Christopherson (Novi)	4:32.6
Rutkowski (Novi)	4:32.7

400 DASH	
Carpenter (Howell)	50.8
Be. Burnett (Milford)	50.8
Falls (Brighton)	51.0
Cooke (Pinckney)	51.0
Masikill (South Lyon)	52.0
D'Andrea (Milford)	52.0
Clark (Novi)	52.0
Pernia (Pinckney)	52.2
Foster (Novi)	52.7
Avenius (Novi)	52.8
Walden (Fowlerville)	52.9
Weickel (Northville)	53.1

300 HURDLES	
Bl. Burnett (Milford)	39.2
Quinn (Brighton)	40.3
Nash (Milford)	40.6
VanLandschoot (Novi)	40.9
Broggio (Brighton)	40.9
Pawling (Northville)	41.6
Goloback (Brighton)	41.9
Breault (South Lyon)	42.3
Merna (Pinckney)	42.3
Grunder (Milford)	42.6
Sterett (Novi)	43.1

800 RUN	
Blakeslee (Howell)	1:58.9
D'Andrea (Milford)	1:59.1
Carroll (Northville)	1:59.1
Christopherson (Novi)	1:59.2
Taylor (Brighton)	1:59.5
Wojciech (Brighton)	2:01.1
Avenius (Novi)	2:01.5
Serlewicz (Milford)	2:02.7
Call (Fowlerville)	2:03.6
Pernia (Pinckney) 2 03 8	
Greenless (Milford)	2:02.1
Curry (South Lyon)	2:04.0
Ladholz (Pinckney)	2:04.2
Burns (Novi)	2:05.2
Mone (Novi)	2:05.3

200 DASH	
T. Clemens (Northville)	21.9
J. Clemens (Northville)	22.2
Be. Burnett (Milford)	22.3
Seals (Fowlerville)	22.8
Brndson (South Lyon)	23.0
Ceane (Northville)	23.3
Goto (Novi)	23.3
Wylie (Pinckney)	23.3
Cooke (Pinckney)	23.3
Dhue (Howell)	23.4
Lamansky (Brighton)	23.5
Babcock (Pinckney)	23.6
Hayden (Milford)	23.7
Ceane (Northville)	23.7

3,200 RUN	
Bauer (Howell)	9:32.1
Avenius (Novi)	9:32.9
Greenless (Milford)	9:40.0
Kennedy (Pinckney)	9:47.9
Whisman (Brighton)	9:53.2
Lawson (Milford)	9:59.0
Rutkowski (Milford)	10:05.0
Whisman (Pinckney)	10:07.0
M. Avenius (Novi)	10:08.7
Lampros (Brighton)	10:12.2
Carson (Fowlerville)	10:15
Arbuckle (Northville)	10:20
Grezlik (South Lyon)	10:24 02

1,600 RELAY	
Milford	3:25.9
Howell	3:29.1
Fowlerville	3:29.5

Pinckney	3:29.9
Brighton	3:31.6
South Lyon	3:36.0
Northville	3:36.2
Novi	3:38.0

Baseball	
Hitting	
Average	653
Hadley (Novi)	589
Henson (Brighton)	522
Watkins (Milford)	517
McLachlan (Fowlerville)	505
Garcia (Brighton)	472
Gabrieli (Novi)	463
Krause (Novi)	450
Gilchrist (Northville)	444
Flynn (South Lyon)	438
Nychypor (Hartland)	432
Malik (South Lyon)	429
Miller (Brighton)	425
K. Kumor (Hartland)	423
Edwards (Northville)	408
Garrett (Pinckney)	400
Russo (Hartland)	400
Daly (Fowlerville)	400
Summerill (Brighton)	392
Schaft (Brighton)	389
Phelps (Brighton)	380
Frederick (Hartland)	375
Churella (Novi)	372
Reel (Northville)	372

Home Runs	
Henson (Brighton)	10
Hoorebeke (Hartland)	8
Bradt (Howell)	6
Reel (Northville)	5
Watkins (Milford)	5
Hadley (Novi)	5
Malik (South Lyon)	4
Russo (Hartland)	4
Daly (Fowlerville)	4
Garrett (Pinckney)	3
Edick (Northville)	3
Gilchrist (Northville)	3

RBI	
Henson (Brighton)	63
Garcia (Brighton)	42
Miller (Brighton)	38
Hadley (Novi)	29
Hoorebeke (Hartland)	29
Phelps (Brighton)	26
E. Beihl (Brighton)	25
Russo (Hartland)	23
Gilchrist (Northville)	22
Edick (Northville)	22
K. Kumor (Hartland)	20
Bradt (Howell)	18
Gabrieli (Novi)	18
Reel (Northville)	18

Stolen Bases	
Pawlak (Novi)	24
Motley (South Lyon)	17

K. Kumor (Hartland)	16
Brighton (Northville)	14
Henson (Brighton)	14
Miller (Brighton)	13
Garcia (Brighton)	12
Edwards (Northville)	12

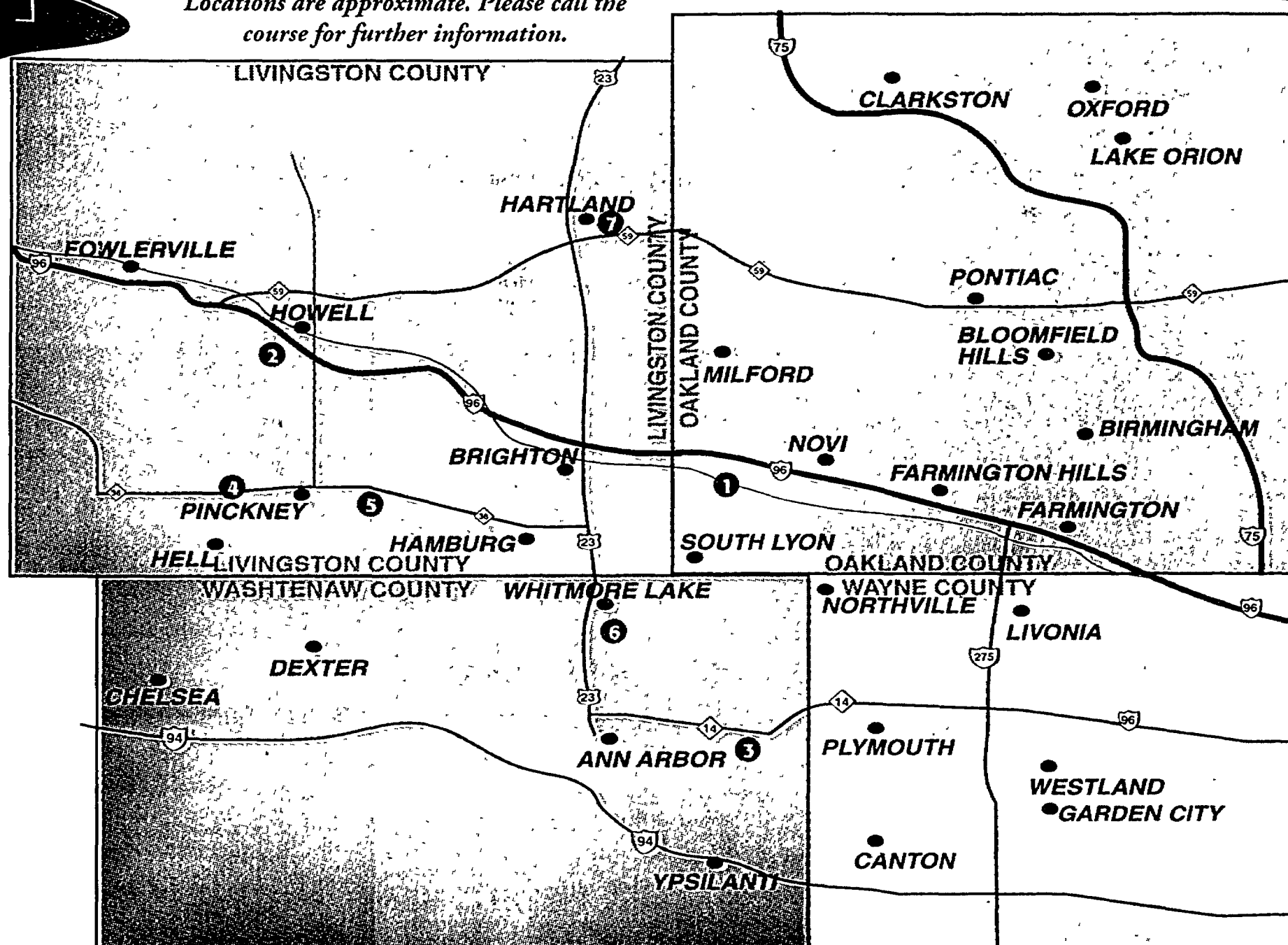
Pitching	
Win-Loss	
Henson (Brighton)	9-1
Edwards (Brighton)	9-1
Nychypor (Hartland)	5-0
Schaft (Brighton)	5-0
Garrett (Pinckney)	3-0
E. Beihl (Brighton)	3-0
Ganster (Hartland)	3-0
Garcia (Brighton)	3-0
Nix (South Lyon)	2-0
DeGroat (South Lyon)	2-0
Morris (Northville)	5-2
Borda (Northville)	3-1
Krause (Novi)	3-1
Russo (Hartland)	4-2
Gilchrist (Northville)	2-1

ERA	
Henson (Brighton)	0.71
Edwards (Brighton)	1.19
Garcia (Brighton)	1.38
Motley (South Lyon)	1.40
E. Beihl (Brighton)	1.59
Malik (South Lyon)	1.62
Garrett (Pinckney)	1.84
Vince (Howell)	2.55
Schaft (Brighton)	2.71
Nychypor (Hartland)	2.53
Currey (Fowlerville)	2.80
Morris (Northville)	3.03

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Health Column

Alternative training techniques can help cut down time from injury

Injuries hurt the athlete in more ways than one. Whether you are a competitive athlete or, like many of us, enjoy staying in shape "just for the health of it," injuries are no fun. Not only is there the physical pain to contend with but also the physical deconditioning (getting out of shape) that takes place in the days, weeks or even months following time off from training.

There are alternative training techniques which can help diminish the down time of an injury by keeping the cardiovascular system conditioned while minimizing stress and strain of the affected body-part injured.

Aerobic exercise can be defined as continuous activity which utilizes oxygen for energy at the cellular level of an exercising muscle. A seasonal hobby for many, examples of aerobic activity include running or biking outdoors when the weather is nice, and in cooler weather either taking it indoors on exercise machines, or switching to other appropriate outdoor activities like cross-country skiing or ice skating.

Sometimes, however, despite taking precautions, the athlete is faced with an injury. Aerobic exercise injuries generally affect the lower extremities including the muscles and joints of the legs and feet. These injuries can range from broken bones to pulled muscles.

Muscle, tendon, and ligament strains (overstretch) and sprains (partial or complete tear) are relatively common types of injuries as well.

Overuse injuries are due to the repetitive nature of aerobic activity and result from

chronic microtrauma (small amount of injury) which surmount over the course of several days to months. The at-risk athlete is one who attempts to do too much too soon which may result in shin splints, stress fractures, sprains, etc.

Once an injury has occurred it is important to seek proper care from a qualified health care provider. "Depending on the severity of the injury an alternative exercise regimen should be initiated promptly, when appropriate," says Matthew Sciotti M.D., who treats people with athletic-related injuries at the Botsford Athletic Medicine Clinic in Novi.

Early reconditioning (getting the body back in shape) is encouraged in most cases. This is largely due to the fact that our muscles, including the heart muscle, get out of shape at a relatively rapid rate. As the injury is healing, it isn't a bad idea to initiate an alternative exercise program.

Depending on type and severity of injury, consider non-impact, then low-impact, then gradually graduate back to a regular aerobic routine.

Non-impact exercises include biking - preferably stationary - which eliminates the irregular terrain, traffic and bad weather associated with road or off-road biking. Exercise machines such as an Airdyne bike, stair stepper, rowing machine, cross-country skiing simulator, and the upper body (arm) bike can also provide aerobic fitness opportunities. Swimming is highly

recommended as an alternative to most other aerobic activities as it works the major muscle groups of the body aerobically and anaerobically by providing some resistance from the water for the muscles to push against.

Low-impact exercises include running in water, walking (indoor, outdoor or treadmill) and exercise aerobic classes.

A strong consideration should also be made to cross-train with weights. If you are not a regular lifter, weight machines are probably your best choice. This is because the range of motion and ancillary movements are controlled by the machine, leaving the emphasis of stress isolated on the muscle group being worked.

Sometimes injuries occur regardless of the kind of physical shape you are in - even if the appropriate measures are taken in terms of warm-ups and cool-downs, proper form, rest, and a sound nutrition plan. These are the times to utilize medical/rehabilitative resources and perhaps consider some of the alternatives discussed in this article.

Wishing you a healthy day.

The author, Joseph Williams D.O., is a family practitioner at Botsford General Hospital's Drakeshire Family Practice. He, along with Matthew Sciotti M.D., also treat patients with athletic injuries at the Botsford Athletic Medicine Clinic in Novi. Call (810) 615-8522 to schedule an appointment.

Health Notes

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With the golf season beginning, Water Wheel Health Club is looking to help those who would like to better prepare their bodies for a summer full of golf. The Club will be offering three different programs to those interested.

1. Golf Specific Training Program—Play your best with this unique combination of golf instruction and specific individual physical conditioning. Group and individual lessons are available. Sessions are taught by a Certified Personal Fitness Trainer, and Golf Professional and include an interview, analysis, program design and monitoring and evaluation. Sessions held at local golf ranges and at the Water Wheel Health Club in Northville. Call (248) 449-7634 for more information.

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ST. MARY'S CALENDAR

St. Mary Hospital Community Calendar for May:

May 21 - Premarital AIDS Class

The Marian Women's Center at St. Mary Hospital will offer a premarital class on Thursday, May 21, from 7 to 8 p.m., in Pavilion Conference Room A. Those who wish to marry in Michigan are required to receive information about sexually transmitted diseases such as HIV/AIDS before applying for a marriage license. Upon completion of the class, each person will receive the certificate necessary to obtain a marriage license. Certificates are valid for 60 days. Registration is required. Cost is \$15 per person or \$25 per couple. To register, call (734) 655-1100 or toll free at 1-800-494-1615.

May 27 through June 3 - Cholesterol Education Class

St. Mary's is offering a cholesterol education class, "Eater's Choices" on Wednesday, May 27 and June 3 from 7-9 p.m. in the hospital's

Pavilion Conference Room A, near the south entrance.

Learn to plan meals, read food labels, and find the fat budget for your calorie needs. The result is lower blood cholesterol levels and a healthy heart. Taught by a trained registered nurse, the course includes food samples and recipes.

Registration is required. A \$25 class fee covers course materials. For information or to register, please call (734) 655-8940 or toll free at 1-800-494-1650.

FETAL ALCOHOL SYNDROME

The Oakland County Health Division's Health Education Unit and Office of Substance Abuse is co-sponsoring a training for health care workers entitled "Reducing the Risk for Fetal Alcohol Syndrome: A Community Approach." The program is designed to provide an educational and skill building experience for those who are concerned about preventing the devastating effects of alcohol on the unborn baby.

Reducing the Risk of Fetal Alcohol Syndrome will be held Wednesday, May 13, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Glen Oaks Country Club, 30500 W. Thirteenth Mile Road, Farmington Hills.

To register or for information, call Kathleen Altman, Oakland County Health Division, (248) 424-7125.

AEROBIC WEIGHT TRAINING

This consists of a one-hour workout with an emphasis on both cardiovascular fitness and muscle strengthening. It meets for seven weeks Mondays and Wednesdays from 5 to 6 p.m. There is a \$50 fee. Preregistration is required.

For more information or to register, call the Botsford Center for Health Improvement-TRACC, 39750 Grand River, at (248) 473-5600.

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. This is an informal discussion for participants to share resources and provide emotional support.

For more information contact Norma at (313) 462-3788 or Cheryl at (810) 363-3866.

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CANCER SUPPORT

"Focus on Living," a self-help group for cancer patients and their families, meets the first Wednesday of each month at St. Mary Hospital.

Co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society, "Focus on Living" is a self-help group that gives participants an opportunity to discuss their concerns, obtain answers and gain support from others who share the same experiences.

The goal is to improve the quality of cancer patients' lives through this sharing of information and experiences. Registration is not necessary, and there is no charge to attend the meeting.

For more information, call (313) 655-2922 or toll free 1-800-494-1650.

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WOMEN'S SUPPORT GROUP

Botsford physician Robert Boorstein, D.O., and Botsford Health Development Network Project Manager Mary Kors, R.N., B.S.N., discuss breast cancer and the latest news on treatment options. This monthly forum for women ages 40-60 presents issues and concerns dealing with mid-life changes.

The class meets from 7 to 8:30 p.m. There is no charge. For more information, call (248) 477-6100.

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Mustangs play second fiddle to Raiders

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seeded second coming into the tournament, but ran into a focused Shade. He crushed Kettering 6-0, 6-0 in the second round.

Ryan Prendergast and Steve Chisholm picked up a point at two doubles with a win over Detroit Central 6-0, 6-0 in the first round.

"We were close (to winning)," Norton said. "Had a couple of those matches gone a different way, we would have taken a couple of points from them. But I figured if we could take second place, we'd be happy. Everybody stepped up

and contributed by winning their first match."

N'VILLE SECOND AT WLAA

The Mustangs couldn't top the Raiders at the league meet either. North Farmington scored 28 points and easily outdistanced Northville (23 points.) Canton (12), Churchill (11), Farmington (8), Salem (7), Stevenson (7), Central (6), Western (6), Harrison (3) and John Glenn and Franklin (1 each) rounded out the conference.

Eggel won the conference crown with a win over North Farmington's Nomit Shah in the

finals 6-2, 6-1.

Gerlica and Thomson defeated the same team that ousted them at regionals to win the conference championship at third doubles. The duo topped North Farmington 7-6 (3), 6-4 in the championship.

Sokloski and Schlanser lost to North Farmington 1-6, 2-6 in the finals to finish second-team all conference.

Thomson and Ishigami suffered the same fate at one and four singles. Thomson lost to Brad Jaffe of North Farmington 0-6, 6-7 (4) in the finals and Ishigami lost to Canton's Richie Kkeh 3-6, 6-2, 2-6

in the championship.

Conway and the teams of Prendergast and Chisholm and Brian Wilson and Jack Wang all lost in the semifinals.

Current records for the Mustangs are: Thomson (18-5); Eggel (21-0); Conway (18-5); Ishigami (14-6); Sokloski (18-6); Schlanser (18-6); Chisholm (8-8); Prendergast (9-10); Gerlica (18-3); Thomson (18-3); Wang (10-5); Wilson (10-5); Brooks Tomlinson (7-3); Brian Arndt (7-2).

HOW TO

Fighting moisture in basement walls

By Gene Gary
Copley News Service

Q. I read your column on moisture problems in the basement. We have had problems with a basement we converted into a recreation room. Originally, the walls were plastered, and with age the walls developed a chalky residue with numerous blisters in certain areas. We applied joint compound over the existing plaster and within a short period blisters appeared through the new coating. We checked for moisture sources as you recommended in your column. The walls now appear dry. What can we do now to correct the blisters and prepare the surface for paint?

A. Chalking and blisters is common on plastered basement foundation walls. Often, the plaster was applied directly over the concrete foundation. Moisture working its way through the foundation walls causes the chalking and blisters on the plaster surface. Because of this, plastering basement walls is no longer a recommended practice.

Assuming that any serious moisture problems have been corrected, you can proceed with resurfacing. Your best solution is to construct a separate wall inside the foundation wall. Begin by cleaning the existing plaster. Scrape away all loose plaster using a wire brush. Then, coat the wall with Drylok, or a similar brush-or-roller applied coating, available at home centers. After the sealer is dry, build your wall with 2x4s (use a treated wood bottom plate) and insulate between the studs with rigid panel insulation (Styrofoam or Celotex) or fiberglass batts. Then install a plastic vapor barrier over the insulation and studs. Install drywall over this surface, taping the joints and sanding prior to painting.

Q. We had to cut down a large tree in the yard which was diseased. A sizable stump, approximately 3 feet in diameter and 1 foot high, remains. What's the best way to remove this obstruction?

A. This job requires operation of a chain saw and a stump grinder. If you are comfortable using a chain saw, start by cutting the stump as flush to the ground as possible. Be sure and wear eye protection. Take particular care to avoid kickback from the chain saw. You may have to bury the tip of the saw into the wood and kickback is likely. Watch for flying dirt, too, which will rapidly dull your chain.

If you are not familiar with chain saw operation do not attempt this. It's better to call in a professional tree-trimming service for the removal job. Stump grinders, used by professionals, can be rented. But again their operation is tricky.

If you use a stump grinder, read and follow safety precautions carefully. Nearby windows should be shielded with plywood. The grinding process throws wood chips in all directions and for some distance. Once the stump removal is complete, fill the hole with top soil and replant with ground cover or grass seed. Save the wood chips for mulch around trees and shrubbery in your yard.

Q. We have textured walls which we would like to convert to a smooth surface. Do you have any recommendations on how to change these walls?

A. It's not an easy task. However, there is a product on the market, "Texture-Off," marketed by the Wm. Zinsser & Co. It works like a paint stripper and will remove most textured materials from walls and ceilings. A wet-on-wet technique is recommended. Roll on one coat of the stripper on using a thick-napped roller. Wait two hours, then roll on another coat. Let this set overnight and then scrape it off. It's a messy, difficult task. Consider the magnitude of such a project before you tackle this job. If you need more information, contact Wm. Zinsser & Co., 39 Belmont Drive, Somerset, NJ 08875, phone (908) 469-4585, fax (908) 563-9774.

Q. I have two interior doors that will not stay shut without some sort of restraint. They are both on the same wall; one swings open, the other, shut. Both move in the same direction. The doors are not warped and seem perfectly framed. What could cause this problem, and what can I do about it?

A. To work properly, a door must be hung truly vertical. Check each of your doors with a 4-foot-long level. One door off the vertical could be improperly hung. However, if both doors are off at about the same degree, the problem is likely caused by settlement of the house.

Check the wall surface between the doors. If that leans, too, it will confirm that the entire structure is pitched slightly. You may be able to fix the doors by resetting the hinges, followed by truing up the doorstop strips. Otherwise, you'll have to rely on catches and latches to keep those doors where you want them.

Send e-mail to copleysd@copleynews.com or write to Here's How, Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190. Only questions of general interest can be answered in the column.

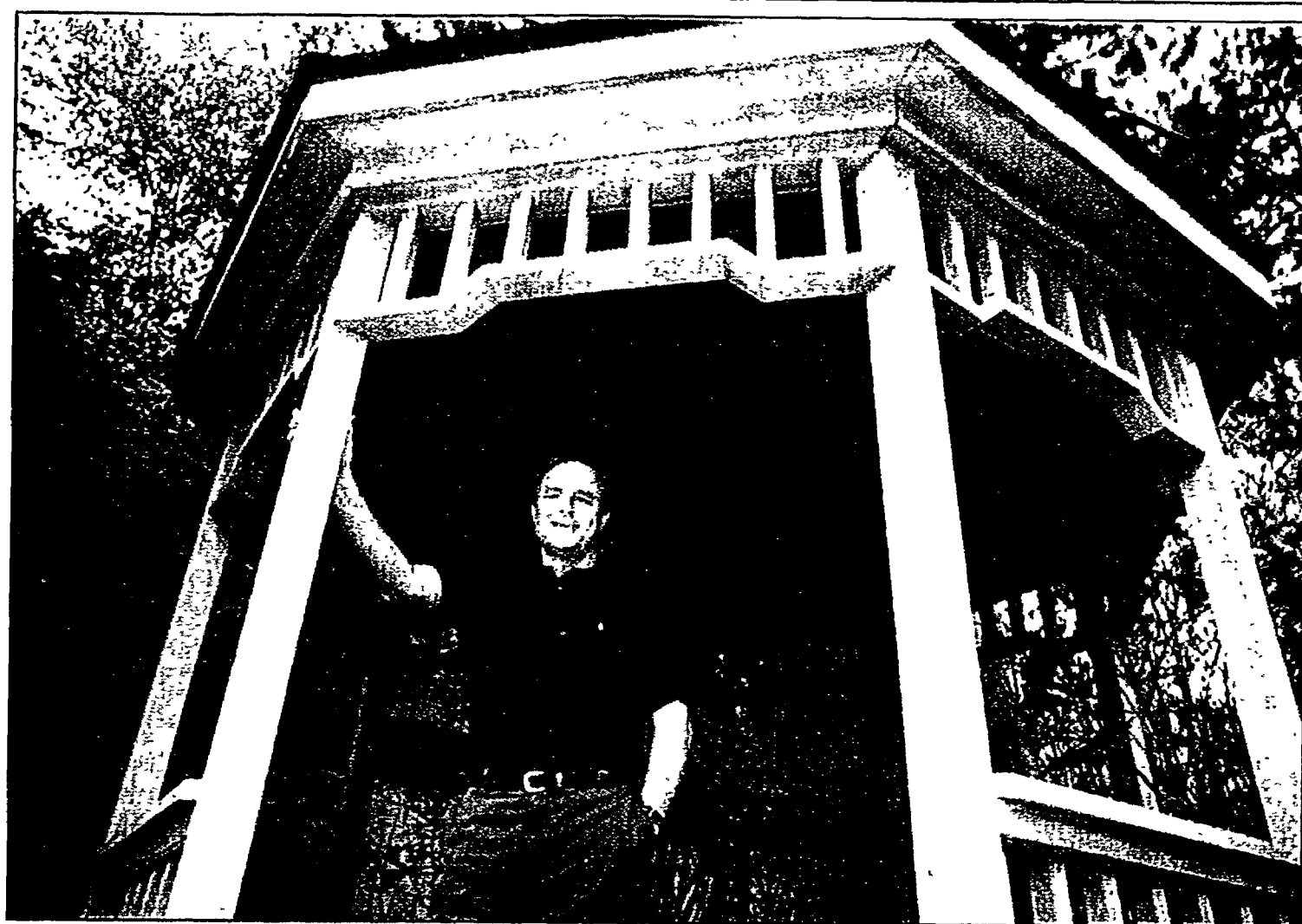


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Mike McCoy, of McCoy construction can build and install this ten-foot, octagon-shaped cedar gazebo for about \$6,500.

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DECKED?

A properly designed and constructed deck adds value to your home

By ANNETTE JAWORSKI
Special Writer

A properly built and maintained deck should be an asset to any home, according to Mike McCoy, president of Coy Builders in Walled Lake. "A deck should be an addition to the house. If it doesn't look sharp, and it doesn't add to the value of a home, it doesn't do its job," he said. McCoy's first

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piece of advice in building the deck of your dreams is to look to the professionals to help with the design work. "The biggest mistake homeowners make is trying to design the

deck themselves," he said. "You can actually spend \$5,000 on the back of your home, (with a deck) and detract from the value of the home. You go to a doctor when you're sick, so

when it comes to designing and building your deck, go to an expert," McCoy said. Decks have evolved during recent years from wolmanized wood, which warped and twisted

according to McCoy, to the current favorite, cedar. He estimated that about 98 percent of the decks he builds are western red cedar with a wolmanized structure. McCoy's advice in building a deck include: 1.) Match the color of your deck - such as railing, fascia, steps and bench edges - with the

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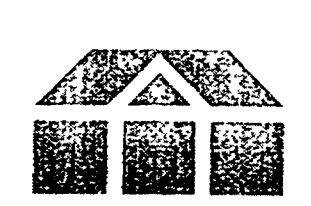
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Circa 1900 pitcher produced by Wedgwood

By Anne McCollam
Copley News Service

Q. This is a photograph of a pitcher that I inherited and know nothing about. It is 7 inches high and the handle is in the shape of a dog. The colored hunt scene is in relief against a cream-colored background.

Marked on the bottom are the words "Wedgwood - Barlaston - England - D'ye Ken John Peel - 1829." In the center of the back stamp is a portrait of a man.

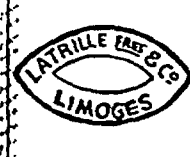
What can you tell me about my pitcher?

A. Wedgwood first produced this hunt scene around 1800. John Peel was a Cumberland huntsman who lived from 1776 to 1824.

Your circa 1900 pitcher would probably be worth about \$150 to \$250.

Q. We have a service-for-12 set of china that was a wedding gift 39 years ago from my brother. He purchased it at an estate sale and was told it was more than 30 years old at that time. Each dish is decorated with dainty pink flowers against a white background. The enclosed green mark is on the dishes.

Since we are planning to give the set to our daughter, we would like to know more about it.



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A. Latrille Freres in Limoges, France, used the mark you provided from 1899 to 1913. "Old Abbey" is the name of the pattern. The complete set would probably be worth about \$800 to \$1,200.

Q. I have a pink Depression glass covered vegetable dish. It is decorated with roses separated by ribbed panels. The dish measures 10 inches in diameter and is in mint condition.

Could you tell me the name of the pattern and the value of my dish?

A. Judging from your description, the pattern is "Mayfair," also called "Open Rose." Hocking Glass Co. made this pattern from 1931 to 1937. It was available in crystal, yellow, pink, blue and green. Some pieces have a satin finish and are not as desirable with collectors. Only a few pieces have been reproduced.

The value of your dish would probably be about \$115 to \$125.

Q. I have three small bisque figurines of Mickey and Minnie Mouse that were made in Japan. They are all playing different musical instruments and are a little over 3 inches high. Each is marked with its name and the words "Copyright 1928 - 1930 By Walter E. Disney."

Could you please tell me the approximate value of the three pieces?

A. You're missing one musician. Originally, it was a set of four.

"The Collector's Encyclopedia of Disneyana" by David Longest and Michael Stern lists the complete set at \$425 to \$500, depending on condition. Your set would probably be worth about \$325 to \$400.

BOOK REVIEW

"Collector's Guide to Art Deco - Second Edition" by Mary Frank Gaston is published by Collector Books. Since the first edition of this book was published, there has been a significant increase in interest in Art Deco objects and values. Gaston has provided updated information that the seasoned collector along with the novice can rely on.

This revised and expanded edition includes over 600 full-color photos, lists of manufacturers, marks and a brief history of the period. Current values are included with each description, making it easy to research pieces. Gaston also has featured a special section identifying reproductions of bronze figurines seen on today's market.

Readers are sure to find this book an easy-to-use reference guide.

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).



This pitcher, featuring a hunt scene, was made circa 1900 and is probably worth from \$150 to \$250.

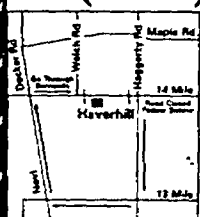
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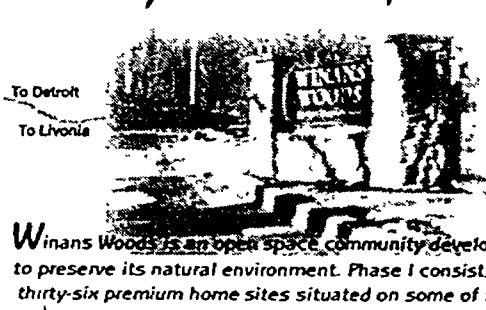


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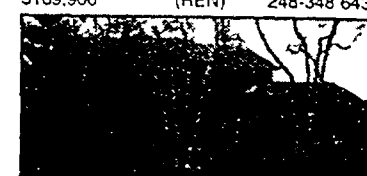
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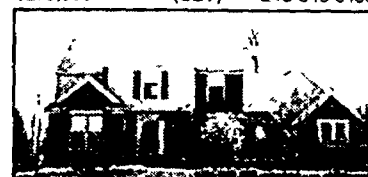
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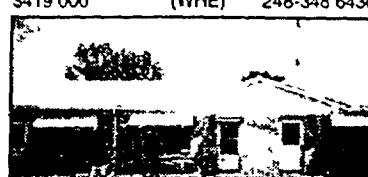
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Staining versus sealing a matter of taste

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wood trim of the house, leaving the floor natural. It's important, because designing the deck this way actually requires less maintenance, McCoy explained.

2.) Don't forget the landscaping. No matter how well your job is completed, it won't look sharp unless colored and landscaped properly. McCoy is in the process of remodeling a bit himself, he will soon be adding a showroom to his Martin Road office in Wall Lake. In addition to the expansion, Coy builders is also celebrating 20 years in business. McCoy credits the company's success to keeping focused only on decks and remodeling basements, and invaluable help.

He also credits vice president, Richard Saferian; Ralph Geisler, assistant to the vice president;

and his brother, Dave McCoy, for the company's continued growth and excellence. If you're thinking about building or have recently built a new deck, even new decks need a light washing before they have a stain or seal applied, said Mike Sinutko of Woodbrite Professional Deck Care in Ferndale. "The reason is that there are footprints, and markings from construction...you have to get all of that off. You don't want to seal it in there. Another misconception is that you need to stain or seal a deck immediately. Not so, he said. Wait for three to six months. In the meantime, he recommends protecting it with a product called Seasonite, a water born, new wood stabilizer. UV rays from the sun will damage the wood Sinutko said.

In fact, decks built in late spring or early summer that have been

Tips for designing your deck

- 1.) Build a deck with two or more levels.
- 2.) Avoid 90 degree corners, (rectangles and squares)
- 3.) The levels should be two or more risers apart in the elevation.
- 4.) Don't begin and end your deck at the corners of your home.
- 5.) Steps should be located only off the lower level.
- 6.) Run the deck boards diagonally in different directions.
- 7.) Use railing only around the upper level with benches and steps around the lower level.

Design suggestions by Mike McCoy, condensed from Detroit Metropolitan Woman

protected with Seasonite can wait until next spring for sealing, said Woodbrite owner, Dave Krauskoff. From there, deck maintenance should be a yearly task to preserve your investment. Another

word of caution, Krauskoff explained - leave deck cleaning and preserving to the professionals. "A lot of people attempt it once, but never again. It's too much work and often poor results."

Krauskoff said. The biggest mistake made by do it yourselfers includes the stop and go marks that won't go away until they actually weather off.

Staining versus sealing is a matter of taste, according to Krauskoff. Some people prefer the natural look of wood grain with staining. It's also less expensive than staining and sealing. The combination will cost more money, although the look is spectacular. And never, stain horizontal pieces of wood, or the tops of the rail. After exposure to the sun, the finish will crack and peel. In placing your deck, also consider that shaded areas and sunny areas will weather unevenly. Krauskoff said. This may eventually require sanding. He rarely recommends stripping, since sometimes that doesn't correct the problem and they may have to sand anyway. Why charge a customer

for both services, he reasons.

If applied correctly sealer shouldn't need to be removed, but should weather away evenly between applications, according to Krauskoff. For staining, they recommend a product called TWP, or Total Wood Protection. Although this sealer is more costly than some brands, it is the only product that Woodbrite will guarantee for two years. The Woodbrite staff also recommend that you always hire a contractor that is bonded or insured and find out how many years experience they have. They are also happy to answer any questions you have about deck maintenance. "We're very user friendly," Krauskoff said. Call (248) 398-0000. For great new deck ideas, look for Coy Construction's new showroom to be located at 4214 Martin Road in Wall Lake, call (248) 363-3944.

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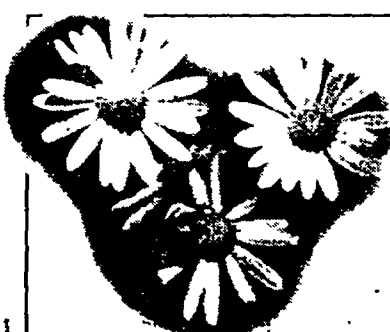
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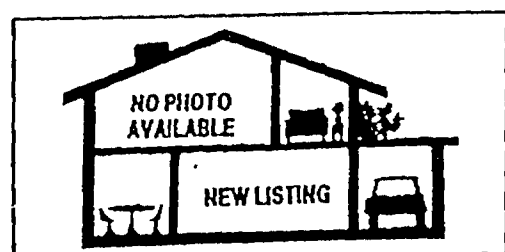
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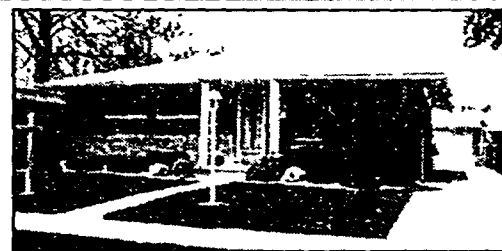
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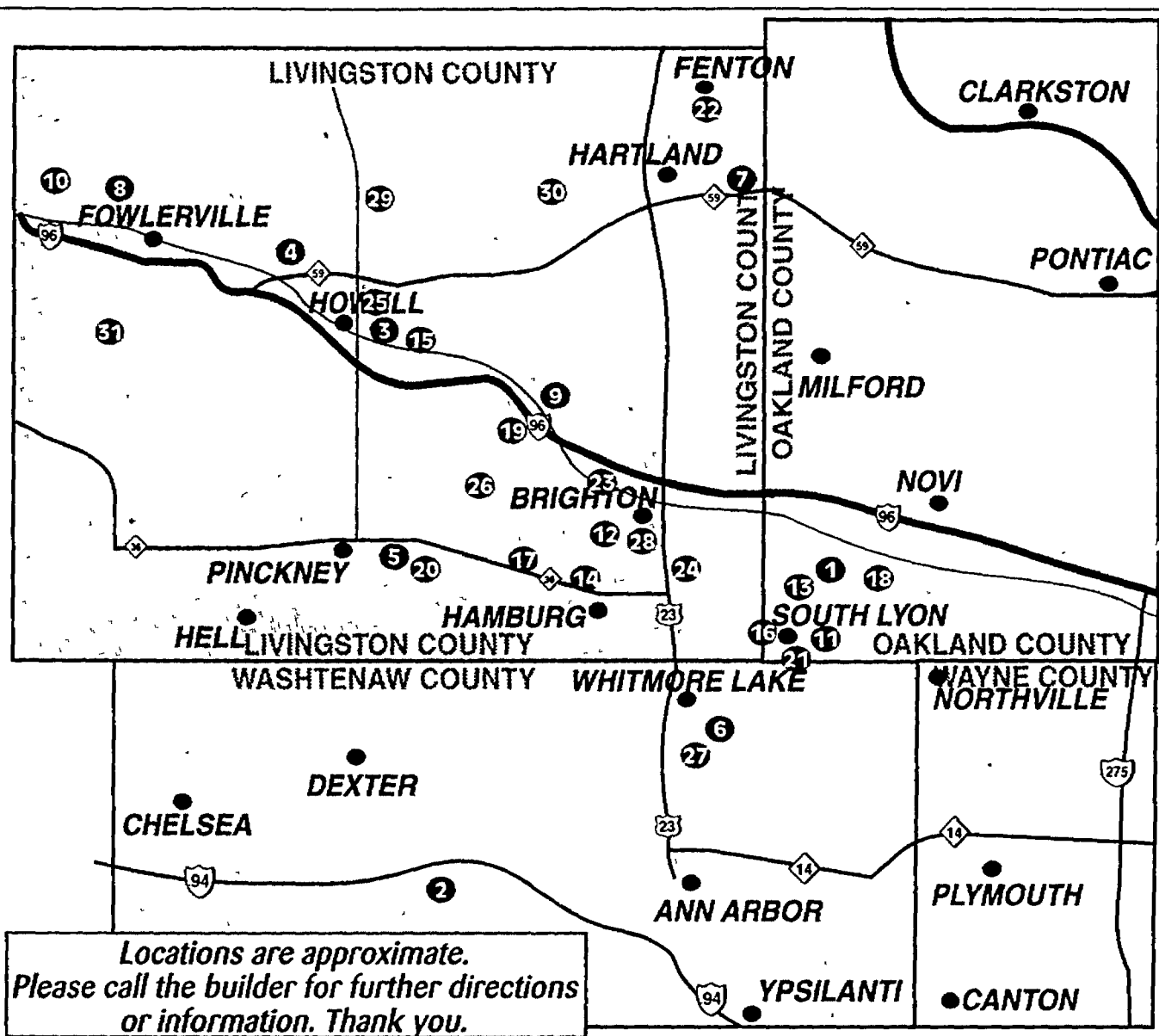
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By DOUG MILLS
Staff writer

At a time when chain stores carry hundreds of unrelated items, Dan Kekich is a retailer who knows his product.

Owner of Wheel Fix-It Bike Shop, 58883 Grand River, New Hudson, Kekich learned his product, bicycles, from the design end.

"I was one of four frame builders for Schwinn at the time," he said. "I built the 7-11/Olympic team bikes and Schwinn's Paramount bicycle."

After he left Schwinn in 1982, Kekich worked as a sales representative for a wholesaler, West Coast Cycle until 1993. Also in 1993, he was National Customer Service Manager for Ross bikes in New York when he talked to thousands of dealers. From 1993 to 1996 he worked as an independent sales representative for Iron Horse Bicycles and for his own company, which he started in 1994.

He designed a pair of gloves that crease along the lines of the wearer's hand for Express Line.

Kekich's business is detail, service oriented. He can fix or modify a bicycle.

A man who comes in to have a sealed bearing unit changed has checked the unit for cracks. Kekich, who gets more customers from referrals than from advertising, said that as a result of the soft winter, people are coming out earlier.

"I like road and off-road biking," he said. "People are realizing that biking is an investment in themselves; they feel better and doctors are saying that there's less stress than with activities like running."

Ninety percent of the bicycles he sells are fat-tire bikes, highly geared and easier to pedal in different environments. Fat-tire brand names sold at Fix-It are Raleigh, Mongoose, Fuji, and K.H.S. Not all fat tire bikes are mountain bikes, which have a 26-inch wheel size.

Juvenile bikes, which have a 20-inch wheel size, include BMX, Mongoose, Robinson, Huff, and Haro. Kekich also sells a hybrid that's a combination road and mountain bike. Its tires, designed for pavement or light dirt, are smoother than a mountain bikes.

"You can spend anywhere from \$200 to \$3,000 or \$4,000 on a bike. It depends on your needs. I sell a lot of mountain bikes around \$250."

Kekich points to a lot of good bike paths in the area, including Kensington's eight-mile loop, 12 miles at Island Lake Recreation, and 17 miles of winding turns at Pinkney State Recreation Area. But he doesn't get to ride any of his 20 bikes as often as he used to because of the business.

Though not a particularly financially rewarding field, Kekich says he's pleased with what he's chosen.

"I have an option to buy a bike shop in Farmington but I like it here," he said. "And in another three or four years, with all the new houses, it'll be pretty busy."



Dan Kekich learned bikes from the design end, building frames for Schwinn.

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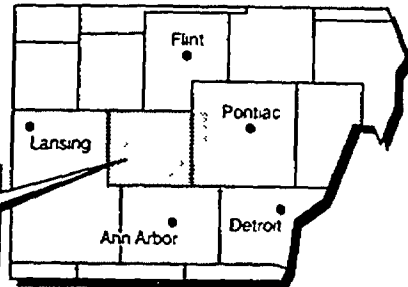
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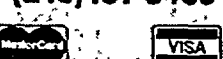
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Individual will perform analysis on chemical blends, finished products, and customer samples. Experience in chemical laboratory and computer knowledge preferred. Will train the right individual. Ability to interact positively with others in a small family owned business essential. Send resume with salary history or requirements to: Technical Director 2V INDUSTRY, INC. 48553 West Road Wixom, Michigan 48393

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EXPERIENCED laborers needed for Wayne Oakland Contracting. Benefits available. Call (734)444-8677.

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Person to work with crew. Need good driving record \$9/hr start + benefits. Resume: Box #2921 Observer & Electronic Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, MI 48150

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CREW - Summer work for well established company. Good pay. Many hours. Must be dependable. Call (734) 522-6644

LAWN & LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE
Help needed. Full time, year-round positions. Excellent wages plus health care benefits. Experience preferred but not required - will train. Call E & B Maintenance today. (248)960-1524

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MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN ON SITE
needed full time for apartment complex in Novi. Experience preferred. Competitive wage, apartment & great benefits. Please call: (248)349-6200

MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island. Knowledge in plumbing and electrical repair. Small appliance repair is preferred. Housing available. Mail your inquiry/resume: Mackinac Employee Services, L.L.C., Attn: Human Resources, Grand Hotel, P.O. Box 286, Mackinac Island, MI 49757 or fax (906)847-3259 EOE, M.F.

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Available in growing retail chain. Bonus program. Entry-level & experienced Managers invited to apply. Wayne County call Andy (734) 513-2577. Oakland County call Ron (248) 926-8650

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Needed for Ypsilanti apartment complex. Second 8 hrs. experience necessary. Good salary & benefits. Send resume to:
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MATERIAL PLANNER
Our client, an automotive manufacturing facility, located in Livingston County, currently has an opening for a Material Planner. To be qualified, candidates should possess a Bachelor's degree in materials management or equivalent related field. Job responsibilities include interfacing with production, establishing supplier releases, & scheduling production. Strong computer skills required. 1-2 yrs. exp. & knowledge of CAD preferred. We provide competitive compensation & comprehensive benefits as well as the opportunity to broaden your scope with recognized & growing company. Qualified & interested candidates are encouraged to promptly submit your resume including salary history & requirements for consideration to: Box 59506, The South Lyon Herald, 101 N. Lafayette, South Lyon, MI 48178.

MATURE PERSON 15+ hrs/wk.
Secretarial work for self-employed salesmen. Must know computers, good pay. (810)227-5198

MECHANIC (GOLF Course)
Seasonal position at Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island. Good basic skills in small engine repair and good attitude. Own tools preferred. Housing available. Mail your inquiry/resume: Mackinac Employee Services, L.L.C., Attn: Human Resources, Grand Hotel, P.O. Box 286, Mackinac Island, MI 49757 or fax (906)847-3259 EOE, M.F.

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Contract for local utility. Full and part-time. Good wages. Training provided.

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For busy Farmington Hills Salon. (248) 553-4480

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NORTHVILLE/GENERAL LABORS - Immediate opening for Production Workers. Heavy lifting required. \$7.50 plus to start. Must have reliable transportation. No exp. necessary. 777 Baseline Rd., Northville, MI or come in for interview between 9am-12. (248)449-9200.

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Looking for energetic people who like to work outdoors. Part time, full time, weekend positions available for greens maintenance crew. We also offer O.T., employee meals, health insurance, paid holidays & vacations. Flexible scheduling.

RETIRES WELCOME
Now accepting applications at 5341 Brighton Rd. Brighton, MI. Oak Pointe Country Club ask for Tom or Scott Mon.-Fri. 7-3:30

OFFICE CLEANING Full time supervisor. Exp. Also part time help. (517)545-1336

OFFICE MANAGER for remodeling company. Must have strong knowledge of computer accounting. Exp. w/pspreadsheets & word processing. Quiet office. Send resume to: Tom Boyle Building Co., 8095 Chilton Rd., Brighton, MI 48116.

OPTICAL DISPENSER needed full time for our busy Brighton area office. Optometrists are now conducting interviews. We offer you a great opportunity to be a respected team member while receiving competitive pay, health benefits & bonuses. Experience preferred, but will train the right individual. Please call Sheryl (810)227-2004

OPTICIAN
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Must have transportation. Call after 6pm. (248)448-0026

PAINTER WANTED experience preferred. References (734)426-1556

PAINTERS NEEDED
Reliable, responsible, own transportation. Will train. Call after 7pm. (810)309-7090

PAINTERS, FULL TIME. Must be reliable and have transportation. (810) 227-6064.

PART-TIME after school, general labor & clean up. \$6 per hr. (248)684-1465.

PART-TIME DELI-CASHER. Flexible hrs., pleasant surroundings. (248) 669-4464.

PART-TIME Employees for Food Service Dept. Apply to: Huron Valley Schools, Personnel Office, 2350 S. Millard Rd. Highland, MI 48357 (248)684-8293

PART-TIME HELP wanted for gift and home decor shop. 3 days per week. Sales exp. helpful - decorating skills a plus. Apply in person between 10 and 3pm, Mon. thru Fri., 120 North Center St., Northville.

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POOL ATTENDANT. Evenings and weekends. Must be 18 yrs. Brighton area. Call (810)229-8277.

POOL LIFEGUARD positions available for condominium complex, must have exp. and be 18 yrs. or older, must have C.P.R. & a Lifeguarding certificate. Apply at Highland Lakes, 20301 Silver Spring Dr., Northville. Call Carol at (248)349-4006.

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We've trained 95% of our people and we can train you for our bindery dept. Looking for full-time, part-time or on call for days, nights & weekends. Starting pay is \$7.00-\$9.00/hr. If you want to join our team: North American Reproductions Inc. 4120 Joy Road Plymouth, MI 48170 (734) 451-8600

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PROCESSORS
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Growing concrete products company in Brighton needs reliable, self-motivated and hardworking production personnel for the day and night shift. Forklift experience helpful. Good wages and benefits. Applications taken Mon. thru Fri., 8am to 5pm.

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PURCHASING AGENT for local roofing Co. needed. Exp. a must. Send resume to: CEI Roofing, Inc., P.O. Box 200, Howell, MI 48844

Quality Assurance Inspector
We are an expanding tool company with an opening for a Q.A. Inspector. Knowledge of QS-9000 and CMM exp. helpful. Wages commensurate with exp. Call, Fax or Apply in person.

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RADIAL DRILL Operator, day shift. Walbridge Lake area (248)669-6300.

RADIOGRAPHER
McPherson Hospital and Brighton Urgent Care, both members of St. Joseph Mercy Health System, have openings for radiographers. Brighton Urgent Care has a Full Time 11pm - 7am position which requires previous Urgent Care experience. McPherson Hospital is seeking contingent staff for all shifts. Qualified applicants may send resume to: Human Resources, McPherson Hospital, 620 Byron Road, Howell, MI 48843, or fax: (517)545-6192 or call (517)545-6623

READYMIX TRUCK drivers, must have CDL with at least 2 yrs. experience. Also Class A License for double bottom trailer. Please send resume or stop by and pick up an application at: Home Concrete, 299 N. Mill St., South Lyon, Call (248)437-6388; or Fax: (248)437-5448.

REAL ESTATE ASSISTANT - desired in West Bloomfield model homes for full time help. Experience not necessary. M-F, 11:30-6pm. Call (248)363-2500 or fax resume to (248)348-4756

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RECEPTIONIST WILD & CRAZY
office. Advancement possibilities. \$350 per week. Call Kim at (248)945-9609.

REMODELING HELPER needed for growing company, no experience needed. Leave message at (810)227-4917.

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For busy car & truck rental agency. Vehicle knowledge helpful, but not necessary. Hourly wage & monthly bonus, full benefits package including 401K. Apply in person Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm to: McDonald Rent A Car 17000 Northville Rd. Northville, MI

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ROOFERS NEEDED, males & females for commercial and industrial. Experience in single ply roofing preferred but not necessary. Union wages and benefits. Call (734)449-1134 EOE

ROOFING & Siding - experience or will train. (248)486-8799.

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Livonia firm seeks organized, hard working person for an established vending route. Rest-stock machines, keep records, properly service customers. Experienced or will train - excellent opportunity to join a winning team. You must be clean cut, in good physical condition, drug free & have a clean driving record. Top pay, full benefits. Fax resume to: (734)427-8370 or Call: (734)427-3510

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(248) 474-3211

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TRUCK DRIVER
SOS, Inc. is accepting resumes for truck driver. Transporting hazardous waste. Current CDL with B & H. 40 hour training and pass physical. Comprehensive benefit package. Send resume to SOS, Inc. 7522 E. Main Dr., Canton, MI 48187. Attn: Personnel Manager. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

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U.S. POSTAL SERVICE
Temporary Relief Carriers needed for Rural Routes. \$11.55 per hour. • Need clean driving record. • Reliable vehicle required. • No entrance exam needed. Apply at the Brighton Post Office, 100 Charles H. Omdorf Dr., Brighton, MI 48116 (810) 229-0677.

UNIT ASSISTANTS needed for non-nursing duties in LTC facility. Flexible hrs. Inquire at: West Hickory Haven, 3310 W. Commerce Rd., Milford between 9:30am-3:30pm (248) 655-1400.

UTILITY LOCATOR, full time, year-round work. 401(h) plan, paid vacation, paid holidays, medical & dental coverage. Please bring current copy of driving record. Call Jason at (248) 299-9411.

VARIOUS POSITIONS at South Lyon grocery store. Needed immediately. Assisting store managers w/exp. scanning coordinator w/computer exp. preferred. Deli clerks, evening & night shifts. Night stock evenings. Benefits avail., wages commensurate w/exp., position. (248) 486-1770 ask for Bob.

WANTED - Year round maintenance of approx. 5 miles of private association roads to include snow removal, grading, sanding & gravel. Send written request for bid sheet to: Hill-Land Lake Association, P.O. Box 467, Pinckney, MI 48169.

WANTED EXPERIENCED MACHINISTS
-Shop specializing in tooling for the fastener industry located in Howell, Michigan. We are looking to hire individuals for the following operations:

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Two to three years experience would be helpful. Carbide experience is helpful. Some overtime is required. Health Insurance, Dental Insurance, Life Insurance, Paid Vacations and Holidays, (401K) and Stock Program. Starting Pay D.O.E. Apply/Send resume to 3033 West Grand River, Howell, MI 48843 or call (517) 548-2250 for further information.

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WANTED MACHINISTS. Minimum 3 years experience on mill or boring mill. 50-60 hours per week. (248) 684-4336.

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Distributor of building materials has full time position open in Shipping & Receiving. Duties include pulling orders, loading & unloading trucks. Outdoor year-round work. Experience with H&L helpful but not required. Permanent position with benefit package.
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Must read blueprints. MIG & TIG. Top pay, top benefits. Wixom area. Call (810) 983-3380.

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YARD PERSON needed for trucking company. Flexible hours. Call Sam-Spr, Mon. thru Fri. (734) 455-4036

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COMPUTER OPERATOR
Southfield marketing firm accepting resumes. Must have prior PC experience, D-Base and/or mailing list software a plus. Send resume to: 28930 E. King William Farmington Hills, MI 48331

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M/F/H/V

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LEGAL SECRETARY with domestic relations experience for full time position. Must know Windows 95 and Word, enjoy client contact and have good secretarial skills. Send resume to: Parker, Miller & Kenhoe, 611 East Grand River, Suite 202, Howell, MI, 48843.

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ACROSS	DOWN
1 Al Capone feature	11 Actor painted from the Cross?
5 Biblical name	12 Actor painted from the Cross?
10 Drawer handles	13 Actor painted from the Cross?
15 Light, pink wine	14 Actor painted from the Cross?
19 Earrings place	15 Actor painted from the Cross?
20 "Papa" Dionne	16 Actor painted from the Cross?
21 Sacco follower	17 Actor painted from the Cross?
22 Algerian seaport	18 Actor painted from the Cross?
23 Graciel	19 Actor painted from the Cross?
24 Silly blunder	20 Actor painted from the Cross?
25 cum laude	21 Actor painted from the Cross?
26 "I Got Started" (1935 song)	22 Actor painted from the Cross?
27 Who sculpted "The Kiss"?	23 Actor painted from the Cross

502 Help Wanted Clerical/Office

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PART-TIME SECRETARY/ RECEPTIONIST wanted for chiropractic office. Morning & afternoon hrs., good salary. Send resume to: Dr. Ingber, 8143 W. Grand River, Brighton 48114.

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PHARMACIST - PART-TIME
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512 Help Wanted Sales

ADVERTISING SALES REPRESENTATIVE

Michigan Directory Company is looking for an experienced outside sales person to join our local telephone directory yellow pages sales team.

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AGGRESSIVE INDIVIDUAL for floor covering sales. Starting pay is \$7.50 per hr. plus commission. Average 45+ hrs. (Anything over 40 hrs. time & a half). Medical benefits plus 401K plan. Please apply at: Donald E. McLaughlin, 31250 S. Milford Rd., Milford, (248)437-8146.

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RETAIL SALES

Hagopian Rugs, carpet & home accents is expanding & looking for creative, energetic sales persons with all levels of experience to fill various positions in our Novi location. Must have eye for decorating, color & design, & enjoy helping people create their home environment. Good follow up essential. Training provided. Etc. earning potential. Good benefit pkg. plus 401K. Send resume to: Novi, Box 121, 6632 Telegraph Rd., Bloomfield Hills, MI 48301 or fax to (734)747-8191.

Sales / Leasing Associate An award winning retirement community is seeking a dynamic, self-starting sales / leasing associate. Base salary plus commission. Please send or fax resume to: Fountains at Franklin 28301 Franklin Rd. Southfield, MI, 48034 Fax (248)353-3453 Attn: Kristine Kowalski

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Automotive aftermarket sales position in the truck accessory industry. Full time with benefits. Salary plus commission. 60 day training guarantee. Unlimited opportunity for an aggressive professional. Auto sales or aftermarket background a plus. Multiple Detroit area locations. Mail resume or letter of interest to: Personnel Dept., PO Box 1072, Southgate, MI 48192

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SALES POSITION available at Builders Plumbing Supply's Novi showroom. Full-time position with excellent benefits & commission program. If interested, contact Marc Rubin between 9am & 10am, Mon. thru Fri. at 734-668-8200.

SALES/AUTOMOTIVE Motor Oil-Lube Products. Prominent oil distributor is seeking an aggressive person for outside sales in our expanding Detroit Suburban market. Outside sales experience a must. Salary plus commission. Company car furnished along with an excellent benefits package. Send resume to: Sales Manager, Kelly Distributing, 9259 Steep Hollow White Lake, MI 48386

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A WEEKEND host/hostess desired for West Bloomfield hotel. Hours: 11:30am to 6pm. Call (248)363-2500

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DEPENDABLE WEEKEND cleaning help, over 18, needed for small office in Wixom. Must have own transportation. \$7.50 per hr. (248)437-4720, after 6pm.

FACTORY JANITOR, floors & odd jobs. 8-10 hours per week. Apply in person, 1244 Grand Oaks Drive, Howell.

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LUMBER YARD ASSISTANT needed for Vandy Farm Sawmill. Hartland area. (810)632-7254

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LOOKING FOR a great place to work? Give us a call at the Howell Nature Center. Openings for the following positions: Maintenance, Summer counselors & naturalists, high adventure personnel & cooks. For more info call. Call (517)546-0249.

MAINTENANCE/JANITORIAL

25 hrs/wk, eve's & weekends. Call Kensington Valley Factory Shops office at (517)545-0500

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Immediate positions available in the local area. If you have worked the floor in Kmart, Wal-Mart, Target, drug or food stores, we'd like to talk to you. Part time positions. Call Sandy 1-800-677-8639 ext. 2642. Leave name, phone # & brief description of experience.

NEED PIZZA delivery drivers. Evenings. Minimum 20-30 hrs/wk. Average \$8-\$10/hour. Apply now for summer work. Five Star Pizza, (517)548-3184

Part-Time ACCOUNTING CLERK

Min. 20 hours. Position avail. thru end of year. Knowledge of payroll and accounts receivable. Some experience necessary. Please send resume.

Health Care INNOVATIONS 8163 W. Grand River Ave. Brighton, MI 48114 (800) 765-7544 FAX: (810) 227-0810 EOE

PART-TIME CUSTOMER SERVICE

position consisting of in-home estimating. No selling necessary. Flexible hrs. Must have reliable transportation. Send resume/ background to: Rick Meyer, 7441 Haggerty Rd., Canton, MI 48187 or FAX to: (734)207-8212

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POOL ATTENDANT

weekends only from 9-6pm. Halstead/14 Mile area. Start immediately. Call Carol at (248)539-3167.

RECEPTIONIST

Part-time, 11am-5pm, Mon-Fri. Light duties. Answer 10-line phone. Ask for Sue, (734)422-7110

STARTER, RANGER & Counter Help. Apply in person: Rush Lake Golf Course, Pinckney. (810)229-4905

SUMMER WORK weekends passing out free samples/ coupons in local stores. Daytime hrs. + great pay 18+. Call Sandra 1-800-235-5619.

THE CITY of South Lyon is accepting applications for part-time cemetery help. \$6.61 per hr. Apply at the Wastewater Treatment Plant, 23500 Duxboro Rd. (248) 437-2326.

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532 Students

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KEEP YOUR Deck looking like new, 20yr. old college student willing to wash & treat decks. (517)548-3246

534 Jobs Wanted-Female/Male

ALL ADS TO APPEAR UNDER THIS CLASSIFICATION MUST BE PREPAID

536 Childcare Services - Licensed

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A CARING daycare where on lake has opening for children over 1 yr. (517) 548-1846

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LOVING MOTHER in Plymouth wishes to care for your child Summer only. (734)207-7873

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TENDER MOMENTS Day care full time openings, meals provided, \$95 weekly. Karen (517)548-9345

537 Babysitting/Childcare Services

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A LOVING Home Daycare, offering pre school educational program, ages 2-10, reasonable rates, exc. references. CPR certified. Gaye (248)437-0652.

A LOVING mother of 2 to care for your children in Howell, full/part time. (517)545-1079

A-1 SITTER, over 25 yrs. exp. Non-smoker, CPR. Reasonable Snacks, lunch. (810)231-1965

LOOKING FOR family like environment/day care, loving, responsible, non smoker to care for our 15 mo old child, 3 to 4 full days per week. Brighton/Ore Lake area if interested, please call (810)231-6067

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NEW DAYCARE opening June 1st, on Grand River off Old 23. RSVP, ASAP. Licensing in progress. (810)227-1312

PARENTS NIGHT out Childcare Service. Sat. evs. Call Janet (248)486-4773 after 6pm.

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CHILDCARE

MATURE LOVING patient woman needed to watch my 2 loveable and busy children in my home. Must be flexible. Perfect for retired person or someone who needs extra income. I am a full time student so days may change with each semester. Hours will vary from 20 to 30 hrs per week, \$6 an hour to start. Please call Marsha at (810)266-6253 for interview, please have resume and references.

MATURE SITTER needed, 3 days or more, 3 children. Transportation needed. (517)548-7926 call between 9am - 7pm.

MOTHER OF 4, ages 1-7yrs., seeking reliable non-smoking babysitter for Sat. evs. Must be at least 18 yrs. & have child care exp. Brighton, (810)227-7221

NEWBORN CARE wanted in my Pinckney home every Friday morning 9:30am-12:30pm., exp & references required, call Pam (734)878-9615

PART-TIME BABY-SITTER needed, 3 days a week, 3:30pm for 2 children 2 1/2 & 6 yrs. (517) 548-2605.

PART-TIME BABYSITTER needed in my Novi home for summer only. Mon & Thurs. 8am-5:30pm for 11, 9 & 6 yr. old. Own transportation. (248)349-4538

SITTER NEEDED in my Pinckney home for 3 girls, must have own transportation, summer months only, flexible schedule, approx. 20 hrs. per wk. Students welcome. (734)878-0250

SUMMER CHILDCARE needed in my Northville home for 10, 8 & 4 yr. olds. Mon-Fri. Full time, non-smoker, own transportation, references. Take kids on outing, swimming, bike rides, etc. Call Sally at (248)349-0111 or 8am-5pm at (248)262-6529.

SUMMER CHILDCARE needed in Northville. 2 girls, ages 8 & 10. Part-time, flexible schedule. Non smoker. Transportation & Pets required. (248)344-4507.

SUMMER DAYCARE needed for 11yr old boy, 7yr old girl. Part-time, Howell or South Lyon area. Well behaved & have manners. Call (248)437-4133 ext. 250 days or (517)546-6493 evs

SUMMER SITTER in my Novi home needed for 13 & 10 yr old girls. Light housekeeping, own transportation required. 8:00am-4:30pm Mon-Fri. Ref required (248) 305-8661.

SUMMER SITTER in my Northville home Mon-Fri, references required, non smoker. Call after 6pm. (248) 374-6161

BABYSITTER NEEDED 3 days per week in our Novi home to watch our 10, 10 1/2, & 12 yr. old children. Must be responsible & have car. Call (248)390-9192 leave message on recorder.

CHILDCARE NEEDED 30 hrs/week for summer months in my home. Call (248) 437-7327

FULL TIME babysitter needed for 2 girls (3 1/2 & 7 1/2 yrs old) in Novi. Competitive salary. Own transportation. Starting June 22. Call after 7pm, (248)360-7332

FULL TIME Day Care provider needed this summer for our two boys, ages 5 and 11, in our Brighton lakeside home. Good pay, pleasant working condition. Please contact us with information about your background in child care. Reply to Box #5954 c/o The Livingston County Press, 323 E. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843

ARE YOU looking for an alternative to a nursing home? Country Manor A.F.C. in South Lyon will provide 24 hour care to your elderly loved one. Private or semi-private room available. For information please call (248)437-1810

542 Nursing Care/Homes

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CENA

Looking for a rewarding job? Come join our staff. We have full and part-time positions available on our day shift. Whitehall Healthcare Center of Novi, 34355 W 10 Mile Rd, Novi (810)229-7358

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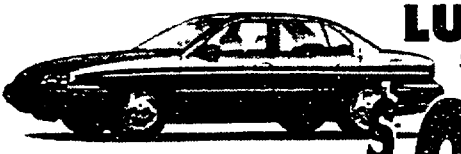
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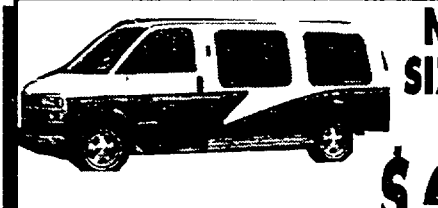
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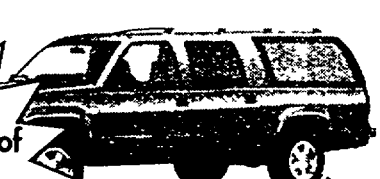
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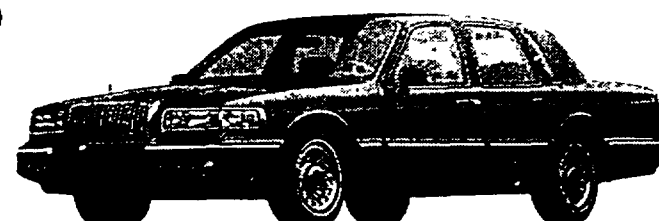
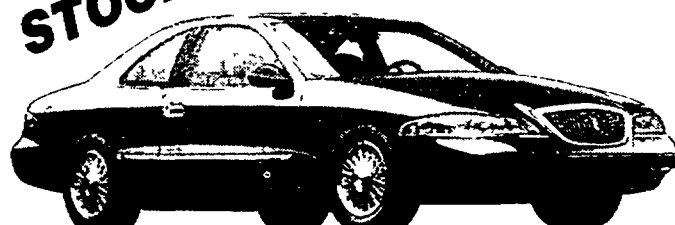
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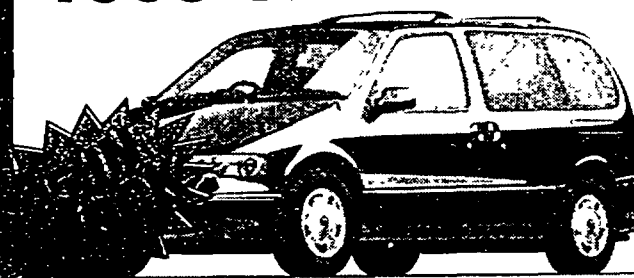
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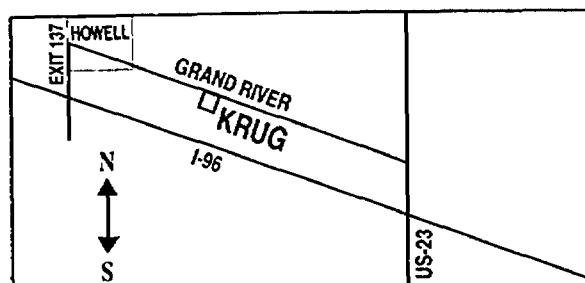


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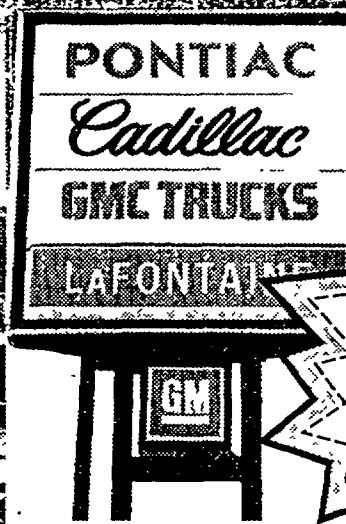
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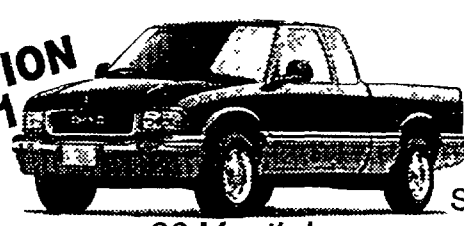
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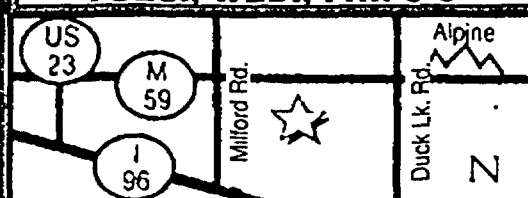
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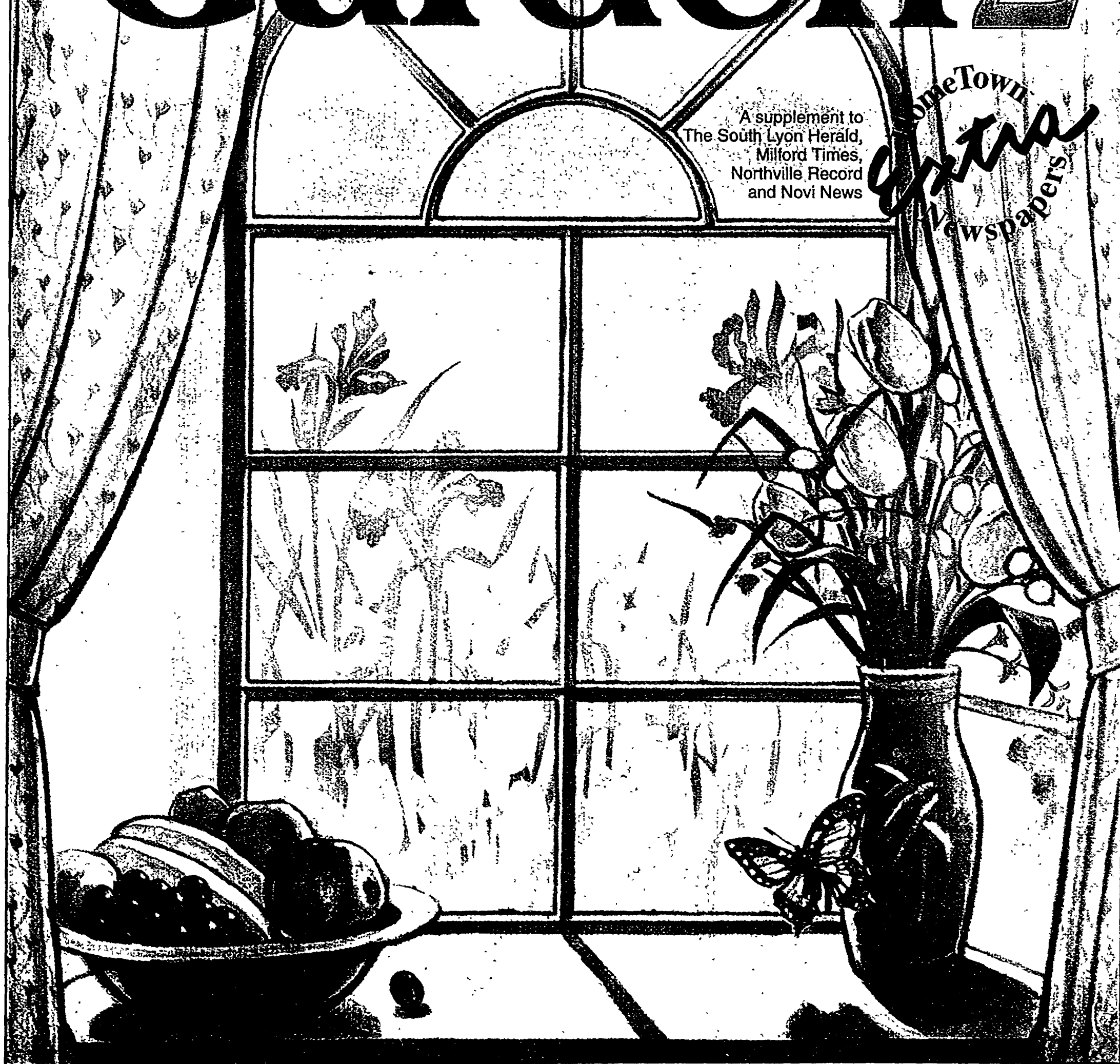
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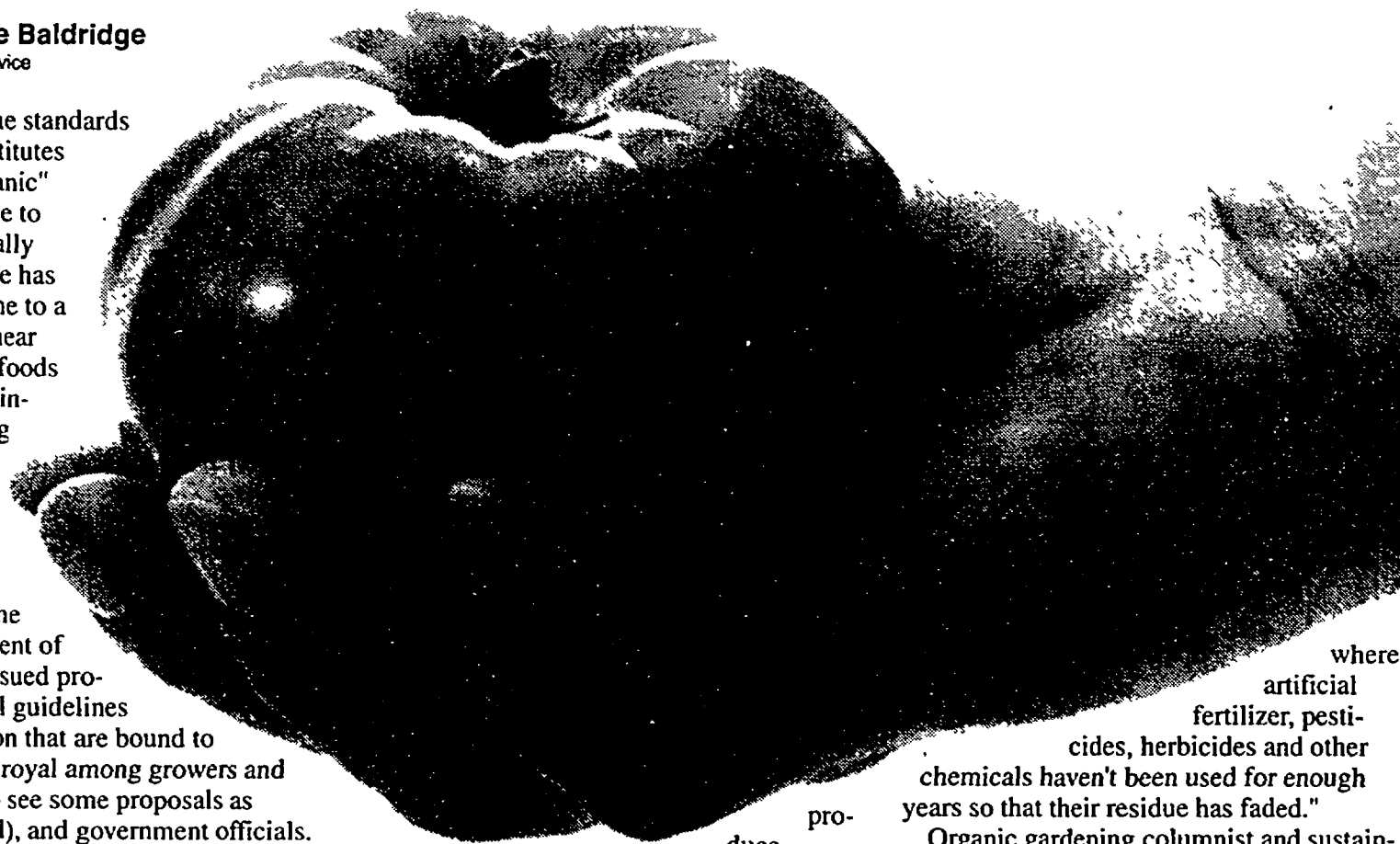
Organically grown foods gain mainstream appeal

By Charlene Baldridge
Copley News Service

Although the standards for what constitutes "certified organic" vary from state to state, organically grown produce has definitely come to a supermarket near you. Organic foods have gone mainstream in a big way.

In late December 1997, after laboring for seven years, the U.S. Department of Agriculture issued proposed national guidelines for certification that are bound to cause a battle royal among growers and activists (who see some proposals as wrong-headed), and government officials. The debate will be most interesting to watch.

Having become disenchanted with "better living through chemistry" - the cry of post-World War II America - more and more people clamor for organic, chemical-free



produce. According to a recent editorial in The San Diego Union-Tribune, Americans currently spend \$3.5 billion a year on organic foods.

"The organic label means less about the food itself than about how it is produced," the editorial states. "It refers to crop fields

where artificial fertilizer, pesticides, herbicides and other chemicals haven't been used for enough years so that their residue has faded."

Organic gardening columnist and sustainability coach A. Gayle Hudgens of Manchaca, Texas, says that most certification

Organic Appeal

Organic fruits and veggies have lower pesticide levels, fewer pesticide residues and significantly less overall pesticide toxicity than fruits and vegetables grown with chemicals. But organic produce doesn't taste much different from chemically grown produce, and nutritional differences are very small.

Those are some of the conclusions of a Consumer Reports study. Other findings:

One-fourth of organic produce sampled by CR had some pesticide residues on them; 77 percent of conventional samples had residues.

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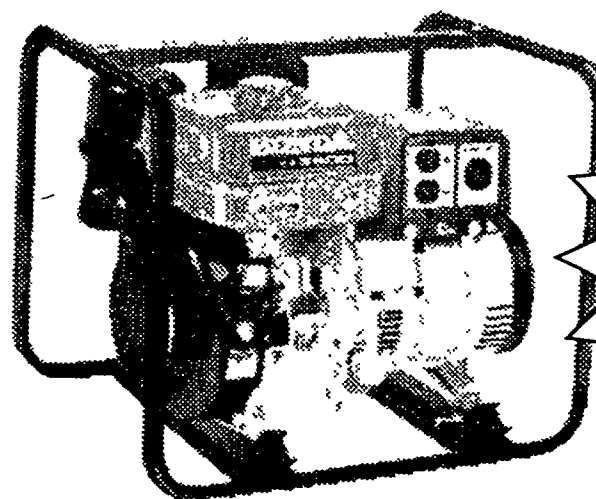
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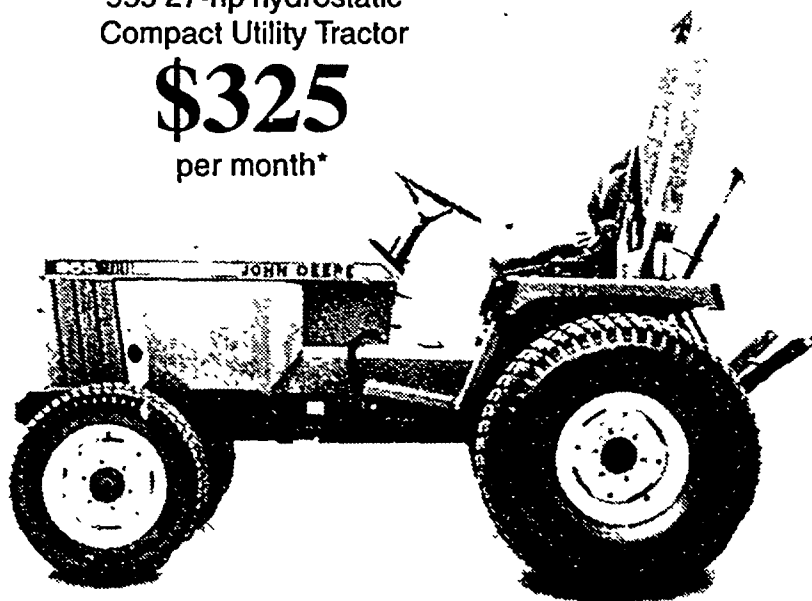
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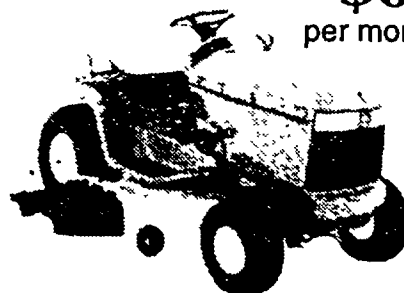
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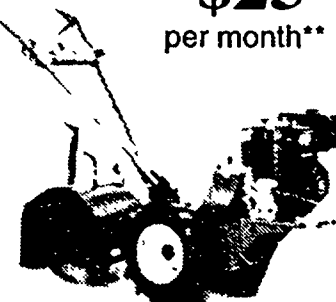
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Organic foods go mainstream

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processes (state and private) require that the soil be free of artificial and synthetic fertilizers, pesticides and herbicides for three years before a grower can be certified.

"Of course, consumers in the know would prefer that the soil never had such unnatural toxins in it," she says.

If you are concerned about your family's health (and the possible effects of chemical pesticides on them and the environment), you may wish to become one of the nearly 28 million Americans who use primarily organic growing methods.

Managing Editor Vicki Mattern writes in the January issue of Organic Gardening magazine, "Organic gardening means actively caring for our gardens, starting with the soil. And it means caring for our gardens and yards as a whole system - one that's comprised of vegetables, fruits, flowers, herbs, insects and animals."

Hudgens recommends John Jeavons' book titled "How to Grow More Vegetables Than You Ever Thought Possible..." (Ten Speed Press).

"Jeavons emphasizes growing the soil even more than growing the crops," she says. "Jeavons' bio-intensive method - double digging or lazy bed gardening, companion planting, composting, growing green manure, and placing plants close together rather than in rows produces more soil, uses much less water, takes the carbon dioxide out of the air and stores it in the soil, and yields much more per square foot than conventional agriculture."

According to Hudgens, Jeavons' methods are used in more than 100 countries.

To get started, Hudgens recommends double digging 2 feet deep in beds 4 by 25 feet. "This way you can reach the center of the bed without stepping on the fluffy soil" - something that compacts it, a no-no. "Add about 3 inches of compost and grow green manure to be dug under in a few months."

Hudgens explained green manure as follows: compost-type crops are planted in the bed. These can be rye cereal, buckwheat, barley, clover, fava beans, agricultural mustard, oats, alfalfa and peas. These crops are not

harvested but are dug under, providing "green" manure. Most people plant a cold-resistant crop like cereal rye over the winter. This prevents soil erosion. "Wind can blow topsoil away," she says.

Regarding the advantages and possible drawbacks of organic gardening, National Gardening magazine Editor Michael MacCaskey, author of the new "Gardening for Dummies," said, "Organic is simpler. If you're scrupulously organic, and by that I mean nothing is unsafe in any way - either for you or the environment - you have a better feeling about your garden. When you eat food from it you know it is pristine. The advantages in organic are mostly in the emotional or metaphysical, and there are advantages that are entirely practical. Those have to do with the fertilizers and soil quality that come with organics. When you practice organic gardening, you're using a different kind of fertilizer, which is slower acting and somewhat less predictable in effect, but it improves the soil. (Organic gardening) is a long-term thing. You're not supplying nutrients for tomorrow or next week, but for the next six months."

"When you do this on a regular basis you reach a point after a season or two where you have a much more stable system. This is true of fertilizers but also true of insect and pest control as well." - Eek! A bug!

Switching from chemical gardening to organic tends to panic people when they think about pest control. MacCaskey says it's easier than ever to control insects organically. Years ago such an endeavor was challenging, because efficacious materials were difficult to find and didn't work terribly well. Demand has led to the development of many new products.

Among MacCaskey's favorites are those made with active ingredients from the Neem tree, which has been used for thousands of years in India.

According to MacCaskey, Neem products are really effective in managing some of the more difficult insects.

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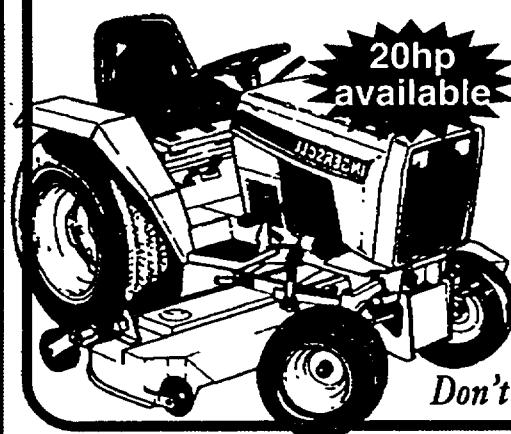
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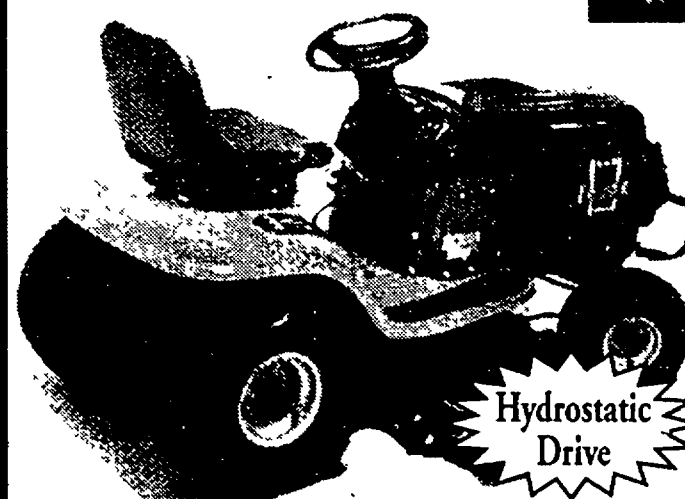
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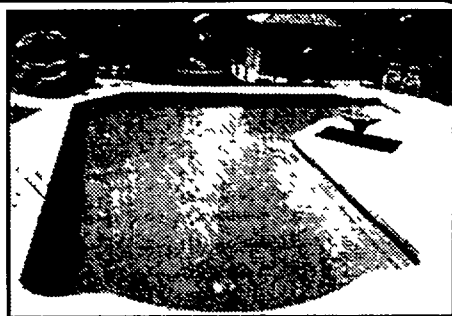
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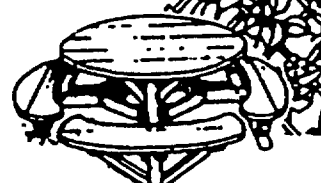
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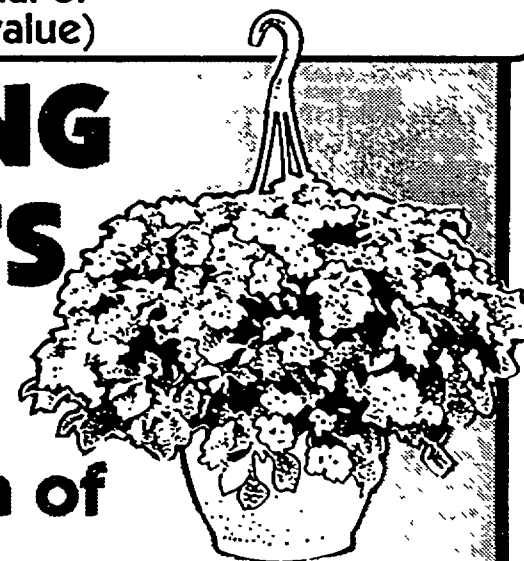


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Pest control in the organic garden

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The novice home gardener tends to want to rid the garden of all insects, but the truth is that some are beneficial. You just have to learn how to tell the bad guys from the good - the ones who would eat your plant material from the ones who prefer to eat them.

"You want to maintain your population of beneficial insects (should you run low, many are available on mail order), and you certainly can't do that with broad-spectrum chemical sprays like Malathion or Sevin, which kill just about everything," says MacCaskey. "It's like swatting flies with a battleship."

According to Organic Gardening magazine, there are naturally pest-resistant vegetables that gardeners may buy from numerous seed companies. For instance, Tiny Tim cherry tomatoes naturally repel whiteflies, and certain types of sweet corn have husks that grow tight around ear tips, shielding against corn earworms.

Cheryl Dorshner writes on America Online's HouseNet about successful insecticides based on the old gardeners' home remedy, household soap. These have been developed within the past decade and have become a tested, regulated, bona fide insecticide. They are used successfully against aphids, scale, mites, whiteflies and a host of pests.

"It's not been clearly determined how soap kills insects," writes Dorshner. "Among the

latest educated guesses is that within about 30 to 60 seconds of contact it removes the waxy coating on insects' bodies and disrupts their osmotic balance."

For whatever reason, such products are safe and effective.

"You have to repeat the spraying every 3-4 days," says MacCaskey, "but it works as well as you want it to."

You can even kick the chemical habit in lawn maintenance these days with organic weed-control products that really work. The active ingredient is corn gluten. No one knows exactly why it works, but there is no adverse effect on earthworms, ladybugs, beneficial soil bacteria or your grass, according to Gardener's Supply Co. of Burlington, Vt.

Among my favorite slug remedies is the use of beer. I was gleeful when a recent issue of Organic Gardening even rated the different brands. Evidently, it's the malt those slimy critters crave, not the alcohol. Just sink some containers in your garden, sacrifice a few Buds and voila, drunk and drowned slugs.

COMPANION PLANTS

Some plants have allies in each other. Certain pairings work to the mutual benefit of each. Others are disastrous.

According to Eliot Tozer in the summer 1997, "Weed and Pest Control Guide" (published by Organic Gardening), an early reference to companion planting appeared over

2,000 years ago, when Pliny the Elder wrote that the herb rue is "very friendly" with figs.

"Ever since," writes Tozer, "gardeners have been swapping countless other suggestions for compatible plant pairings."

Tozer's list of plants that are pals includes ragweed and pigweed planted with bell peppers to act as a leaf miners decoy; cabbage and tomatoes in tandem to reduce the number of diamondback moth larvae. His list goes on. You may consult your local nursery.

COMPOSTING

As Will Rogers once said, "They ain't makin' any more dirt," but many organic gardeners do just that. Topsoil need not be purchased when one composts.

Hudgens has a "compost in three months" formula that can be found on the Web at <http://slnet.com/enews/contrib/art11b.htm>. If you're not on-line, write to her at Sustainability Coaching, P.O. Box 1195, Manchaca, TX 78652-1195.

Other helpful publications, Web sites and outlets follow.

RESOURCES ON-LINE

America Online (keyword: Garden)
DK Publishing's The Garden Patch
(www.dk.com/dk/garden) includes a monthly Pest Gazette
Simple Living Network (<http://slnet.com>)

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(<http://www.newciv.org/GIB/>)
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Native Seeds/SEARCH, 2509 N. Campbell Ave., No. 325, Tucson, AZ 85719; phone (520) 327-9123; \$1.

Seeds of Change, P.O. Box 15700, Santa Fe, NM 87506; free.

R.H. Shumway, Seedsmen, P.O. Box 1, Graniteville, SC 29829; free.

Organic Gardening, published by Rodale Press, 33 E. Minor St., Emmaus, PA-18098; magazine subscriptions (\$25), P.O. Box 7304, Red Oak, Iowa 51591-2304.

"Gardening for Dummies" by Michael MacCaskey (IDG Books).

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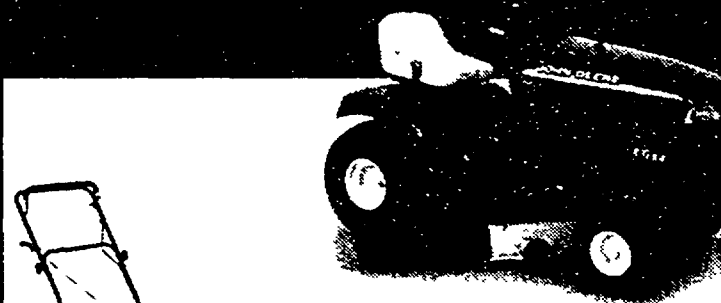
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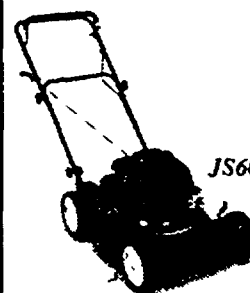
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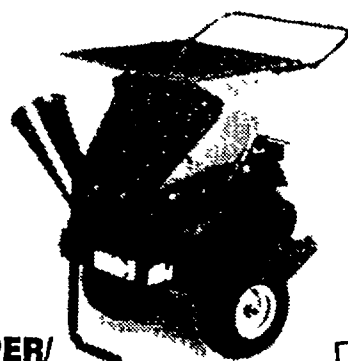


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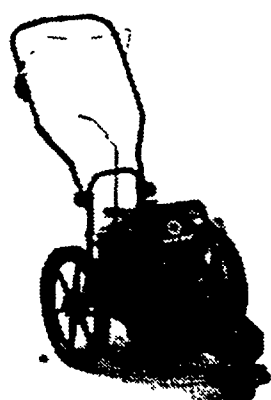
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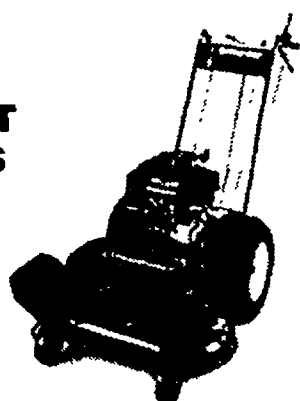
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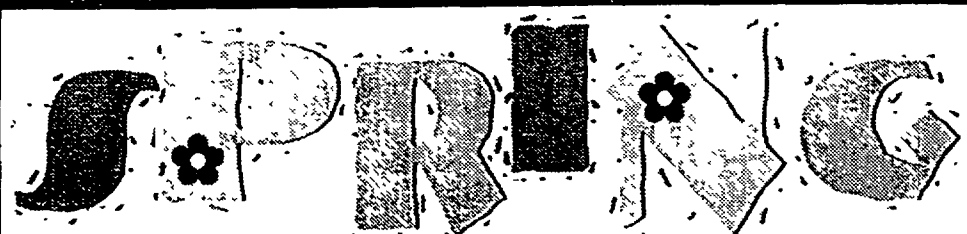
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Ferreting out critters that wreak havoc in yards

By Sally McKee
Copley News Service

Bill Murray dropped dynamite into the holes of gophers in the movie "Caddyshack." Audiences across the land laughed at Murray's fanatical pursuit of eradicating those creatures from the golf course.

For some homeowners, the war with moles in their yard is equally intense.

They've tried drowning, choking, impaling, poisoning, starving, smoke bombing and basically causing the furry creatures to go insane to keep them from creating burrows in their neatly trimmed yards.

And, most have failed.

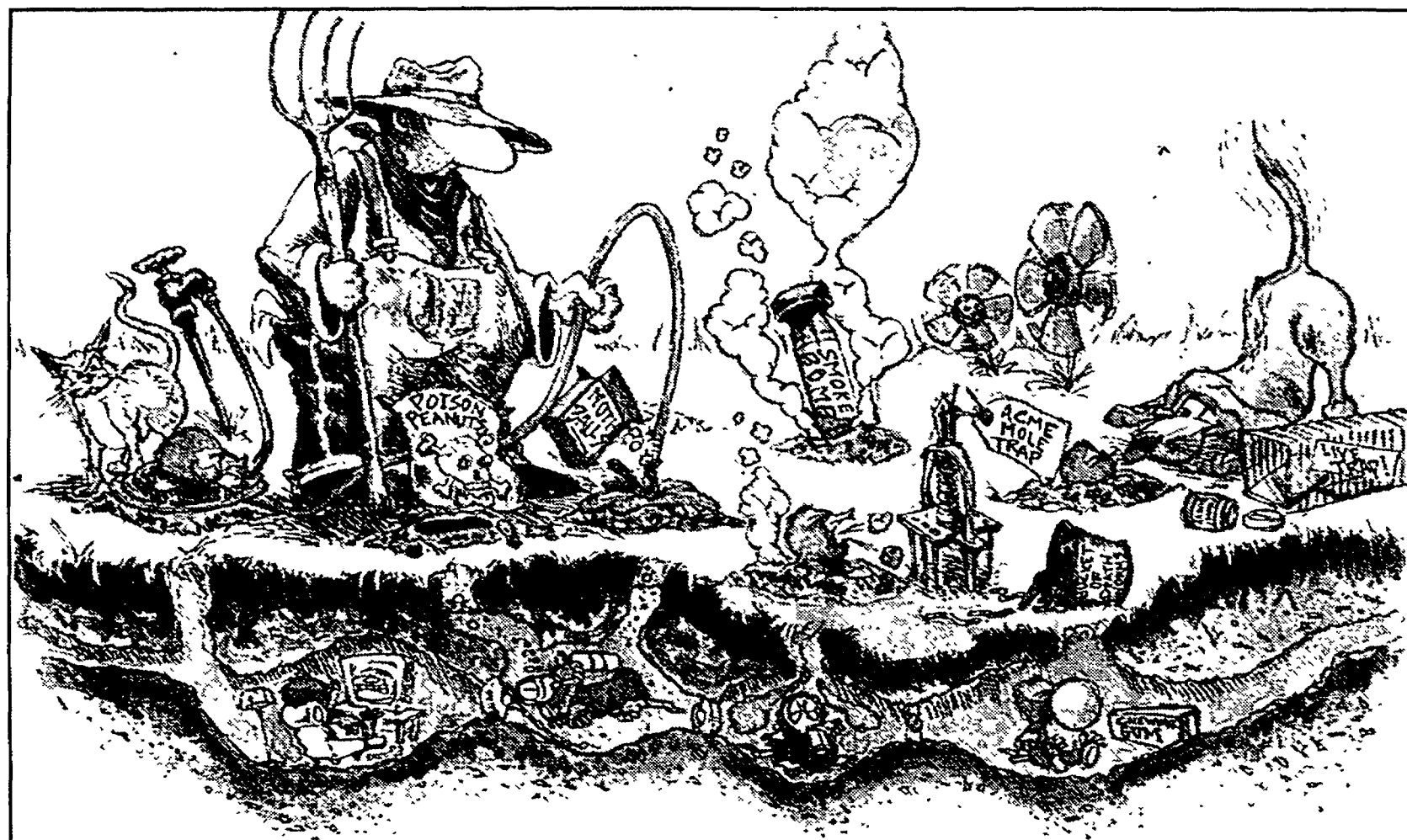
Meet "Dr. Mole."

Dr. David Copeland, a retired pediatrician, is a hero among grass growers. Copeland has single-handedly taken out 104 moles since 1989.

"I advocate trapping," he said matter-of-factly. "It's the only way you can do it."

He dismisses other mole-removal techniques, having tried them all.

A lot of people advocate grub removal, saying it will starve out the moles, he said.



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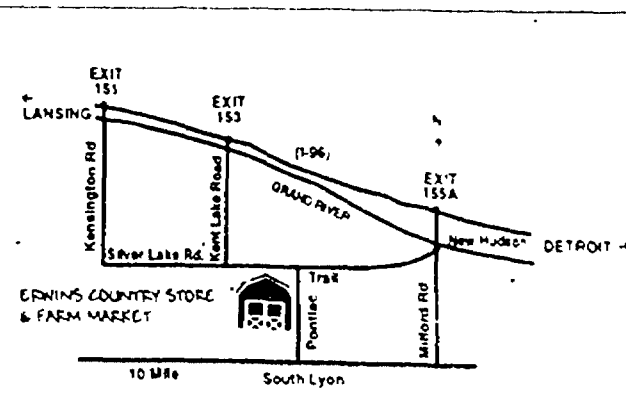
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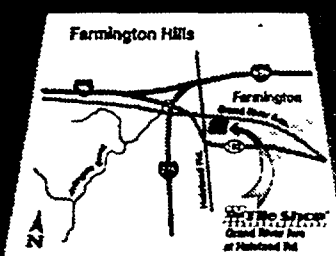
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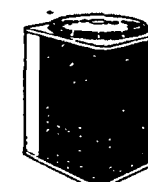
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Expert gives advice on coping with moles

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But grubs are not the mole's primary source of food - earthworms are, and the treatments don't kill the worms.

"I have tried everything," he said. "Nothing works (except trapping)."

Copeland knows his moles. He has read all the material he can find about moles and even kept a few live ones as pets for a while to study them. He has a mole mounted on a board in his house. He donated a mole skull to a nature center.

"If you look at the skull you can see why chewing gum doesn't work," he said. "They can't chew gum. Their teeth are not designed for chewing."

His pursuit of moles began in the spring of 1988 when he noticed paths of destruction in the 1.3-acre lot of his new home.

"They were everywhere," he said. "I'd get up in the morning and a 10-by-20-foot area would be blown up. I'd tramp it down and the next day there would be more destruction just a few feet away."

"One day, with tears in my eyes, I said to my wife, 'I don't think we can take it; we have to sell,'" he recalled.

Some people learn to live with it, he said. He chose to fight back. He concedes that not everyone agrees with his mole-murdering practice; but, in defense, says, "if they are opposed to killing moles, they have never dealt with the problem in their own yard."

And it's not like moles are an endangered species, Copeland is quick to point out. Besides, there are plenty of places for moles to live, such as parks and other wooded areas.

If you notice the trademark burrowing of the mole in your yard, tramp down the runs (the "mole dance") or the grass will die because the roots will dry out, Copeland advises.

Then, decide if you can live with it or want to try to free your lawn from moles. If you select the latter, you might want to check out "Dr. Mole," a book written by Copeland with advice, diagrams and stories of how to get rid of moles. It is available at nurseries and garden centers in Peoria, where Copeland lives.

Along with advice, you get a sampling of Copeland's sometimes humorous look at the furry critters.

He writes: "They are crafty, wily, marvelously attuned to their environment and guided by instincts that have served them well for eons. After one of them successfully evades capture time and time again in my trap sets, I begin to wonder if, like the proverbial cat, they don't have nine or more lives."

At one time, Copeland made mole rounds in his yard similar to hospital rounds to see patients. Now that his problem is under control, he checks the lawn every third or fourth day; so far, he has eliminated only one mole.

Mole Mania

By Sally McKee
Copley News Service

Moles are amazingly adept at survival, and some homeowners are amazingly persistent in pursuing them.

Here is a sampling of what some people have tried in their pursuit of moles:

Roll up pieces of chewing gum, drop them into the mole runs. The moles try to consume them, can't digest them and die. Most experts agree this does not work.

Purchase gadgets that emit high-frequency sounds or cause vibrations in the yard, such as spinning daisies. They are supposed to drive the moles insane. Again, good luck.

Grow Gopher Purge. This is one "honking-big ugly plant," according to Genny Gibbs, horticulturist at Illinois Central College. But she asks, "Is it uglier than the damage the moles cause?"

It is tall (3 to 4 feet high) with slender, green, reedlike leaves and produces small pale yellowish-white flowers. They have no scent that humans can detect, but the roots allegedly emit a scent the moles can't stand.

Grub control. Treat your lawn with grub control to eliminate the moles' source of food.

Note: Moles also eat earthworms, which the treatment does not kill.

Buy traps that trigger a sharp spike that snaps down and pierces the moles.

Buy live traps that save the moles to be released at another site.

Water: Put a hose into a run and let the water pour in for a few hours.

Note: Moles can swim.

Try using cats or dogs to keep moles away.

Note: Moles are most active at night.

Poison peanuts: Shelled peanuts coated with a poison. Drop them down into the tunnels - don't leave in a yard with children.

Note: Moles can't chew.

Obsession: Gibbs told the story of a man who would spend hours in his yard watching the moles dig their tunnels. When he saw one, he would take his shovel and decapitate it.

"How much time are you willing to devote to this?" wondered Gibbs.

SOURCES: Genny Gibbs and Glenn Herold, both Illinois Central College horticulturists, and "Dr. Mole," by Dr. David Copeland.

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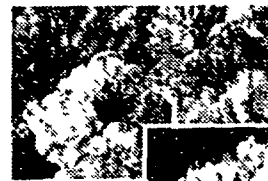
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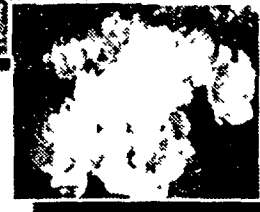
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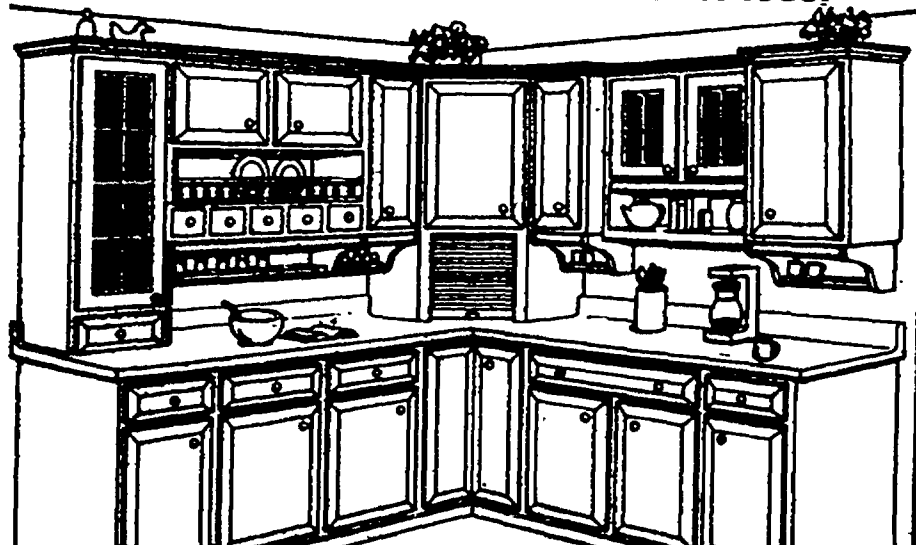
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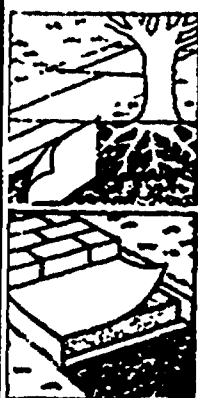


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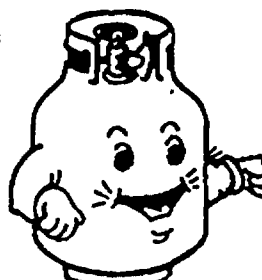
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By Sally McKee
Copley News Service

Paperbark maple's distinctive peeling bark, the willow's twisting artistic shape, and holly's bright berries and shiny foliage can create beautiful winter gardens.

Though most gardeners hole up in the winter, dreaming of a sunny spring and blooms and green to come, winter gardens have their own appeal.

"The more experienced gardener is doing this a bit - planting for winter interest," said Kevin McMillan, an Illinois nursery manager. "It is picking up in this area."

Conner Nursery specializes in dwarf and unusual conifers, which can bring beauty to the landscape year-round.

"They are one of the few things that are green in winter," McMillan said.

The conifers are frequently used as foundation planting along an entryway because they won't dwarf a house, he added.

Conifers come in a broad variety of colors, shapes and sizes.

Junipers range from a gray/blue-green to almost a purple coat. The Andora juniper is a low-growing plant with blue-gray color

and a purple tint.

Along with trees, any of the larger varieties of ornamental grasses look good in the winter, according to McMillan.

He said to leave them until spring, then cut them back around Easter to get ready for spring. The plumed grasses are particularly attractive.

"They are one of the few things that have a nice look to them in winter," McMillan said. "They contrast nicely with the snow." Early spring is the best time to plant the evergreens; if you miss that time period, wait until midsummer to early fall to plant.

Homeowners who plan to buy a "live" Christmas tree to eventually plant in their yard should start planning in the fall, McMillan said. Go ahead and dig the hole before the ground freezes. Then keep the tree indoors for just four to six days, then bring it back out.

"If it stays inside longer than that, it will get warm and start to bud," McMillan said. "It thinks it's spring." At that time you can either keep it in an unheated garage through winter or go ahead and plant it, he said. McMillan advised planting it and protecting it as much as you can. If you do

keep it in a garage, keep it well watered and near a window.

A look at winter plants would be incomplete without hollies.

Hollies are a traditional holiday favorite, with their bright-red berries and glossy green leaves. The Conard-Pyle Co., based in West Grove, Pa., offers a range of hollies from Golden Girl with bright-yellow berries to the traditional English blue hollies.

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If planting hollies, Hutton said, remember to plant a compatible male holly near the females - one male for every six to 10 females. Do not prune hollies after they have flowered. It's better to prune in late winter or early spring.

Many of the winter plants, particularly those with berries, have an added bonus of attracting birds and wildlife, McMillan said.

"The majority of gardeners plant for spring, summer and fall," McMillan said. "Winter interest is an extra highlight - a bonus."

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Following are some plantings that will put a little wonderful into your winter garden.

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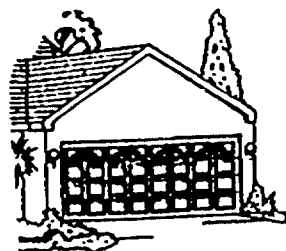
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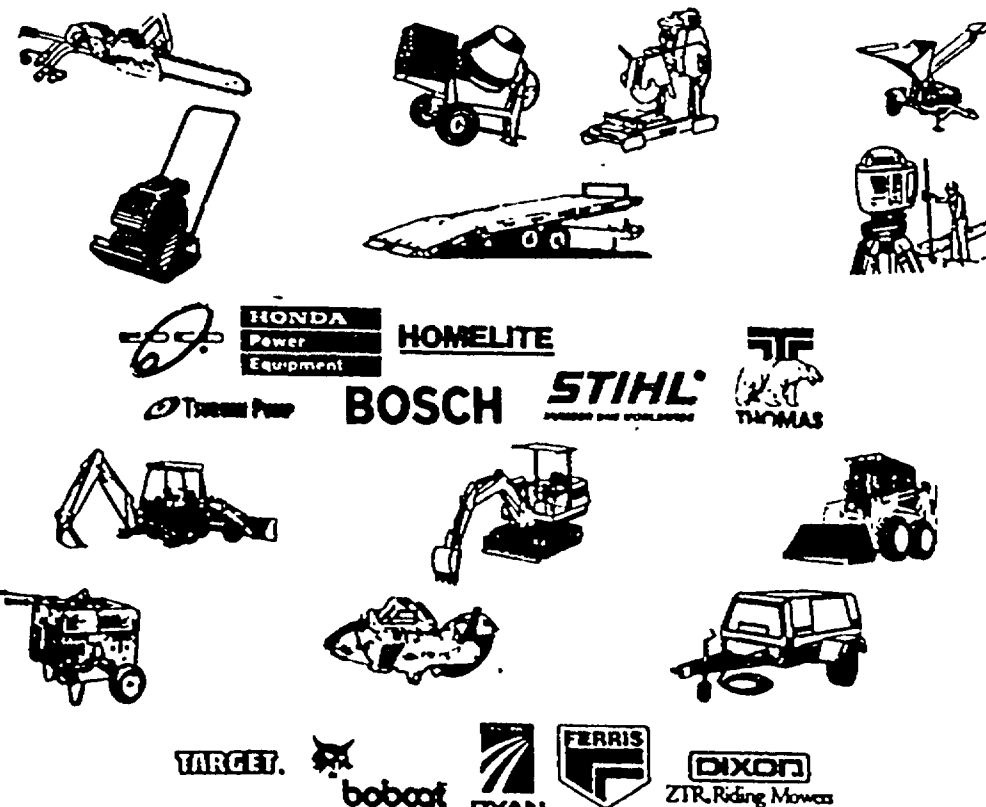
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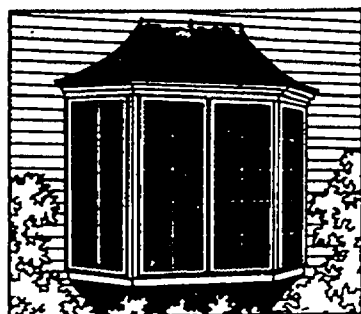


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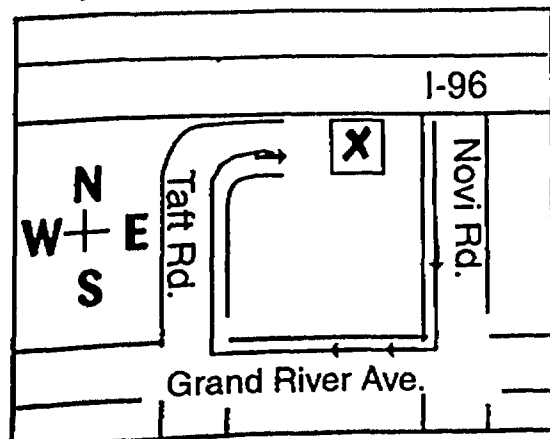
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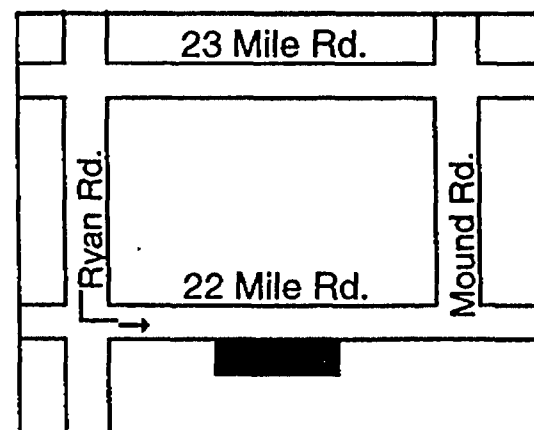


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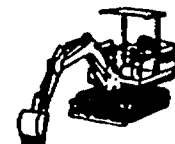
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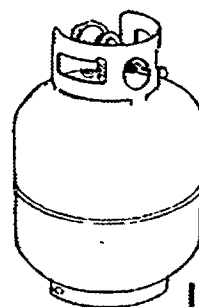
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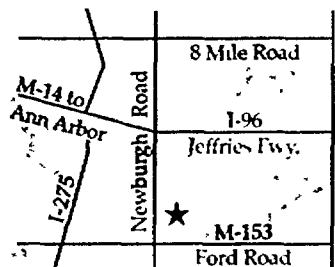
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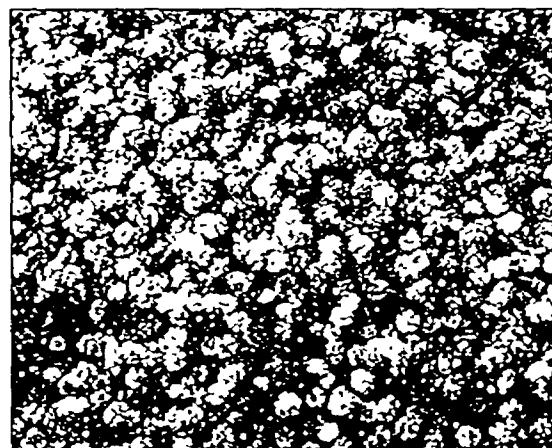
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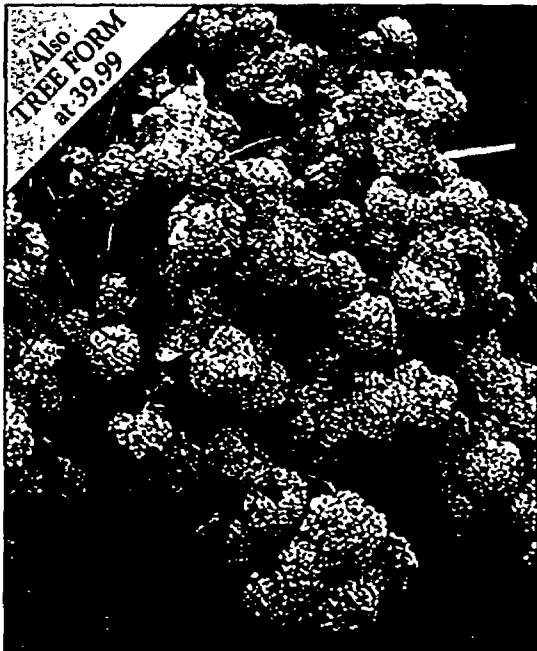
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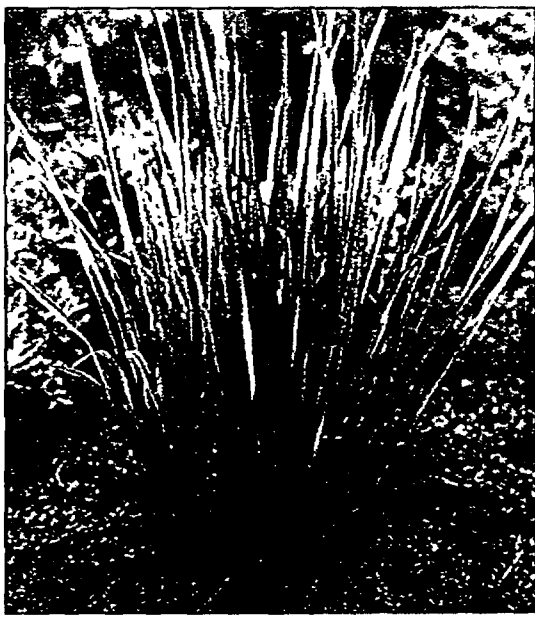
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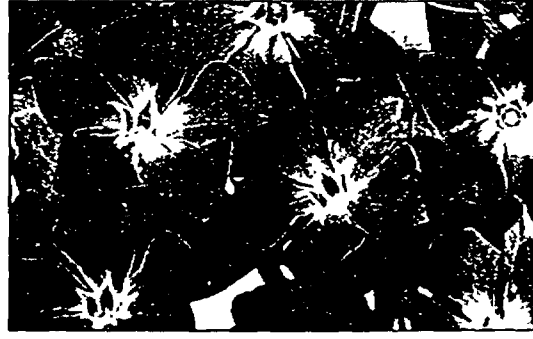
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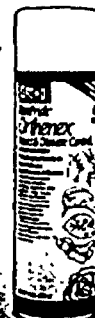
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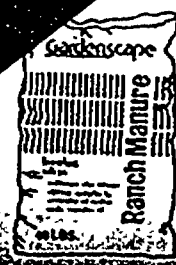
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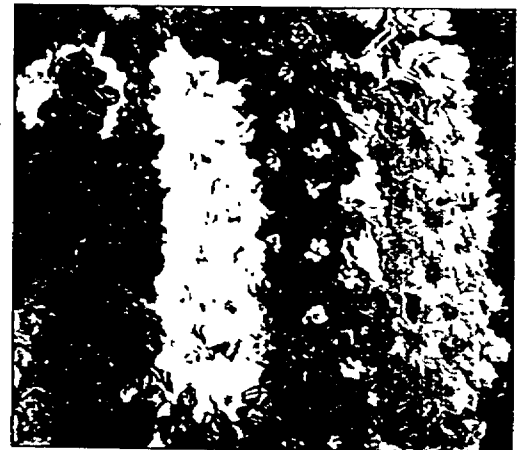
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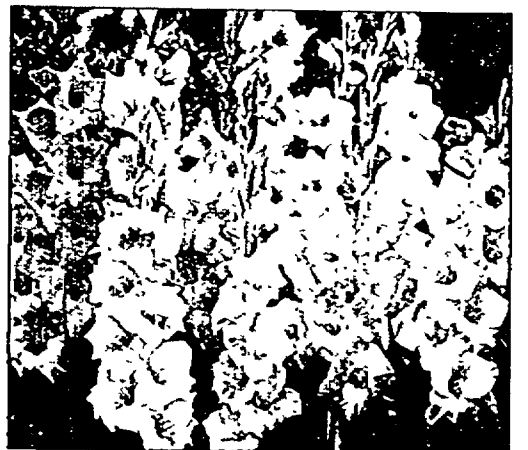
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This tall, stately plant with clusters of showy flower spikes above finely cut foliage is one of many perennials offered in 4" Pot \$1.99, Flat of 12 \$18.99. Now \$2.00 OFF a Flat thru 5-25-98



SUMMER FLOWERING BULBS...

Choose from several kinds. All Sale Priced 30% OFF thru 5-25-98



YOUR FLOWER GARDEN HEADQUARTERS...CLYDE SMITH & SONS

<p>CLYDE SMITH COUPON</p> <p>SOUTHLAND SHREDDED CYPRESS MULCH 3 CU. FT. BAG</p> <p>NOW SALE PRICED \$3.49 Reg. \$3.99</p> <p>With coupon thru 5-31-98</p>	<p>CLYDE SMITH COUPON</p> <p>AMERICA'S #1 NATURAL FERTILIZER THE BEST FERTILIZER FOR LAWNS, SHRUBS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS</p> <p>NOW SALE PRICED \$5.99 40 LB. BAG Reg. 8.99</p> <p>With coupon thru 5-31-98</p>	<p>CLYDE SMITH COUPON</p> <p>\$10.00 OFF ALL ARBORS</p> <p>6 STYLES TO CHOOSE FROM</p> <p>With coupon thru 5-31-98</p>	<p>CLYDE SMITH COUPON</p> <p>Bufftech VINYL ARCH TOP TRELLIS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Will never require painting Will not rot, splinter or harbor insects like wood Will not dent, rust or heat up like metal <p>Sug. Retail 49.99</p> <p>NOW SALE PRICED \$39.99</p> <p>With coupon thru 5-31-98</p>
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★ ★ ★ ★ *Memorial Day Event* ★ ★ ★ ★
SIX DAYS ONLY!

EXTRA
10% OFF
ALL MARKED
FLOOR MODELS



SALE STARTS
THURSDAY
10AM
TO
10PM
SALE ENDS
TUESDAY
AT 9PM

NO ★ **MONEY DOWN**
NO ★ **INTEREST**
NO ★ **PAYMENTS**
FOR 1 FULL YEAR!
ON

HOME COMPUTER FURNITURE • HOME ENTERTAINMENT FURNITURE
BAR STOOLS • BARS • POOL TABLES • GAME SETS • DESK CHAIRS
ORMAN GRUBB FACTORY OAK GALLERY
EVERYTHING IN OUR SIX MILLION DOLLAR INVENTORY

create your own boss-free environment in our
 ★ *Home Office Gallery* ★



2 pc. set
\$598
 Desk only \$398

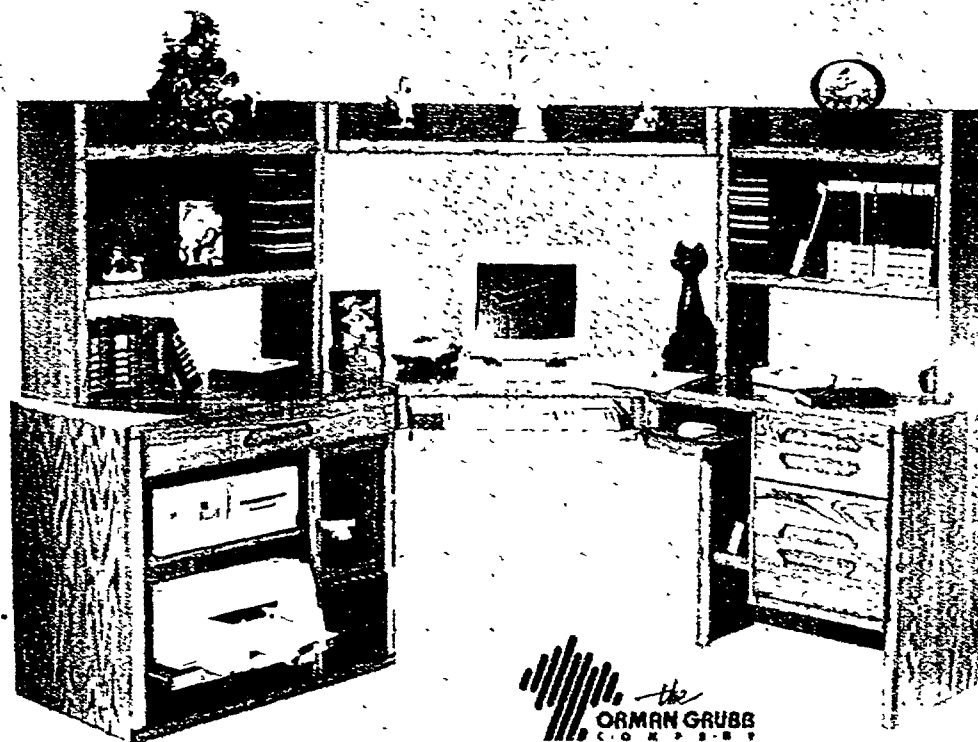
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 ORMAN GRUBB
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\$548
 2 pc. desk &
 printer return

Desk and Return

Features 60"
 desk with legal size file
 drawer, letter drawer,
 pencil drawer, 54"
 printer return, large
 roll out mouse
 keyboard tray and disc
 drawer roll out for
 laser printer.



\$798
 Complete 6 pc.
 corner group

"Homeworks" 6 Piece Oak Corner Office

The Ultimate
 Command Center features:

- Oversized keyboard roll out
- Roll out laser printer shelf
- Factory assembled in the USA
- Legal size file drawer
- Roll out mouse pad
- Oversized pencil drawer
- CD and disk storage
- 12" wide tower space
- Large desk top surface
- Letter/box drawer

the
 ORMAN GRUBB
 COMPANY

Power-Up Your CD-ROM Station

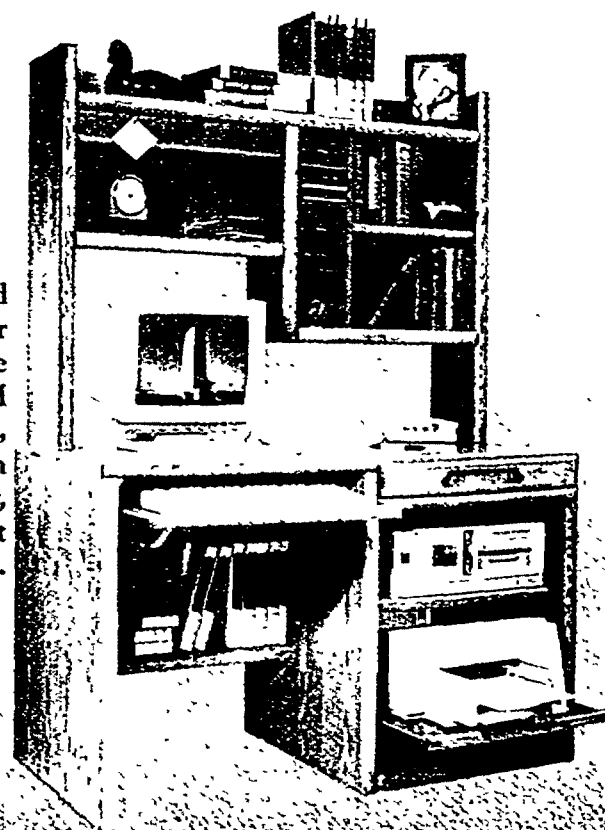
60" desk and hutch offer function and versatility -
 17" monitors fit here! A lot of storage for all your
 stuff in letter/legal file drawer. Room for mouse and
 keyboard. Store 50 CDs in hutch racks. Made in the U.S.A.



\$698
 Desk return & hutch
 - all 3 pieces

\$398
 2 pc. group

Factory assembled
 real oak 48" deluxe printer
 work station. Two piece
 set includes CD-ROM
 hutch with disc storage,
 bulletin board, desk with
 roll out keyboard tray,
 pencil drawer and roll out
 laser-ready printer tray.



3 Piece Computer Center

Exclusive to Billy Bobs, the above grouping includes a 60" desk
 with a 48" return and 60" storage hutch all crafted with
 northern red oak and fully assembled. Made in the U.S.A.

Billy Bobs
 GAMEROOM FURNISHINGS
 Your Laptop is Fun & Functional Furniture!

A movable, or removable headrest pillow to aid in keeping your neck and back relaxed

\$698
Leather hi back chair

In Stock!
Forest or Black

\$548
Top grain leather chair

Special purchase in stock in wine as shown or charcoal. Both in stock in medium oak finish.

Smooth, easily adjustable, gas operated height adjustment

Forward-tilt features to give you back support while leaning forward to perform certain tasks

Knee-tilt control, so your feet remain on the floor as you lean back

- Padded arms
 - Gas lift
 - Tension control
 - Tilt adjustment
- In stock tobacco or buckskin leather

Tension control

Gas lift

Base with casters

Special Purchase
\$248
Hi back leather chair

Padded arms

Gas lift

Real oak arms and base with twin wheel casters

Tension control

Lumber support

Special Purchase
\$128
Oak desk chair

★ ★ ★ ★ ★
1 Year
same as
CASH!
★ ★ ★ ★ ★

72" organizer desk
\$698
72" super hutch
\$398.00

BONUS BUY!
Desk & Hutch
\$998.00

2 pc. desk & return
\$698
Matching door hutch \$348.00

BONUS BUY!
Desk, Return & Hutch
\$998.00



the
ORMAN GAUBB
C.O. M.F.A. & S.

Oak Transitions

Desk with printer return gives you all that needed workspace. Letter/legal file drawer, wide keyboard/mouse tray and hide away laser printer area - a package to please the home executive.

Oak Transitions 72" Organizer Center

- Solid oak raised panel doors and drawers
- Legal size file drawer
- Roll out printer tray
- Oversized keyboard tray
- Large tower space
- Locking hutch doors
- CD disk storage
- Large 72" x 29" work surface

GAMEROOM *Billie Ball* **FURNISHINGS**
Your Leader in Fun & Functional Furniture!

★ ★ ★ *Hearthside Traditions* ★ ★ ★
A COLLECTION OF AMERICAN ORIGINALS



**A Very Special Collection of American Originals
from Riverside Furniture In Stock at Billy Bob's**

"Hearthside Traditions" combines fine quality and artful craftsmanship which allows you to affordably create rooms that reflect your own point of view. Crafted of a combination of North American hardwood solids, select veneers and painted wood products.
Matching Home Office Also In Stock.

93" sofa	.....\$748.00
69" loveseat	.....\$698.00
Wing chair	.....\$498.00
Ottoman	.....\$198.00
3 piece entertainment wall	.....\$1898.00
Collectors cocktail table	.....\$398.00
Chair side chest table	.....\$298.00
Square lamp table	.....\$298.00

GAMEROOM Billy Bob's FURNISHINGS
Your Leader in Fun & Functional Furniture!

ORMAN GRUBB 6 Day Memorial Day Event

OAK FURNITURE GALLERY 1 YEAR SAME AS CASH

Open Memorial Day

★ ★ ★ 10am-6pm ★ ★ ★



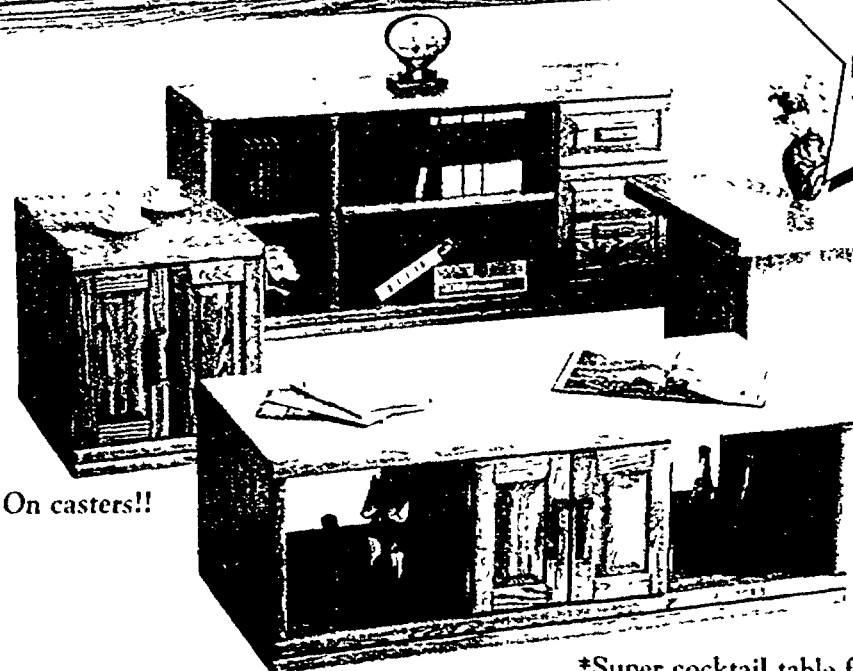
\$398

Oak A/V center

Den Size A/V Unit

- Brass glass
- Accommodates 27" TV
- VCR shelf
- Constructed of solid oak and oak veneers

These Tables
Match Our
Home Theater
Wall Systems!



On casters!!

On casters!!

*Super cocktail table features:

Cocktail table . . . \$298.00
End table \$248.00
Corner table \$198.00
Sofa table \$298.00

★ Crafted with pride in
California ★



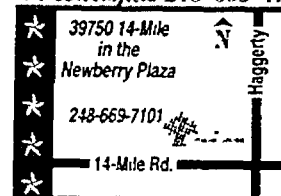
Hidden remote drawer
and 30 VHS space



75 CDs space

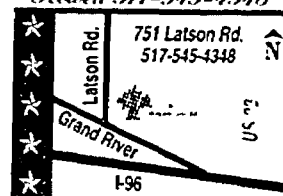
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TWO NEW LOCATIONS

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Near Shopping Center Market

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Inside of Billy Bob's Gameroom
Furniture Corner of Grand River Rd

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OAK FURNITURE GALLERY

New to Michigan

California's largest manufacturer of casual oak home furnishings is proud to announce the opening of two full line factory authorized gallery stores in your area. Bringing to you the largest selection of factory assembled functional oak home furnishing ever assembled in one store including home theater, bedroom, youth furniture and home office.

\$698

4 pc. oak
expandable wall



4 Piece Expandable Big Screen Wall

Real oak, holds all TVs up to 60", lighted display areas, tape storage for 60 VHS or 120 CDs. Corner units available at \$148.00 ea.



"New Century" Home Office.

**NO PAYMENTS • NO INTEREST
FOR 1 YEAR! SAME AS CASH!**



63" Printer Desk

- Built-in surge protector-top mount
- Laser printer roll out shelf
- Locking tower door
- Locking printer
- 63"W x 28"D x 30"T



63" Deluxe Organizer Hutch

- Fluorescent lamp
- "Spin caddy" utility tray
- CD and floppy storage
- Locking door
- 61"W x 12"D x 44"T

Desk only
\$448
Hutch \$248.00

51" Printer Desk

- Built-in surge protector-top mount
- Locking printer
- Laser printer roll out shelf
- Mouse pad
- 51"W x 28"D x 30"T

51" Open Hutch

- Fluorescent lamp
- CD disc storage - 50 CDs
- Desk top tower CPU area
- 49"W x 12"D x 44"T

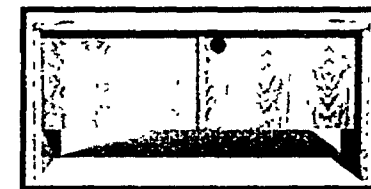
75" Pedestal Desk

open right

- Locking letter/legal file drawer
- 75"W x 28"D x 30"T

Tower/Printer Return

- Built-in surge protector-top mount
- Locking tower and printer doors
- Mouse pad
- 60"W x 24"D x 30"T



• Executive desk finished back

2 pc. set
\$1098



63" Pedestal Desk

open right

- Locking letter/legal file drawer
- 63"W x 28"D x 30"T

Tower/Pedestal Return

- Built-in surge protector-top mount
- Locking letter/legal file drawer
- Locking tower door
- Mouse pad
- 60"W x 24"D x 30"T

2 pc. set
\$998
Door hutch \$398.00



Desk only
\$798
Hutch \$448.00

75" Super Computer Desk

- Built-in surge protector-top mount
- Locking letter/legal file drawer
- Locking tower and printer doors
- Mouse pad
- 51"W x 28"D x 30"T

75" Organizer Hutch

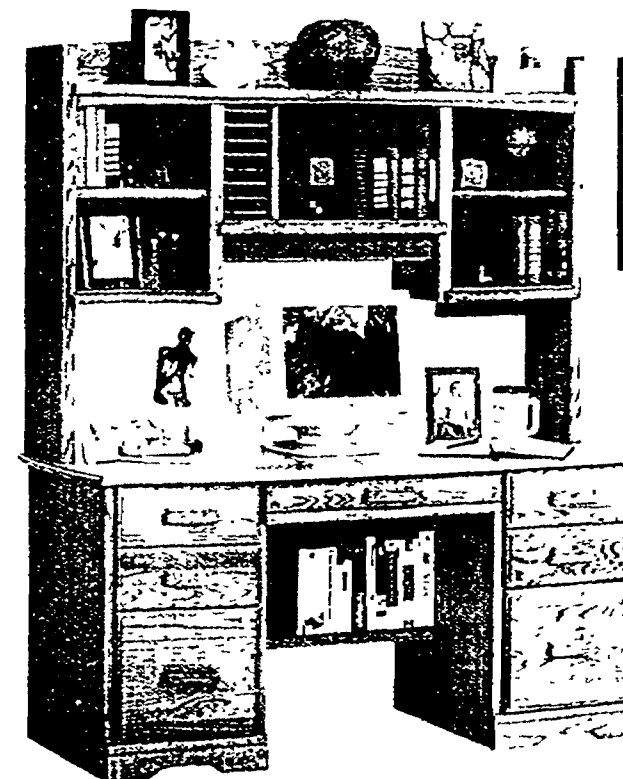
- Fluorescent lamp
- "Spin caddy" utility tray
- CD and floppy storage
- Locking door
- 73"W x 12"D x 44"T

Desk only
\$598
Hutch \$348.00



63" Tower Pedestal Desk

- Built-in surge protector-top mount
- Locking letter/legal file drawer
- Locking tower door
- Mouse pad
- 60"W x 24"D x 30"T



63" Double Pedestal

- Built-in surge protector-top mount
- Combo drawer - "converts to keyboard tray"
- Mouse pad
- 63"W x 28"D x 30"

Desk only
\$598
Hutch \$348.00

63" Open Hutch

- Fluorescent lamp
- "Spin caddy" utility tray
- CD disc storage - 50 CDs
- 61"W x 12"D x 44"T

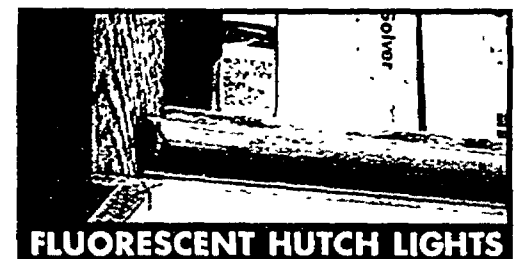
63" Organizer Hutch

- Fluorescent lamp
- "Spin caddy" utility tray
- CD disc storage - 50 CDs
- Locking door
- 61"W x 12"D x 44"T

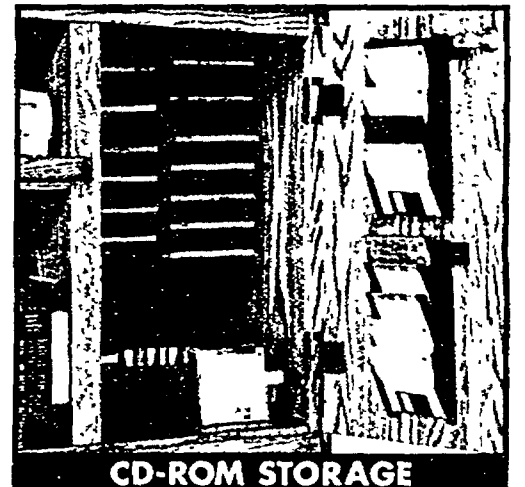
FUNCTIONAL OFFICE FEATURES INCLUDE:



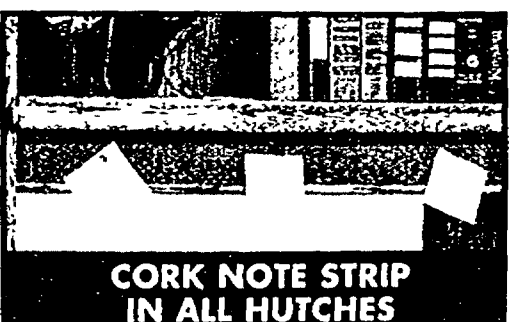
SURGE PROTECTOR



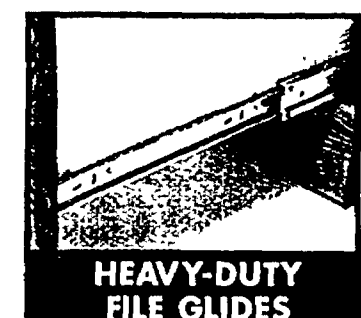
FLUORESCENT HUTCH LIGHTS



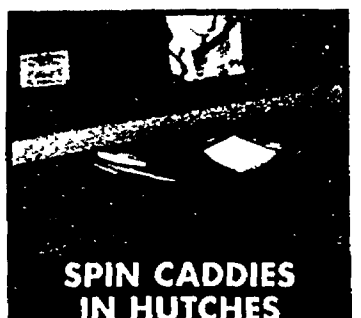
CD-ROM STORAGE



**CORK NOTE STRIP
IN ALL HUTCHES**



**HEAVY-DUTY
FILE GLIDES**



**SPIN CADDIES
IN HUTCHES**

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OAK FURNITURE GALLERY

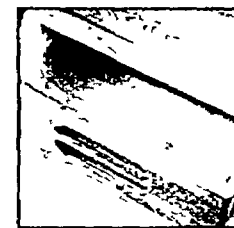
ORMAN GRUBB

OAK FURNITURE GALLERY

ALL BEDROOM GROUPS INCLUDE:



• All dressers, chests and armoires feature a velvet hideaway drawer



• Top drawers of all dressers, chests and armoires are cedar-lined



• Headboard has deep storage and velvet hideaway drawer

MASSIVE SOLID OAK QUEEN SIZE POSTER BED

72" 6 drawer dresser	.....\$598.00
Landscape beveled mirror	.....\$248.00
TV/wardrobe armoire	.....\$998.00
3 drawer night stand	.....\$298.00
5 drawer chest	.....\$498.00
Queen size poster bed	.....\$598.00



\$598
Poster bed

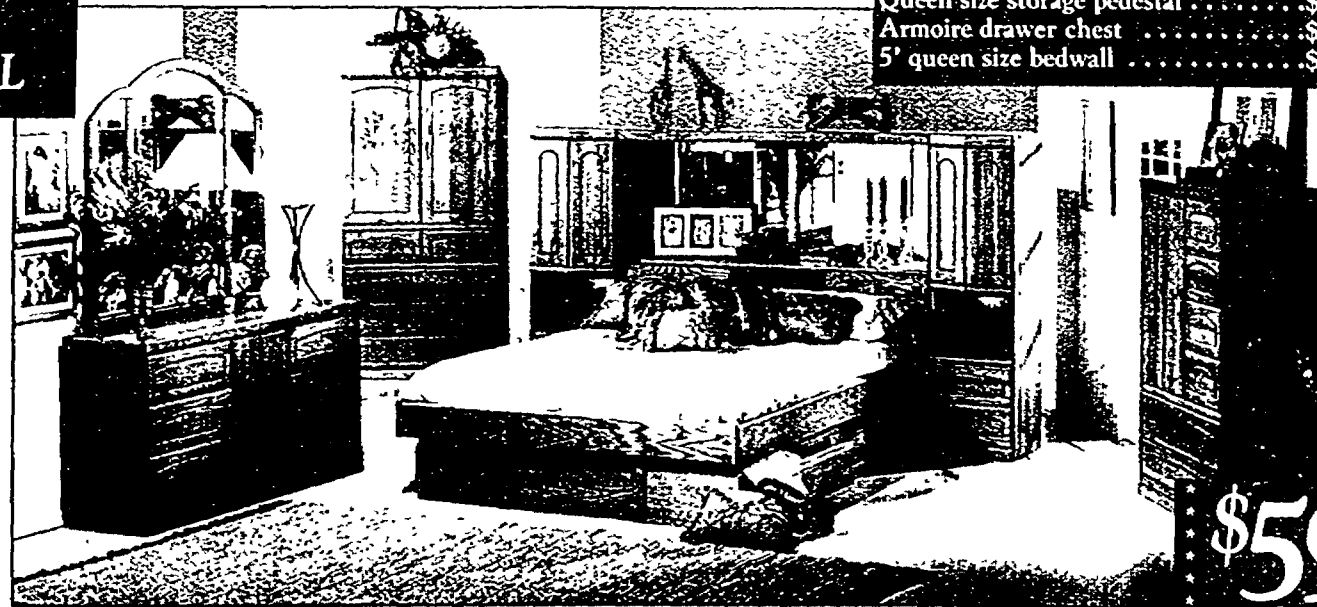
"New Century" Transitional Oak Bedroom

Features cedar lined drawers and hidden jewelry storage drawer.

QUEEN SIZE OAK BEDWALL

"Bay View" Contemporary Oak Bedroom

Features beveled back mirror, hidden jewelry storage drawers, lighted headboard and storage areas and 5 foot height on bedroom.



60" triple dresser	.....\$498.00
Beveled triple mirror	.....\$218.00
TV armoire chest	.....\$598.00
Queen size storage pedestal	.....\$498.00
Armoire drawer chest\$498.00
5' queen size bedwall\$598.00

\$598
Queen bedwall

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U.S.A.

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Grand River
Inside of Billy Bob's Gameroom Furniture Corner of Grand River Rd

Open
Memorial Day
10am - 6pm

Great Classic Pine Collection



\$1198

85" wall unit

85" Monitor Size Wall

- Lighted display areas
- 23" depth for all your electronics
- Holds 35" monitor
- Leaded glass doors
- 2 tape storage pullouts
- OCR storage
- Pewter hardware
- Only at Billy Bob's

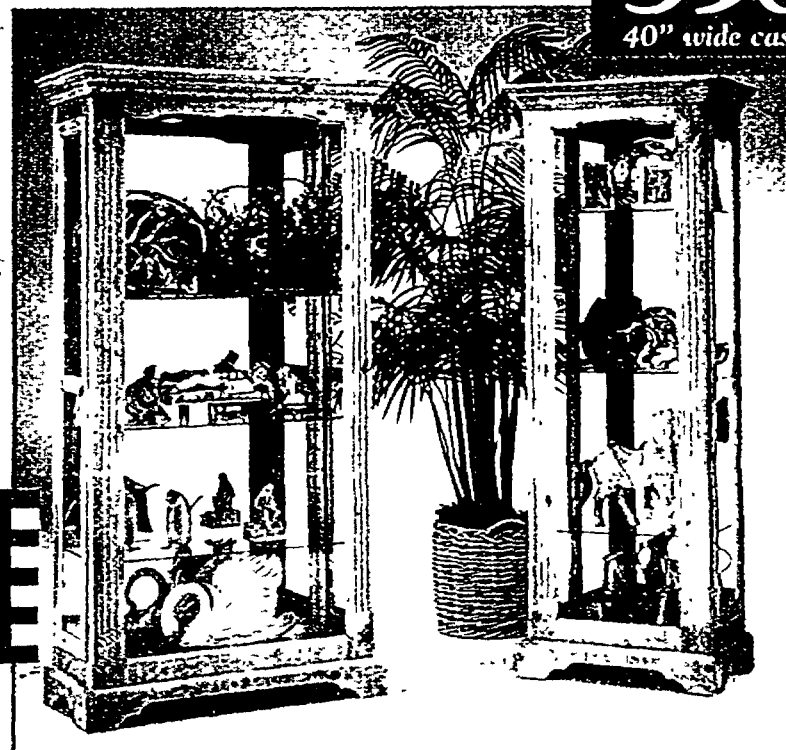
FROM KENWOOD
COLLECTOR
CASES



KENWOOD

\$598

40" wide case



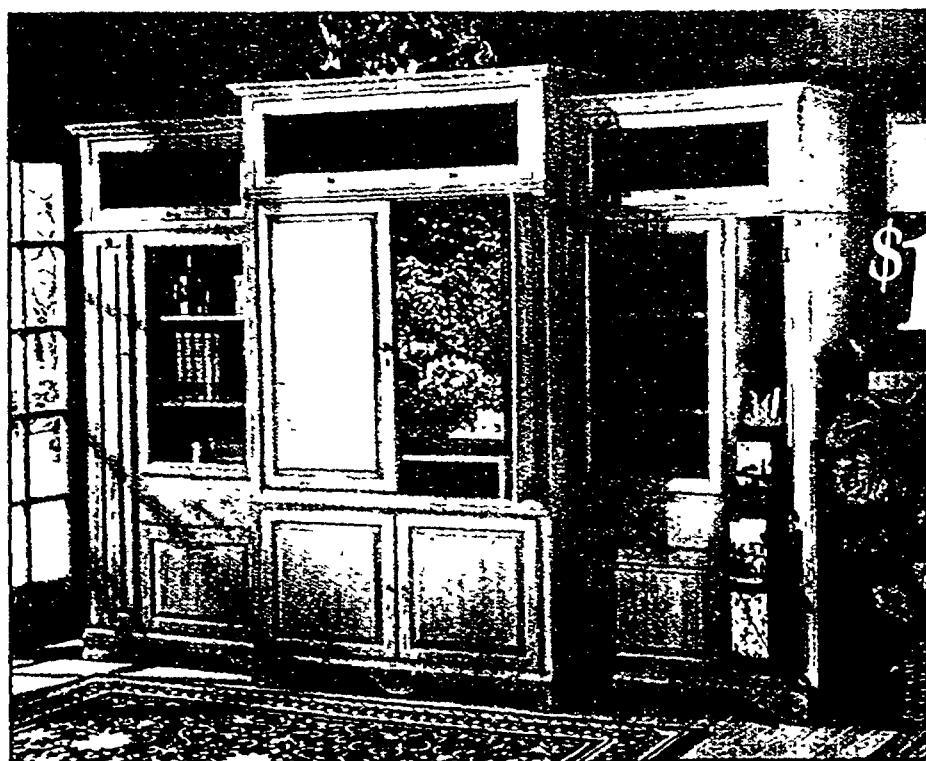
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28" wide case

Just what the serious collector needs are these side entry display cases with recessed lighting, mirrored backs and grooved glass shelves. Both are 74" tall and 18" deep. In stock only at Billy Bob's.

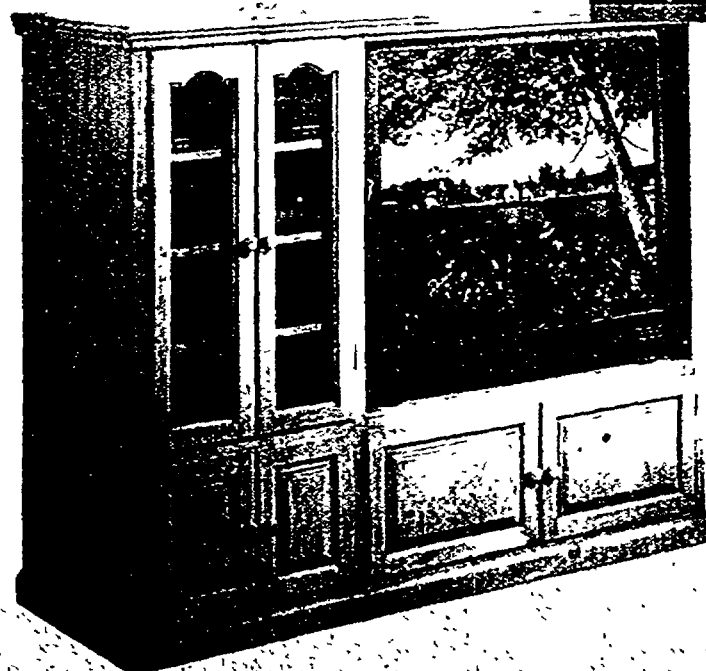
\$1898

As shown



\$498

AV center



Distressed Pine Entertainment Center

- Holds 32" big screen
- Double glass audio doors
- Concealed tape storage
- 61" wide x 22" deep x 50" high
- In stock for immediate delivery!



KENWOOD

3 Piece Distressed Pine Wall System

- Surround sound ready
- Holds 120 VHS tapes behind locking doors
- Accommodates 40" big screen TV
- Two storage doors
- Lots of room for all your audio components
- Pocket doors conceal TV when not in use
- Only at Billy Bob's

Billy Bob's

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BIG SCREEN HOME ENTERTAINMENT

by **WAMBOLD** furniture

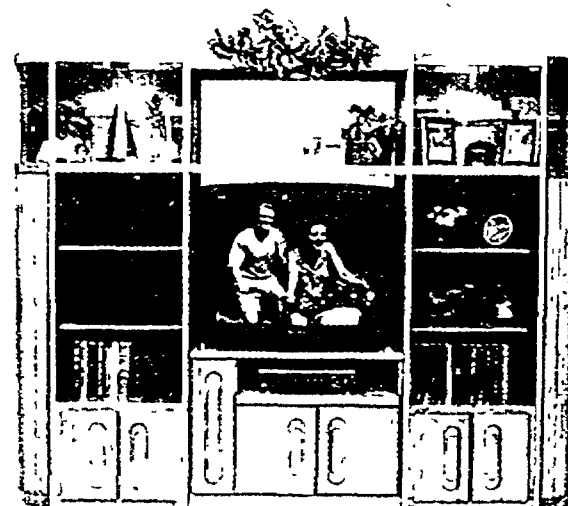
Designed exclusively for Billy Bob's, the Crystal Falls Wall Collection features curved curio glass ends, concealed tape storage for 80 VHS tapes or a 160 CDs, master controlled lighting for all display areas, tempered glass doors to keep audio and display areas dust free, crafted with North American oak solids and select oaks veneers and are in stock for immediately delivery in either rich golden oak finish or smart looking whitewashed finish. Exclusive to Billy Bob's.



Crystal Falls
Big screen wall
\$1998
As shown

Crystal Falls Big Screen Wall

Expands to hold all big screen up to 60" wide. Your choice of golden oak or whitewash oak. **IN STOCK!**



Crystal Falls
Monitor size wall
\$2198

Crystal Falls Monitor Size Wall

Monitor cart accommodates a VCR plus additional tape and decor storage. Your choice of golden oak or whitewashed oak. **IN STOCK!!**

★ Crafted with pride in
California ★



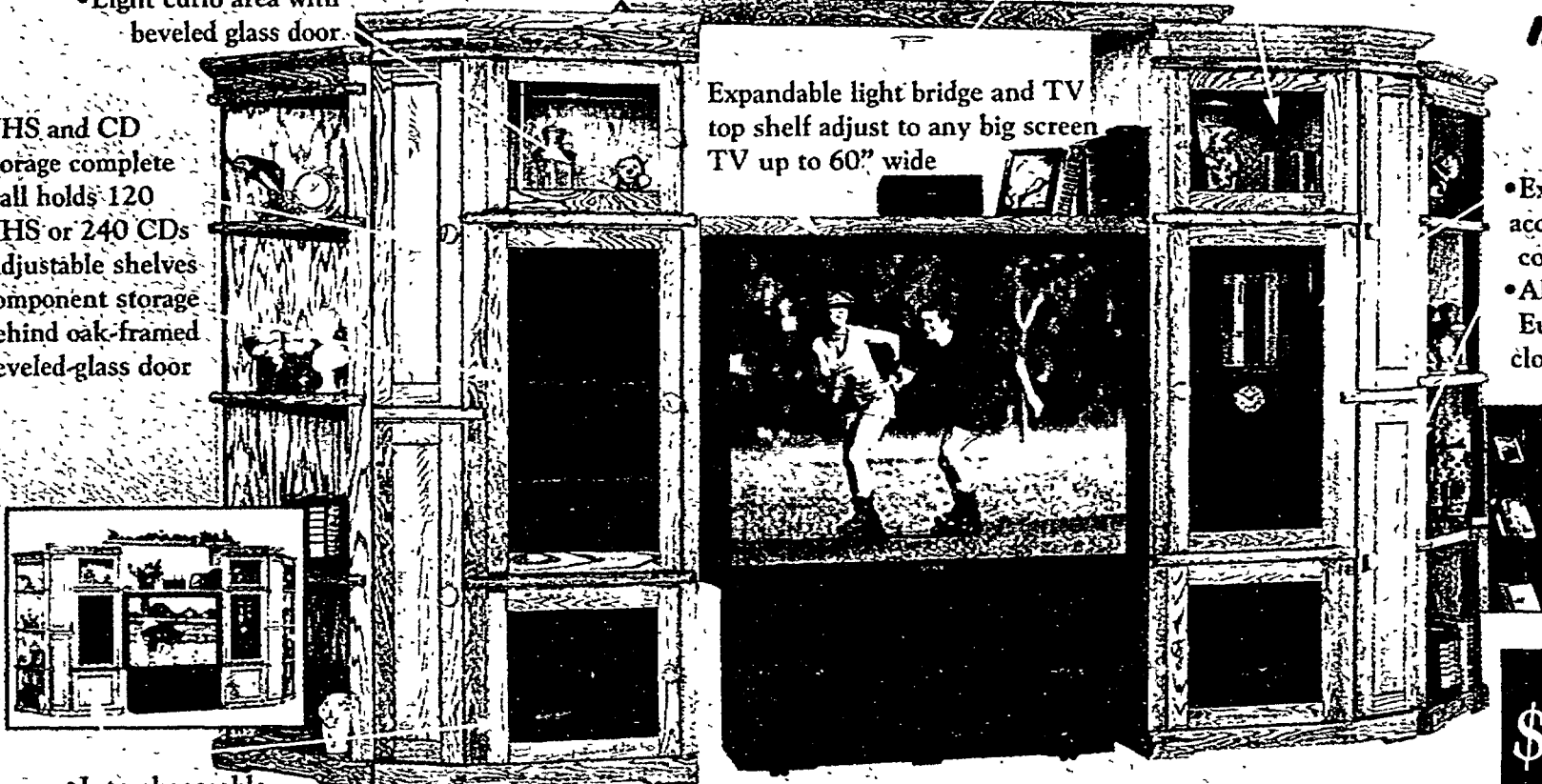
12 Months *same as* CASH!

GAMEROOM Billy Ball's FURNISHINGS
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New Century Home Theater

- Light curio area with beveled glass door
- Distinctive solid oak crown molding
- Lighted bridge and pier curio areas controlled by same light switch

- VHS and CD storage complete wall holds 120 VHS or 240 CDs
- Adjustable shelves component storage behind oak-framed beveled-glass door



Expandable light bridge and TV top shelf adjust to any big screen TV up to 60" wide



- Extra deep piers to accommodate larger components
- All doors have European self-closing hidden hinge



- Interchangeable oak and speaker grille inserts

Add beautiful accent corner wedges \$298.00 ea.

Gather the family around our "New Century" Home Theater Wall! The beautiful styling, massive size and unique features bring home more entertainment enjoyment for your friends and family than you can shake a remote control at! Built to last a lifetime, truly a home theater experience to enjoy in the New Century!

4 pc. wall system
\$1498

HOME THEATER COMFORT SEATING

Full Leather Reclining Chairs and Ottomans In Stock!



\$1298
Deluxe chair & ottoman

Full top grain leather chair and ottoman. Stocked in black as shown.



Stocked in taupe leather with spruce green welting as shown.

★ SIT BACK & RELAX! ★

YOUR CHOICE
\$698
Reclining chair & ottoman



Stocked in forest green or buckskin leather.

6 DAYS ONLY!

GAMEROOM

Billy Bob's

FURNISHINGS

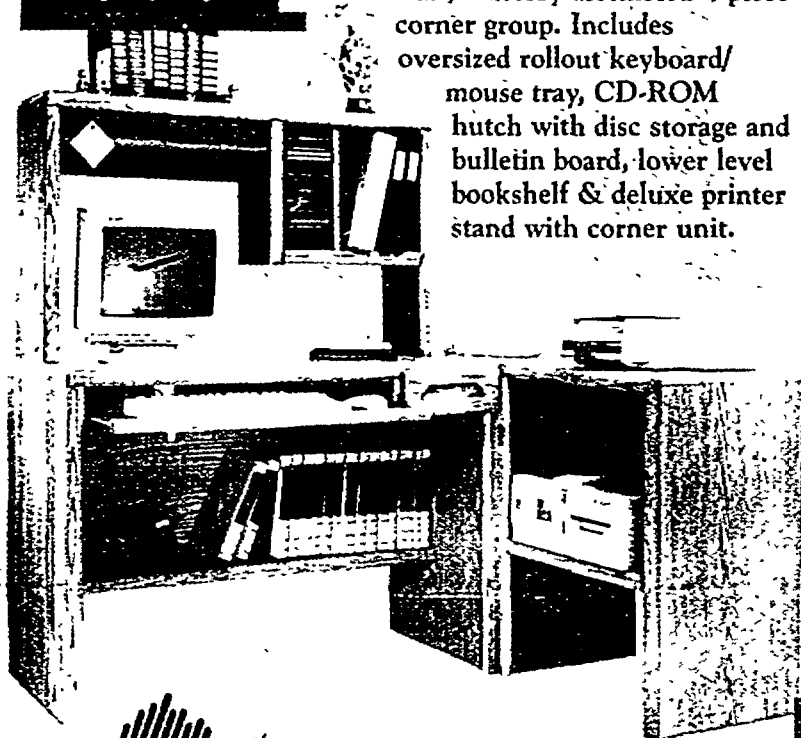
Your Leader in Fun

& Functional Furniture!

- ★ NO money down
- ★ NO interest
- ★ NO payments
- ★ For ONE YEAR!!

\$348

4 pc. group



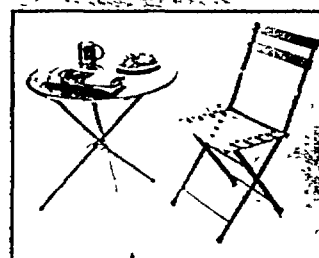
ORMAN GRUBB COMPANY

Unheard of value on this "real oak," factory assembled 4 piece corner group. Includes oversized rollout keyboard/mouse tray, CD-ROM hutch with disc storage and bulletin board, lower level bookshelf & deluxe printer stand with corner unit.

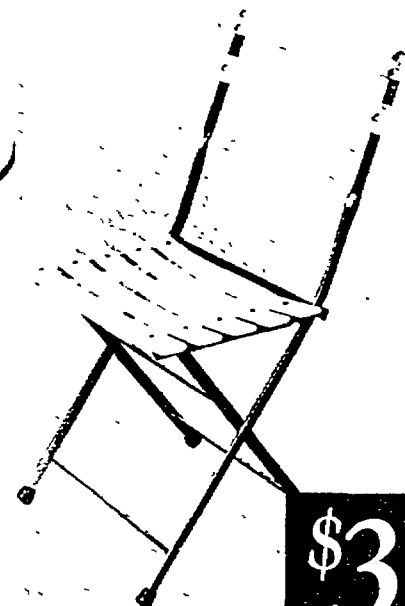
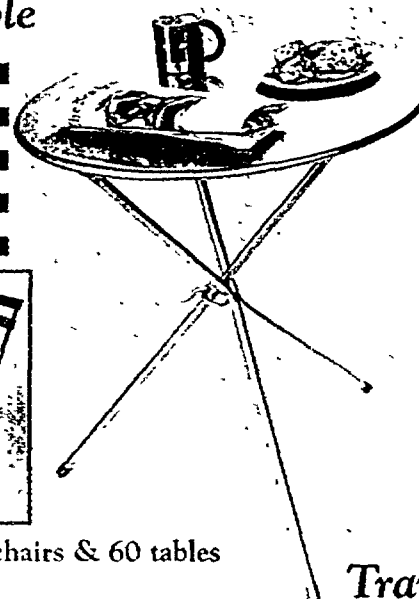
30" Round Aluminum Folding Table

\$56

Each



Quantities 400 chairs & 60 tables



\$36

Each

Translucent Folding Chairs

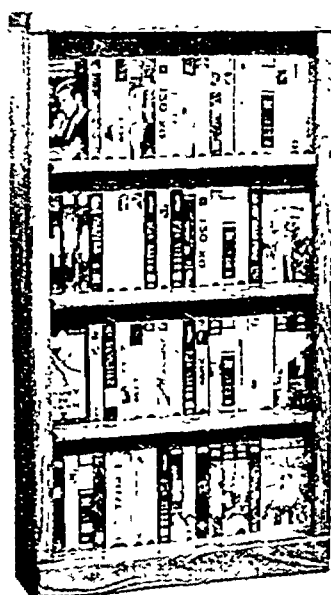
Choice of lemon, turquoise, opal and blue.

\$68

Tape storage

Oak Multi-Tape Storage Library

- All wood
- 24 x 41 x 7
- Holds VHS or CD tapes
- Made in the U.S.A.
- Fully assembled



SPECIAL HOURS

Thursday	10am-10pm
Friday	10am-10pm
Saturday	10am-9pm
Sunday	11am-6pm
Memorial Day	10am-6pm
Tuesday	10am-9pm

SPECIAL HOURS

\$268

A/V unit



Real Oak Entertainment Center features include 27" TV capacity, VCR shelf, rollout CD & cassette storage tray plus casters for easy mobility. Factory assembled in the USA.

<p>14-Mile Rd. 4250 N. Woodward Normandy 248-549-4263 13-Mile Rd. 248-549-4263</p>	<p>6673 Dixie Hwy. Just 1 block South of M-15 Clarkston 248-620-9303</p>	<p>Hall Rd. (M-59) 44935 Hayes corner of M-59 (Hall Rd) Across from Meijer's 810-566-7300</p>	<p>35588 Ford Rd. City Center Plaza next to Krogers 734-467-8280</p>	<p>751 Latson Rd. 517-545-4348 Grand River 1-96</p>	<p>New Location!</p>	<p>Qualified Buyers! Get up to \$10,000 Credit with the Billy Bob's Card!</p>
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Using the Billy Bob's card with approved credit when you pay for same as cash purchase within a 365 day period. All previous sales excluded. See store for details on price guarantee.

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Memorial Week sale

2/\$10

LADIES' BASIC EDITIONS™ TANK TOPS. Assorted styles and colors; sizes S-XL. Maternity sizes S-L. Everyday 7.99 Ea. Woven tanks, Everyday 4.99, SALE 2/\$8 Plus-size tanks, Everyday 7.99, SALE 2/\$12



2/\$7

SELECT BEACH TOWELS. Jacquard designs or licensed characters. Everyday 5.99 Ea. All other beach towels, SALE 25% OFF* Patterns may vary by store. *Reduction is off everyday prices.

4/\$10

SALE! MEN'S GOLDEN BLEND TEES. Packaged pocket tees, muscle or tank tops. Everyday 3.69-4.99 Ea. Big men's pocket tees or muscle shirts; sizes 2X-3X, SALE 2/\$7

THIS WEEK'S
BIG VALUES



2/\$11

SALE! SCOTT BATH TISSUE. 12-roll package.

Doritos

99¢



SALE! DORITOS. 9-oz. net wt. Mfr.'s suggested retail price 2.19. 3D Doritos available in selected stores only.



69¢

SALE! CHOICE OF PICNIC CONDIMENTS. Bush's baked beans or Del Monte ketchup, 28-oz.*; French's squeeze mustard, 16-oz.*; Kraft barbecue sauce, 18 fl. oz. *Net wt.

PRICES EFFECTIVE MAY 22 THRU MAY 30, 1998

GODZILLA



6.99

GODZILLA VS. BIOLLANTE VIDEO

17.99

SALE! GODZILLA® ACTION VEHICLES OR RUMBLE N' ROAR FIGURE. Apache attack copter, FA-18 Hornet strike jet or electronic Power Blast Godzilla®.

8.99

SALE! GODZILLA® ACTION FIGURES. Choose from Godzilla® or human figures with rapid-fire action vehicle.

5.49

SALE! BASIC GODZILLA® OR HUMAN ACTION FIGURE With spring-loaded action or kicking and biting action.

5.99

SAVE \$2 BOYS' GODZILLA® SHORT SETS. Sizes 4-7. Everyday \$7.99. Other boys' clothing \$5.99. Every day \$5.99. SALE \$4.99.

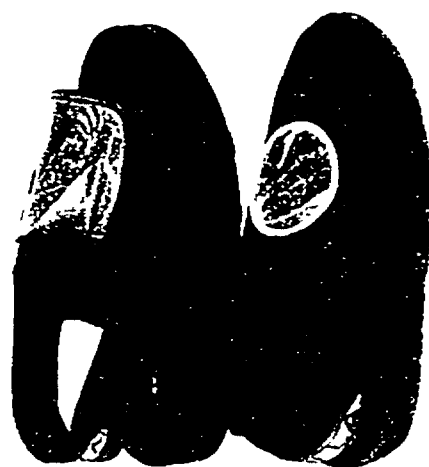
25% off

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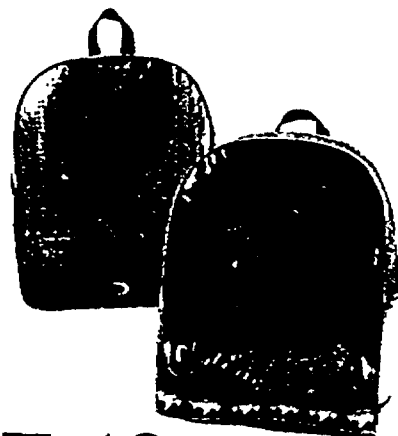
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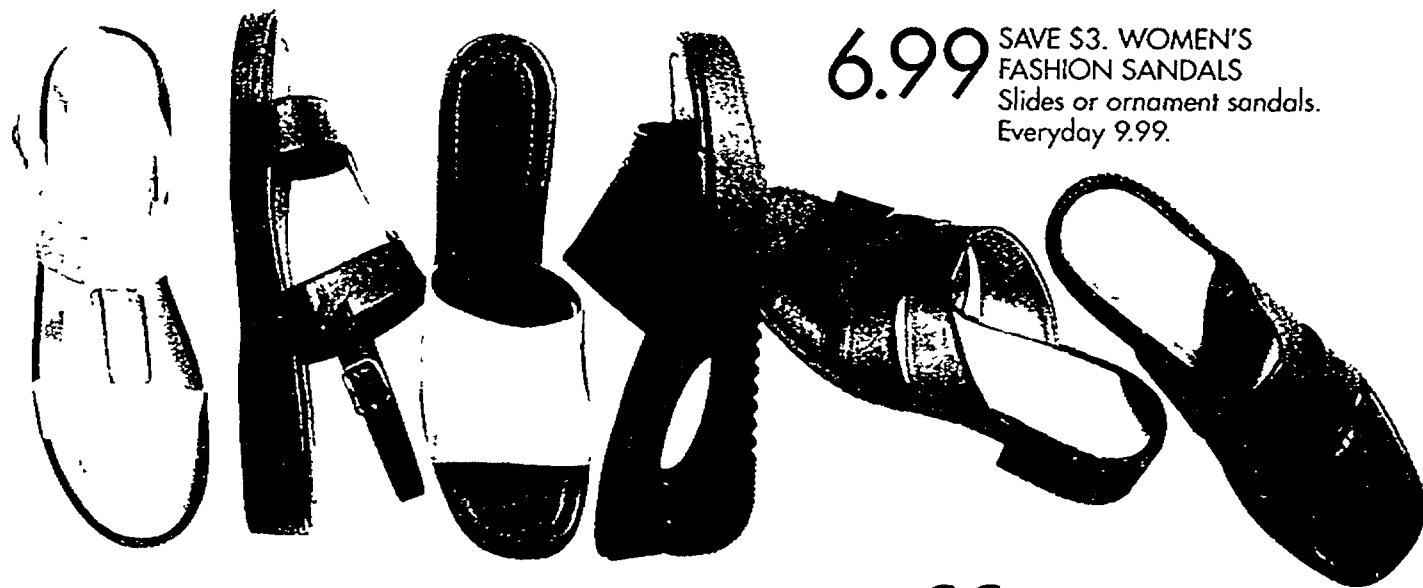
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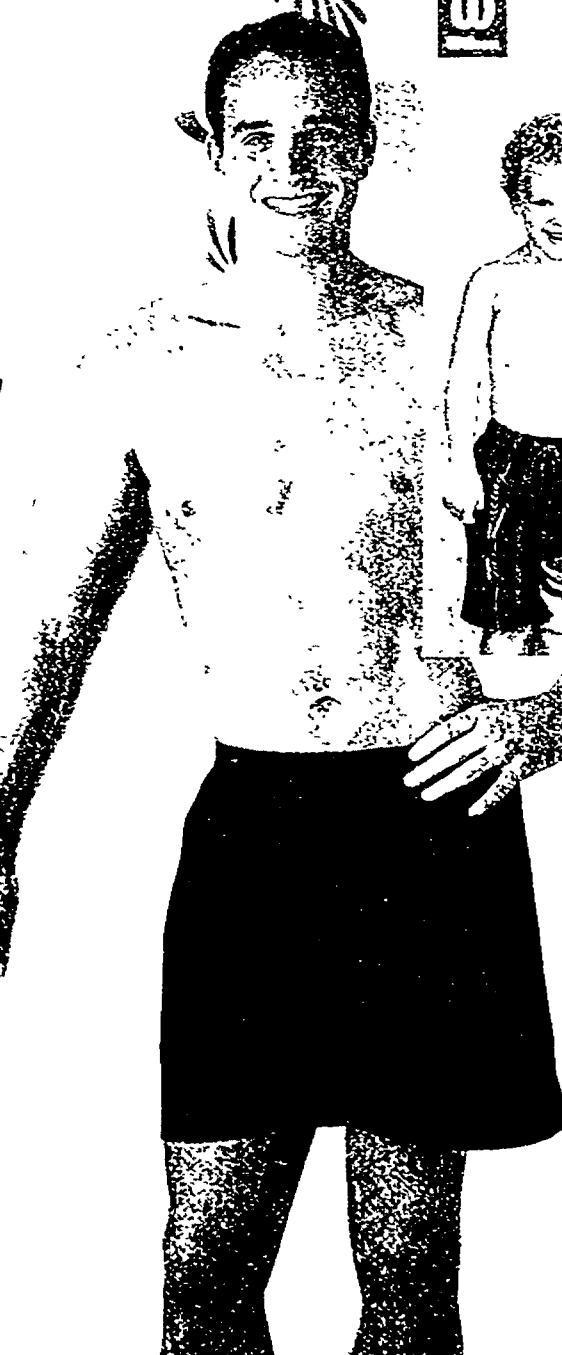
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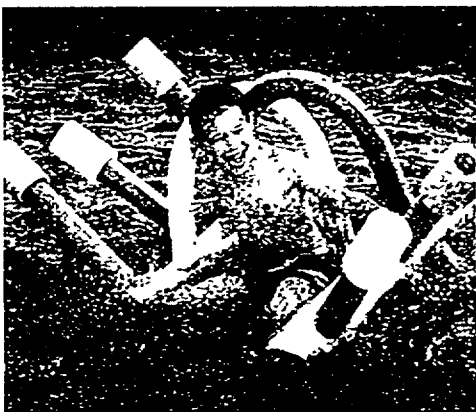
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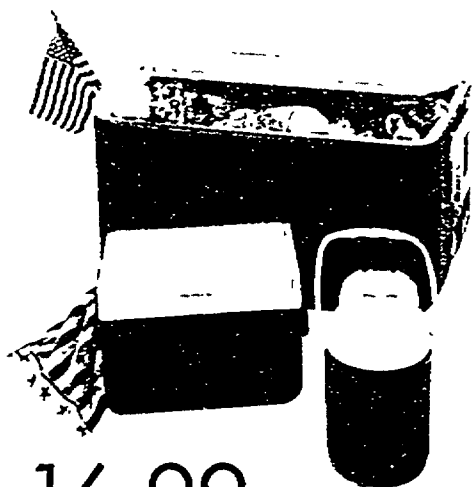




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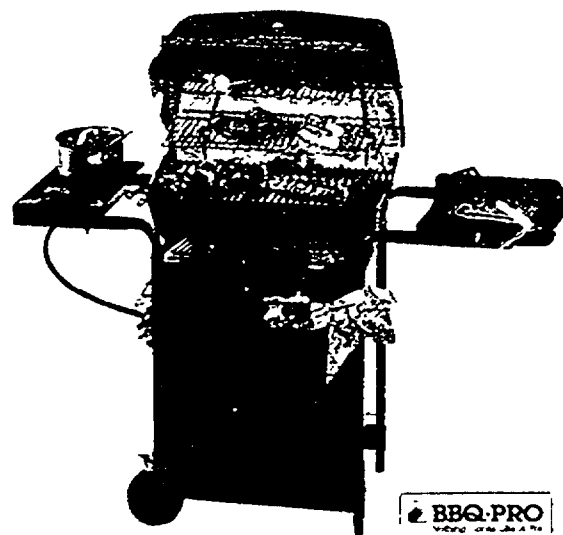
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SAVE \$3. PERFORMER EXTERIOR FLAT. Everyday 14.99. Satin, SALE 12.79. Semi-gloss, SALE 13.59



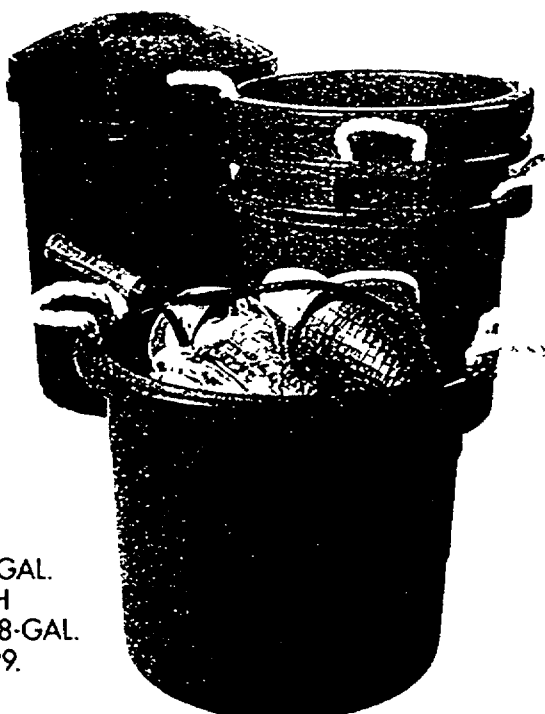
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SAVE 3.60. PERFORMER PLUS EXTERIOR FLAT. Everyday 17.99. Satin, SALE 15.19; Semi-gloss, SALE 15.99. Exterior Door & Trim, SALE 15.99. 1-qt. exterior Door & Trim, SALE 7.99

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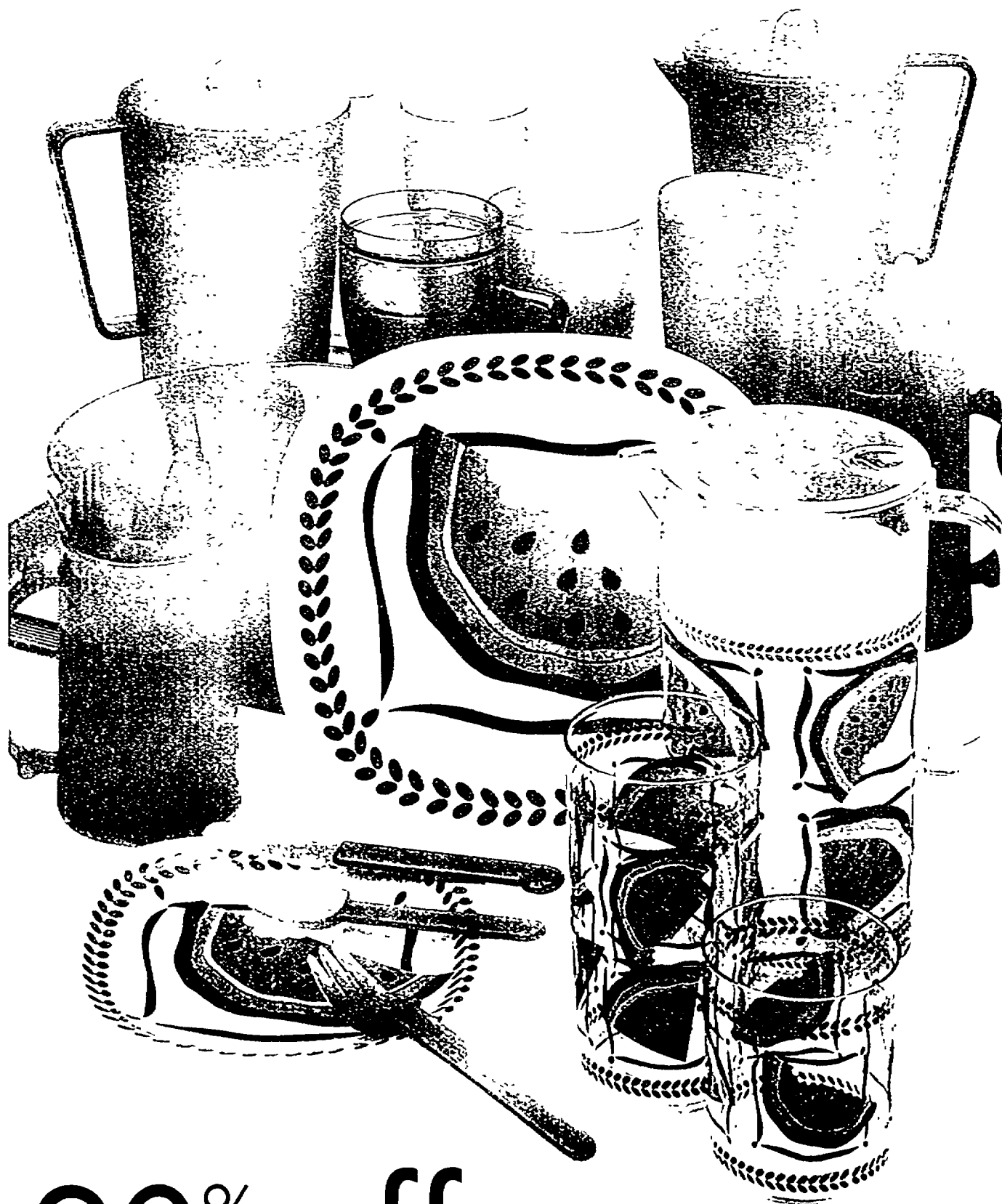


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SALE! CHOICE OF GE LIGHT BULBS 4-pack Soft White or night-light bulbs; 2-pack long-life, fan or bent-tip bulbs; single 3-way, appliance, 40- or 60-watt, globe or standard night-light bulb.

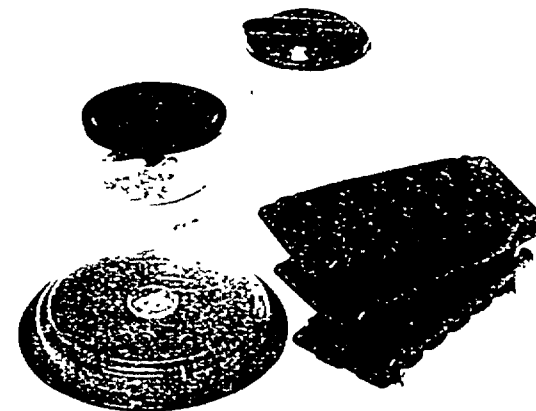
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Bring home the colors of SUMMER!



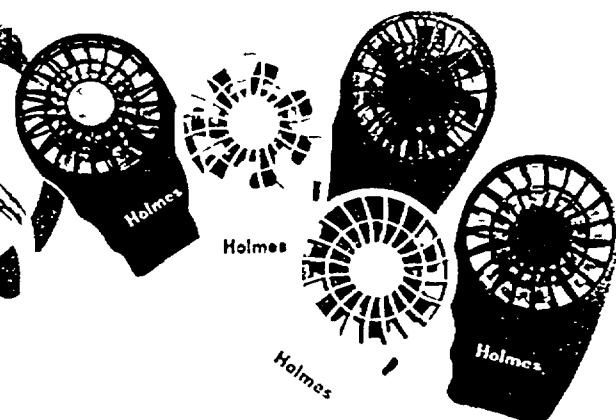
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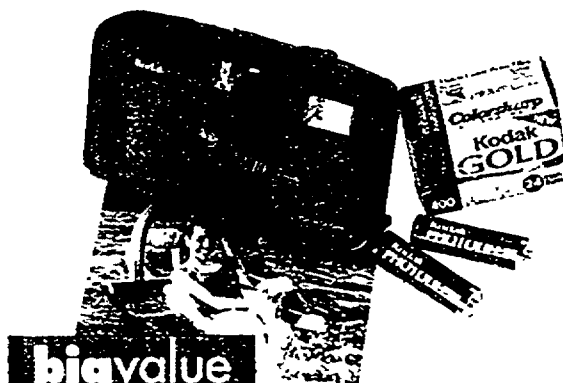
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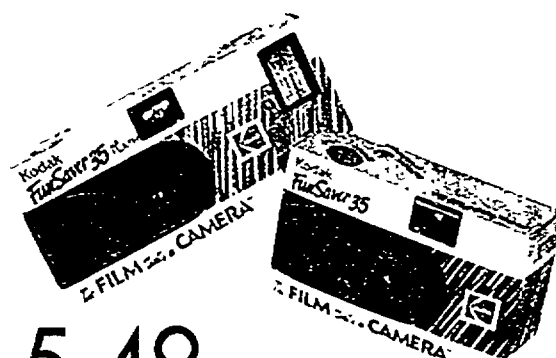


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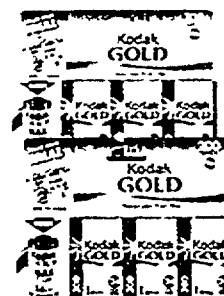


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FunSaver with flash, SALE 9.69

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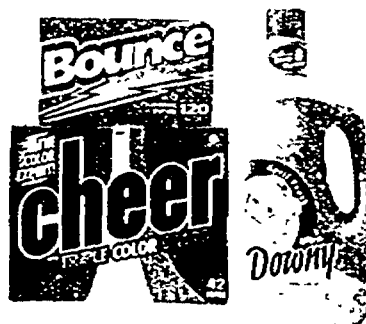
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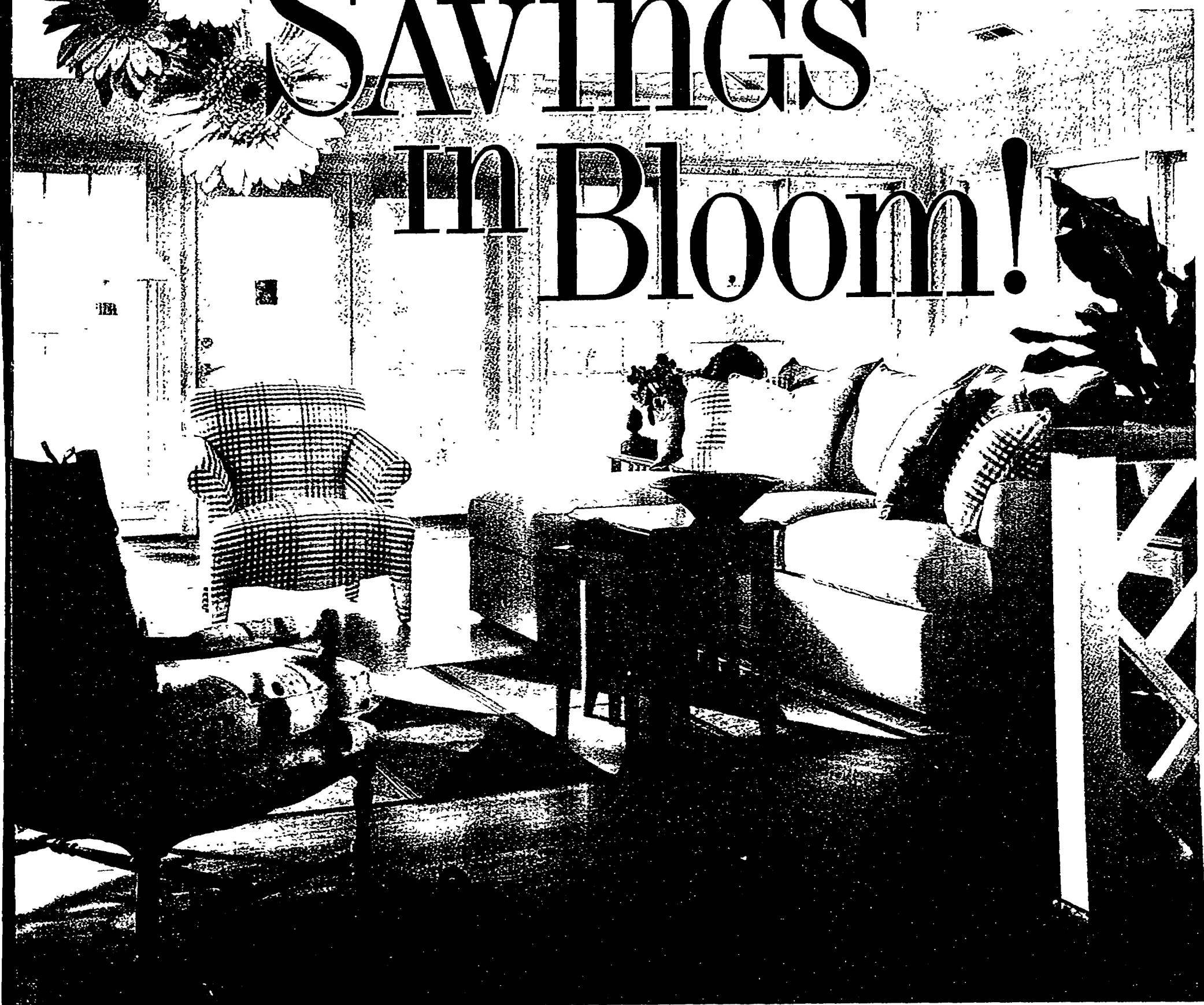
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Arched Top Breakfront China...MSR \$5,365 •SALE \$3,219

Franciscan Dining Table...MSR \$2,105 •SALE \$1,259

Trio Arm Chair...MSR \$565 •SALE \$339 (each)

Trio Side Chair...MSR \$480 •SALE \$289 (each)

Shown on front

MSR \$3,146...

•Sale \$1,999

Nirvana Sectional Sofa

Bordeaux Chair... MSR \$1,365

•SALE... \$749

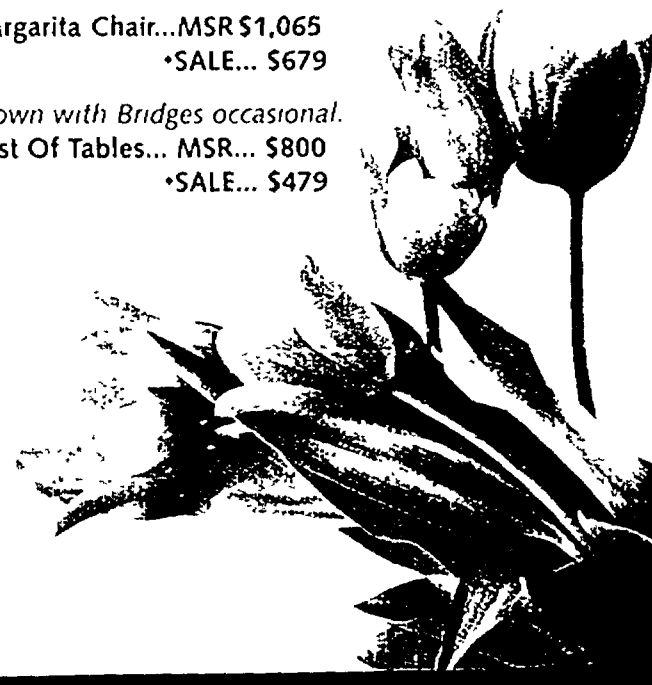
Margarita Chair...MSR \$1,065

•SALE... \$679

Shown with Bridges occasional.

Nest Of Tables... MSR... \$800

•SALE... \$479





MSR \$11,870... ♦Sale \$7,119

Elysée Dining Room... crafted in pecan with a Napoleon finish.

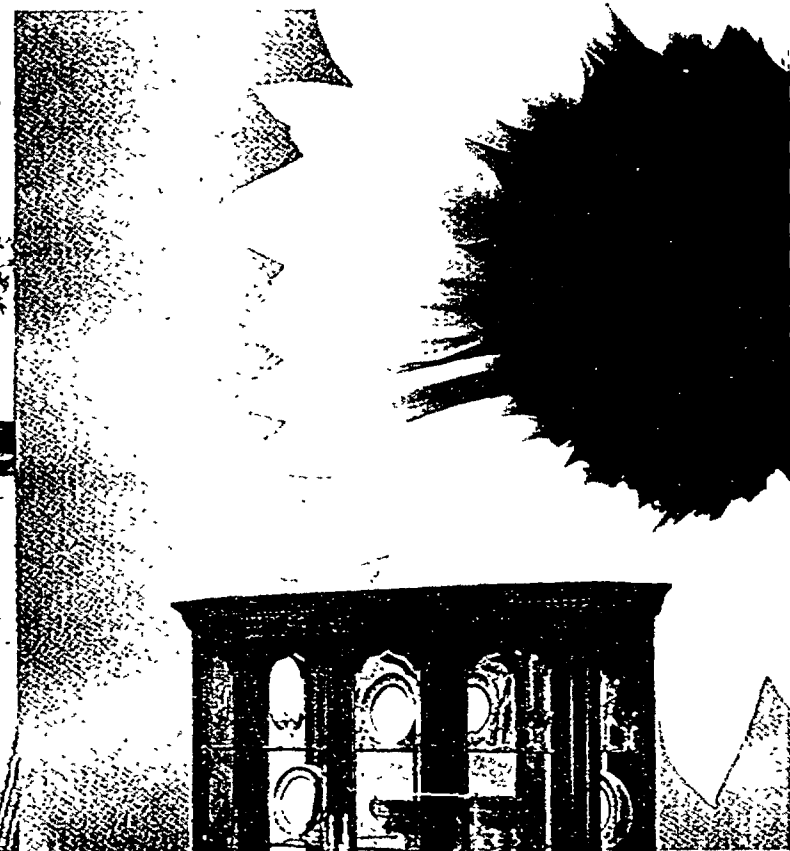
Price includes China, Rectangular Table and four Side Chairs

China..... MSR \$5,785 ♦SALE \$3,469

Rectangular Table... MSR \$2,885 ♦SALE \$1,729

Arm Chair..... MSR... \$900 ♦SALE.... \$539 (each)

Side Chair..... MSR... \$800 ♦SALE.... \$479 (each)



MSR \$9,240... ♦Sale \$5,539

Collector's Cherry Dining Room... crafted in cherry.

Price includes China, Oval Table, and four Side Chairs

China...MSR \$4,915 ♦SALE \$2,949

Oval Table...MSR \$1,885 ♦SALE \$1,129

Arm Chair...MSR... \$725 ♦SALE... \$439 (each)

Side Chair...MSR... \$610 ♦SALE... \$369 (each)

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•SALE \$919

Landscape Mirror...MSR \$510

•SALE \$309

Night Stand...MSR \$610

•SALE \$369

MSR \$1,885...

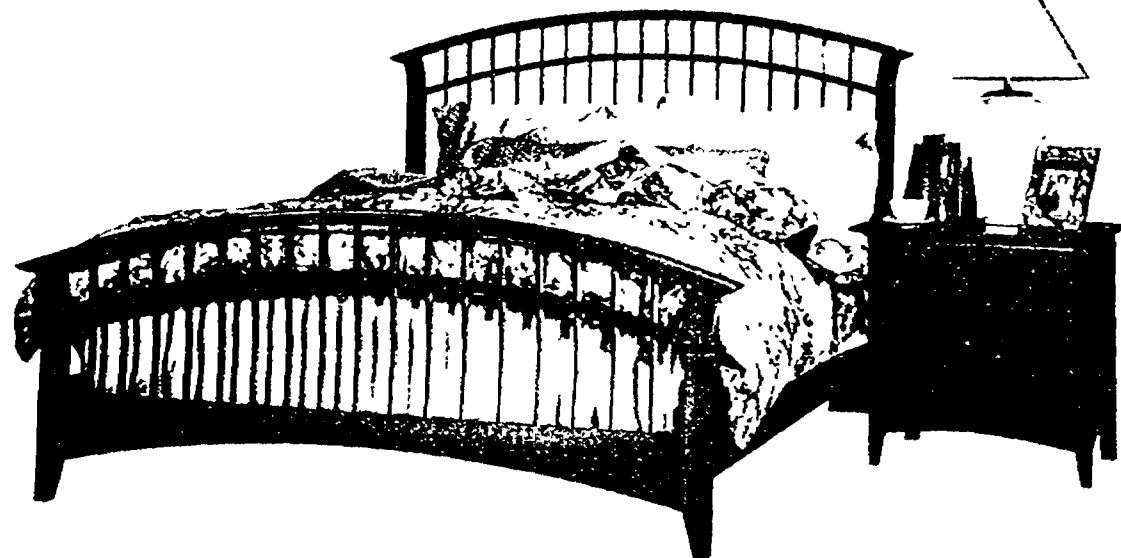
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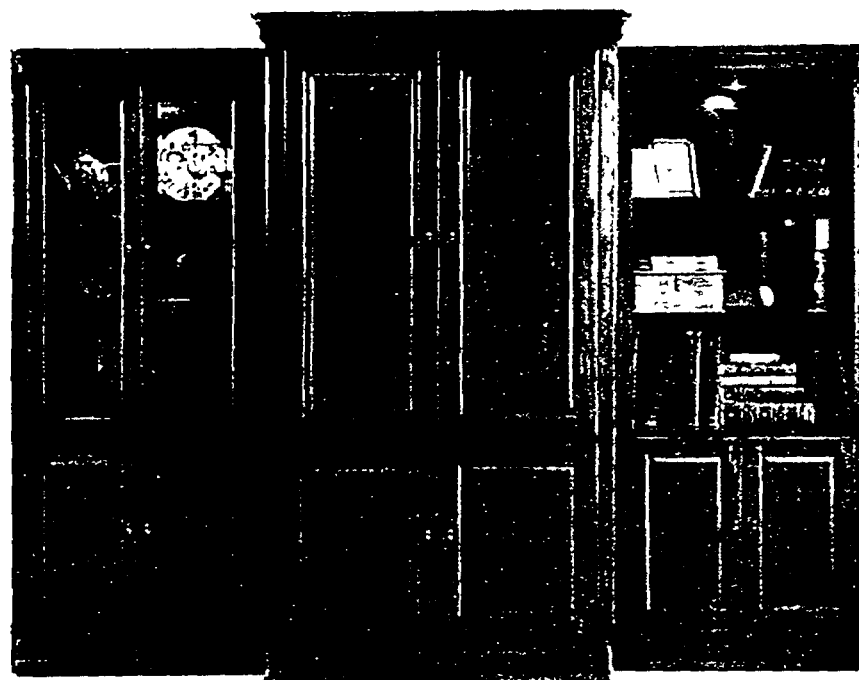
Martinique Sleigh Bed...
crafted in maple with a
subtle cherry finish.

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MSR \$1,290... •Sale \$769
Bridges Spindle Bed... crafted in
maple with a cherry finish.

MSR \$565... •Sale \$339
Finishing Touches Night Stand...
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painted sky blue finish.





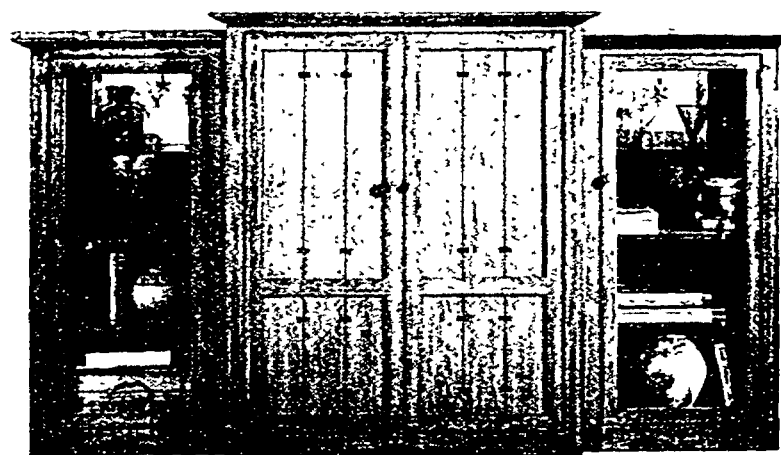
MSR \$4,175...
•Sale \$2,499
 Martinique
 Home Theater... crafted
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 cherry finish.



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 Finishing Touches Entertainment
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 painted evergreen finish.



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Leather Mardi Gras Sofa

Chair... MSR \$2,535 **+SALE \$1,599**

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Avignon Cocktail Table... MSR \$1,725

+SALE \$1,039

Avignon Lamp Table..... MSR \$1,525

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MSR \$2,819... **+Sale \$1,799**

Joplin Sofa

Moonbeam Chair (solid)... MSR \$1,090

+SALE... \$649

Hologram Chair (print)... MSR \$1,015

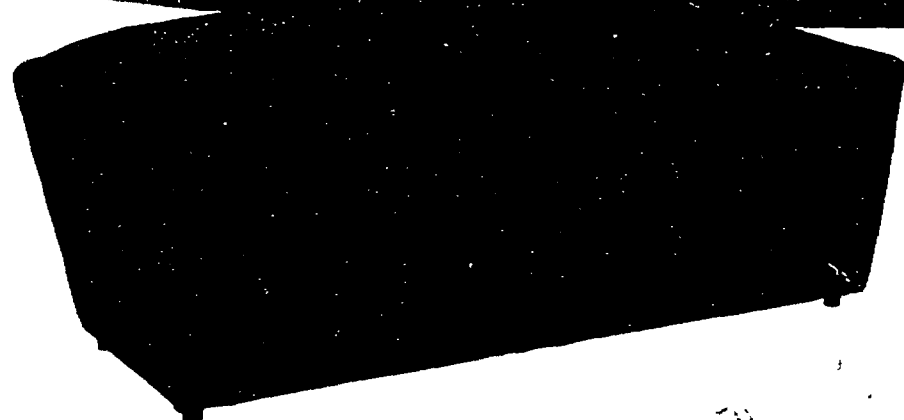
+SALE... \$699

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Square Cocktail Table... MSR \$725 **+SALE \$439**

Square Lamp Table... MSR \$550 **+SALE \$329**

End Table... MSR \$610 **+SALE \$369**



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St. Charles Drawer End Table... MSR \$1,815

+SALE \$1,089

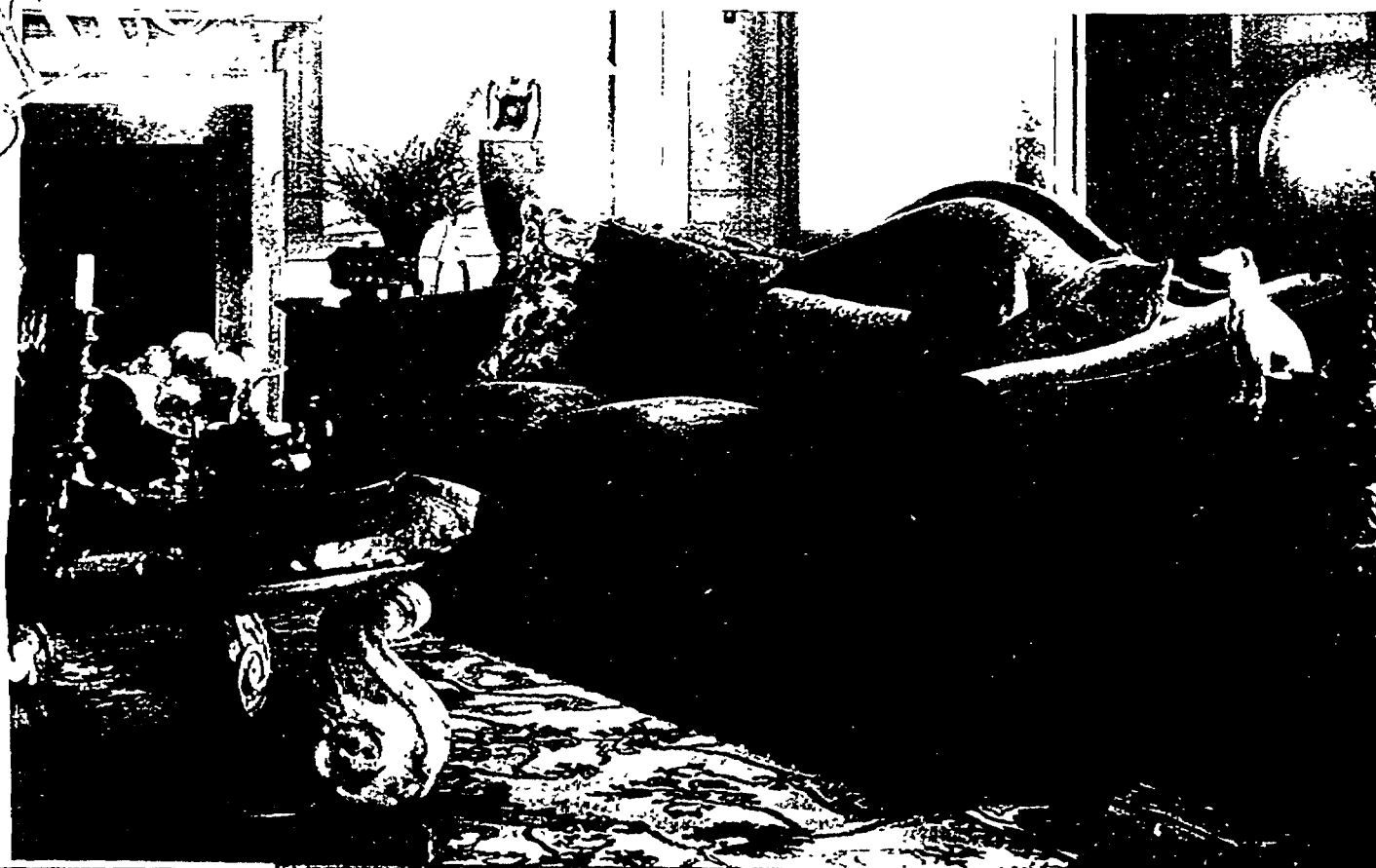
St. Charles Chairside Drawer Chest... MSR \$1,670

+SALE... \$999

Jackson Square Round Cocktail Table... MSR \$1,435

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Desk Chair...MSR \$1,430
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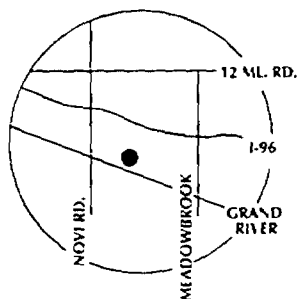
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Desk Chair...MSR \$1,705
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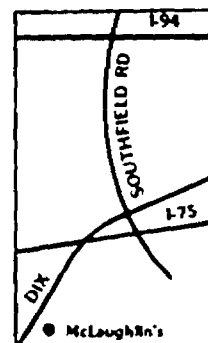
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Membership Information**



THE SPORTS CLUB OF NOVI

The Sports Club offers three different types of memberships: Fitness, Tennis, and Summer Swim Club. Fitness members receive a 30% discount when joining the Summer Swim Club and Tennis members receive a 15% Summer Swim Club discount.

FITNESS

Fitness members have full access to the fitness center and the group exercise and aerobics classes, may reserve tennis courts and may also enroll in the Club's tennis, swimming, gymnastics and martial arts programs at discounted rates.

The Sports Club of Novi brings you the most complete fitness center and programs available.



FITNESS CENTER

Cardiovascular -- Complete with abundant treadmills, stairmasters, crosstrainers, recumbent bikes, Nordic tracks, stationary bikes and computerized rowers, this multifaceted cardio center will help you keep your fitness program on track.

Weight Training -- Our weight training center features an

extensive Cybex circuit, specific function equipment from Hammer Strength and a 1,200 square foot free weight area. The Sports Club offers personal training for members who want to develop a closely supervised and individualized approach to fitness.

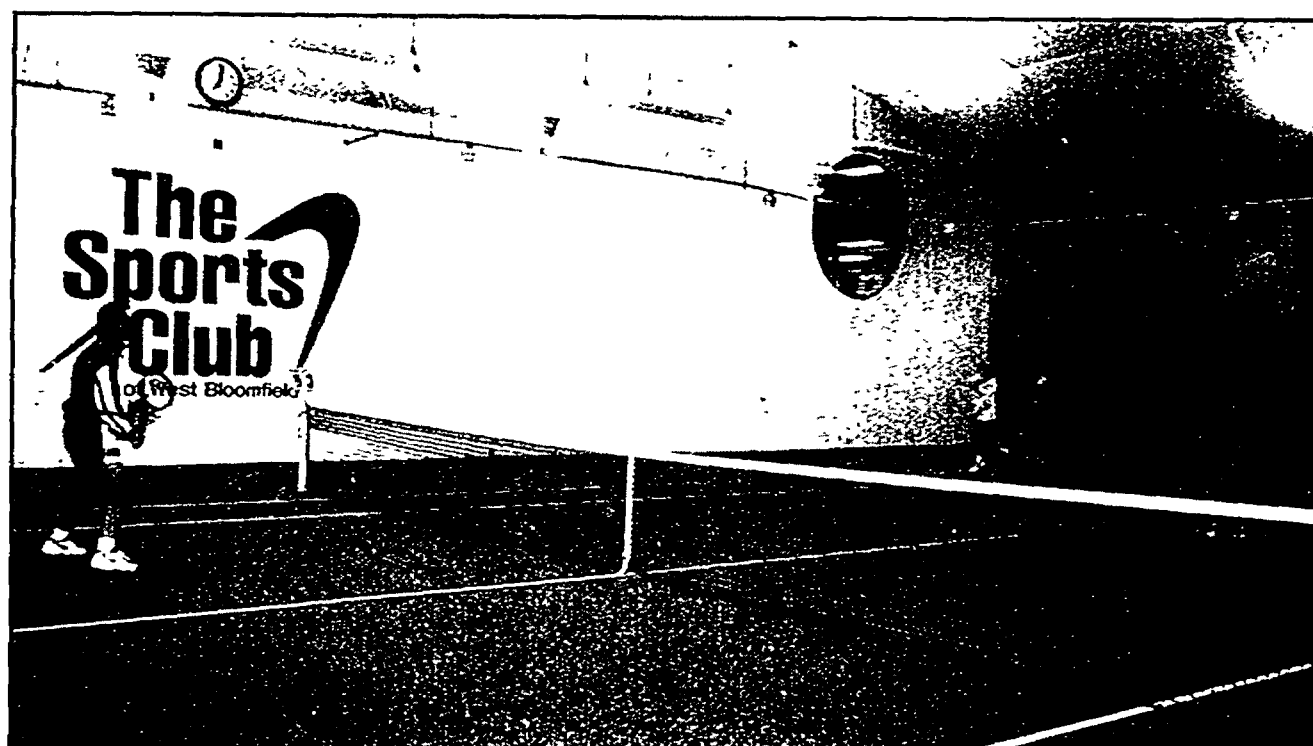
GROUP EXERCISE AND AEROBICS CLASSES

The Sports Club's certified aerobics instructors offer a schedule of classes designed to accommodate all levels of fitness and to provide the variety our members demand. Classes include: low impact, high impact, step, Spinning, basic for beginners, cross training, flexible strength, body conditioning, yoga and water aerobics. Each week we offer 40 to 50 hours of classes.

Our 1,700 square foot aerobics studio has a specially-designed floating wood floor to ease knee, hip, ankle and back strain, and a top quality sound system.

TENNIS

Tennis members may reserve courts and enroll in the Club's tennis, swimming, gymnastics and martial arts programs at discounted rates. Tennis members do not have the right to use the fitness center or attend group exercise and aerobics classes.



The Sports Club offers the area's finest tennis instruction and programming for juniors and adults at its world-class facility. We have eight permanent indoor courts and four outdoor courts that are covered with an air structure during the cold weather months. All courts feature state-of-the-art lighting.

Adult Instruction -- We have a top flight staff of teaching professionals. You can choose from the following lesson options: private lessons; semi-private lessons; clinics; clinic practices; strategy clinics; and organized practices.

Adult Competition -- The Sports Club provides competitive match opportunities regardless of your level of tennis ability. Players can choose from Weekend Travel Teams, USTA Teams or any number of daytime and evening leagues. Women can also take part in the Daytime Suburban (doubles) Teams which compete against other area clubs.



In addition to our vast programming options, tennis members benefit from club amenities such as clean locker rooms, access to our quality kids' center and a convenient snack bar.

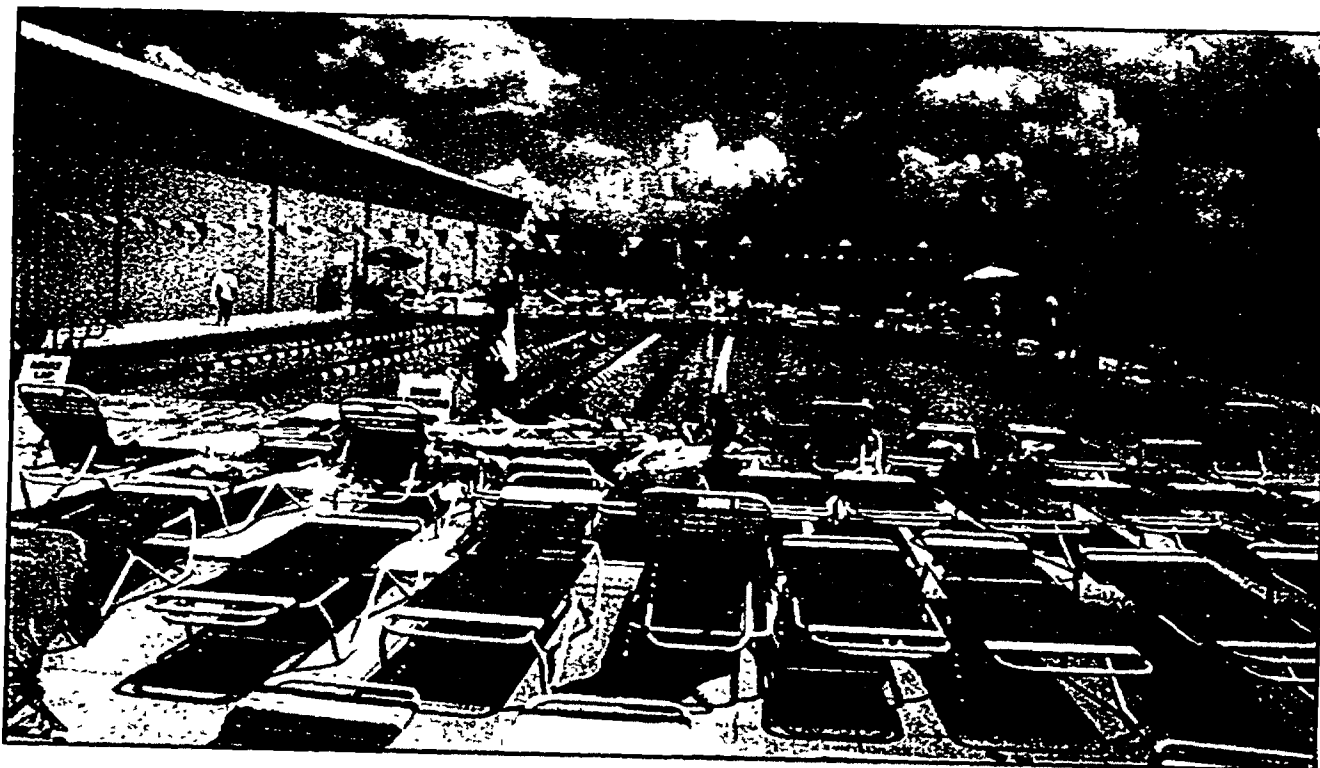
Junior Instruction and Competition --

Starting with the youngest Tiny Tot through to the most experienced national-caliber junior player, The Sports Club offers after-school and weekend classes for all skill levels. Our tennis program also offers numerous opportunities for match play for junior competitors.

SUMMER SWIM CLUB

RESERVE YOUR SPOT FOR SUMMER '99

The Sports Club's Summer Swim Club is a must for your family. Our summer swim complex includes an eight-lane pool, a training pool which slopes from 18 inches to three feet, a fun-filled water park, locker rooms, a convenient snack bar and patio.



The Sports Club also offers summertime swim programming through swim lessons and our own Club swim team.

JOIN THE CLUB.

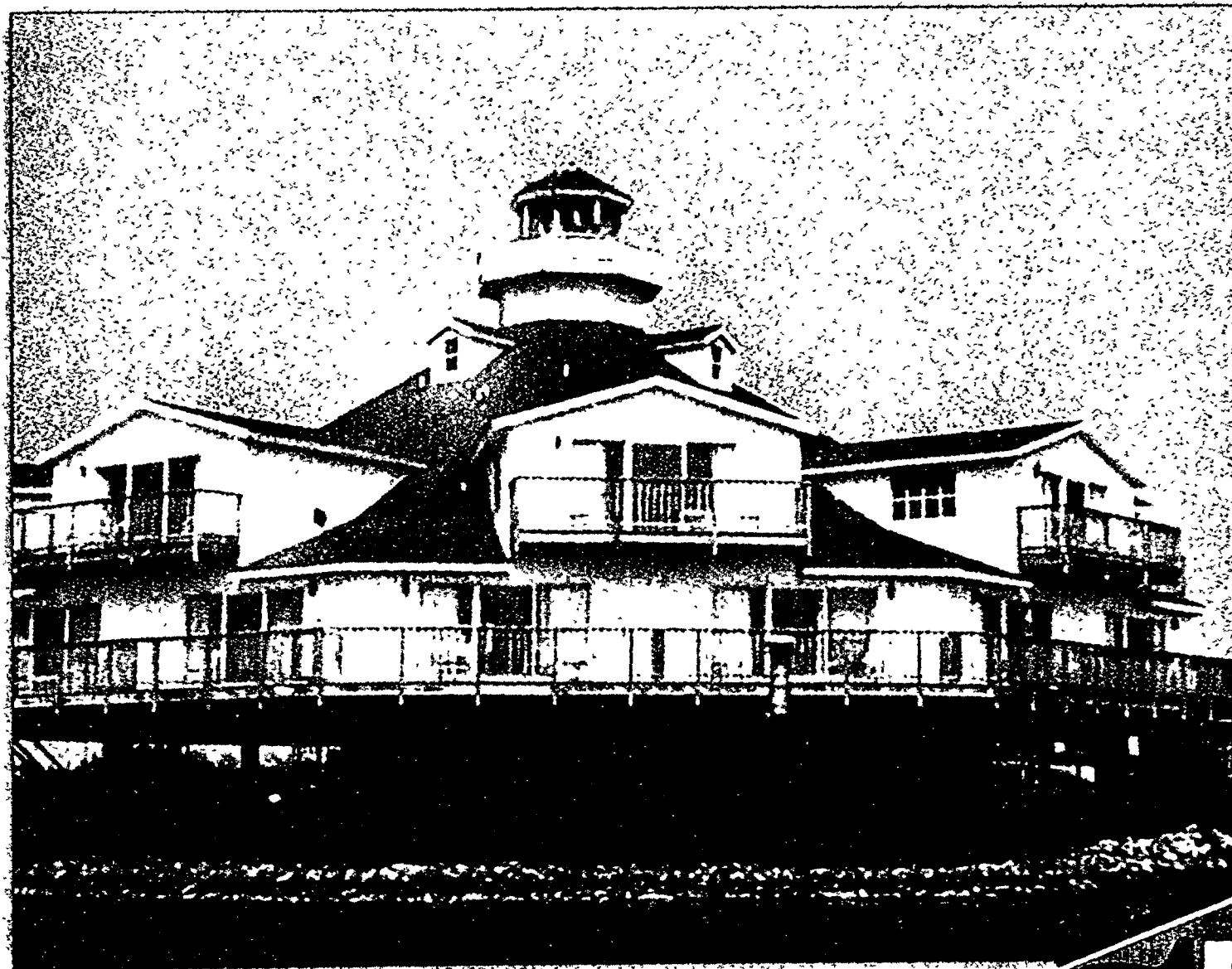
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Roof America^{plus}

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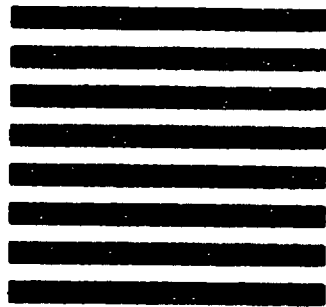
Here's a Summary of Benefits You Receive with the Roof America^{plus} System.

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Which Type of Roofing Project Do You Want Your Family... Your Home... Your Valuable Belongings... and Your Environment Exposed To?



Tear Off



Roof Over



**Here's Where Your Shingles
End Up... Forever.**

LET'S REVIEW THE RE-ROOFING CHOICES YOU NOW HAVE:

System	Environmentally Safe	Weight Factor	Energy Efficient	Install Time	After Install Mess	Water Proofing Characteristic	Mildew Retardent
New Shingles Over Old	N/A	Adds 4,000 - 6,000 pounds of weight to roof	NO	Averages 2-5 days	Yes	No	No
Tear-Off	NO	Stays the same	NO	Averages 4-7 days	YES	NO	NO
ROOF AMERICA <i>plus</i>	YES	ADDS ONLY 200#	YES Increases "R" value as much as 35%	USUALLY 1 DAY	NO	YES	YES

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Match Your Style And Switch To The Card That Gives You The 9.99% Fixed APR

Now you have the choice to carry the First USA Platinum MasterCard custom-designed to reflect your style. With this special card, you can save money and have the financial flexibility you deserve. And, as you carry your First USA Platinum MasterCard, you'll display a specially-designed card that not only expresses your way of life, but also lets you enjoy the financial benefits of lower interest rates plus the strong reputation of the MasterCard network.

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- No Annual Fee
- A 9.99% fixed annual percentage rate (APR) for all purchases and balance transfers everyday*
- Balance transfers with no transfer fee
- 24-Hour Dedicated Cardmember Service

Plus these additional Platinum services:

- Credit lines from \$5,000 up to \$100,000**
- \$1,000,000 travel accident insurance
- Year-end summary of charges

Money Saving Balance Transfers

Stop paying high interest rates and annual fees. Transfer up to two balances from any MasterCard®, Visa®, Discover®, or OptimaSM cards to your new First USA Platinum MasterCard account. We'll handle all the paperwork and there's NO TRANSFER FEE!

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*The APR on cash advances is 19.99%. If payment is received late twice in any six month period, an adjusted APR of 19.99% takes effect on purchases and balance transfer purchases. If you do not make payments for two consecutive months, the APR on all balances on your account goes to 22.99% (see Terms and Conditions for details.) First USA Bank will allocate your payment in the manner it deems appropriate including applying your payment to purchase and balance transfer balances before cash advance balances.

**In certain instances you may receive a Standard card with a credit line up to \$5,000.



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First Name

I wish to apply for:

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☐ Cat In Tree BJ09 ☐ Lager BJ10 ☐ Flowers BJ11 ☐ Landscape BJ12 ☐ Sailing BJ13 ☐ Wine BJ14 ☐ Platinum BJ15

Middle Last Name

Social Security Number

Home Phone

Street Number

Street Name (No P.O. Boxes please)

Apt. No.

City

State

Zip Code

Time at Current Address
No. of Years No. of Months

Date of Birth

No. of Dependents (excluding self)

Mother's Maiden Name

PLEASE TELL US ABOUT YOUR JOB

Present Employer

Employer's Phone

Time with Current Employer
No. of Years No. of Months

PLEASE PROVIDE SOME FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Annual Household Income*

Monthly Rent or Mortgage

Residence: ☐ Rent ☐ Own ☐ Other

Please check if you have: ☐ Checking Account ☐ Savings Account

*Alimony, child support, or separate maintenance income need not be revealed if you do not wish it to be considered as a basis for repaying this obligation.

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Transfer the amount(s) shown from these MasterCard®, VISA®, Discover® or OptimaSM account(s) (excluding any First USA or Bank One accounts) to my new MasterCard account.

Amount

Account Number (Refer to Your Credit Card)

1.

2.

FREE ADDITIONAL CARD! Yes, please send a second card at no extra cost for:

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Authorization: I certify that I am at least 18 years of age, and that I have read and agreed to all the terms, authorizations and disclosures contained on the reverse side of this form, and that everything I have stated in this application is true and correct. I understand that this application to establish a credit card account is being offered to me by First Credit Card Services USA, LLC (First Credit) on behalf of First USA Bank, located in Wilmington, Delaware (First USA) (together with First Credit, "we"). If my application is approved, the lender on the account will be First USA. I understand that the use of any account or card issued in connection with this offer will constitute my acceptance of and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the First USA Cardmember Agreement that will be sent with the card. I agree to be responsible for all charges incurred according to the Cardmember Agreement. I understand that the terms of my account are subject to change as provided in the Cardmember Agreement.

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Applicant's Signature (Please do not print)

Date

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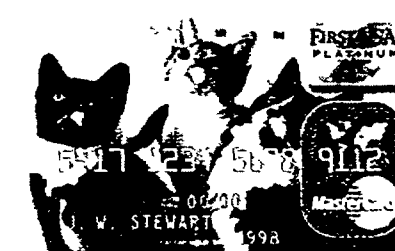
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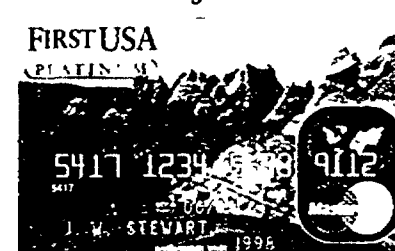
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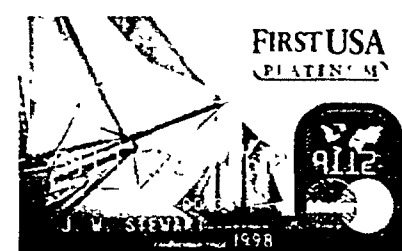
Lager Beer



Flowers



Landscape



Sailing



Wine



Platinum

TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THE FIRST USA PLATINUM MASTERCARD

Annual Percentage Rate	A 9.99% fixed APR on purchases and balance transfers; a 19.99% fixed APR on cash advances. If payment is received late twice in any 6 month period an adjusted APR of 19.99% takes effect on the purchases and balance transfer balances. If you do not make payments for two consecutive months, an adjusted APR of 22.99% takes effect on all balances on your account.
Grace Period for Repayment of Balance for Purchases	20-25 days from the date of the periodic statement (provided you paid your previous balance in full by the due date).
Annual Fee	None.
Minimum Finance Charge	\$.50 in any month that a finance charge is payable.
Transaction Fee for purchase of wire transfers and money orders and use of convenience checks	2% of the amount of the purchase or check, but not less than \$5, nor more than \$25.
Method of Computing the Balance for Purchases	Two-Cycle Average Daily Balance Method (including new purchases).

Transaction Fee for ATM and bank cash advances: 2% of the amount of the advance, but not less than \$10. Late Payment Fee: \$29. Over-the-Credit-Limit Fee: \$25. Returned Check Fee: \$29.

The grace period does not apply to cash advances.

Platinum services are only available to First USA Platinum cardmembers. First USA reserves the right to change the benefit features associated with your card at any time.

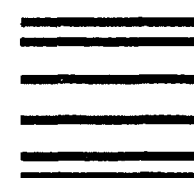
Omission of any information requested on the application may be reason for denial of an account.

Balance Transfer Option: There are no transfer fees to switch balances from your current credit card accounts to your new First USA Platinum MasterCard account, and First USA will handle the paperwork. The MasterCard, Visa, Discover or Optima accounts you indicate will show a credit, reducing the amount you owe by the amount you transferred. The available credit on your new First USA MasterCard will be reduced, just as if you had made a purchase. The transfer will show up on your first statement. Your other credit card accounts will not be closed (even if you transfer the entire balance). Remember, it may take up to three weeks to set up your account and post the balance transfer transactions to your other accounts. So you may still need to make payments to your other accounts to keep them current. If you want to close an account, please contact that credit card company directly. Balance transfer is contingent upon approval of your First USA MasterCard account. First USA reserves the right to decline to process any partial or full balance transfer request and will not process a balance transfer request from any other First USA or Bank One account.

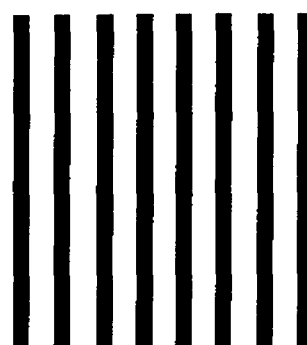
You agree that we have the right to obtain a current credit report in connection with First Credit's review of your application and, with respect to First USA, subsequently in connection with any requested charge to your account, the renewal of your account or a change to your credit line; and that First USA has the right to report to others its credit experience with you. Upon your request, we will tell you the name and address of each consumer reporting agency from which we obtained a consumer report about you. First Credit will review your credit history and income to determine if you qualify for a MasterCard and, if so, your credit line. In certain instances, based on this review, you may receive a Standard card with a credit line of less than \$5,000. The minimum gross annual household income required for a MasterCard is \$14,400.

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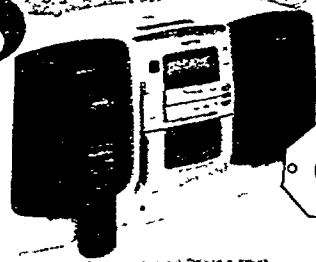
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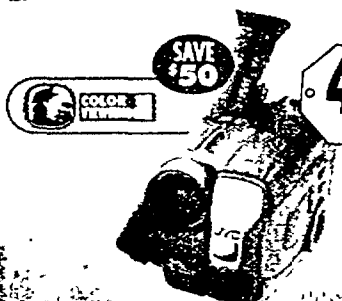
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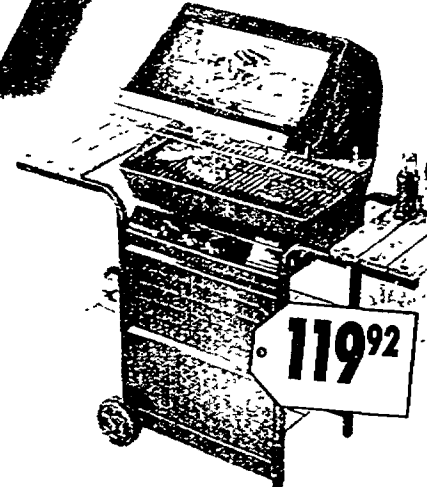


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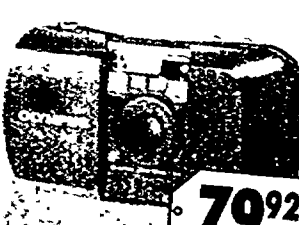


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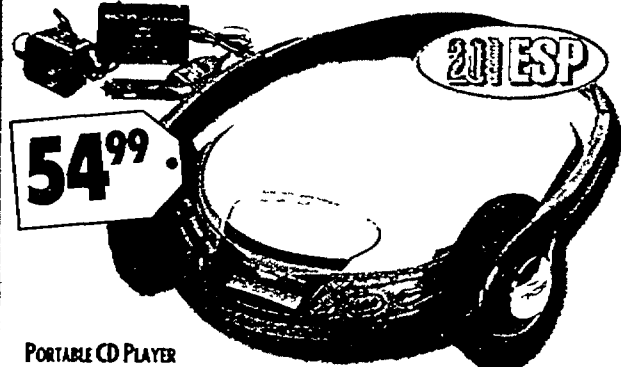
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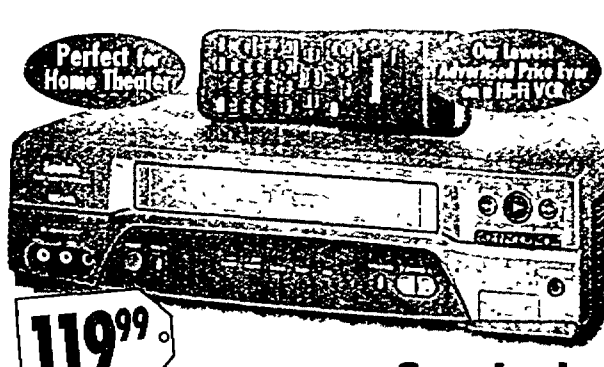
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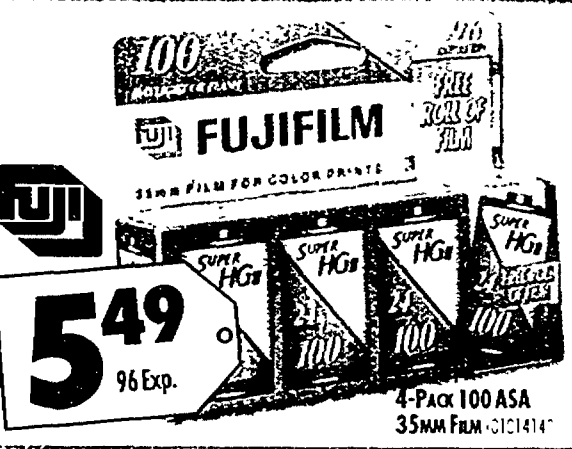
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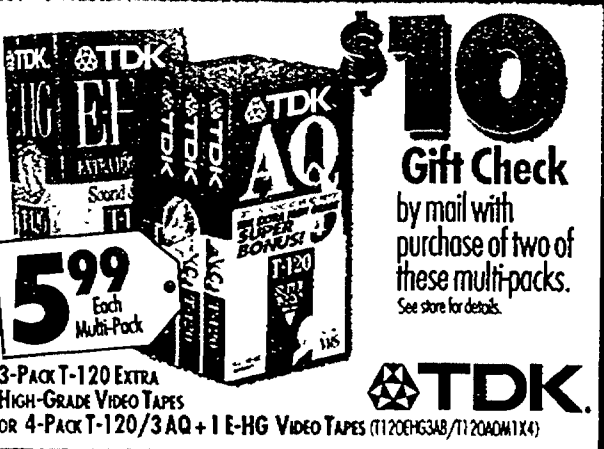
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