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Who's right? Local family, contractor at odds over basement work

By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

The basement of Carol Grimmer's home is a patchwork of drywall and steel studs. There's a toilet on the floor, but there's no lid attached to it. A spaghetti bowl of stray wires dangles from the ceiling, scrap nails dot the floor and bootprints shine through the gypsum dust.

And if you ask Grimmer, the reason the basement looks this way and not as the finished recreation room she envisioned is because of a 29-year-old contractor by the name of Brian Krafton.

Meanwhile, Krafton says Grimmer is simply a super-picky client and denies almost every allegation made against him. He claims

Grimmer's lack of foresight in specifying what she wanted in the basement is the real reason the dispute has gone to the extent it has.

Grimmer says Krafton was friendly and energetic at the beginning. She also claims Krafton, a man with several known business addresses, duped her out of her money — and that she's just the latest in a string of people who were hurt by his shoddy workmanship and unkept promises.

She walks through the dark passageways of the basement.

She points to drywall that bows with a slight push and water lines that don't flow the correct way.

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City takes action on Y2K problem

■ Council hires consultant
to get computer system
ready for year 2000

By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

Northville city leaders began the painstaking task of doing their share to prepare for a potential computer apocalypse a year from now.

The council hired BPI Information Systems to take stock of the hardware in the city's sizable computer system which could be affected when internal computer clocks make the switch to Jan. 1, 2000.

The glitch is a problem which

could have global implications. It was created in the early days of computer technology, when data storage space was at a premium. Rather than use four digits to signify a year, programmers allotted for the final two digits.

When 2000 rolls around, computer systems may break down or believe it is actually Jan. 1, 1900. Either way, experts say problems are bound to occur.

The city uses 45 computer workstations, two servers, four hubs and five printer servers. Relatively speaking, the network isn't as large as a major corporation's. However, assistant city manager Nickie Bateson said even a network like Northville's has embedded data storage microchips

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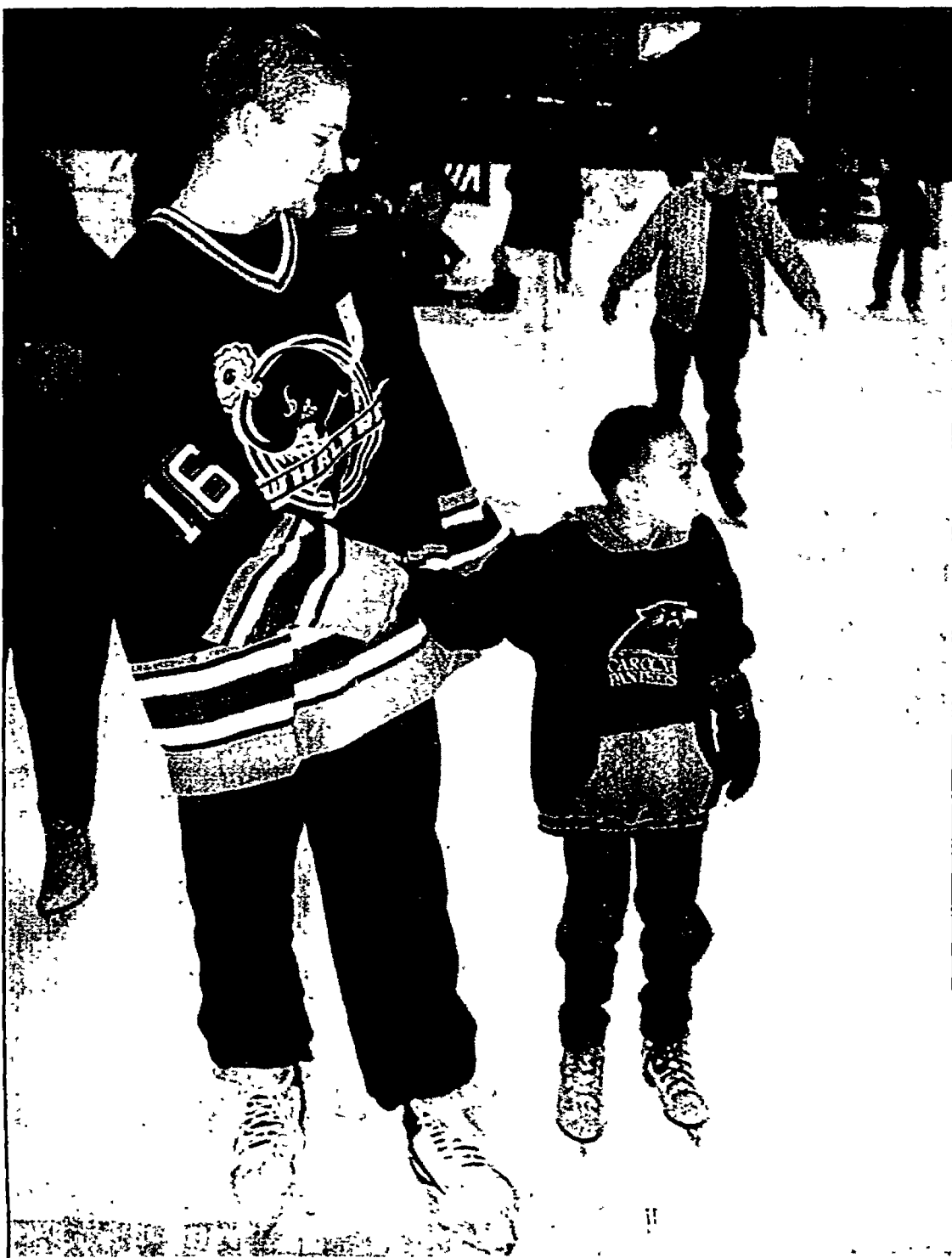


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A whale of a skate

Plymouth Whaler hockey player Rick Smith takes a skate around the Plymouth Ice Arena with Northville Old Village School student Marshal Douglas last Wednesday morning. The Whalers skated with students and staff

from Old Village and the Bryant Center for about a half an hour and even escorted a few students seated in chairs around the ice — when they found their skates too wobbly to stand up in.

Judge drops Zaas lawsuit

By WENDY WHITE
Staff Writer

The multi-million dollar lawsuit filed against the Northville School District by Northville Township residents Robin and Carl Zaas is over.

The entire suit was dismissed by U. S. Circuit Court Judge George Steeh Nov. 9.

Filed by the Zaas' more than a year ago, the suit alleged that the school district, school superintendent Leonard Rezmierski and Amerman Principal Steve Anderson failed to provide a safe environment for their daughter, Stephanie Zaas, while she was a second grader at Amerman Elementary School.

"I'm delighted that the judge ruled on all counts in our behalf," said Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski. "I said from day one that the suit and allegations had no merit. It's unfortunate we have to get into these things and deal with frivolous lawsuits but nonetheless that's the nature of our litigious society."

At its peak, the lawsuit contained 15 counts and sought more than \$11 million dollars.

Last month, attorneys for the school district asked Steeh to dismiss the case in its entirety.

Zaas lawyers Craig Essismacher and Pamela Beechly, both of Southfield, agreed to drop six claims and to dismiss Rezmierski from the case.

On Monday, Steeh threw out the rest.

"Plaintiffs have failed to come forward with evidence to create a reasonable disagreement that

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Physician-assisted suicide debate continues

■ Hospice programs offer
compassionate alternative
proponents claim.

By WENDY WHITE
Staff Writer

In the wake of the defeat of Proposal B, two local groups will continue their work to soothe the suffering of the terminally ill.

Both Merian's Friends and Arbor Hospice will maintain different philosophies.

Merian's Friends drafted the proposal that would have made it legal for physicians to prescribe lethal doses of medicine to terminally ill patients. The group also petitioned to get it on the Nov. 3 ballot, only to watch it get defeated by a 29 percent margin.

Although pre-election polls showed that citizens approved of assisted suicide two-to-one, the proposal lost support in the face of strong campaigning by its opponents.

"I think that the uneven playing field was very unfortunate. I think our side

believed they could win just on public opinion," said Northville Township resident Carol Poenisch, founder of Merian's Friends. "It could have been sold to the public if we just had the money."

Poenisch cited that opponents of the bill spent more than \$5 million on advertising, compared to Merian's Friends' \$200,000 campaign budget.

Those opponents included Citizens for Compassionate Care, the Catholic Church, and the Michigan State Medical Society.

Arbor Hospice, an Ann Arbor-based organization that cares for terminally ill patients with a combination of drug and psychological therapy, also opposed the referendum.

"I am very happy that Proposal B was defeated because we really value life," said Arbor Hospice founder and president Mary Lindquist. "If someone has a terminal ill-

ness they have a great opportunity to complete their lives."

With 130 patients at any given time and a paid staff of around 170 hospice nurses and counselors, Arbor Hospice encourages patients to strive for closure with family and friends, to pass along history and come to terms with their personal value and the impact they had on the world.

"I would hate to have someone decide to commit suicide and miss this important time for themselves and their families," Lindquist said.

As often as possible, a team of hospice workers will visit patients at home, where they are most comfortable. If that isn't possible, patients can stay at an Ann Arbor facility where friends and relatives are welcome.

"Many families have told us that this is

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Photo by JOHN HEIDER

With the photos of his eight children adorning a window sill near his chair, Hospice care patient Keith Hettinger relaxes in his room. Keith has emphysema and has been at the Ann Arbor facility for seven weeks.

Northville's Justin York Salon is auctioning off a dream date with "Barbie" for the Nov. 20 Lighted Christmas Parade. Employee Jennifer Johnson, at right, will play "Barbie," while co-worker Tammy Farmer plays Barbie's friend "Midge." Contest winner Ken will ride in the holiday float for the promotional event, which is part of the NCBA's Hometown Holiday celebration



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Looking for Ken

'Barbie' seeks famous companion
to escort her in city Christmas Parade

By WENDY WHITE
Staff Writer

Barbie is seeking a dream date for Northville's Lighted Christmas Parade.

The winner of Justin York Salon's "Ken Search" will ride through town in the Barbie float next to a living doll.

With long legs and long blond hair, stylist Jennifer Johnson looks the part, but what does she seek in the perfect Ken?

"I don't have an ideal Ken, I'm not too fussy," she said. "The winner will be decided by a panel of judges so I don't have any say in the matter. He's not for me though, he's for Barbie."

Interested candidates must stop in to fill out a form and pose for a photo at Justin York, 170 E. Main Street, by Nov. 16.

According to Justin York co-owner Laurie Anderson, each judge will probably look for something different when comparing the Polaroids, since the Barbie collection has evolved so much over the decades.

"My idea of Ken is very different from someone in their 20's. In the 60's Ken was an Ivy League type, very preppy with blond hair, tall, athletic looking. That's my idea of him. Other stylists around here say

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Deer, oh deer

You don't have to travel far to take part in the hunt

By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

Though it's tempting to trek up I-75 for the start of firearms deer season, local Department of Natural Resources wildlife specialists said plenty of good hunting exists only a short drive from Northville and Novi.

Wildlife specialist Tim Payne at the DNR's Livonia office said plenty of public land is available in the Proud Lake, Highland and Pontiac Lake recreation areas.

"If someone were to do some scouting, you could probably find a fair number of deer in the area," Payne said. "These are locations that are ideal for people who want to get out and enjoy the hunt but maybe don't have days at a time to spend."

"Within a fairly short distance, there are several good places to hunt."

A bit further down Grand River Avenue, Payne commented that Brighton State Recreation Area and Island Lake have been reporting decent action.

Generally speaking, northern Washtenaw and southwestern Oakland counties have some of the largest deer populations in the southeast part of the state, according to Payne. The influx of residents to greater Detroit has

created a good portion of the state's deer herd to other areas, but Payne explained that many still remain — as evidenced by the growing number of car-deer collisions and damage to farmer's crops.

"Overall, aside from some pockets, we don't have a lot of deer in the Northville area, but that doesn't mean there aren't any at all," Payne said. "Realistically, this is an urban environment and we wouldn't want big number of deer."

This is the time of year, however, when deer are on the move. Payne

said deer are most active from mid-October through December when mating season and hunters in the woods makes the animals more jumpy than normal.

The relatively warm weather has also made deer more susceptible

to roaming around, he said. "When we get some good, hard freezes around here, the soft food will begin disappearing," he said.

The DNR has taken steps to make it easier for hunters to get permits for their sport, Payne said. New

Tim Payne
wildlife specialist

regulations allow a person to hunt on private acres of land five acres in size or greater by purchasing a license through any state dealer. In the past, a trip to a DNR regional office or a request by mail was necessary.

"We're making a conscious effort

to give landowners a tool they can use to control their land," Payne said. "For the last several years, the focus has been on reducing the herd by trying to issue as many antlerless permits as we can."

Hunting over piles of bait is permitted across the state, except in the northern lake Huron portion of the Lower Peninsula, where authorities are still dealing with an outbreak of bovine tuberculosis.

Veterinarians believe the disease has spread by animals coming in close contact with each other over bait piles.

Bovine tuberculosis hasn't made its way to greater Detroit, according to Payne.

Around here, it's still the hunter's choice about whether or not to hunt over bait," he said.

A statewide effort to donate deer kills for feeding Michigan's needy residents is continuing this year. For more information on donating your take, call the DNR at (313) 278-3663.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Northville-area DNR deer-data coordinator Todd Losee will be collecting the heads of deer from this fall's hunter harvest to test for the presence of bovine tuberculosis.

Record Clarification

In the Police News of the Nov. 5 Northville Record, a 34-year-old woman arrested for drunk driving was incorrectly identified as a Northville attorney. While the woman is an attorney who lives in Northville, she is not a member of a Northville law firm.

The Record regrets the error.

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Winchester stop signs return with help from county officials

By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

Stop signs at the intersection of Winchester and Banbury/Dundalk will be reinstalled in Northville Commons later this week, but Wayne County officials are qualifying the move by saying their original decision was the right one.

The issue dates back to early September, when residents asked for the installation of stop signs at the intersection of Winchester and Ladywood/Ladywood Court. Wayne County complied with the request, but removed stop signs at Winchester and Banbury/Dundalk Lane.

Traffic experts justified their decision by saying drivers often ignored the Winchester/Banbury/Dundalk signs on their way north to Six Mile Road, where traffic lights changing from yellow to red often spurred drivers to coast through the stop sign in the hopes of making it onto Six Mile in time.

The signs — or lack of signs — had generated a hallstorm of telephone complaints, according to an Oct. 10 letter sent by Northville Township supervisor Karen Woodside. In the letter, she asked for assistance in replacing the signs

from Wayne County executive Ed McNamara.

In her original letter, Woodside said the moving-around of stop signs was due to "some intervention of Ms. Gini Britton of Commissioner Thaddeus McCotter's staff attempting to assist residents of Northville Colony subdivision."

Last week, McCotter said he had a conversation with deputy county executive Mike Duggan earlier about the signs. Whatever action took place as a result of that discussion happened because of the county executive's office, McCotter said.

"It was Mr. McNamara's authority that made this happen," McCotter said last week. "He and Mr. Duggan deserve the credit for this."

Wayne County public information director John Roach, however, said it was a combination of pressure from Woodside and residents of Northville Commons that were the guiding forces in making the decision to bring the signs back.

Roach said discussions were had with Wayne County officials, including transportation director Vicky Holland. Collectively, the group decided to "make an exception" and reinstall the stop signs

along north and southbound Winchester.

An exception, Roach said, because it's a rare thing for the county to give way to public pressure when traffic engineering studies find error with the logic.

"Generally, when we make a decision on engineering principles, we stick to it," Roach said. "Every once in a while, you come into contact with a situation where real life and engineering principles conflict with each other, and we try to find the best solution to the problem possible."

That was also the sentiment echoed in an Oct. 29 letter from Wayne County public services director Cameron Priebe. He said the outcry from residents was enough to override the engineering studies that said the removal of the signs were warranted.

"From a pure engineering standpoint, I feel that (Holland) initially made the right decision to remove the signs," Priebe's letter said. "Her intent was to improve public safety by eliminating situations where northbound motorists tended to glide through the stop sign in an effort to enter Six Mile before the light changed."

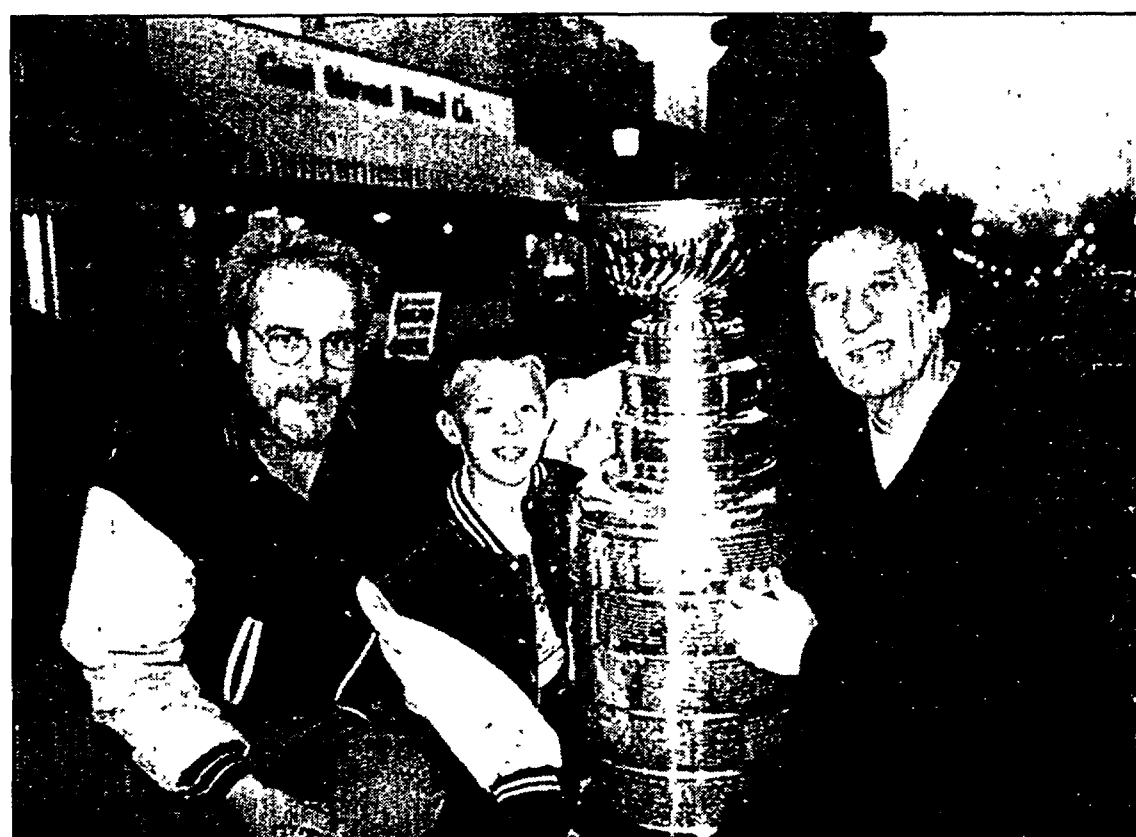


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...still got the cup

Detroit Red Wings owner Mike Illitch, right, brought the authentic Stanley Cup to Northville last Wednesday evening to show his gratitude to MacKinnon's restaurant

owner Tom MacKinnon. Joining Tom and Mike is Tom's son Daniel. The Stanley Cup has visited Northville twice since the Wings won it for the second time last June.

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Police News

BAND ON THE RUN: A student's backpack full of valuables was stolen from the grounds of Northville High School during the Mustangs/Novi Wildcats football game last month.

The theft was reported Nov. 2 by the 15-year-old owner of the backpack. Inside the \$150 satchel was a flute valued at \$860, a school band uniform valued at \$375 and a \$200 cell phone.

The student said she thought her backpack would be safe under the bleachers because many other students had stored their belongings there. When she went to retrieve it after the game, it was gone.

Although none of the other items were recovered, the uniform mysteriously reappeared in the school band room a week later, minus a hat and one shoe.

HIT AND RUN: Northville police took a report for a hit and run accident that occurred around 9:15 p.m. Nov. 4. Through witness accounts of the car's license plate number, the driver of a 1990 Dodge Dynasty was identified as a 55-year-old Birmingham man.

He rear-ended a 19-year-old woman on east bound Eight Mile and Novi roads, then left the scene.

DOUBLE WHAMMY: A 78-year-

old man and 38-year-old woman were taken to the hospital to be checked for neck injuries after a three-car accident at the intersection of Hutton and Main streets.

The accident occurred around 9:30 a.m. Nov. 7 when the Northville man failed to stop his Cadillac DeVille and rear ended the woman's car. She, in turn, rear ended the minivan in front of her, but that 47-year-old driver escaped injury.

TOWNSHIP POLICE REPORTS

MASTERFRAUD: A 78-year-old Harbour Village Drive woman told police she had received bills from several companies which billed her credit cards for purchases she had never made.

The woman filed the reports on Nov. 5.

The woman's credit card statement indicated a \$75 order had been placed to Service Merchandise and that the items ordered were to be sent to a Detroit address. The woman told police she didn't know the person to whom the items were to be shipped.

Other orders were placed on Oct. 20 for \$115 in merchandise from The Disney Catalog and on \$137 in items from JCPenney on Nov. 4.

A police investigation is ongoing.

Man arrested for assault on daughter

By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

A 17-year-old Northville Township girl has been placed in the custody of her aunt after she was assaulted by her 44-year-old father the evening of Nov. 4.

Police reports said the incident took place at around 5:30 p.m. after the girl returned home from school. Reports said the girl walked inside her Northville Place apartment and overheard her father speaking on the telephone saying how disappointed he was in the outcome of an earlier altercation with the girl, in which he looked through her purse and found a pack of cigarettes.

The girl responded by asking if she could examine her father's briefcase and was given permission to. When she opened it, she located

a Crown Royal liquor satchel which contained baggies of powder cocaine, marijuana and a handgun.

Reports said the father told his daughter he smoked the drugs, then darted for his daughter and began wrestling with her. The man shoved the girl down on the ground and began replacing the items into the briefcase. As the girl fell to the ground, she picked up the handgun and pointed it at her father, instructing him to get away.

The two wrestled for the gun down the hallway of the apartment, during which time the father picked up a large candle and threw it at his daughter's head. The girl ducked and avoided the impact. The gun eventually fired, sending a shot through the girl's bedroom mirror and into the dry-wall of the apartment.

The father continued punching his daughter and pulled her from room to room by the neck of her sweatshirt. When the two arrived in the father's bedroom, the man grabbed two grocery bags and a black handbag from a shelf, all the while maintaining a hold on the girl.

The man allegedly continued beating his daughter in the bathroom and placed a telephone call to a relative, who was not home at the time. The man then left the scene with the bags in hand.

The girl ran to a neighbor's home and contacted police regarding the assault. Police arrived on the scene and began their investigation. Several hours later, the girl's father and a man identified as the girl's uncle returned to the apartment. Upon arriving at the scene, the father asked police,

"What's going on?"

Police questioned the man, who said he had left the apartment on foot, concerned that his daughter was suicidal and would wield the gun in a dangerous manner hurting either herself or others.

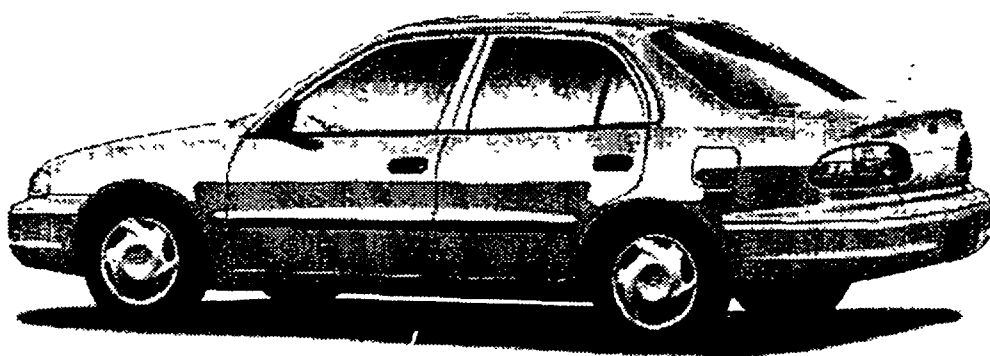
Police obtained permission to search the uncle's vehicle and recovered the gun, then asked to drive to the man's Canton home, where the Crown Royal bag, along with the bags removed from the bedroom closet were recovered. Several small baggies of cocaine and marijuana were found.

Township detective Paul Sumner said intent to distribute charges against the man are likely.

The father was arraigned in 35th District Court last week. The Record is not releasing his name to protect the privacy of the girl.

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Optical Imaging System to fulfill Defense contracts

By CHRIS C. DAVIS
Staff Writer

Financially-strapped Optical Imaging Systems of Northville Township struck an agreement with the Department of Defense last week whereby the company will fill its remaining work orders through Nov. 14.

What happens after that date remains up in the air, as the federal government and the manufacturer of flat-screen displays attempt to settle their differences.

A joint statement from the Commerce Department and OIS said the agreement had been reached, in part, because of pressure created by a directive under the auspices of the Defense Production Act.

The Act gives the federal government the authority to order the production of goods and supplies deemed vital to national security.

The statement said the two entities would "continue to cooperate to fulfill critical orders and provide for future disposition of the facility."

Commerce Department spokesperson Susan Hofer declined to comment further on

the matter.

OIS president and chief executive officer Rex Tapp said that OIS's business situation had been known about for a long time, meaning that the September announcement of the facility's closure should have come as no surprise to the Defense Department.

In Tapp's opinion, the financial forecast had apparently not been dire enough for Washington to intervene when the matter was brought to the Defense Department's attention a year ago.

"It seemed as if (the federal government) wanted us around and they liked us, but the 'critical' element they were searching for to provide assistance wasn't there," Tapp said. "The bottom line is that the talks we've had has resulted in agreement with the Commerce Department, and we plan on going forward with that agreement."

However, Tapp said OIS had no intent of resuming normal business operations.

"We are absolutely not reopening," Tapp said. "It's always been our intent to sell out the remain-

der of our screens to the government. We'd love to stay open, but we won't. This is all part of a larger plan we're carrying out."

Potential buyers for the multi-million dollar building at Five Mile and Beck Roads are still being sought, but Tapp said talks with companies haven't netted anything solid to date.

"We've got time to do this right," Tapp said, adding that OIS would be looking beyond the state of Michigan and possibly outside of the United States to find a buyer for the property.

Tapp said OIS has been readily supported in making sound decisions by officials from Northville Township and Wayne County.

The company is one of the top 10 taxpaying businesses in the township. Tax records showed the company has paid its bills up to date. Last year, OIS paid out nearly \$75,000 to the township.

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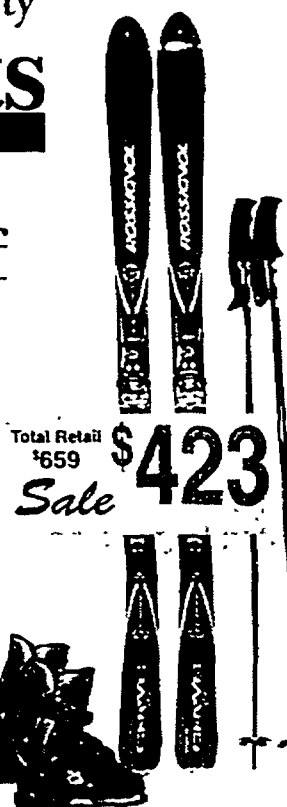
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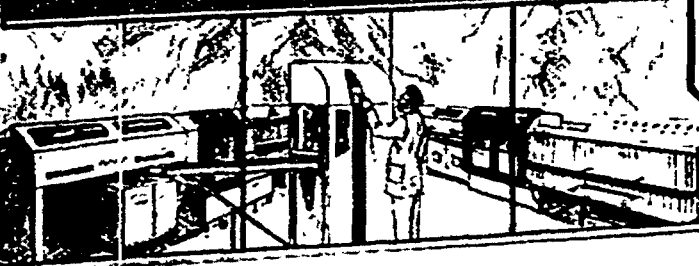


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Meads Mill students help Civic Concern

By WENDY WHITE
Staff Writer

Meads Mill Middle School students booted their assistant principal Ray Balutowicz out of his office Oct. 30.

Balutowicz promised to move his desk into the main hallway for the day if students filled his office with donations for Northville Civic Concern. "That was the goal. They made it," said principal Sue Meyer.

For two weeks, students brought in food and household products for the Northville charity organization.

After the grocery bags piled up across his office floor, Balutowicz was forced to work from a makeshift table in the main hallway.

The fund raiser was Meads Mill's contribution to Make A Difference Day, but Balutowicz said the school's good deeds go well beyond the national holiday.

"We're trying to make a difference with projects all year long so it becomes a way of life," he said.

For example, inspired by a visiting speaker from Afghanistan, the children \$10,000 in part by donating

returnable cans. The money was enough to build a school in the middle eastern country.

According to social studies teacher Chris Nadam, ground breaking was held last month and the students are now raising money for books and supplies.

For the latest effort, students were awarded points based on the value of their Civic Concern donations, which also included 800 books.

Winners with the most points received free ice cream.

The Meads Mill student council organized the event and prepared the goods for pickup by Civic Concern.

"I'm pretty impressed with the way people are motivated to bring food in for these people," said council president Matt Cornelius.

"It shows they really want to help," agreed Mike Kelly, council secretary.

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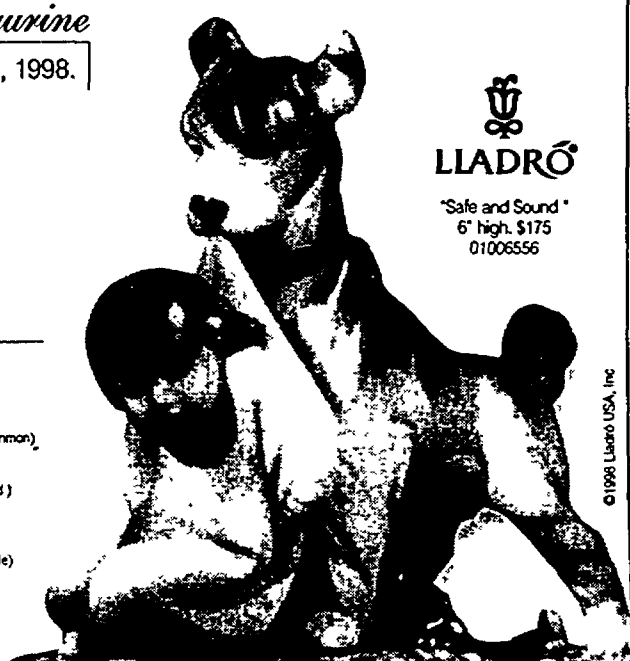
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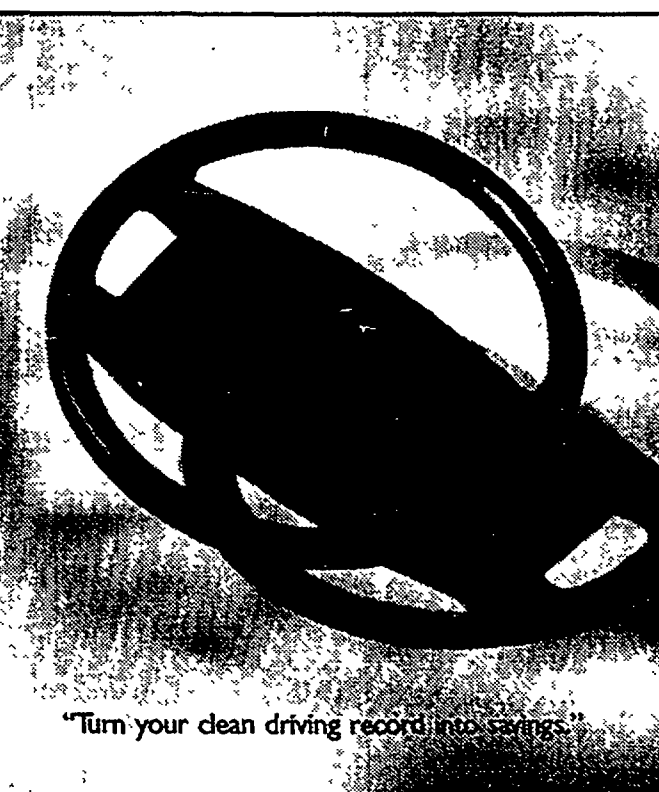
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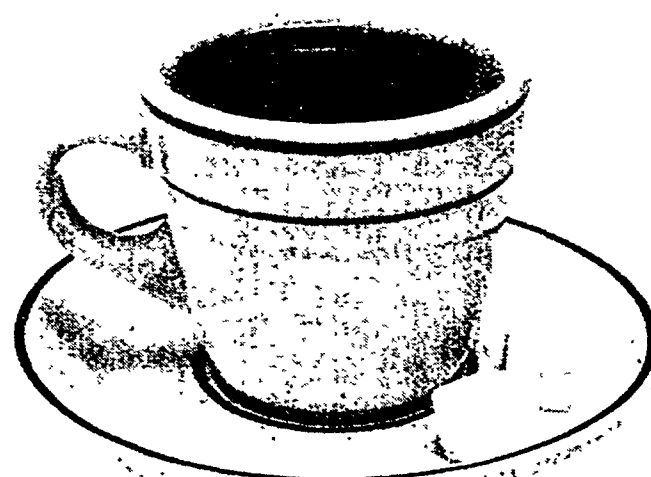


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School board approves innovative grants for teachers

By WENDY WHITE
Staff Writer

The rodents will run again at Northville High School, since the Rat Olympics scored another Innovative Grant.

The Northville School Board announced that 26 creative projects will be funded this year by Innovative Grants, a district-wide program that gives teachers money to try new things.

Instead of applying for grants from the government or private sources, teachers apply for a share of money set aside from the district's budget.

"We're very excited about them. All the buildings submitted very ingenious ideas and all the buildings were represented," said schools superintendent Leonard Rezmierski. "We now are seeing buildings replicate ideas tried years ago or embellishing projects

started with innovative grants."

The Rat Olympics, for example, began with an innovative grant three years ago and this year's allocation will buy more animals, food and bedding, and build equipment for a new Olympic event.

The project is meant to teach AP Psychology students to conduct experiments, study behavior and care for lab animals.

Of the 28 grant applications received by district officials, all but two were approved to the tune of almost \$30,000.

At Northville High School, innovative grants will fund a CD-Rom collection of artwork for AP art students, a third video camera for the broadcast writing and production class, and equipment for diversity training through metal-smithing.

In addition, some students will

attend "Make a Difference" leadership camp, while others go to Tamarack Outdoor Adventure Camp for two days of "Peer Mediation" training.

In a unique partnership with mentors from the University of Michigan, social studies students will learn about the Arab-Israeli conflict through role-playing exercises.

And when tenth grade English classes read handmade children's books to Amerman Elementary School classes, an Innovative Grant will fund the doughnuts and cider.

At the middle school level, innovative grants will allow Cooke and Meads Mill to add structures to their Adventure Challenge courses.

In addition, grants at Cooke will sponsor an Invention Convention, a visiting children's book author

and the installation of gardens and benches.

At Moraine Elementary School, Innovative Grants will allow staff members to meet after school and discuss leadership and school improvement.

In addition, a grant will staff a Homework Club, where the district's Kid's Club students can get after-school help with schoolwork.

A grant will also create a Spanish listening library full of books-on-tape that will be shared with Silver Springs.

At Amerman Elementary School, Innovative Grants will allow teachers to build a physics lab complete with levers, pulleys, inclined planes and gear trains.

Other teachers will take students to Maybury State Park to compare woodland and pond habitats.

Another grant will allow science

and art students to create a ceramic mosaic depicting endangered species.

At Silver Springs Elementary school, Kindergartners will benefit from three grants. One will buy rubber stamps for reading and writing lessons, another will fund "Kindercooking" lessons while a third will fund a "Ducky Dozen" reading program that will award prizes to children who read a dozen books.

At Thornton Creek Elementary School, a grant will create a lending library of intelligent and interactive family games, as well as bins of educational activities that will rotate through first-grade classrooms.

At Winchester Elementary School a grant will fund books and props for an interactive story-

telling library for Kindergartners and Alpha Smart keyboards that will help third graders improve their writing.

As for the two Innovative Grant applications that were denied, school officials said they will help the teachers try to secure other means of funding.

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NOTICE — CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT TUP 98-048

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Nemish Diversified is requesting a Temporary Use Permit to allow the outdoor sale of Christmas Trees at Eaton Center Shopping Center, located on the north side of Ten Mile Road, west of Novi Road, from November 27, 1998 to December 24, 1998.

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 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 18, 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 November 18, 1998.

GERRIE HUBBS
PERMIT ANALYST
(248) 347-0415

(11-12-98 NR, NN 863164)

NOTICE — CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT TUP 98-047

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Selective — Haverhill Farms, Inc. is requesting a Temporary Use Permit to allow the placement of a construction trailer next to lot 81 on Kingsley Lane in Haverhill Farms from November 18, 1998 through April 1999 for use during construction of the subdivision. Haverhill Farms is located on the south side of Fourteen Mile Road, west of Haggerty Road.

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 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 18, 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 November 18, 1998.

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(11-12-98 NR, NN 863166)

WESTERN TOWNSHIPS UTILITIES AUTHORITY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS REGULAR MEETING SYNOPSIS 4:00 P.M., MONDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1998

Regular meeting called to order at 4:10 p.m.

Present: Karen Woodside, Kathleen Keen-McCarthy, Terry Bennett.

Agenda - adopted as amended.

Minutes of regular meeting of September 28, 1998 - approved.

Schedule of operating expenses totaling \$656,077.13 - approved.

Operations & Maintenance Report for September, 1998 - received and filed.

Operations Manager's Report for October, 1998 - received and filed.

Year 2000 Compliance Update Report - received and filed.

Northville Township Interceptor Connection; Stonewater Subdivision No. 3 - approved.

Fiscal Year-End Budget Amendments (FY 97/98) - approved.

Project Budget Amendments (Sewer Redirection, Building Expansion and Storage Building) - approved.

Wet Well Odor Control Structure (Lower Rouge) Engineers Certificate No. 6 - Final Payment - approved.

The regular meeting was adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

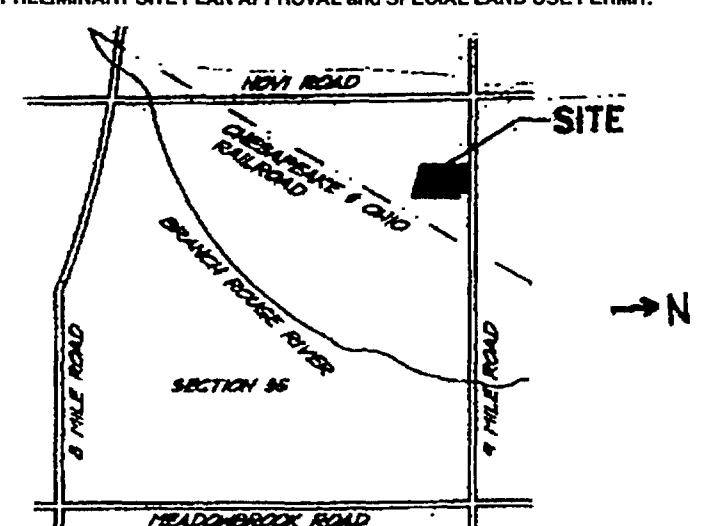
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KAREN M. WOODSIDE

This is a synopsis. A complete copy of the minutes may be reviewed at the WTUA offices located at 40905 Joy Road, Canton, MI 48187.

Published November 12, 1998

CITY OF NOVI PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission for the City of Novi will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, November 18, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI to consider **SIEMENS BUILDING ADDITION SP 98-47**, located on Nine Mile Road, east of Novi Road, seeking **PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN APPROVAL** and **SPECIAL LAND USE PERMIT**.



All interested persons are invited to attend. Verbal comments will be heard at the public hearing and any written comments must be received by the Planning & Community Development Department, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI 48375 until 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 18, 1998.

NOVI PLANNING COMMISSION
KIM THOMAS CAPELO, SECRETARY
TONNI L. BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK

(11-12-98 NR, NN 863270)

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

There will be a PUBLIC HEARING on the amended budget for the fiscal year January 1, 1999 through December 31, 1999 at the Northville Township Civic Center, 41600 West Six Mile Road, Northville, MI 48167 at 7:30 p.m. on November 12, 1998.

All interested residents are invited to attend. Comments and questions concerning the proposed budget will be heard at the public hearing.

A copy of the proposed budget will be available for public inspection at the Township Clerk's office beginning November 6, 1998 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

The property tax millage rate to be levied to support the proposed budget amendments will be a subject of this hearing.

SUE A. HILLEBRAND, CLERK

(11-5/12-98 NR 861530)

NOTICE — CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT TUP 98-049

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that R. L. Shekell, Inc. is requesting a Temporary Use Permit to allow the placement of a construction trailer on the job site for Life Time Fitness, located on the west side of Haggerty Road, north of Eight Mile Road, from November 18, 1998 to April, 1999.

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 3:15 p.m. on Wednesday, November 18, 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 November 18, 1998.

GERRIE HUBBS
PERMIT ANALYST
(248) 347-0415

(11-12-98 NR, NN 863169)

NOTICE OF FIRST READING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

DATE: November 12, 1998
TIME: 7:30 p.m.
PLACE: Northville Township Civic Center
41600 Six Mile Road
Northville, MI 48167

The Charter Township of Northville Board of Trustees will have a 1st Reading for a proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendment — Districts, to include Public Open Space and Recreation District on November 12, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. at the Northville Township Civic Center, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan. The public is invited to attend and express their comments and questions. Written comments regarding the proposed changes will be received by the Township Clerk's Office, 41600 West Six Mile Road, Northville, MI 48167. The text for the proposed addition is available for review in the Clerk's Office between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

SUE HILLEBRAND,
CLERK

(11-5/12-98 NR 861524)

NOTICE — CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR BIDS UNIFORM LEASING

The City of Novi will receive sealed bids for Uniform Leasing according to the specifications of the City of Novi. Bid packages are available at the Office of the Purchasing Director.

Sealed bids will be received until 3:00 p.m. prevailing eastern time, Wednesday, November 25, 1998, at which time proposals will be opened and read. Bids shall be addressed as follows:

CITY OF NOVI
CAROL J. KALINOVIK, PURCHASING DIRECTOR
45175 W. Ten Mile Rd.,
Novi, MI 48375-3024

All bids must be signed by a legally authorized agent of the bidding firm. ENVELOPES MUST BE PLAINLY MARKED

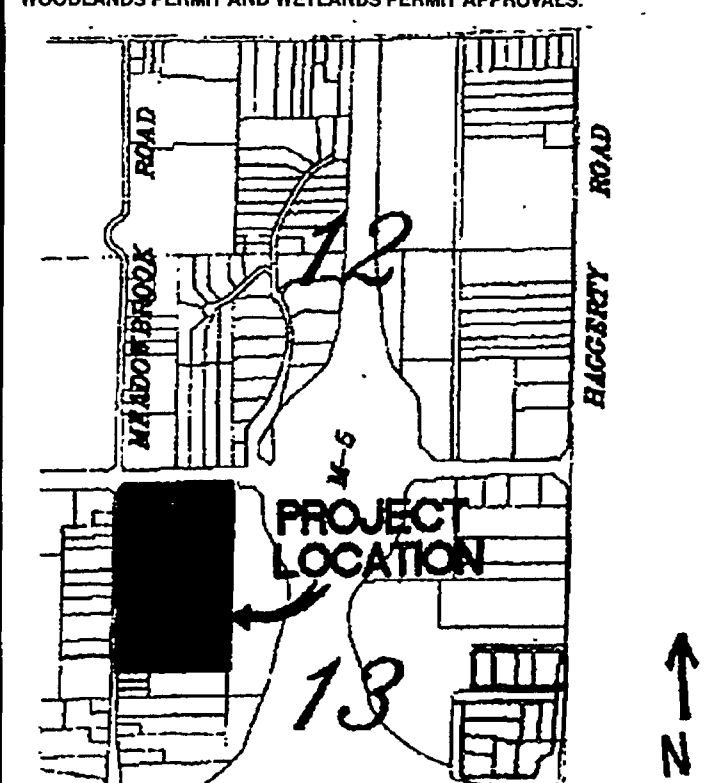
"UNIFORM LEASING" BID
AND MUST BEAR THE NAME OF THE BIDDER.
The City reserves the right to accept any or all alternative proposals and award the contract to other than the lowest bidder, to waive any irregularities or informalities or both; to reject any or all proposals; and in general to make the award of the contract in any manner deemed by the City, in its sole discretion, to be in the best interest of the City of Novi.

CAROL J. KALINOVIK,
PURCHASING DIRECTOR
(248) 347-0446

(11-12-98 NR, NN 863168)

CITY OF NOVI PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission for the City of Novi will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, November 18, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI to consider **SAINT JOSEPH MERCY HEALTH SYSTEM SP 98-52**, located on the southeast corner of 12 Mile Road and Meadowbrook Road, seeking **PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN APPROVAL**, **WOODLANDS PERMIT** and **WETLANDS PERMIT APPROVALS**.



All interested persons are invited to attend. Verbal comments will be heard at the public hearing and any written comments must be received by the Planning & Community Development Department, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI 48375 until 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 18, 1998.

NOVI PLANNING COMMISSION
KIM THOMAS CAPELO, SECRETARY
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(11-12-98 NR, NN 863271)

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING INTER-COUNTY SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT QUAIL RIDGE DRAINAGE AREA

On November 19, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. a PUBLIC HEARING will be held on the establishment of a Special Assessment District (SAD) requested to be administered through the Inter-County Drainage Board for the affected area in the Charter Township of Northville primarily the Quail Ridge Subdivision and adjoining property. This Public Hearing will be conducted at the Township Civic Center, 41600 West Six Mile Road, Northville, MI 48167.

All interested citizens are invited to attend and provide views, ask questions and comment on the proposed Special Assessment District. For additional information on the SAD, please contact the Clerk's Office at (248) 348-5800.

SUE HILLEBRAND,
TOWNSHIP CLERK

(11-12/19-98 NR 863277)

NOTICE — CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR BIDS SALT DOME REPAIR

The City of Novi will receive sealed bids for the Salt Dome Repair according to the specifications of the City of Novi. Bid packages are available at the Office of the Purchasing Director.

Sealed bids will be received until 3:00 p.m. prevailing eastern time, Tuesday, November 24, 1998, at which time proposals will be opened and read. Bids shall be addressed as follows:

CITY OF NOVI
CAROL J. KALINOVIK, PURCHASING DIRECTOR
45175 W. Ten Mile Rd.,
Novi, MI 48375-3024

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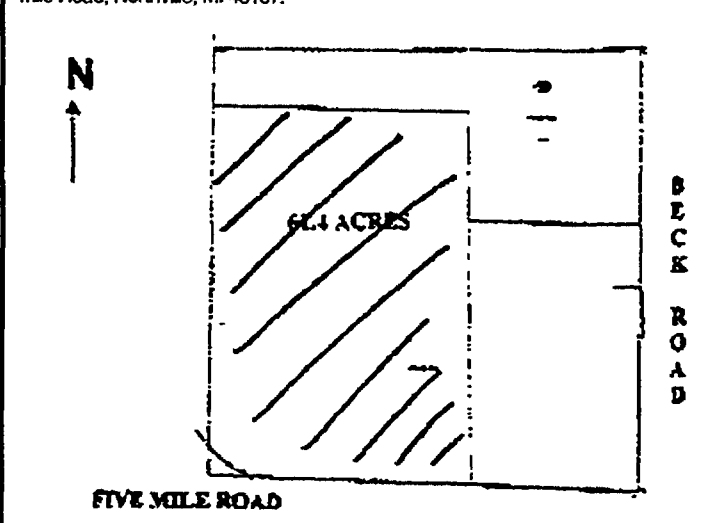
CAROL J. KALINOVIK,
PURCHASING DIRECTOR
(248) 347-0446

(11-12-98 NR, NN 863165)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

DATE: November 24, 1998
TIME: 7:15 p.m.
PLACE: Northville Township Civic Center
41600 Six Mile Road
Northville, MI 48167

The Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Northville has scheduled a Public Hearing for Tuesday, November 24, 1998 at 7:15 p.m. at the Northville Township Civic Center, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan, on a proposed Rezoning. This request is to rezone property located north of 5 Mile Road and west of Beck Road, Northville Township, MI, from R-3 Single Family Residential to Public Recreation and Open Space. The public is invited to attend this public hearing and express their comments and questions. Written comments regarding the proposed changes will be received by the Township Planning Commission, 41600 West Six Mile Road, Northville, MI 48167.



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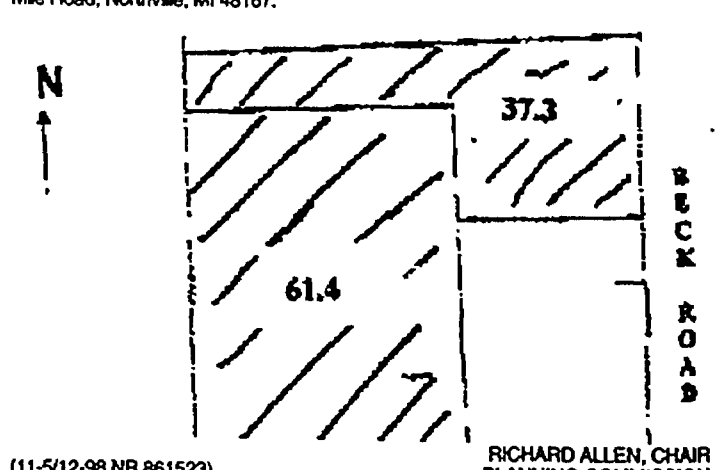
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RICHARD ALLEN, CHAIR
PLANNING COMMISSION

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(11-5/12-98 NR 861523)

RICHARD ALLEN, CHAIR
PLANNING COMMISSION

Library Lines

LIBRARY HOURS: The Northville District Library is open Mon., Thurs. from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Fri. and Sat. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m. For information on services or programs, please call 349-3020.

BE A SAVVY CONSUMER ON THE INTERNET: Gain tips on using the Internet for shopping on Thurs. Nov. 12 at 7 p.m. Richard Truxall from The Library Network will offer sound advice and a bevy of worthwhile consumer sites. Please register by calling 349-

3020.

EVENING DROP-IN STORY-TIME: Wear your pajamas and join us for a half-hour session of stories on Wed. Nov. 18 at 7 p.m. Families are welcome to this program geared to preschoolers with parents or caregivers.

"LITTLE ME" LAPSIT STORY-TIME: Join us on Thurs. Nov. 19 from 10:30 to 11:15 a.m., for this new monthly, activity-based storytime, geared to the very young set, ages 10- to 24-months, with their

parents or caregivers. Younger or older siblings may also attend and no registration is necessary.

WHAT ARE YOU THANKFUL FOR? Throughout this month, kids of all ages can celebrate what they are thankful for by writing their thanks on a paper turkey feather which will be added to the Turkey bulletin board in the youth area.

MEET MR. TURKEY: Boys and girls ages 4 and older are invited to meet Mr. Turkey and learn more about this special bird on Thurs.

Nov. 18 at 4 p.m. No registration is required to attend this program which will last approximately 45 minutes.

TALK ABOUT BOOKS! Join us for a variety of book discussion groups, geared to all ages and schedules. For those interested in a daytime discussion, on Tues. Nov. 24 the "Brown Bag" lunchtime discussion group will discuss "Hearts and Bones" by Margaret Lawrence at 11:30 a.m. The evening book discussion group will meet again on Mon.

Dec. 14 at 7 p.m. to discuss *The Cloister Walk* by Kathleen Norris.

BOOK DISCUSSION FOR THE YOUNGER CROWD: "Books, Chat and Chow," a monthly book discussion group for middle and high school students, meets again on Thurs. Nov. 19 at 4 p.m. to discuss "The War Between the Classes" by Gloria Milkowitz. The Junior version of this group is geared to 3rd through 5th graders, and will meet on Mon. Nov. 30 at 4 p.m. to discuss "Saving Shiloh" by Reynolds Naylor. Please register at

the library or by calling 349-3020. Copies of the titles are available.

THANKSGIVING CRAFTS: Children ages 4 and older can stop in on Mon. Nov. 23 at 4 p.m. to make a fun Thanksgiving craft in the Youth Activity Room. No registration is required for this hour-long program.

LIBRARY BOARD MEETING: The next meeting of the Northville District Library Board of Trustees will be Thurs. Nov. 19 at 7:30 p.m. The public is welcome to attend.

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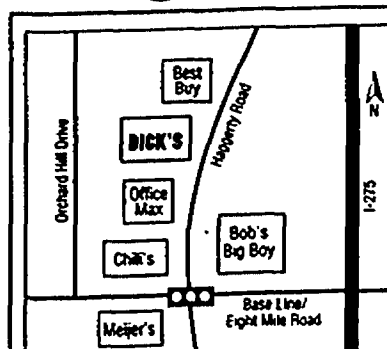


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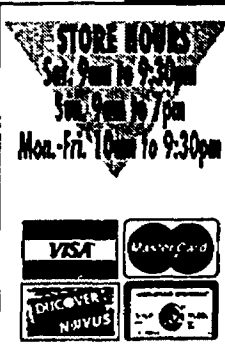
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Family, contractor dispute quality of basement work

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She claims that after consulting with several other contractors, she's learned that it will cost more to tear out Krafon's work and haul it away, than it did for the job to begin with.

Unfortunately for Grimmer, it's her only option. She's been told that if she wants a finished basement, the work will have to start from scratch, as none of what's been done meets code.

What Grimmer wants, for starters, is her \$12,000 back. Ask a few more questions, however, and she'll say she wants legal action taken against Krafon.

And Krafon has filed a \$9,500 suit against Grimmer, saying he needed to recover the costs of supplies, labor and legal fees associated with deal.

The end result is two different stories with no end in sight.

THE PITCH

Relatively new to her home and looking for a place where her children could play indoors, Grimmer said she and her husband wanted to finish the basement of their Northville Township home and convert it to usable living space. Back in September, however, the Grimms weren't quite in the market for major home construction.

That is, until Krafon came along. Fliers advertising American Building Enterprises' low cost landed in the Grimmer's mailbox and were eventually followed up by a house call by Krafon. The personable contractor expressed a strong interest in taking the Grimmer family on as prospective clients, and told them he could perform the work at an extremely competitive price.

But there was a catch. "He told us he wanted to get going on the project, say, by the following Monday," Grimmer explained. "If we didn't sign on, the low price deal wouldn't last."

The Grimms weren't rookies where home construction was concerned, having built four homes prior to the one in Northville Township. As such, Grimmer said she asked Krafon to produce a building license and a list of references. The license, it turned out, wasn't legal. Records from the Michigan Department of Industry and Consumer Affairs show Krafon's license had been suspended since 1994.

The references, too, weren't quite up to snuff, according to Grimmer. She said instead of being given names and telephone numbers of persons to contact, Krafon walked her over to a neighbor's home who was having work done by American Building, as well.

"He just pointed through the basement window and showed me what he was working on," she said. "We never even went inside the house, because the neighbors weren't home at the time."



Photo by CHRIS DAVIS

Carol Grimmer, with daughter Rachel, points out incomplete plumbing work. Grimmer contends contractor Brian Krafon did not honor his contract in performing renovations to the Grimmer's basement.

Krafon pressed hard, continually insisting that he was eager to get moving on the project — and that he'd do it for a price that was around \$4,000 less than other bids she'd received on the project. One contractor she spoke to estimated the cost at nearly \$40,000, making Krafon's offer all the more enticing.

Concerned that an opportunity would pass her by, Grimmer said she eventually signed on the line, agreeing to pay Krafon \$16,375 for the work. Under the agreement, Grimmer would pay American Building Enterprises in five installments of around \$3,300 each and that the construction would take about a month to finish. American Building would also carry a two-year warranty on the completed work, and that the company would "keep with local B.O.C.A. codes for building."

The Grimmer's last name was misspelled "Gimmer" on the front page of the contract. It was thought to be a typographical error.

Krafon asked for the first payment of \$4,000 to help cover the cost of building supplies. The Grimms handed it over.

THE JOB

As promised, Krafon and his crew showed up to the Grimmer

home to begin work. Nothing out of the ordinary took place the first day or so, except for the fact that Krafon didn't seem to be working particularly lengthy hours.

Soon, however, she said the peculiarities began arising.

First the contract specified that the work area be free of clutter. Grimmer said she had arranged an agreement with Krafon where a few of the many boxes of various household items would be moved to out-of-the-way places each day. Grimmer said Krafon indicated it was a respectable arrangement.

The Grimms were surprised to return home, only to find the boxes crammed into a utility room without any apparent care for the protection of the contents.

"We are very concerned of damage done by the stacking and cramming job your crew did," a letter to Krafon said. "We are now faced with the unpleasant task of lugging all these items to — where? The garage?"

The Grimms also asked that the space between the basement wall and the drywall be covered with heavy plastic to impede moisture and then insulated with fiberglass insulation. Grimmer said she was surprised to find that not only was no plastic in place on one section of wall, but that chunks of scrap material had been placed

where insulation should have been.

"He put garbage in my wall, then told me it must have been an accident," she said.

As it turned out, the accidental placement of scraps had occurred behind several other walls in the basement. Krafon apologetically also told Grimmer that he intended to place the plastic behind the walls after all the drywall was installed.

Finally as part of the basement renovations, the Grimms wanted a new bathroom built. As such, Grimmer said she and her husband selected the models of cabinetry they hoped to have. When the items were delivered, they did not match with what had been picked out. Krafon requested payment for delivery of the items, then left.

THE LAST STRAW

The Grimms had had enough. What they wanted was their basement, and what they had instead were three pages of concerns and a slew of cash paid out to American Building. Upset with the way things were going, Dave Grimmer, Carol's husband, sent a letter dated Oct. 28 to American Building's Livonia office.

"We have some serious concerns with regards to some of the recent work performed on our basement and the general progress of the project," the letter began. "We are also taking exception to making another payment on the project given the work complete to date."

Dave Grimmer outlined eight major areas of contention he had with the project, which hit everything from a need for installation of a water line to the refrigerator, to questioning the tactic of dropping off hardware then asking for payment.

Dave Grimmer said that based on his estimates, 70 percent of the job had been paid for, but 45 percent of the work had been done. And, he added, based on the progress of work to date, there was "no way" Krafon would come close to making the Nov. 1 deadline.

Grimmer asked to meet with Krafon, and faxed the letter to Krafon's office, saying no further payment would be made until more work had been completed. What transpired next, however, wasn't nearly as diplomatic.

Krafon made a phone call to the Grimmer home.

"He went on a tirade," Carol Grimmer said. "He called me every four-letter word in the book."

Shortly thereafter, Grimmer said she no longer permitted Krafon into her home, and further contacted the Northville Township police department about the matter.

Township detective Paul Sumner said he had conducted interviews with both Grimmer and Krafon, but declined to discuss the matter further.

KRAFTON'S SIDE

In its simplest terms, Krafon said the Grimmer's complaint is founded on lack of vision by his clients.

"I'm getting blamed for someone else's oversights," Grimmer said Tuesday in a telephone interview. "She twisted my arm into not completing a job, but for the sake of avoiding having a disgruntled customer, I'd still complete the job. Sometimes you have to bite the bullet."

Krafon said he responded diligently to virtually all of Grimmer's change requests, many of which he did by absorbing the cost himself. The changes began rolling in after the second day on the job.

Krafon said around 10 changes were requested by Grimmer, which totaled nearly \$3,000 in extra expenses he didn't anticipate. Five other changes were requested, which were physically impossible to be achieved in the basement, he alleged.

And Krafon added he wasn't the only contractor who'd ever had complaints about Grimmer. He said several other workers who he bumped into while work was ongoing said Grimmer was very difficult to work with and extremely particular about the tiniest of details.

"I was more than willing to make changes," he said.

Krafon also said his best estimates say that between 75 and 80 percent of the basement project is complete, substantially more than the 45 percent alleged by Grimmer.

mer. With that as background, Krafon said it was imperative that Grimmer pay the final installment plus an additional \$1,465 to restart the work.

"After four and a half weeks of work, we've got a \$200 profit to show for it," Krafon said. "We were counting on that last payment as profit."

As for Grimmer's claim that household belongings were wrecked in the process of moving, Krafon said the boxes were filled with dozens of old toys, many of which he believed were broken prior to them being moved.

"I'm not saying it's impossible that some of those could have been broken, but it's very doubtful," he said.

Krafon admitted his building license had been suspended in 1995, but said he knew of many builders who worked without a license. Besides that, he said Grimmer's contract explicitly stated that the acquisition of permits, permitting and any additional assessments incurred were the responsibility of the purchaser.

Krafon said he was very discouraged by how the matter had proceeded.

"I'm very upset," he said. "I'm out the money and I'm getting calls all over town about this."

BUILDING A REPUTATION

Here's a rundown of builder Brian Krafon's involvement with the law over the last several years:

JUNE, 1990: Krafon obtains building license (No. 21-01-091679) from Michigan Bureau of Consumer and Industry Services.

JUNE, 1994: Complaint filed against Krafon for failing to perform the requirements of an Aug. 8, 1991 contract. Krafon is ordered to pay \$1,500 within 30 days. Krafon is listed as doing business on Orchard in Farmington.

SEPTEMBER 1994: Krafon's license suspended. (License is still suspended today, as Krafon has failed to comply with terms of reinstatement.)

NOVEMBER, 1995: Michigan Bureau of Consumer and Industry Services orders Krafon to pay a \$500 fine to the state.

MARCH, 1996: Krafon ordered to pay a \$2,500 fine within 60 days and to pay \$650 in restitution to a Canton Township man. The bureau also requested that any future application for a license include a \$50,000 cash or surety bond.

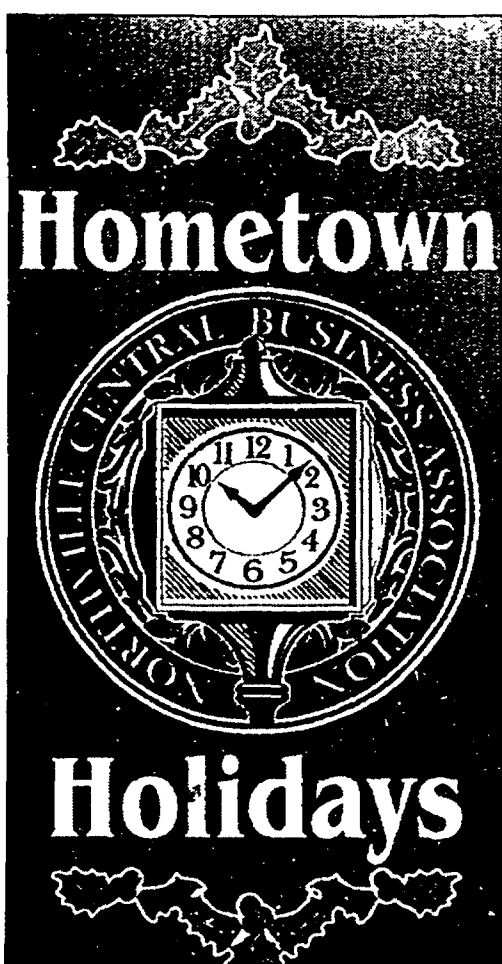
APRIL 1996: State orders Krafon to pay a \$2,000 fine within 60 days and a \$1,200 restitution payment to a Farmington Hills man for operating without a license, failing to do construction up to code, and that the labor performed was not done in a workmanlike manner. Krafon's business address is listed on Eight Mile Road in Livonia.

JULY, 1996: Krafon ordered to pay \$10,000 in fines to the state, and pay an additional \$3,950 in restitution to a Southfield man.

OCTOBER, 1998: Civil suit filed against Krafon won by a Novi man. Court records showed Krafon claimed he had no income to pay fines imposed on him and requested an installment plan be set up for him. The complainant fought that request by sending a letter to 52-1 District Court, saying, "I know this is a civil case, but Mr. Krafon...is a first-class criminal who flaunts his arrogance at the justice system."

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See How They Run

Fall production takes the stage at Northville High School



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Kurt Kinde directed this play 25 years ago at Northville High School.

By WENDY WHITE
Staff Writer

"See How They Run" was the first play Kurt Kinde ever directed at Northville High School. In his first year back in the director's chair since 1985, he's resurrecting the play for a 25th anniversary run.

In the 1973 version, current Northville mayor Chris Johnson played the bishop.

Ida was played by Liz Kalota, who went on to perform in the Grand Ole Opry.

Kinde wanted to get the stars from the cast of ten back for a reunion, but some of them have been hard to find.

"If they'd like to come, we'd be glad to honor them," Kinde said.

This year's cast of students has been rehearsing since the beginning of October.

"If you like British humor, you will love the play. If you sit back and relax through the first act, your investment will pay off. It's a super, slick show."

Kurt Kinde
director

The only thing that's really challenging is passing off an English accent. I have an easy one but other actors have to pull off a Cockney accent," Nelson said. His character, Reverend Lionel Toop, leaves the Vicarage Merton-cum-Middlewick for one night and returns to mayhem that involves all the characters almost equally.

"I come back the next day and Miss Skillon is drunk in a chair. I can't find my wife, and I get a call from police that there's a Russian spy loose in the area," he explained. "I'm just really confused."

To add to his bewilderment, Miss Skillon keeps putting the moves on him.

"She's got a thing for Toop. She's trying to get in the middle of a marriage between Toop and Penelope," said senior Shannon McBride, who



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Jeff Scott leaps over Shannon McBride during a rehearsal for Northville's "See How They Run".

plays Skillon. "She's kind of the town gossip, and she says she's never touched a drop of alcohol but she's drunk through two acts."

If McBride has questions about the script, she said she has no trouble accessing Kinde. That's one of the advantages of having a director that also works as a teacher in the school.

Formerly, Gary Sturm was contracted to direct the fall play and the spring musical. When he was hired full time by a school out of the district, officials assigned Kinde to the task.

"It was a complete surprise. The first day I got back they said 'oh, by the way,'" Kinde explained. "One of my dreams was to come back, say good-bye to the old theater, hello to the new and then retire. It's kind of a five-year plan."

Until then, he'll work to build the high school plays back into the long-running sell-outs that they were when he left in 1985, it shouldn't be

a problem with the pool of talent at Northville High School.

This production's ten players are remarkably articulate and sensitive to the demands of the tightly choreographed script.

"I'm extremely pleased to be working with this cast. I don't accept the premise that it's just high school. I don't accept that premise at all," he said. "All our work is for naught if we don't have a good turnout."

The whole community is invited to attend.

Performances are scheduled Thursday, Nov. 19 through Saturday Nov. 21 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$4 for students and senior citizens and \$5 for adults, available in advance or at the door.

For more information or to buy the tickets in advance, call the front office of Northville High at 344-8425.

Cast member sacrifices banquet for production

If anyone out there has a transporter, a cloning technique or Internet skills that will allow Jeff Scott to be in two places at once, your services are requested Nov. 19.

Cast as the bishop in "See How They Run," Scott has a performance on the night of the football banquet.

It's his first school play, but he's been on the football team since he was a freshman.

The football banquet would have been his last celebration with the team he spent four years on, his last as co-captain.

"I want to do both," Scott lamented.

Director Kurt Kinde can't spare Scott on opening night, but he came up with the idea of broadcasting the player's image to the banquet, so he can offer up congratulations to his team.

"I would just love to have technology step up to the task somehow," Kinde said. "If anyone in the community has the knowledge to do that, maybe they can help."



Photos by JOHN HEIDER

Shannon McBride, Jeff Nelson and Laurie Boloven all perform a scene from their Northville High School theatre production of "See How They Run." At right, Sadie Vince, Shannon McBride, top, and Nick Nerio practice a scene from the British farce

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CAST OF CHARACTERS

Ida - Laurie Boloven
Miss Skillon - Shannon McBride
The Reverend Lionel Toop - Jeff Nelson
Penelope Toop - Sadie Vince
Corporal Cline Winton - Nick Nerio
Choir Girl - Liz Thomas
The Intruder - Brian Wilson
The Bishop of Lax - Jeff Scott
The Reverend Arthur Humphrey - Aaron Grajek
Sergeant Towers - Joe Tracz

Director - Kurt Kinde
Assistant Director - Lisa Milnes
House Manager - Lisa Milnes
Stage Manager - Amber Matheson
Paint Coordinator - Norm Davis
Costume Coordinator - Mrs. Judy Cavanaugh
Technical Director - Mr. Bob Boshoven

Crew

Set Construction/Painting
Head: Mike Modlin and Eric Cunnell
Mike Adamisin
Meredith Adamisin
Kate Andary
Chelsea Bayly
Laurie Boloven
Mark Breault
Monica Catanach
David Eule
Dan Ferrara
Amy Frazier
Matt Floyd
Bobby Gulewich
Christy Hachigian
Caitlin Hansen
Emily Hines
Mary Alice Khein
Carol Krueger
Krysta Luhtanen
Amber Matheson
Amanda Ostrowski
Rachel Oprea
Danielle Peloso
Andy Prain
Thom Price
Bree Reisman
Jackie Rush
Nick Seluk
Rob Steiner
Janine Surma
Scott Taylor
Justin Wright

Sound

Chris Frentzos and Jim Clarkson

Make-up and Hair

Head: Heather Asteriou and Iren Assar
Lindsey Kozub
Amber Matheson
Bridgett Maniola
Rachel Oprea
Becky Tracz

Lights

Head: Andy Prain
Miranda Burns
Clark Kirkman
Joe LaManna
Marty Lenardon
Mike Modlin
Kyle Morton
Scott Taylor
Jessica Webb

Advertising

Head: Bridgett Mamola
Kristen Kirk
Carol Krueger
Lisa Milnes
Thom Price (poster design)

Ushers

Head: Lisa Milnes
Laura Bronson
Jennie Geist
Kristin Kirk
Jennie Llewellyn
Christy Hachigian
Rachel Oprea

Tickets

Ticket Princess: Christy Hachigian
Jennie Geist
Kristin Kirk
Jackie Rush

Costumes

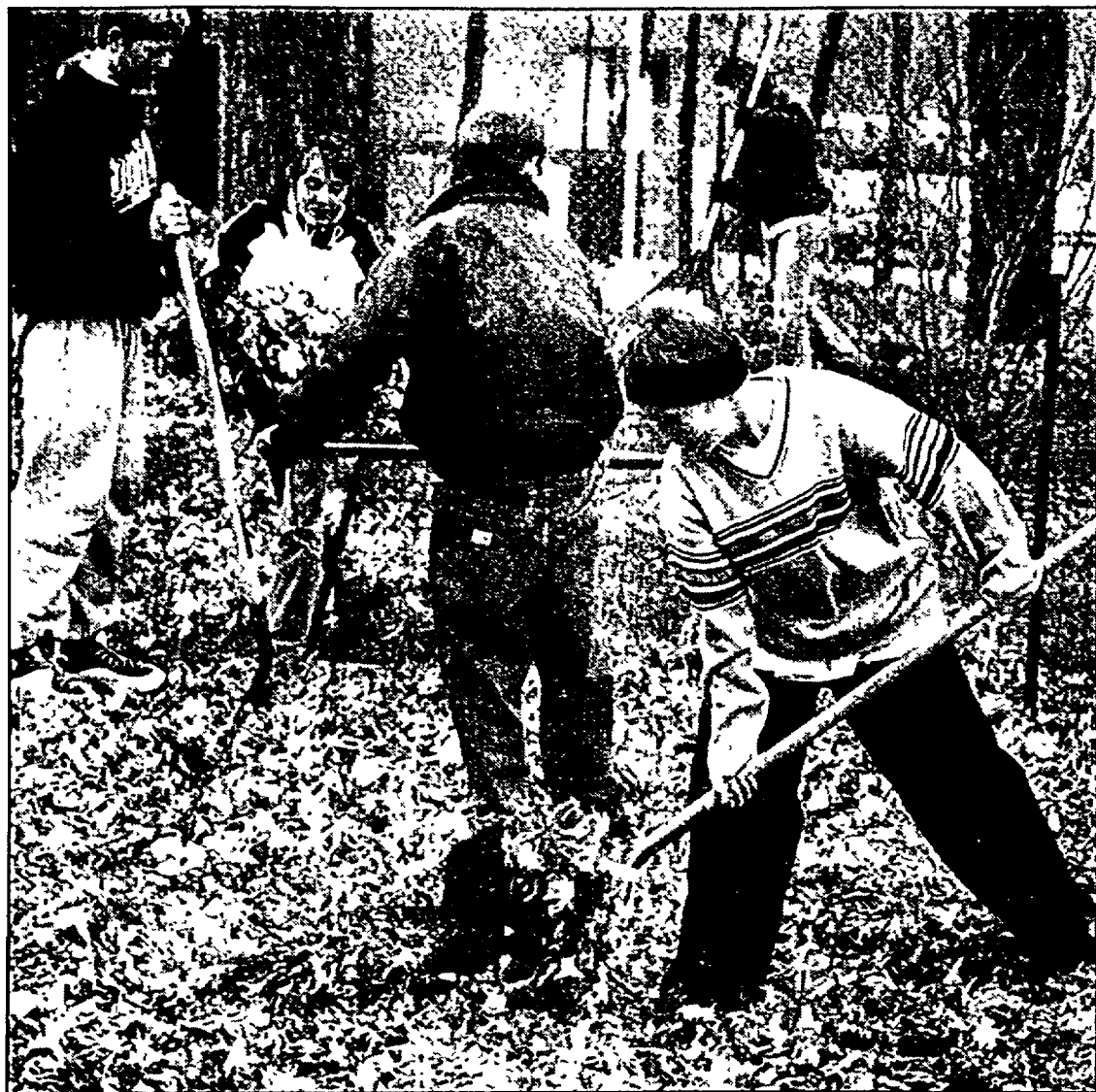
Head: Rachel Oprea
Iren Assar
Caitlin Hansen
Jessie Moniga Dechge

Props

Head: Kate Andary
Amber Matheson
Bree Reisman
Haylee Rose
Joe Tracz
Sharee Webb

Programs

Lisa Milnes
Dan Ferrara
Joe Tracz (cover design and illustrations)



Cooke Middle School student Brian Luke, and others, help to till the soil last Thursday at the Northville Senior Center garden. The service learning program runs annually.

Students give back to community

By WENSLEY WHITE
Staff Writer

Cooke Middle School students braved the winter chill last Thursday to tend gardens behind the Northville Senior Center.

They raked leaves, turned earth and planted bulbs to ready the plots for next year's harvest.

It's the third year the eighth graders have participated in the service learning program designed to pair the community's young and old.

"I think the nice thing is that we're doing it for the senior citizens," said Cooke math teacher Jan Janigan, who supervised the work. "It has the seniors look at the students in a different light."

Taking a bus to the plots on Wing Street Nov. 5 not only gave students a chance to do a good deed, but an introduction to the art of tending the earth.

Eighth grader Julia Powell, for example, was assigned to sprinkle fertilizer on the soil.

"It's not the most glamorous of tasks, but it's interesting," Powell said. "It was a good opportunity to get started in gardening."

When the bulbs they plant now bloom next spring, the students will return to weed the flowers and plant vegetables.

Then, throughout the summer and fall, they will harvest snap peas, tomatoes, lettuce, carrots,

beets, pumpkins and cucumbers to give to the seniors.

Since the service learning program originated in 1996, the garden has evolved with three classes of eighth graders continuing the project.

This year, about 110 students are involved.

"We make it a nice place for people to relax," Powell said.

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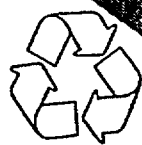
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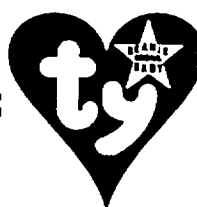


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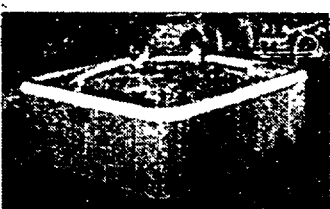
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The book is available at the Northville Township Hall, 41600 Six Mile; the Finance Building, Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main; and the Public Services Building at 16225 Beck Road or call (248) 374-0200 and for an additional \$3, the book will be shipped to you.

The cost of the book is \$20 and a portion of the proceeds will go toward the creation of "Heritage Farms," a re-creation of life in Northville Township in the late 1800s and early 1900s.

Three hurt in Novi Road accident

By WENDY WHITE
Staff Writer

A chain of accidents involving eight cars sent three drivers to the hospital and tied up Novi Road for two hours during the evening commute Nov. 2, after a Westland driver lapsed into a diabetic coma behind the wheel of a Chevy Blazer.

Drifting in and out of consciousness, the 53-year-old motorist wove back and forth across the center line of Novi Road, striking cars in both the north and south bound lanes before coming to a halt.

Inside, the driver remained unconscious.

Although witnesses suspected road rage or drunk driving, Northville's EMT director John Bourne soon recognized the signs of low blood sugar caused by diabetes.

"In these cases, people become unfocused, very disoriented. Your Ph balance and chemical balance goes wacko. Nothing really makes sense. There is no rationality whatsoever," Bourne said.

Tests showed the driver's blood sugar had plummeted to a rating of 22.

With normal blood sugar levels registering between 100 and 150, Bourne immediately started an IV of glucose solution.

"That is very, very low," Bourne said.

The next step, Bourne said, may have been respiratory or cardiac arrest.

Bourne said the driver's injuries were minor, partly due to the fact that he was wearing his seat belt, but his diabetic condition was so dangerous he was rushed to St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia.

Another driver and a child passenger were also taken to hospitals for minor injuries.

The first crash occurred in Novi, where the Blazer struck an oncoming vehicle, came to a halt and then continued south on Novi Road into Northville.

Approaching the curve near Eight Mile Road, the vehicle went onto the curb and plowed over a "No Parking" sign.

The impact tore out the vehicle's

oil filter, according to police, but it soon began moving again, leaving the shoulder of the road and weaving back and forth across the center line.

Out of control, the Blazer forced one car into the guardrail, sideswiped another, and involved three more cars in a pile-up before it stalled.

"The vehicle seized up because it ran out of oil. When he hit the sign it ripped the oil filter off his car," said Officer Anthony Tilger. "He was in and out of consciousness so he probably had no idea what he was doing at that point."

According to police, the man later reported remembering nothing about the accidents. Police said he came to a stop twice after impacts, but kept trying to drive in his half-conscious state.

Northville police are discussing whether to ticket the man with civil infraction for failing to stop at a safe distance, driving left of center or careless driving.

The misdemeanor charge for reckless driving would not apply because the man didn't demon-

strate an intentional disregard for others' safety.

Northville police did, however, report the accident to Michigan Secretary of State Candice Miller, recommending that the man's ability to drive be reviewed.

"The secretary of state can look at the referral and determine whether it's safe for him to operate a vehicle or not," said Police Chief Jim Petres. "Under these circumstances, obviously he's not."

Drivers are not required to state whether they have diabetes when applying for a license, however they must disclose any seizures or blackouts they've had within the last six months.

Police, courts or concerned friends and relatives can request the state to review a driver's abilities.

After a doctor's analysis or driving tests, the Secretary of State may opt to restrict, suspend or revoke someone's license, according to Secretary of State spokesperson Julie Pierce.

"If the person is clearly a danger, they should not be on the road at all," Pierce said.

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Despite election defeat, Proposal B still hot topic

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the most important time in their family together. Once people get started on this they don't want to waste a single minute," Lindquist said.

Supporters of Proposal B may think suicide is the only option for terminal patients because they carry the memory of watching a loved one suffer through a terminal disease, according to Lindquist.

Things have changed in the last decade, she said, with hospice workers trained to relieve suffering even in the most severe cases.

In fact, Lindquist said she has never failed to relieve a patient's pain in her 30-year career.

Founded in London in 1967, the hospice movement came to the United States in 1978. In 1984, Medicare, Medicaid and most insurance plans began to cover hospice, making it cost-free to most patients.

Poenisch founded Merian's Friends in honor of her mother, Merian Frederick, who suffered from Lou Gehrig's disease and was one of Dr. Kevorkian's early patients.

Frederick tried to find relief in hospice, and Poenisch continues to be a firm supporter of the movement, but she said it cannot relieve the suffering of every terminal patient.

Her mother, for example, only found relief in unconsciousness.

Poenisch argued that medication fails to relieve pain in two percent of terminal patients.

Sometimes, she said, the relief only comes with dangerously high

doses.

"There are cases when the patients overdose because the amount of medication they need passes that point," Poenisch said.

Although the hospice movement publicly denounced Proposal B and doesn't support the notion of physician assisted suicide, Poenisch said nurses may privately administer doses they know may prove lethal.

"I think secretly many hospice workers believe in (assisted suicide) and secretly do it," she said.

During the last election, Poenisch not only saw the defeat of Proposal B, but lost her bid for a state Senate seat to Thaddeus McCotter.

Although Poenisch said she doesn't know exactly what's next, she will continue to advocate choice at the end of life.

"I really believe this is more about patients' rights," she said.

Provided a bill similar to Proposal B makes it onto a future ballot, Poenisch said supporters like Merian's Friends will need to take use a different strategy in order to see it passed.

"These people were very naive. They believed in a cause but did not understand politics. If it's done again I hope it's by people who understand the swing of public opinion and the importance of money," Poenisch said.

Arbor Hospice officially opposed Proposal B because it was poorly written, leaving the door open to secrecy and foul play, Lindquist said.

Under the proposal, the only way the state would require doc-

tors to report lethal doses of drugs is on the prescription.

They could circumvent this by prescribing the same dose but writing "take one at bedtime," Lindquist argued. Then, the state would never achieve accurate regulation.

Poenisch said Merian's Friends virtually copied the proposal from Oregon's assisted suicide law, passed in 1994.

After tie-ups in court, assisted suicide was implemented in Oregon in 1996. Since then, Poenisch said 27 patients opted for physician assisted suicide, while hospice use and education increased dramatically.

"When you give someone a choice, it forces the care giver to find other alternatives. Right now you have no alternative. You have to lay there and suffer," Poenisch said. "Doctors turn their backs on you because you're just too difficult a case."

Lindquist also said there needs to be more education so patients understand their options.

Many patients come to Arbor late in their illness, 25 percent in the last week, partly because they have to renounce all treatments and accept that they're going to die.

"Many patients hold out because they have a stigma attached to hospice that they will die quickly and they do die quickly because it's too late," she said. "If they come two to three months before, there's so much we can do."

Northville prepares for Y2K problem

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which, if not corrected, could cause a ripple effect throughout the system.

"As people go through this process, they're discovering more and more embedded chips that we've forgotten about," she said.

But the problem goes beyond the walls of city hall, Bateson said. The hundreds of groups with whom the city does business also need to be taken into account, as the computer records of vendors could have an effect on the city.

To learn more about the status of the Y2K compliance of peripheral city agencies, Bateson said the city staff is compiling a list of nearly 1,000 groups which will be sent letters, asking for updates on their Year 2000 bug extermination.

Mayor Chris Johnson pointed out that Northville's best effort to avoid a technological catastrophe would be in vain if other groups come up short in their attempts.

"We can't correct what could happen, say, to the Detroit Edison power grid, but we can put controls in place on our own end," he said.

Bateson said the city's police and fire department computers operate from a central computer system affiliated with Oakland County and that de-bugging that network would require additional work.

On the township side, finance director Thelma Kubitskey explained that Y2K compliance has been a priority since the construction of the public services building two years ago. All computer equipment installed in the building was Year 2000 compliant.

The process of upgrading computers and software throughout the township is continuing, she said.

"We're doing what we have to do to make this work," she added. "It's still an incredible thing to have to take on, though. You don't realize how much is involved in making the conversion."

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Judge rules to drop Zaas lawsuit

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defendants (Northville Public Schools) and Principal Anderson did not, in their official capacities, act with deliberate indifference to the rights of Stephanie Zaas or her parents, Robin and Carl Zaas," Steeh wrote in an 18-page opinion released Monday.

The incidents leading up to the lawsuit began in April, 1997 when Stephanie's second grade teacher displayed a homemade book called "The Story of You." It was about her pregnancy and contained a picture of her having an ultrasound performed on her exposed stomach.

Stephanie's mother disputed that the teacher used the book without securing parent's permission, and began to make appearances at the school to complain.

Soon after, she alleged that her

daughter was being abused by two female classmates on the playground.

Zaas demanded that the book be removed from the curriculum and that her daughter be transferred to a different classroom to avoid the teasing.

Anderson did not heed complaints from Stephanie or herself, Zaas said, about the harassment. In fact, the lawsuit alleged that Anderson harassed Robin Zaas on the playground one day, bumping his chest and stomach against hers during a confrontation on the playground.

Stephanie was missing school because she was scared to attend, Zaas said, and was eventually enrolled in private school.

By Anderson's account, he thoroughly investigated the claims of abuse, had conferences with Stephanie and her parents and

removed the book from the curriculum as soon as he became aware that it was a problem.

Police denied finding evidence that would suggest Stephanie was abused on the playground.

Even if the plaintiff's claims were true, Steeh said the pregnancy book, childhood teasing and playground confrontation were not enough to hold the school district liable for damages.

Being a government entity, the school district enjoys immunity from civil lawsuits unless the plaintiff can prove gross negligence. As a government employee, Anderson also enjoys that immunity as he carries out the functions of his job.

Gross negligence is defined as conduct so reckless as to demonstrate a substantial lack of concern for whether injury results.

"I never believed that they had sufficient evidence to substantiate the claims that they brought," said Terry Miglio, attorney for the school district. "Needless to say we're very satisfied and vindicated by the judge's opinion which I think basically adopted all the arguments we made in our brief."

The Zaas family still has the option to take their case to the 6th District U. S. Court of Appeals in Cincinnati, Ohio.

A counterclaim in which Anderson sued Robin Zaas for defaming his character through statements she made to the media was not dismissed.

Attorneys met with school officials after the Nov. 10 Board of Education meeting to discuss whether to pursue the counter suit.

Attorneys for the Zaas family

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Barbie searches for Ken, needs date for annual parade

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no, he doesn't have to look that way, he can have any color hair," Anderson said. "We don't want to discourage any guys from trying."

Personality is just as important as looks, anyway, because Ken will have to play up his role, along with Barbie, Barbie's little sister Skipper, her best friend Midge and Midge's boyfriend.

Although the salon originally planned to have a Motown float on which Johnson, an R & B singer, would perform, there was a natural change of plans.

The reason this came about is because we think Jennifer is the perfect Barbie. She looks like Barbie. She's built like Barbie. She's

been called Barbie before," Anderson said.

But Johnson has more talent than the doll icon ever did. A 1989 graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School, Johnson is working on a solo CD.

Superstar Barbie was Johnson's personal favorite. She still has most of her Barbies, but she said seeing herself play the role in posters and advertisements has been a little disconcerting.

"I think it's kind of funny, think it looks kind of pitiful for me. I feel like a missing person when I walk around town and see my picture in the windows," she said. "But it'll be fun."

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OPINION

Judge's decision should bring end to controversy

Finally. The multi-million dollar lawsuit filed against the Northville School District by Northville Township residents Robin and Carl Zaas has come to a sad, anti-climatic end. With the swift swing of the gavel, U. S. Circuit Court Judge George Steeh dismissed the suit this week, bringing an end to a lawsuit that threatened to ruin the reputation of Amerman principal Stephen Anderson.

Filed by the Zaas' more than a year ago, the suit alleged that the school district, school superintendent Leonard Rezmierski and Anderson failed to provide a safe environment for Stephanie Zaas while she was a second grader at Amerman Elementary School.

The lawsuit contained 15 counts and sought more than \$11 million dollars in damages. But after reviewing the evidence Judge Steeh ruled that there was no merit to the charges.

"Plaintiffs have failed to come forward with evidence to create a reasonable disagreement that defendants (Northville Public Schools) and Principal Anderson did not, in their official capacities, act with deliberate indifference to the rights of Stephanie Zaas or her parents, Robin and Carl Zaas," Steeh wrote in an 18-page opinion.

We have believed that all along, and have never wavered in our support for Anderson and the school district in this case. Unfortunately we live in a litigious society and it is not uncommon for lawsuits, that have no merit, to find their way into our judicial system.

And we're not just talking millions of dollars. In our estimation the cost is higher than that because Anderson, a highly-respected educator who is well-liked by parents and students, has had to endure a year of baseless allegations and constant attacks on his integrity.

It will take time for the whole sorry mess to fade into the background, but we're certain Anderson will recover from the attacks and continue to expand the minds of our youth.

The lawsuit contained 15 counts and sought more than \$11 million dollars. But after reviewing the evidence Judge Steeh ruled that there was no merit to the charges.

There is however, one person who may not be as quick to recover from the ordeal, which drew national media coverage. That person is Stephanie Zaas, who was thrust into the middle of a controversy she was ill-equipped to handle.

It makes us question how this situation will effect her growth into a young adult. How does she view the world around her? Will she be able to relate to her peers after this experience?

And we can only wonder what behaviors have been indelibly formed.

So while we are satisfied with the decision of Judge Steeh, we are concerned that such a situation had to have ever taken place. The Zaas family still has the option to take their case to the 6th District U. S. Court of Appeals in Cincinnati, Ohio, but it is our hope this sorry story will now come to a close.

There is no need to further the damage done to an outstanding principal and an innocent young girl.

Both need to go on with their lives and repair the damage already done.

City displays forethought in response to Y2K issue

It's not just Santa Claus who will be making a list and checking it twice this December. The city of Northville will, too, only its purpose is a bit more critical.

Without taking inventory of the city's ability to beat the Year 2000 computer bug, thousands of records could be zapped when the new millennium arrives in 414 days.

The city decided last week to move into its hurry-up offense to do its part in beating the so-called "Y2K" snafu. The electronic glitch has captured the attention of businesses and governments the world over, and the city of Northville is no exception.

How far-reaching is this problem? Admittedly, no one knows for certain. But if it's any indication, assistant city manager Nickie Bateson told a focused city council that an estimated 1,000 letters to vendors and business partners of the city would be mailed out to take stock of its Y2K preparedness.

And that's just the first step. Should potential problems be unearthed (and it's an almost certainty they will) hardware will need to be replaced, software may need upgrades and hundreds of tests will need to be conducted to verify that the system will be able to continue to operate when Dick Clark wishes America a happy new year.

It's a daunting task to handle

alone. Fortunately, the city was wise enough to enlist the help of BPI Information Systems. We believe this was a necessary preemptive strike and deserves our support. It would be naive to think that the powers-that-be in Silicon Valley and the federal government will take care of the problem unilaterally and that communities and individuals don't need to take the initiative.

We encourage the city not to waste a moment in moving ahead with its plan. Time, after all, is not an unlimited commodity right now. If city departments haven't done so already, we strongly urge the conversion of forms to allow for the entry of four-digit years.

This isn't just the city's fight, however. All of us need to be rowing in the same direction if the full effect of the Y2K problem is to be avoided. That means speaking, thinking and writing in terms of a four-digit year.

It also means asking for — and retaining — paper copies of all business transactions for the next 36 months. Even the most noble attempt at beating the bug is almost certain to leave some stone unturned, which could have a widespread ripple effect.

Just the same, hats off to the city. We're keeping our fingers crossed that the problem can be overcome in time.

Repeat after me...public process

Sometimes public officials don't get it. Last week I was critical of board members for the Northville Public School district for signing off on contracts that hadn't been drawn up yet. The editorial I wrote was straightforward, and put board members on the spot for not following a process that keeps the public informed on every aspect of the decision making process.

In short the editorial said board members were wrong to approve contracts that didn't exist.

Almost on cue, the complaints came at the board's meeting Tuesday night.

First came comments from superintendent Leonard Rezmierski. "To imply that the board would ever vote on something without knowledge is a gross misunderstanding of the policies the district follows," he said.

Then came board member Mike Poterala. "If the paper wants to get full disclosure, they should say they were not at the board meeting," he said. "All the significant changes were discussed in open meetings. That information was available to the public. Those opportunities were not taken advantage of."

Let's get a few things straight here. First and foremost, the editorial doesn't say that board members voted without knowledge of the contracts, simply put we were critical because the public didn't have the knowledge of the terms of the contracts. Yes, I realize these contracts were discussed in committee meetings, and yes I understand that those meetings are public, but I also understand that the public



Robert Jackson

doesn't always make those meetings. If I were attending my first board meeting and discovered that the board had approved contracts that weren't complete, I'd think the trustees had lost their minds.

You see, the only thing I care about is if the public has been properly notified. That was the basis for the argument I put on my editorial page last week, and the one I am reaffirming this week.

And as for not having a reporter at the meeting in question. Let's turn back the clock a bit and remind you all of the concern this newspaper raised when the board decided to change the meeting date from Monday to Tuesday. We were concerned because Tuesday we're putting the newspaper together — the writing must be complete by 3 p.m. Tuesday when I start building pages — and that means it becomes extremely difficult to cut reporter Wendy White free to make every

meeting.

The response we got for voicing this concern went something like this. "Oh, so that's why you're making an issue out of (the change) because it doesn't meet with your schedule."

Well let me be as clear as I can on this one. The reason we were concerned with the change of meeting day is because we do realize that the public doesn't make many of the meetings and we feel it is our job to keep our readers informed of how their tax dollars are being spent.

Not because it is inconvenient for us, not because it ruins our schedule, and surely not because it makes our job a little more difficult.

Oh and just to remind you, one of the reasons the board cited for making the change was to make it more convenient for themselves.

Hey, how about making it more convenient for the public. After all that's whose money you're spending, and just in case you may have forgotten that's who you all answer to.

The bottom line is this: the school board approved contracts that award salaries and benefits and to our knowledge those contracts haven't been completed. We've requested copies of all the contracts and as of this writing we have not received them.

And you all claim to be operating openly. I beg to differ.

Robert Jackson is the editor of the Northville Record. You can reach him at 349-1700 or by fax at 349-1050.

In Focus by John Heider



Good sportsmanship

Northville Athletic Director Larry Taylor gives his post-game congratulations to the Novi Wildcats football team after they'd defeated the Northville Mustangs. Taylor noted that he though the rivalry game had been played with great intensity.

More random thoughts and observations

More random thoughts and observations on life...

I've driven past the wishing well at the corner of Center Street and Northville Road half a million times. I can't help but wonder if anyone has actually had their wish granted. If you've got a story to share, drop me a line or give me a call. I'd love hearing what you've got to say.

Another Excerpt from the Bachelor's Guide to Living: When you're moving to a new home, every box will eventually be labeled "Miscellaneous."

I'm still angry as a hornet at MDOT laying out that mandate that Northville Center Street construction be performed with a quota of minority or disadvantaged companies. Not because I'm against fairness, but because in a year when everywhere you turn is another orange cone, it's ridiculous to think that a project like Center Street — small potatoes in the contracting world — stands a snowball's chance in hell of making the requirements.

Thanksgiving is probably one of my favorite holidays because it permits all people, no matter what your religion, race or background, to take a few minutes out and consider the blessings we've all been given. No blessings coming to mind? How about this very



Chris C. Davis

newspaper you're holding — there are some places in the world where you wouldn't be allowed the right to read and think for yourself.

Is anyone as relieved as I am that election day has finally passed? I grow so-tired of the he-said-she-said-you're-a-liar-no-you're-a-liar riff that goes on every two years. I know it's the price you pay for living in a democracy, but it drives me nuts having to deal with the pro wrestling style of garnering votes, with all due respect to Jesse Ventura.

This will be the first Christmas where people will be able to spend \$10,000 on one of those new high-definition television sets. That's important, because people who always complain there's nothing good on will now

be able to watch those nothing-good shows in razor-sharp color.

I suppose everyone who's married or been married has been asked this question, but now I'm hearing it, and I'd like to go on record by saying the following: No, I'm not nervous. Now, excuse me while I go bite my fingernails and pace the hallways.

I was in the stands for the Novi boys' soccer team's semi-final victory against Troy Athens last week. It also just so happened that was the first soccer match I've attended since leaving Novi six years ago. Despite the dry chill that went to the bone, what I saw was one of those rare glorious games when all the elements were there for a victory. Hats off to a great season.

...and the award for Most Annoying and Dangerous Driving Habit goes to commuters who tailgate the car in front of them to make a left turn, usually well after the light has been a solid red. I've seen three and sometimes four cars nearly bumper-to-bumper trailing through the intersection, thereby killing green light time for the cross-traffic. Patience, my fellow drivers. No one is in that much of a hurry.

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

State Democrats take it on the chin

It must be something in the water. How else to explain the disconnect between the state of politics in Michigan and what's going on elsewhere in the country.

For Michigan Republicans, Gov. John Engler, running implausibly but effectively as a moderate conservative pragmatist, rolled up nearly a 2-1 margin over Geoffrey Fieger. The GOP also won wall-to-wall control of the apparatus of government: Governor, Senate, House, Supreme Court.

Team Engler is now in a position to determine much of the politics and some of the structure of our state for the next decade. Democrats hope they'll overreach, but I doubt it as long as Engler's in control.

By contrast, the national Republican Party took a terrible beating in last week's election, culminating in the summary knifing of Newt Gingrich (a strategic and policy visionary but a lousy manager). The factional fighting in the GOP - business-oriented moderates, Christian right wingers, compassionate conservatives, hard-edge ideological conservatives - could tear the party apart.

Buoyed by the referendum on impeachment and Ken Starr and chaos in the opposition, the national Democratic Party has come a long way since the days it was preoccupied with making sure there were no enemies on the left. Bill Clinton may possess questionable moral fiber, but his success in moving the Democrats into the middle of the road and opening the party up to various different groups is a fundamental fact of our

Phil Power



times.

By contrast, the Michigan Democratic Party seems frozen in amber.

Most people thought big labor couldn't ever do worse than picking inept Howard Wolpe to run for governor in 1994. But then, when neither Doug Ross nor Larry Owen seemed to be getting much traction last summer and former Sen. Don Riegle started making showing signs of interest in running, the folks who run the UAW panicked.

Their premature and ham-handed endorsement of Owen didn't set well with most folks and opened the way to Fieger's unexpected victory in the primary and predictable defeat in the general election. Those Democrats who worry about what Team Engler will do over the next few years won't have difficulty in finding plenty of folks to blame.

Which is why so many Democrats are talk-

ing so much about how important (and how overdue) it is to revitalize the party. "revitalize" in this case being a code word which really means easing big labor's grip on it.

"It's clear a complete overhaul of the party is needed," says former Governor Jim Blanchard. "There are many in the party who are concerned about the need to broaden and strengthen and deepen the party" which is much too "uninclusive", says former Sen. Riegle.

This won't be easy. Obvious candidates to lead the process - Blanchard and newly elected Attorney General Jennifer Granholm, for example - have political ambitions of their own and won't want to alienate the labor movement that still provides most of the resources for the party.

The requirements - developing some attractive ideas, including groups previously kept out and persuading organized labor that it's better to win the occasional election than it is to maintain total control over the Democratic Party - are fairly obvious.

Whether Democrats can come up with a process and find the people with the will and imagination to carry it out is entirely another matter.

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Letters to the Editor

Letter writer should get her facts straight

To the editor:

Gini Britton's letter to the editor last week suggested that the township compromised itself by permitting smaller lot sizes to get the township park facilitated. Extraneous Britton and three other trustees approved the agreement for 650 single family homes via township resolution 96-130 on Nov. 14, 1996. The township wanted park land as part of the county development and was required to pay for it. At the time of the agreement approval, neither Gini Britton nor any of the other trustees approved the plan made public any plan to obtain the funds to develop the park.

Current plans have approved 639 single family home sites, 11 fewer than were approved by extraneous Britton. After the agreement were signed, Dr. (Mary) Gans worked with the developer, Toll Brothers, to grade and equip the park at no cost to the township taxpayers. It is estimated that this saved the taxpayers over \$1 million. No concessions were given to the developer.

By providing a finished park, the developer adds and excellent visual amenity to the development that will have a positive influence on home sales and also be a good corporate citizen.

I suggest Mrs. Britton get her facts straight next time before casting dispersion on the township.

Richard E. Allen
Chair
Township planning commission

our natural resources caused us to question the tree ordinance in Northville and to wonder if a more prudent plan could have been worked out with the new property owner - one that protected the integrity of the woods. Clear cutting was extreme.

We learned from the city ordinance that trees can be cut down with a charge to the homeowner, the requirement being that new trees of the same type be planted. The irony is that the new trees can be planted anywhere in Northville, not necessarily back in the area from which the trees were removed. And of course, new trees won't match the size and beauty of the original trees unless you can wait for over 100 years. We are thankful for the Wetland Preservation Act. At least this Act preserves what it was supposed to preserve - our natural resources.

Writing this letter certainly does not help replace a beautiful mature forest. Our intent is to call attention to an ordinance that is weak and does not always preserve what it's supposed to. Clearly, the ordinance is effective but only if you cannot afford to pay to circumvent it. We know it is too late for the woods on Dubuar Street, but perhaps it is not too late to be vigilant concerning other areas of the city where a similar tragedy could occur.

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Thanks for notice of leaf pickup

To the editor:

I'm writing to express my thanks to the department of Public Works for keeping us posted on the 1998 leaf collection program, recycling, snow and ice control procedures and general reminders about trash collection.

In addition to the "Words for Works," I think they did a good job on the pickup and street cleaning, and followed the schedule as posted. Some might say we pay for these services and we do have nice community because of the service we get.

While we have these good services in Northville, it is difficult for some of us to understand why others don't follow the program. Shortly after certain areas were cleared of leaves and streets cleaned, some continued to rake and blow leaves into the street. You can see the results on a windy day.

I just want to thank all the people of the DPW for their effort and commitment to the residents of our city.

Walter Juterbock

Toy drive was a big success

Citizens work helped in passing millage

To the editor:

On behalf of the Northville Township board of trustees, I would like to thank the voters of Northville Township and the entire Northville community for your overwhelming support of both township millage proposals. We are particularly grateful to the following: Northville city council, Northville school board, Northville Chamber of Commerce, Northville Record, Northville Junior Baseball, Northville Soccer, Northville Seniors, Northville Youth Assistance Commission, Northville parks and recreation commission and the many volunteers who diligently worked on the "Say Yes" to Northville Township committee spearheaded by volunteers Doug Bingham and Bill Brown.

This was a marvelous community effort that will benefit and continue the superb quality of

life that we all enjoy in the Northville community. We are fortunate to have the efficient joint programs with the city of Northville for another eight years under the excellent direction and dedication of parks and recreation director Traci Sincok (who administers both parks and rec and the senior program with Karl Peters) and the commitment and expert guidance of Mary Ellen King, the executive director of Northville Youth Assistance.

We sincerely appreciate the support of our voters to acquire the scarce commodity of land and improve the land. This dedicated millage will raise approximately \$400,000 for four years. Thank you for saying "yes" twice and to each of you who worked so hard to ensure the success of these two critical ballot issues.

Karen Woodside
Northville Township supervisor

To the editor:

On behalf of the Northville High School Rotary Interact, I would like to thank you for all of your support through publicity and donations by the citizens on National "Make A Difference" Day. The toy drive to Honduras, Ghana, First Step program and Northville civic concern has been a huge success. The Rotary Interact goal was to collect 75 bags of toys and we collected over 115 bags of toys. The response was incredible.

The Interact would also like to thank all of the participating Northville Public Schools and the High School. We would also like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Milnes for their garage space for the storing of the toys. The toys are in the process of being shipped out and delivered. The donations were greatly appreciated.

Lisa Milnes
President
Northville High School
Rotary Interact

Promotion was well deserved

To the editor:

We were so pleased to hear the good news that officer Norman Kubitsky had been promoted to Captain of the Northville Police Force. In the more than 26 years that Norm has been serving our community he has been devoted, hard working and a friend to all.

Norm has devoted a lot of time to the Northville Youth Assistance and has received many awards for his years of hard work. It's wonderful that the city has recognized this.

Thank you for giving us this opportunity to spread the word and say congratulations to Captain Norm Kubitsky.

Joe and Amy Zubor

Surprised by MEAP scores

To the editor:

I was quite surprised and shocked when I read the MEAP scores for nearly 40 Wayne County communities. Surprised to see, and pleased that our Northville School students were first in math (91 percent) and science (81 percent) and second in reading (80 percent) scores.

I was shocked to see, however, that our students were near the very bottom in writing scores with only 34 percent exceeding the state standards that saw some other communities' students in the 70 and 80 percentile.

It appears we should put more emphasis on these writing skills in our schools and, hopefully, not at the expense of math, reading and science.

Greg Arceri

Editor's note: While it seems that Northville students scored poorly on the written portion of the MEAP exam, it should be pointed out that the low percentage was caused by students joining the student boycott on the second day of the test.

Simply put, 170 students took the test on the first day - which was the first portion of the writing test - and only 70 returned to continue the test on the second day, meaning that the 100 absent students were given zero by test examiners.

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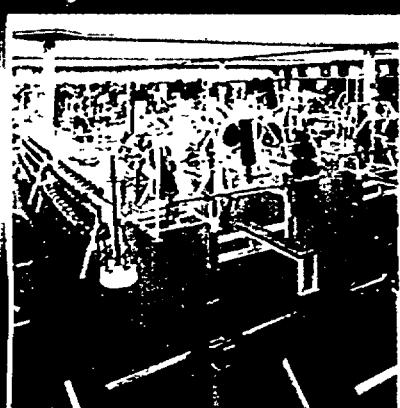
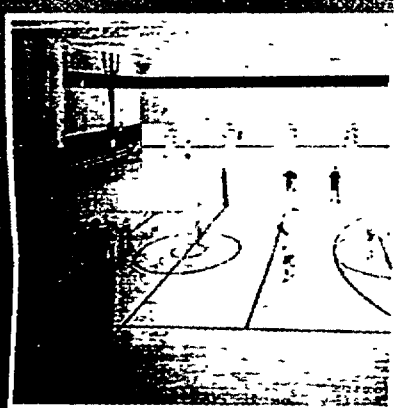
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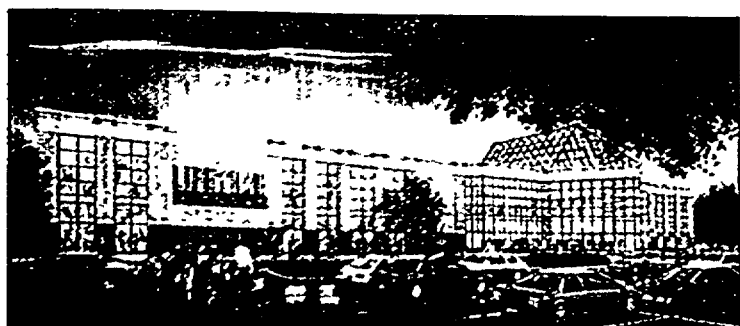
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Carol Dipple,
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Anita Bermingham, shown here with employee Eric Easley, became a co-owner of Coffee Beanery at Twelve Oaks Mall in June 1997. Inset: The Coffee Beanery at Twelve Oaks Mall is the fifth largest in volume of the 198 locations in the country. With malls now saturated, the push is on to expand in other locations.

Photos by JOHN HEIDER

Links in the chain

Franchise owners enjoy a high success rate



By CAROL DIPPLE
Feature Editor

If you've ever thought about owning your own business, you have a chance to peruse about 30 or 40 companies at the Franchise and Investment Expo on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 14 and 15, at the Novi Expo Center.

Representatives, owners or franchisees from printing companies, eateries, coffee house, financial services and cleaning are among those who will be exhibiting information about their firms during the two-day show.

Two first-time exhibitors at this show are Coffee Beanery Limited and Hot and Now fast food restaurant.

"Franchising carries a 95 percent success rate," said Kevin Shaw, Vice President of Franchise Development, at the Coffee Beanery Limited's headquarters in Flushing, Mich. "Eighty five percent of independent businesses after five years are not in business. The swing of success after five years is incredible."

The 22-year old company has 30 stores in Michigan, most of which are in shopping malls like Twelve Oaks Mall and Laurel Park in Livonia. Nationally they have 200 stores.

Since the malls are saturated with coffee stores, according to Shaw, the Coffee Beanery began a campaign to develop in new locations including strip malls in 1994.

Shaw said the focus at the Novi show

will be this new direction for the Coffee Beanery.

"We believe that that venue for us will be able to put another 50 stores in the greater metro market in the next four or five years," Shaw said.

But the strip mall stores are much different than the coffee houses in the malls. There is seating for 50 and the menu is expanded with selections like cheesecake, black forest cakes, as well as sandwiches and wraps. There is also entertainment on Friday and Saturday nights.

"We believe in the next five to eight years we hope to open up another 1,800 stores," Shaw said.

"We know what we are doing, we know how to make them work," Shaw said.

The total investment in a Coffee Beanery is \$225,000 with a \$175,000 loan against the store and \$50,000 down, according to Shaw.

"It is a successful way to find franchisees," Shaw said of shows like the one being held in Novi. "It is a little easier when you have a tangible product to sell."

Shaw does not see the coffee house as a passing fad.

"Coffee is culturally the beverage of our country," Shaw said. "It is how people get up in the morning. It is how people socialize when they have guests."

Franchise shows average about 2,000 attendees, according to Shaw.

Also a first time exhibitor is fast food restaurant Hot and Now.

"We're excited about this franchise show," said Paul Warren, director of training and franchise sales at the Hope, Mich. headquarters.

"The reason we're going to Novi is that we want to grow in concentric circles out from where we are now."

Hot and Now has 58 locations in Michigan, four in Indiana and eight in Wisconsin.

"The southeastern part of Michigan is one of the areas we haven't penetrated yet and we hope to as a result of this show," said Warren.

All but a couple of the restaurants are "drive-thru" which keeps operating costs and overhead low. There is no playground. They are easier to staff, according to Warren, and whereas a Wendy's would require 12 to 14 people at lunchtime, Hot and Now only needs a staff of seven or eight.

"We are very value and quality driven," Warren said, "which gives us a big advantage over the competitors."

The target market is 18 to 35 year old males. It's not light fare. There is no salad menu or kids meals. It's burgers and fries.

The franchise price is \$450,000 to \$600,000 depending on the real estate costs, according to Warren. Hot and Now are half company-owned and half franchise-owned.

Hot and Now was founded by Bill

Franchise ownership: Bermingham loves every minute of it

By CAROL DIPPLE
Feature Editor

Anita Bermingham became a co-owner of a franchise in June 1997 and is loving every minute of it.

Bermingham had been hanging out at the Coffee Beanery at Twelve Oaks Mall partially because her daughter, Julia, had worked there for a couple of years when she was in college, so knew the owners pretty well.

"I was very familiar with it," she said. "I loved the atmosphere, what they were presenting."

So, when the owner Bruce Campbell had an opening for a partner, he approached Bermingham. She sat down and had a chat with her friend Mary Koczara of Farmington Hills.

Now the Coffee Beanery has three partners.

Although she had never owned a business before, Bermingham said she "basically has been in the business field all my life."

Among other jobs, Bermingham worked at the William Allan Academy in Northville for 18 years as an art teacher and secretary to the principal.

"I always wanted to achieve the dream to own my own business,"

she said. "When the opportunity presented itself I took the challenge. It was a challenge to use my creative abilities and business experience for this goal."

The Novi shop is fifth in volume amongst the almost 200 Coffee Beanery locations in country. Sales system-wide in 1998 were \$51,000,000.

Besides being a co-owner, Bermingham is also the buyer, and learned that aspect of the business once she got there.

As a franchisee, she has to buy from recognized vendors but she decides what to purchase for the Twelve Oaks Mall store. Besides coffee, there are all kinds of gift items, English china, as well as modern pottery from Mexico.

"It's a reflection on the buyer," she said. "I have to take it to quite an upscale market. It is nice to choose things and then a customer comes in and they like it. It's a nice feeling."

Bermingham, or one of the other two partners, can be found at the store throughout the day.

"We have good employees and excellent managers," she said. "There are three active working partners. That is something you have to do when you own your

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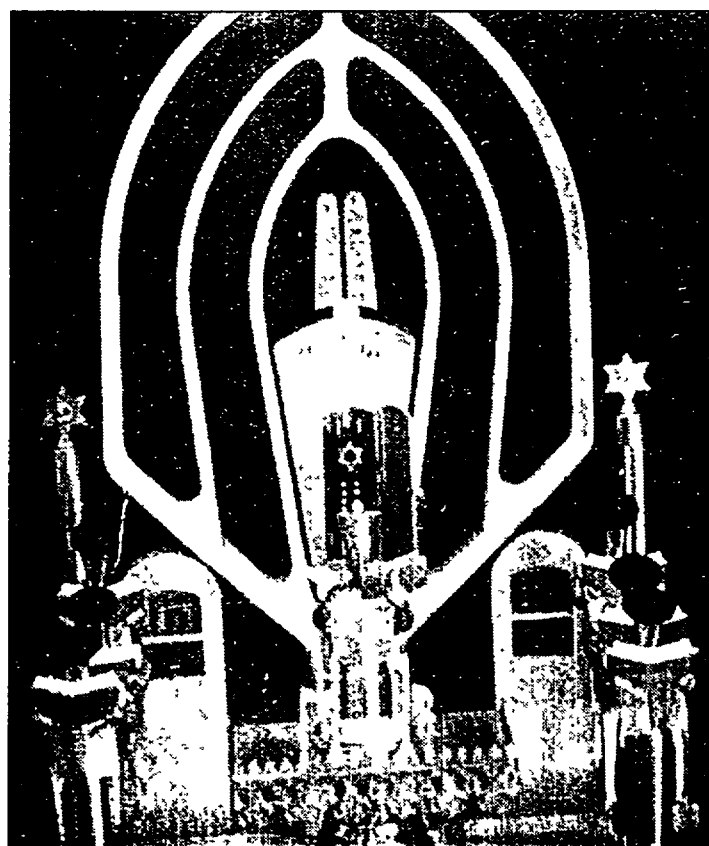


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Henry Friedman, whose work above was the winner at the Juried Fine Art Show, returns to address group.

Artist to address group at dinner Choralaires to provide entertainment

The Sixth Annual Juried Fine Art Exhibition winner will be the guest speaker at a New Horizons dinner on Friday, Nov. 20, at 6:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville.

The Novi Choralaires will perform a light medley of songs.

Henry Friedman, whose spiritually-inspired, metal sculpture "SHOFAR" which depicts rabbits at worship, won the Juror's Choice Award at the First Presbyterian Church's "Sharing the Gift Within You" art show in October.

Following dinner, Friedman will talk on "The Art Walk of Henry Friedman and his Experience of Holocaust."

The community is invited to attend this special evening presentation. Tickets for the catered dinner, which will include chicken cordon blue with rice, garden salad, rolls, dessert and beverage, are \$15. Friedman is a Holocaust survivor and an active retiree from the Robotics Division of General Motors. Friedman's knowledge of metal working is now combined with his creativity.

Working in his home studio in West Bloomfield, Friedman creates unique metal sculpture pieces each of which may required eight to 12 months to

complete.

Friedman joins the individual, handmade elements by a special and difficult silver soldering process.

Friedman says that his extra time is evenly divided between his metal sculpture and speaking to individuals and groups about the Holocaust. Friedman's highly acclaimed work is widely shown, most recently at the 1998 exhibition "Celebrate Life" at the Congregational Church of Birmingham.

The Novi Choralaires will perform a light medley of songs featuring "The Lion King" and "Beauty and the Beast" as well as holiday selections.

The Novi Choralaires are a 49-member, auditioned choir with members from surrounding communities. Their Christmas concert schedule includes performances at area church on Dec. 4, 5 and 6 with the proceeds to go to the After School Recreation Program which gives Novi students ages 10 to 14 activities and homework help after school.

The Northville First Presbyterian Church is located at 200 East Main Street in Northville.

For reservations, or more information, call the Northville First Presbyterian Church at (248) 349-0911.

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In Our Town

Poet to sign copies of newest book



Carol Dipple

Poet Cynthia Holt Cummings will be at the Changing Season on Sunday, Nov. 22, from noon until 5 p.m. to sign copies of her books.

Her first book of poetry was published on a challenge from her husband after her early Christmas verse was consolidated and printed as their holiday greeting card for 1979. Cummings now has seven other poetry books, including three teddy bear stories, in print. They are illustrated by a variety of artists.

Cummings, who served as an Army nurse during World War II, has lived in the Birmingham, Mich. area since 1948, with her husband. Their son's family lives nearby.

The Changing Season, which is owned by Lynn Paquette, is located at 149 E. Main Street in Northville. Paquette has decorated the shop for the holidays featuring both traditional and innovative decorating techniques.

Residents' daughter performs in Denmark

Jennifer Marshall, daughter of Jane and Bob Spence of Northville, is starring in "The Phantom of the Opera" in Copenhagen, Denmark at the Tivoli Koncertsal from Nov. 14 through Dec. 20.

Marshall, an equity actress and singer who resides in Manhattan, sings the role of Christine. Prior to the Copenhagen opening, she performed the role in Geneva, Switzerland and the Geneva Arena, for audiences of up to 4,000 people.

On rare occasions that she is able to visit in Northville she has soloed at Our Lady of Victory Church, with organist and choir director Daniel Herman and the OLV choir.

Marshall is a graduate of the Interlochen Arts Academy and

Northwestern University in Illinois. "Phantom" is Marshall's first international tour as an actress. At the age of 16, she spent a month in Germany and France as an exchange student touring with the Blue Lake International Choir.

Marshall has performed regionally at the Cincinnati Playhouse, Actor's Theatre in Louisville, Petersburg Playhouse, and in Oklahoma. She has also performed in New York at Playwright's Horizon's Ensemble Studio Theater and Soho Rep. She was also a member of "The Adapters" dance company who won a Bessie Award in New York at the International Movement Theater Festival.

Volunteers needed for hospice programs

Arbor Hospice is seeking volunteers in Western Oakland and Wayne Counties to provide services for patients and their families.

Among the duties of hospice volunteers are providing a break for family members and friends who are caring for a patient; offering transportation to a doctor's visit; writing letters and running errands; visiting with patients; helping prepare meals; and assisting with other services to provide comfort to patients and their families.

A free training program will begin on Wednesday, Nov. 18, at the Providence Hospital Office Center, 39500 West Ten Mile in Novi. The training covers such topics as the hospice concept, patient comfort, and care and communications skills. Sessions will meet from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Wednesday for five weeks.

Volunteers do not need to meet minimum time requirements and assignments can be worked around their schedules.

To register for the training program, or to obtain more information, please call Jeanne Federspill, volunteer coordinator, at (248) 348-4980.

Life Members are selling coupon books

The Northville Mothers' Club Life Members are selling Entertainment books as a fund raiser. Money raised will go to Northville High



Cynthia Holt Cummings

School seniors in the form of scholarships in 1999.

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To purchase a book, or for more information, call Linda Handyside at (248) 349-8407.

Many volunteers made it happen

Volunteers who helped make the Northville Parks and Recreation Department's Maybury Haunted Forest Walk a success included: toll booth workers - Carol Butske, Debbie Luterek, Pat Brown, and Anna Sylvester; concession stand - Mary Ellen King and Renee D'Ortenzio; and group organizer Denise Noffze.

Scenes and the volunteers included: Theater - Brian Showalter and friends; Maze - Chris Doktorcik, Ryan Smith and friends; Camp Bus - Dave Schmidt, Greg Presley, Mike Kolbow, Marti Davenport, and friends; Lab - Jerry D'Ortenzio, Lauren McCausland, and friends; Shower - Dannon, Lindsay and Alex D'Ortenzio, Dave Cipola, Angie Matheson, Matt Schafer; Camp - Northville Interact Group; Witches of Salem - Kristen Stevenson, Jim Luterek, Phil and friends; and Night of the Living Dead by Scott Baker, Decker, Scotty and friends.

Others who made the night a success for 1,500 visitors to the haunted forest include the Northville Township Police and Fire departments; Ted and Nancy Nelson, Gary Reggish, The Carter's, Carleen O'Brien, Steve D'Anna, John and Michelle Kelly,



Jennifer Marshall

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The parks and recreation department would also like to thank all those who helped out but were not mentioned.

Arts Commission to hold lectures

The Northville Arts Commission will host the 1999 Michael Farrell Art Lecture Series entitled "Great Cities as Works of Art." Five lectures will be presented beginning in December.

The five cities featured will be Athens on Dec. 3, Rome on Jan. 20, Jerusalem on Feb. 11, Constantinople on March 25 and Venice on April 21.

Farrell is an associate professor of art history at the University of Windsor, adjunct curator at the Detroit Institute of Arts, and instructor at the Art House of Detroit.

All lectures will be held in the Forum at Northville High School at 7:30 p.m. Season tickets are \$45 (\$9.50 each at the door.)

For more information, call (248) 449-9945.

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

Scout is awarded religious medal

DAVID OWENS, a senior at Novi High School, was presented the Ad Altare Dei Award on Sunday, Oct. 25, at St. Kenneth Catholic Church in Plymouth Township by Father Joseph Mallia. The goal of this nine-month religious program which is designed by the National Catholic Committee on Scouting for Boy Scouts of the Catholic Faith, is to help the scout develop a fully Christian way of life in the faith community. David passed his Board of Review for the Ad Altare Dei on Sept. 30 and was approved for the award by the Archdiocese of Detroit. David's counselor for the award was John Vargo of Wixom and his sponsor was the Knights of Columbus Holy Family Council 11811 of Novi.

David is active in Novi's Boy Scout Troop 407 where he achieved Eagle Scout rank on Aug. 8, 1995. He has earned seven Eagle Palms, which is unprecedented in any Novi area troop, 50 merit badges, and the World Conservation Award. He is a member of the Scouting service organization Order of the Arrow. He has served as Senior Patrol Leader, Junior Assistant Scout Master, and is currently an Assistant Scout Master.

He attended the BSA National Jamboree held in 1997 near Washington, D.C.

David has also been active in his



David Owens

parish community. He has been an usher at St. Kenneth for three years, a Master of Ceremonies, and participates in several other programs. He received the Timothy Youth Appreciation Award on April 26 from the Archdiocese in recognition of his contributions as a Catholic youth at St. Kenneth Church.

After graduation, David is planning to attend college, remain active in Scouting, and continue working at Vic's World Class Market in Novi.

School News

WILLIAM ALLAN ACADEMY

Students at William Allan Academy returned to the same location on Eight Mile Road adjacent to Maybury State Park when the school year began on Sept. 8, but they were sporting a new look - uniforms.

In October the Kindergarten and Kindergarten classes went to Erwin Orchards to learn all about growing apples and making cider. When they got back to the school, they made applesauce. The third, fourth and fifth graders took a field trip to the Howell Nature Center. Students in kindergarten through grade five will be presenting the musical program "The Gift of Song" to residents of Allen Terrace in December.

Carol Kushner from the Michigan Humane Society visited

in October. After her presentations, she left the school with a van filled to the brim with supplies for the animals, as well as monetary donations from the school's families.

The school's Santa Store will be open on the morning of Nov. 21. It is an opportunity for the students to buy holiday gifts "in secret," and have them gift wrapped.

William Allan students entered the Northville Township Centennial Committee's holiday greeting card contest. The design of one of our fifth graders, Christopher Nelson, won first place. Elie Rose, a fourth grader, was runner-up. Christopher received a gift basket of art supplies donated by Meijer, and the school received a \$100 gift certificate for art supplies.

-Barbara Lucas

In Service

Army 1st Lt. JEFFARY M. HOOSE has deployed on a temporary duty assignment to Soto Cano Air Base in Honduras, as a member of Joint Task Force-Bravo. JTF-Bravo is the command and control headquarters for most U.S. military forces deployed to participate in exercises and training activities in the Republic of Honduras.

Hoose, an executive officer, is the son of Greg R. and Meri E. Hoose of Northville. His wife Kristi is the daughter of Jerry and Sue Fortenberry, also resident of Northville.

Hoose is a 1988 graduate of Northville High School and a 1996 graduate of Indiana State University, Terre Haute.

Navy Airman GREGORY J. DEMAREST is currently halfway through a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific and Indian oceans, and the Arabian Gulf with Fighter Squadron 31, embarked aboard the aircraft carrier USS Abraham Lincoln.

Demarest's squadron provides fleet air defense by engaging in all-weather offensive and defensive air-to-air operations to establish and maintain local air superiority. Fighter Squadron 31 flies the F-14 Tomcat.

The 1995 graduate of Northville High School joined the Navy in September 1995.

Navy Airman GREGORY J. DEMAREST is one of many active duty sailors celebrating the Navy's 223rd birthday this month.

The Navy was created by the Continental Congress on Oct. 13, 1775, after George Washington appealed for its formation.

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Leading the group

Northville Woman's Club officers Betty Allen, Life Member; Carmen Kuckenbecker, vice president; Sherry Duff, recording secretary; Lonna

Lemmon, president; Jackie Payne, corresponding secretary; and Ann Clarke, treasurer, all attended the club's opening luncheon.



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Former presidents

Northville Woman's Club past presidents who were recognized at the club's opening luncheon are, from left, Georgianna Chase, Ruth

May Atchison, Jean Day Couse, Evelyn Harper, Marge Bolton, Geraldine Mills and Marian Pickl.

Church Notes

The Gay Spiritual Support Group will meet at the **NORTHVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, Eight Mile and Taft roads in Northville, on Monday, Nov. 23, at 7 p.m. in the lounge. Parking is available in the upper lot, which is closest to the lounge.

Curt Cloninger, nationally-known actor and writer, will perform at the **FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**, located at I-275 and Eight Mile Road in Northville, on Sunday, Nov. 15, at 11 a.m. Cloninger uses comedy and dramatic skills to present theatrical entertainment which moves people to see and feel the good news of God in fresh and creative ways. Free admission and childcare. For details, call (248) 348-7600.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 45201 North Territorial Road in Plymouth, will present a "Walk Thru the Old Testament" seminar on Saturday, Nov. 21, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The international seminar uses interactive learning techniques to help people absorb and remember key characters, geography and major themes of the Old Testament.

Separate seminars will be held for adults (seventh grade and up) and children (age 5 through sixth grade), making this a great family activity.

Fees are \$15 for adults, \$10 for children and includes all materials. Participants may bring a sack lunch for the mid-day break.

For information, call the church at (734) 453-5280.

The Fine Arts Series at the **NORTHVILLE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**, 200 East Main Street in Northville, will close its 1998 concert series with its annual performance of Handel's "Messiah" on Sunday, Dec. 6, at 7 p.m. The Northville Concert Chorale will perform the chorus sections and will be accompanied by the Michigan Sinfonietta Orchestra. The Northville Concert Chorale is open to any singer who

wishes to participate.

The Chorale rehearses each Monday in November from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the church sanctuary.

Interested singers may call the church at (248) 349-0911 for more information.

The new Boisford Hospital Congregational Health Partnership with Northville Presbyterian Church, continues its series of free lectures with **Who Will Decide When You Can't?** on Sunday, Nov. 15 or Wednesday, Nov. 18; **Ethics in Decision About Death** on Sunday, Nov. 22 in the Forum Room, of the church - Sundays, 11 a.m.-noon; Wednesdays, 7:30-8:30 p.m.

The Faith, Caring and Coping Series is sponsored by Adult Life Ministry of First Presbyterian

Church and is in cooperation with Boisford Hospital Congregational Health Partnership. You may call First Presbyterian Church at (248) 349-0911 to make a reservation. For details, call (248) 349-0911.

The Men's Fellowship group at **WARD EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**, 40000 Six Mile Road in Northville, invites men in the community to the November men's breakfast on Saturday, Nov. 14, at 8 a.m.; Colonel Steve Hanson, U.S. Marine Corps (retired) will be the guest speaker. His topic will be "Christ in Desert Storm."

A Red Cross Blood Drive will be held on Thursday, Nov. 19, from 2 to 8 p.m.

For details, call (248) 374-5956.

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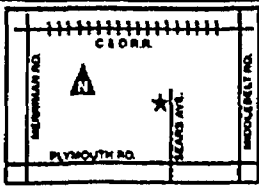
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Weddings



Lindsay and Thomas Christie

Lindsay Reel and Thomas Clarke Christie were married Aug. 1 in St. John's Lutheran Church in Sidney, Ohio.

Rev. Thomas Danklesfen officiated the double-ring ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Robert Reel. Following the ceremony, a reception was held at The Oaks Club in Sidney.

The bride is the daughter of Robert and Janice Reel of Northville. She received her bachelor's degree from Bowling Green State University and is currently employed in Toledo.

The groom is the son of Doug and Dianne Christie of Sidney. He graduated with his masters degree from BGSU and is currently employed as marketing manager for Chase Brass Industries in Montpelier, Ohio.

Brother of the groom, Steve Christie, served as best man. Attending as groomsmen were brother of the bride, Rob Reel, and friends of the groom, Craig Bishop, Pete Fitz, Joe Flinner, Jared Norris and Chris Rickly.

The ringbearers were cousins of

the groom, Alex Turney and Jackson Westerheldi.

Attending as maid of honor was her sister, Julia Reel. Serving as bridesmaids were Chrissy Deal, Carrie Hutchison, Briana Loder, Julie Mavis, Kelly Seibert and Jennifer Westerheldi. The flower girl was Rachel Turney.

The bridal gown was a full-length, off-the-shoulder long sleeve design made of satin and embroidered lace. The fitted bodice was accented with satin fabric white rose buds. The full skirt included a cathedral train. She wore a seeded pearl headpiece with a long veil.

She carried a handkerchief belonging to her great-grandmother, the late Mary Case.

The bridal bouquet was a traditional arrangement of fresh white roses and ivy. The bridesmaids carried one long stem white rose with ivy and baby's breath. The bridesmaids wore sleeveless black dresses with an empire waist.

The couple honeymooned on Marco Island and currently resides in Maumee, Ohio.



Chartier and Michael Lukacs

Chartier Diane Almone and Michael Vincent Lukacs were married May 23 at St. Thomas the Apostle, Ann Arbor, with the Rev. James Lohan officiating. A reception followed at the Michigan League, University of Michigan.

The bride is the daughter of Charles and Roberta Almone of Northville. A graduate of Northville High School, she has since earned a bachelor's degree in science from Western Michigan University in 1995. She is currently completing her doctor of optometry degree from the Michigan College of Optometry at Ferris State University.

The groom is the son of Walter

and Nancy Bromley of Troy and John and Shirley Lukacs of Eugene, Ore. He is a graduate of Seaholm High School in Birmingham; a 1993 graduate of the University of Michigan with a bachelor's degree from the school of Literature, Science and Arts; received a juris doctorate degree from the University of Detroit Mercy School of Law in 1997; and this year, a LL.M. in taxation from Georgetown University Law Center. He is currently an international tax consultant with Price Waterhouse Coopers in Bloomfield Hills.

The bride and groom reside in Birmingham.

Engagement



Michael O'Brian/Elizabeth Rivard

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rivard of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to Michael David O'Brian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen O'Brian, also of Northville.

The bride-elect graduated valedictorian from Northville High School in 1994, and in May, graduated magna cum laude with a bachelor's degree in biology from the University of Dayton in Ohio. She is currently employed in-house for Kelly Services until January 1999, when she begins pursuing her master's in occupational therapy at Eastern Michigan University.

The groom-elect graduated with honors from Northville High School in 1995, and is currently studying for a bachelor's in public safety administration at Eastern Michigan University. Not only is he a full-time sergeant for Northville Township Fire Department, but is also attending school for paramedic certification. Michael is in his second season as football coach at Meads Mill Middle School.

A December wedding will take place at Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church.

News to share?

Have you recently become engaged? Newly betrothed? Or are you proud new parents? Are you celebrating a big anniversary?

Send the information and picture if you have one to *The Northville Record/Novi News*, 104 W. Main Street, Northville, MI 48167, or stop by the office and pick up a birth, engagement or wedding announcement form and we'll see to it that your happy news appears in the paper. The deadline for submitting a wedding announcement and photo is six months after the wedding date.

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On Campus

JAMIE VANDERMAS of Northville performed with the Choraliers, the premier women's chorus at Miami University in Oxford Ohio, in their Fall Concert.

The concert, which also included the Men's Glee Club, was held at Hall Auditorium on Nov. 6 and 7.

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Franchise show comes to Novi Expo Center

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"It grew pretty quick in the western part of state, then into Lansing and Jackson," Warren said. "Pepsi bought the chain several years ago and tried to grow it too quickly."

Pepsi sold to a private owner a year and a half ago and it has once again seen steady growth, according to Warren.

"We opened four stores this year, and two more are under construction," Warren said. "The key thing

is finding quality locations."

Admission to the Franchise and Investment Expo is \$7 and children under 18 are free. Parking is \$5.

Hours are Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 14 and 15, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Novi Expo Center is located on Novi Road just south of I-96 in Novi.

For more information, call Mart Franchise Venture at 888-872-2677 or the Novi Expo Center at (248) 348-5600.



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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 Nov. 12 and 19 at 7:30 p.m. Single Place will continue "In's and Out's of Romantic Love" with Larry Kersten. The open forum topics will be "Holidays: Blues or Bliss" on Nov. 12 and "Friendly or Flirtatious?" on Nov. 19, both with Sandy Baumann at 8 p.m.

The cost for each is \$4.

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

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

Upcoming events include Dinner at Ground Round Restaurant on Nov. 14 followed by a movie at AMC Movie Theater; and Pot Luck Dinner and Games Night on Nov. 28.

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

Send Singles information to The Northville Record and The Novi News, 104 W. Main St., Northville, MI 48167.

Getting ready for the season

The Novi Choralaires are rehearsing for their Christmas concerts. Performances will be on Dec. 4 at Farmington Methodist Church, 33112 Grand River in Farmington at 7:30 p.m.; Dec. 5 at Meadowbrook Congregational Church, 21355 Meadowbrook Road in Novi at 7:30 p.m.; and Dec. 6 at Church of the Holy Family, 24505 Meadowbrook Road in Novi at 4 p.m. The Novi Choralaires are a 49-member, auditioned choir with members from surrounding communities. This year's concerts' profits will be given to the After School

Recreation Program which gives Novi students ages 10 to 14 activities and homework help after school. Tickets are \$7 for adults, and \$6 for seniors and children and may be purchased at the Novi Parks and Recreation office at 45175 West Ten Mile Road in Novi or at the door. This year's selections will include "Frosty the Snowman," "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer," an excerpt from "Messiah," as well as "Bring a Torch" and some new surprise pieces. For details, call (248) 347-0400.

Birth

Jean DuSablón and Luis García of Mexico City, Mexico, announce the birth of their daughter, **SOPHIA LOUISA**, born Aug. 19 in Phoenix, Ariz. Also awaiting her arrival was 3-year-old brother Alex.

Baby Sophia's grandparents are Toni and Armand DuSablón of Northville and Francisco García of Sevilla, Spain, and the late Louisa Payan.



Sophia Louisa Garcia

Business owner glad to be on board

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own business; you can't just look in the door."

The owners take the garbage out and wash the floors.

"We basically do as much as the kids do," she said.

Sometimes Bermingham is behind the counter for six hours and with the Christmas season coming up she, like the other owners, are prepared to be there all day.

"Otherwise you don't know how

the business is running," she said.

Bermingham said that they have a good relationship with the other mall employees. She has made a lot of friends and enjoys the regular customers.

"You have to be a people person that is the number one rule," said Bermingham if you want to be successful.

"I loved the fact that it was a Michigan-based company," said Bermingham, who is from England. "This country has been

especially good to me. I felt loyal to Michigan. I liked the fact that the Coffee Beanery was founded by a woman."

Because they are Michigan based, if Bermingham runs out of a product, she can drive to Flushing where the company headquarters and warehouse is located.

"I don't want to deal with a company that is in Arizona or California that doesn't even know where their companies are."

Bermingham said it has been an unbelievable learning experience for her but she has one regret.

"I wish I had gotten into this business earlier," she said. "My husband encouraged me. He knew I always wanted my own business. He said 'go for it, what have you got to lose?'"

Bermingham, and her husband, Michael, have lived in Northville for 30 years.

"It is very exciting, very challenging, very rewarding," she said.

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THURSDAY
November 12, 1998



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Walled Lake Western High School students rehearse for "Annie" which runs Nov. 19, 20 and 21.

Students present musical as fall play

The Walled Lake Western High School Performing Arts Department will present "Annie" on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 19, 20 and 21. The Choir Director/Producer is Greg Cleveland.

Performance times for the musical are 7:30 p.m. with an addition-

al Family Matinee scheduled for Saturday at 11 a.m.

Cast members include 60 Walled Lake Western High School students, 20 Walled Lake Middle and Banks Middle school students, 55 members in the technical crew and a 45-member pit orchestra.

Tickets can be purchased in the

school lunch commons daily between 10:30 and 11:50 a.m. You can also buy tickets by calling Sandy at (248) 960-8520 and pick them up and pay for them the following day. If tickets are still available the night of the show, they can be purchased at the door. Last year's musical was sold out.

Tickets are \$10. All seats are reserved. Senior citizen discount night is on Thursday evening and tickets for seniors are \$6. Tickets for seniors will be \$6. The Saturday matinee price is \$6.

Walled Lake Western High School is located at 600 Beck Road in Walled Lake.

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.

AUDITIONS

FARMINGTON PLAYERS: Auditions for "The Fantasticks" will be held on Nov. 18 and 19 at 7 p.m. at the Farmington Players Barn, 32332 West 12 Mile Road in Farmington Hills. There are roles for six men and two women.

For details, call (248) 356-8904.

MUSICAL: Auditions for Novi Theatre's production of "The Wizard of Oz" will be on Dec. 8 and 10 at 7:30 p.m. at the Novi Civic Center Stage, 45175 West Ten Mile Road in Novi.

There are many chorus, lead and supporting parts available for actors ages 7 to 97. Come prepared to dance, sing and act.

All actors must pay a participation fee of \$125 once cast. Audition packets can be picked up at the Novi Civic Center beginning Monday, Nov. 9, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays.

For details, call (248) 347-0400.

SPECIAL EVENTS

BRIDAL SHOW: The Fall Bridal Extravaganza featuring new Spring & Summer 1999 Bridal Trousseau & Mother of the Bride Wedding Fashions from Betsy's Bridal Salon, Mother of the Bride, and Colosse Couture & President Tuxedo will be held at the Novi Hilton, 21111 Haggerty Road in Novi on Nov. 15. Doors open at noon.

Tickets are \$7 in advance or \$8 at the door.

Call (810) 228-2700.

CRAFTS AND MORE: The Novi Lioness Club will present the "Shopping Extravaganza - Crafts & More" on Saturday, Nov. 14, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Novi High School, 24062 Taft Road in Novi.

Over 30 crafters and home-party vendors including Longaberger, Arbonne Cosmetics, DK Books, Creative Memories, Stampin' Up, Bodywise International, Princess House, Mary Kay, Discovery Toys, Party Lite, and Thistledeew Decorative Painting.

Admission donation is \$1. All proceeds will go to the Novi Lioness supported charities such

as the Penrickton Center, Welcome Home for the Blind and Michigan Eye Band.

For information, call (248) 348-9098.

COOKING CLASSES: The Kitchen Witch is offering the following classes during November: Asian Cuisine on Nov. 12; Knife Sharpening on Nov. 17; and Fabulous Desserts on Nov. 19.

Classes are held from 7 to 9 p.m. The Kitchen Witch is located at 134 East Main Street in Northville.

For costs and to register, call (248) 348-0488.

BORDERS BOOKS: Ongoing events include the Toddler Time stories for children 3 and younger on Mondays at 10 a.m.; Children's Hour for children three and younger on Tuesdays at 10 a.m.; and Toddler Time for children three and younger on Wednesdays at 10 a.m.

Borders Books and Music is located in the Novi Town Center.

Call (248) 347-0780.

BARNES & NOBLE: Children's special storytimes are Tuesday at 11 a.m. and Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Open Mike Poetry Readings are held every second Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. The series includes Nancy Nelson, Rick Bailey, Henry Ford Community College, on Jan. 12; MacGuffin editors on Feb. 9; Herb Scott, New Issues Press, on March 9; Linda Nemec Foster, "Living in the Firenest," on April 13.

Upcoming events include: romance author of "While the Moon Looked Up to Heaven," Terry Stellini, on Nov. 12 at 7:30 p.m.; book signing with Gus Mollasis, author of "On A Wing and A Prayer" on Nov. 19 at 7:30 p.m.; and pianist Jeffrey Michael on Nov. 21 at 7:30 p.m. and Dec. 18 at 7:30 p.m.

Barnes and Noble is located at Six Mile and Haggerty roads in Northville.

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THEATER

ANYTHING GOES: The Plymouth Theater Guild continues its 52nd year with the Cole Porter musical comedy "Anything Goes."

Shows are scheduled for 8 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays, Nov. 13, 14, 20, 21, 27 and 28, and Sunday, Nov. 22, at 6 p.m.

Performances will be in the Water Tower Theater on the campus of the Northville State Psychiatric Hospital on seven Mile Road west of Haggerty Road.

Locally, tickets may be purchased at gardenviews, 202 West Main Street in Northville. General seating tickets are \$11 in advance and \$12 at the door. For information or group rates, call (248) 349-7110.

Other shows during the 1998-99 season include "The Sound of Music in February" and "Wait Until Dark" in May.

TRINITY HOUSE: Performances of "Sister Camille's Kaleidoscopic Cabaret" continues through Nov. 22. Friday and Saturday shows are at 8 p.m. Sunday matinees are at 3 p.m.

Sister Camille, written by Canadian playwright Paul Nicholas Mason, presents a wide-spectrum of ordinary people attempting to muddle through their life with grace and dignity featuring 19 actors playing approximately 42 different roles.

The show contains subject matter that may be inappropriate for children. Parents are encouraged to use discretion.

Tickets are \$10 for non-members and \$8 for members.

Group rates are available. Trinity House is located on the northwest corner of Six Mile Road and I-275 in Livonia.

For ticket reservations, call (734) 464-6302.

MARQUIS: Performances of a musical adaption of the classic tale of "Cinderella" will be at 2:30 p.m. on Nov. 14, 15, 21, 22, 28, 29, Dec. 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and Jan. 2, and 3.

General seating tickets are \$6.50.

Group rates are available. No children under the age of three will be permitted.

The Marquis Theatre is located at 135 E. Main Street in Northville. Call (248) 349-8110.

NEARBY

COMEDY: Farmington Players present "A Tuna Christmas" by Ed Howard, Joe Sears and Jaston Williams on Nov. 13, 14, 20, 21, 22, 27 and 28. All performances are at 8 p.m. Additional matinee performances will be at 2 p.m. on Nov. 14 and Nov. 22.

The Farmington Players is located

at 32332 West Twelve Mile Road in Farmington Hills.

Tickets are \$12.

For details, call (248) 553-2955.

PREGNANCY CENTER AUCTION: The AAA Crisis Center Pregnancy Center in Livonia will hold a fund raiser auction on Nov. 13 from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Memorial Church of Christ located at 35475 Five Mile Road in Livonia.

Tickets are \$10 and includes the auction and hors d'oeuvres. Auction items include sports items, theater tickets, sporting event tickets, art work, hotel stays, and autograph sports memorabilia. Call (734) 425-8060.

TASTING EXTRAVAGANZA: Metropolitan Seventh-day Adventist School will host the 11th annual Vegetarian Holiday Tasting Extravaganza on Nov. 15 from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at 15585 Haggerty Road in Plymouth.

The cost is \$8 for adults and \$3 for children ages six to 12. Tickets must be purchased in advance.

Over 50 vegetarian dishes including dairy, non-dairy and prepared meat substitute entrees will be available.

For details, call (734) 495-0702.

ART EXHIBIT AND SALE: The Farmington Artists Club Fall Exhibit and Sale will be held Nov. 12 through Nov. 17 at Spicer House in Heritage Park, 24915 Farmington Road between Ten and Eleven Mile Road in Farmington.

Hours are 5-8 p.m. Thursday, 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday and Friday, 11 a.m.-8 p.m. Tuesday and Saturday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

An artist's reception will be from 6 to 9 p.m. on Friday, which the public is invited to attend. Awards will be presented at 7 p.m. that evening.

Admission is free at all times. The exhibition has a juried show, an open display of framed work, and a large selection of unframed art.

For details, call (248) 646-3707.

UP THE DOWN STAIRCASE: South Lyon High School presents "Up the Down Staircase" written by Bel Kaufman and directed by Donna Kupper on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 12 and 13, at 8 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 15, at 2 p.m. at the high school located at 1000 North Lafayette in South Lyon.

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So proclaimed the 1939 movie posters for the original theatrical release of MGM's "The Wizard of Oz," the silver screen adaption of L. Frank Baum's children's classic, "The Wonderful Wizard of Oz." Starring the then-sixteen-year-old Judy Garland, along with Frank Morgan, Ray Bolger, Bert Lahr, Jack Haley, Billie Burke, Margaret Hamilton, Charley Grapewin and the beloved "munchkins," the film was a technical marvel for its studio; "The Wizard of Oz" (officially MGM Production #1060) was a feast for the eye that featured rich sepia (instead of the customary black-and-white) for the scenes of Kansas in and around the Gale's farm, which was replaced by bright Technicolor as Dorothy emerges from her transplanted home into the Land of Oz.

On the big screen for the first time in more than 25 years, moviegoers will be treated to the Oscar-winning film as it was intended to be shown. And, for this special edition, the motion picture has received state-of-the-art technical improvements — now with a digitally restored picture and a sound-

track remastered in Dolby Digital Stereo Sound.

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Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer knew they had a special motion picture on their hands, but it would have taken someone with the Wizard's magical capabilities to predict just how "The Wizard of Oz" would become woven into the everyday fabric of American culture — beloved of film buffs, children and the eternally young-at-heart.

Baum's tale of a Kansas girl's journey over the rainbow has become a touchstone for novelists, filmmakers, poets and playwrights, and the film may just wear the crown as the most cherished tale ever presented on screen.

At the time of its release, "The Wizard of Oz" stood shoulder to shoulder with some of the greatest films ever made to date, among them "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington," "Of Mice and Men," "Goodbye, Mr. Chips," and "Gone With the Wind."

In this heady company of competitors, the film received six Academy Award nominations — Special Effects, Original Score, Best Song, Art Direction, Cinematography (Color) and Best Pic-

ture — and won two, with Herbert Stothart winning for Score and Harold Arien and E.Y. Harburg for the song "Over the Rainbow," plus a special Oscar for Outstanding Performance by a Screen Juvenile for Judy Garland.

MGM re-released the picture in 1949, where it performed almost as well as in its initial release, and again in 1955; in 1956 it received its first television broadcast and, since 1959, has become a yearly television event. It is estimated that it is one of the most-viewed motion pictures ever made.

It took numerous film experts and technicians months of intensive labor to produce the Special Edition of "The Wizard of Oz" for theatrical presentation. Chief among them was Phil Feiner, President/COO, Optical Effects Division and Digital Restoration at Pacific Title/Mirage, the company working on the restoration of the sepiabookend sequences on the Gale Farm in Kansas.

"Our immediate problem we had to face was the fact that the original black and white negatives [which were printed into sepiabookend sequences on the Gale Farm in Kansas] were destroyed in a fire at the Eastman House in the mid-1970s," explains Feiner. "What did exist were fine grain masters,



Bert Lahr (left), Ray Bolger, Julie Andrews and Jack Haley journey again to the Emerald City.

which were made using an older method of reproduction called 'continuous dry gate printing'; it unfortunately transfers all of the flaws, scratches, dirt, digs and the like onto the film masters. So using these somewhat flawed fine grain masters, which are housed in the Library of Congress, we employed scanners to digitize them and then corrected the images on the computer, frame by frame, eliminating any dirt or scratches; we also corrected any flickering of the image that also

existed in the original at 4K by 3K lines of resolution."

Once this was completed following more than nine months of painstaking work, the new corrected digitized files were recorded out on a Kodak laser film recorder to transfer to film to create prints of the black and white Kansas sequences. These sections were then matted to the color portion of the motion picture (which was struck from the existing three-strip negative of the Technicolor Oz sequences).

Another improvement to the film can be heard rather than seen. Warner Bros.' Ned Price, Vice President of Mastering in Technical Operations, oversaw the Digital audio remastering of the film's soundtrack, which is heard for the very first time in true stereo.

The original nitrate soundtrack and original orchestra session recordings were digitally remastered to Dolby Digital Sound — so "Over the Rainbow" and Dorothy's magnificent trip in and out of Oz never sounded better.

Dynamic divas Houston and Carey join voices for 'Prince of Egypt' soundtrack



Carey (left) and Houston work side-by-side to record the song "When You Believe (for The Prince of Egypt)" for DreamWorks.

It was jointly announced by DreamWorks principal Jeffrey Katzenberg and DreamWorks Records head Mo Ostin that Whitney Houston and Mariah Carey will perform together for the first time in a historic collaboration on the soundtrack album for DreamWorks' "The Prince of Egypt."

Carey and Houston will be singing a duet entitled "When You Believe" (from "The Prince of Egypt"), composed by Stephen Schwartz, with additional music by Kenneth "Babyface" Edmonds. The single will also appear on solo album releases from Houston and Carey.

The track was produced by Edmonds, perhaps the most honored producer in the music industry today. He has previously won numerous awards for his work on such successful soundtracks as

"Soul Food" and "Waiting to Exhale."

"This is an extraordinary combination of talent that rivals any in the music industry. Mariah Carey and Whitney Houston are quite simply the biggest female recording artists in the world today. We are all thrilled and honored to have them together for the first time on 'The Prince of Egypt' soundtrack."

"The Prince of Egypt" soundtrack album also features the music of Oscar-winning composer Hans Zimmer. There are also cover versions of songs performed by popular artists Amy Grant and K-Ci & JoJo's track produced by Rory Bennett.

"I Will Get There" is produced by Jimmy Jam and Terry Lewis, and co-produced by Boyz II Men. "The Prince of Egypt" tells the

story of two men — one born a prince, the other born a slave...but only one was chosen to lead. A lie made them brothers, the truth will destroy a kingdom and forever separate them...in faith...in heritage...in destiny.

The film stars the voices of Val

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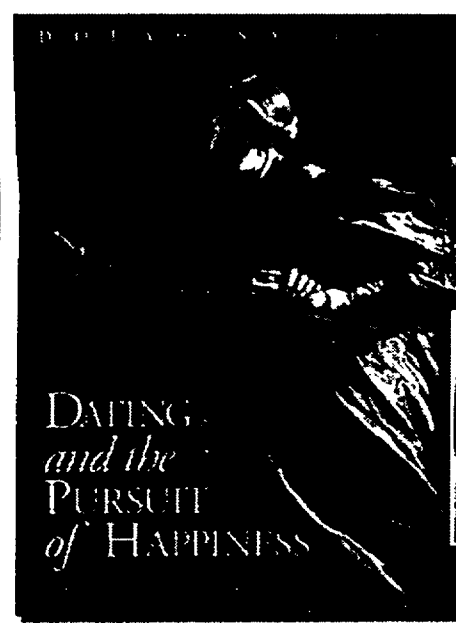
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Sophomore Alyson Flohr finished 40th Saturday, 25 spots better than in 1997.

Tankers finish fifth in WLAA meet, send relay team to state meet

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

A loud and crazy atmosphere awaited the Northville swim team last Saturday at the Western Lakes' league meet at Plymouth Salem, along with a host of tough teams looking to take home the league title.

In the end, the Mustangs came home with a respectable fifth-place finish, highlighted by several good individual performances.

Livonia Stevenson were the runaway champions with 612 points. Salem was runner-up with 412 followed by North Farmington (387), Walled Lake (311), Northville (260), Canton (258), Churchhill (202), Harrison (187), Farmington (130), Franklin (122) and John Glenn (76). Each team was allowed 36 entries, which could be placed in any event.

The Mustangs had one runnerup finish and the 200 freestyle relay team qualified for the state meet with a third-place finish.

Stephanie Sabo was runnerup in the 100 freestyle in a personal-best time of 55.97 seconds. Teammate Kathryn Ohlgren was 14th in the same event (59.36).

Sabo and Ohlgren joined Jessica Hrivnak and Deirdre Schwirng to take third in the

200 free relay and qualify for the state meet in a time of 1:43.29.

Schwirng swam a personal-best (1:10.76) time in the 100 breaststroke and was fifth in the 200 individual medley in 2:20.1. Jackie Sallote was 16th in the IM in a time of 2:29.47.

Sabo was sixth in the 50 freestyle (25.88) and had two other teammates also place. Ohlgren was 10th overall (26.22) and Hrivnak was 14th (26.87).

Leah Voytal, Schwirng, Hrivnak and Sabo finished fifth in the 200 medley relay (1:57.77) and Allison Greenlee, Ohlgren, Stefanie Nurmi and Michelle Longway finished eighth in the 400 free relay (1:10.76).

Hrivnak was eighth in the 100 butterfly (1:06.94), a personal-best time, and Monica Black was 17th in the 200 freestyle (2:11.78).

Black and Ali Stewart finished 11th and 14th in the 500 freestyle and Tracy Crawford (233.1) and Kristen Shaffner (225.65) were 14th and 16th in diving.

Finally, the Mustangs had three scorers in the 100 backstroke event. Sallote swam a

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Colts' freshmen win 8-0

The Northville/Novi Colts Little League freshmen football team continued its surprising season this past weekend with an 8-0 shutout victory over the Dearborn Redskins in the semifinals of the Western Suburban Junior Football League.

The win qualifies the 8-1 Colts team for the Super Bowl this weekend. The team will play the Ann Arbor Wildcats, currently undefeated.

"The kids have performed way beyond anyone's expectations," coach Carl Chandler said. "Coming into this season only four of 29 players had ever played football before, so we basically had to start from scratch."

"To qualify for the playoffs, and then to beat a very tough Dearborn team to qualify for the Super Bowl is a credit to how hard these kids have worked since we began practice on August 10."

Sunday's win over Dearborn was a defensive battle throughout the game. The scoreless first half of the game was played at the Colts end of the field, with the high-

light being a defensive stand by the Colts inside their own five-yard line.

In the second half, the Colts' running game took over.

"Before the game we told our kids that the game would be decided by who controlled the line of scrimmage," Chandler said. "Our linemen responded to the challenge, particularly in the second half when we ran between the tackles until they proved they could stop us."

Offensive linemen Ryon Wiska, Michael Maul, John and Joe Kinville and Nick Zoroya led the charge.

"Our running backs Tom Spisich, David Bandy and Justin Davis also blocked well for each other," the coach said. "Spisich and Bandy, in particular, had phenomenal games."

The Colts defense led the division this year in point allowed and played particularly well in this game.

Along with the shutout, the Colts allowed just one first down in the second half.

Running with the best Flohr breaks school record, Kolarchick runs to personal best time at Michigan Speedway

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

One was expected to be here, one wasn't.

But both ran amongst an extremely fast field and set personal-best times at the Michigan International Speedway last Saturday.

Sophomore Alyson Flohr and senior Christin Kolarchick finished 40th and 171st at the cross country state championships in Brooklyn on a course which produced some of the fastest times in state history.

Flohr finished in a school-record time of 19 minutes, 03 seconds, shattering the previous record of 19:26 set in 1982 by Kelly Wall.

"Before the race we talked about her finishing anywhere between 30th and 50th, depending on the race she ran," Northville coach Chris Cronin said.

Flohr came out fast (5:56 first mile), but was around 55th overall at the 1 1/4 mile mark.

"We'd talked about her going out in six minutes flat," Cronin said. "When she clocked in at 5:56, I thought she might blow up. But she was able to hold on and run a good race."

Kolarchick was sick before the race, but gutted it out and finished in a personal-best time of 20:22.

"I think her first trip to MIS was a little overwhelming," the coach said. "But she ran the kind of race we wanted and she had a good kick at the end to catch a few girls. I just think if she'd have started her kick a little earlier she could have finished higher."

Rochester Adams' Katie Boyles won the race in a course-record time of 17:51. Livonia Stevenson's Andrea Parker was the Western Lakes' top finisher at 10th overall.

Rockford ran away with the team title, scoring just 25 points. The Rams had four of the top six finishers.

The conditions were perfect and the Class A race featured 38 girls who finished in under 19 minutes. The boys' winner, Jason Hartmann of Rockford, won his race in a course-record time of 14:51.

"I'd really like to see them wheel that course," Cronin said of MIS. "I ran in college and I didn't see too many runners run a 9:18 two-mile split. It just surprised me at how many kids ran personal-best times. Maybe the course was perfect."

Flohr's finish bettered her 65th-place finish in last

year's race by 25 spots. "The bad news was that she finished 40th, but the good news was that she ran a 19:03. So I guess those two things kind of balanced out."

Kolarchick is one of 15 graduated seniors Cronin will have to replace next year.

"She's worked awful hard for the last three years," Cronin said of Kolarchick. "She works hard in practice, and she's one of those runners who will mature and could really benefit a team sometime in the future. She'll be a better runner when she's 19 or 20."

"We were hoping to be able to take the whole team there, but Christin represented all of the seniors well."

The team has also handed out awards to various athletes on the team. Earning most valuable runner honors for the team was Flohr, who led the team the entire year.

Allison McCrumb won the outstanding freshman award and Lori Delano took home the guts award.

Hillary McCrumb was the most improved runner and Lorianne Blair, Anna Schovers and Julie Bozyk were named captains of the 1999 team.

GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY STATE MEET RESULTS

Place	Runner	School	Time
1	Katie Boyles	Adams	17:51
2	Emily Blakeslee	Rockford	18:00
3	Kalin Toedebusch	Rockford	18:09
4	Lindsey Blaisdell	Rockford	18:11
5	Michelle Ruggero	Utica Ford	18:13
6	Nora Colligan	Rockford	18:13
7	Jennifer Fitzgerald	SH Stevenson	18:14
8	Rachel Campbell	SH Stevenson	18:20
9	Teresa Bongionanni	Romeo	18:27
10	Andrea Parker	Liv. Stevenson	18:28
40	Alyson Flohr	Northville	19:03
171	Christin Kolarchick	Northville	20:22

Rockford won the team title with 25 points



Photo by JASON SCHMITT

Senior Kevin Arbuckle receives a handshake from a MHSAA official just before receiving his medal.

Arbuckle just misses all-state

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

On a day where fast times were the norm, Northville senior Kevin Arbuckle joined the crowd and finished as a medalist at the state cross country championships in Brooklyn last Saturday.

Arbuckle finished 28th overall in a personal-best time of 15 minutes, 53 seconds. He was one of 38 runners to finish the race in under 16 minutes.

"You go under 16 minutes and it raises some eyebrows and if you do it at the state meet you really get some attention," Northville coach Ed Gabrys said. "This race really signified that he was back from his injury."

His time bettered his previous personal best time of 16:25 he set at regionals earlier this season. His 28th-place finish was two worse than last year, but still earned him a medal as one of the top 30 runners in the state. He missed the all-state team by three spots.

"Momentarily there was some disappointment," Gabrys said of Arbuckle missing all-state status. "We were looking for a top 25 finish. But after looking at the time I think he was happy."

Arbuckle worked his way up throughout the race. He was 38th overall at the 1 1/2 mile mark after running a 4:52 first mile. He finished eighth among the individual runners in the race and 3rd

among Western Lakes' runners at the meet. Central's Todd Mobley and Salem's Nicholas Allen finished sixth and 14th overall.

Jason Hartmann of Rockford won the race in a course-record time of 14:51. His teammate Datha Rittenhein was second in the race, but Rockford was snubbed by Novi, who took home the team state title with 82 points.

Novi's Kevin Avenius and Dan Christopherson finished seventh and eighth to lead the team to its first-ever state championship.

Plymouth Salem was the lone Western Lakes' representative and finished 11th overall.

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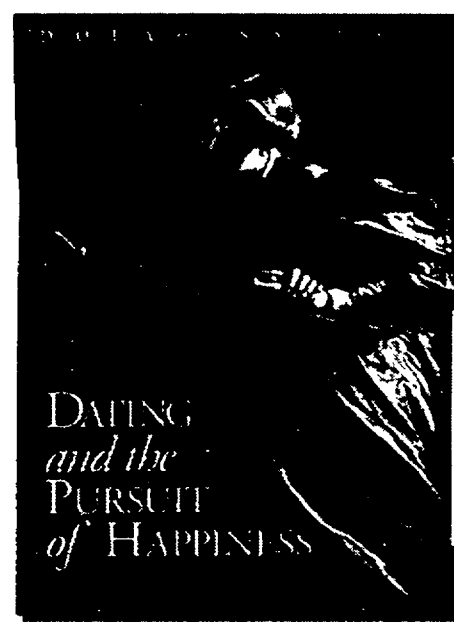
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Sophomore Alyson Flohr finished 40th Saturday, 25 spots better than in 1997.

Tankers finish fifth in WLAA meet, send relay team to state meet

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

A loud and crazy atmosphere awaited the Northville swim team last Saturday at the Western Lakes' league meet at Plymouth Salem, along with a host of tough teams looking to take home the league title.

In the end, the Mustangs came home with a respectable fifth-place finish, highlighted by several good individual performances.

Livonia Stevenson were the runaway champions with 612 points. Salem was runner-up with 412 followed by North Farmington (387), Walled Lake (311), Northville (260), Canton (258), Churchill (202), Harrison (187), Farmington (130), Franklin (122) and John Glenn (76). Each team was allowed 36 entries, which could be placed in any event.

The Mustangs had one runner-up finish and the 200 freestyle relay team qualified for the state meet with a third-place finish.

Stephanie Sabo was runner-up in the 100 freestyle in a personal-best time of 55.97 seconds. Teammate Kathryn Ohlgren was 14th in the same event (59.36).

Sabo and Ohlgren joined Jessica Hrivnak and Deirdre Schwirring to take third in the

200 free relay and qualify for the state meet in a time of 1:43.29.

Schwirring swam a personal-best (1:10.76) time in the 100 breaststroke and was fifth in the 200 individual medley in 2:20.1. Jackie Sallote was 16th in the IM in a time of 2:29.47.

Sabo was sixth in the 50 freestyle (25.88) and had two other teammates also place. Ohlgren was 10th overall (26.22) and Hrivnak was 14th (26.87).

Leah Voytal, Schwirring, Hrivnak and Sabo finished fifth in the 200 medley relay (1:57.77) and Allison Greenlee, Ohlgren, Stefanie Nurmi and Michelle Longeway finished eighth in the 400 free relay (1:10.76).

Hrivnak was eighth in the 100 butterfly (1:06.94), a personal-best time, and Monica Black was 17th in the 200 freestyle (2:11.78).

Black and Ali Stewart finished 11th and 14th in the 500 freestyle and Tracy Crawford (233.1) and Kristen Shaffner (225.65) were 14th and 16th in diving.

Finally, the Mustangs had three scorers in the 100 backstroke event. Sallote swam a

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Colts' freshmen win 8-0

The Northville/Novi Colts Little League freshmen football team continued its surprising season this past weekend with an 8-0 shutout victory over the Dearborn Redskins in the semifinals of the Western Suburban Junior Football League.

The win qualifies the 8-1 Colts team for the Super Bowl this weekend. The team will play the Ann Arbor Wildcats, currently undefeated.

"The kids have performed way beyond anyone's expectations," coach Carl Chandler said. "Coming into this season only four of 29 players had ever played football before, so we basically had to start from scratch."

To qualify for the playoffs, and then to beat a very tough Dearborn team to qualify for the Super Bowl is a credit to how hard these kids have worked since we began practice on August 10."

Sunday's win over Dearborn was a defensive battle throughout the game. The scoreless first half of the game was played at the Colts end of the field, with the high-

light being a defensive stand by the Colts inside their own five-yard line.

In the second half, the Colts' running game took over.

"Before the game we told our kids that the game would be decided by who controlled the line of scrimmage," Chandler said. "Our linemen responded to the challenge, particularly in the second half when we ran between the tackles until they proved they could stop us."

Offensive linemen Ryan Wiska, Michael Maul, John and Joe Kinville and Nick Zoroya led the charge.

"Our running backs Tom Spisich, David Bandy and Justin Davis also blocked well for each other," the coach said. "Spisich and Bandy, in particular, had phenomenal games."

The Colts defense led the division this year in point allowed and played particularly well in this game.

Along with the shutout, the Colts allowed just one first down in the second half.

Running with the best Flohr breaks school record, Kolarchick runs to personal best time at Michigan Speedway

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

One was expected to be here, one wasn't.

But both ran amongst an extremely fast field and set personal-best times at the Michigan International Speedway last Saturday.

Sophomore Alyson Flohr and senior Christin Kolarchick finished 40th and 171st at the cross country state championships in Brooklyn on a course which produced some of the fastest times in state history.

Flohr finished in a school-record time of 19 minutes, 03 seconds, shattering the previous record of 19:26 set in 1982 by Kelly Wall.

"Before the race we talked about her finishing anywhere between 30th and 50th, depending on the race she ran," Northville coach Chris Cronin said.

Flohr came out fast (5:56 first mile), but was around 55th overall at the 1 1/4 mile mark.

"We'd talked about her going out in six minutes flat," Cronin said. "When she clocked in at 5:56, I thought she might blow up. But she was able to hold on and run a good race."

Kolarchick was sick before the race, but gutted it out and finished in a personal-best time of 20:22.

"I think her first trip to MIS was a little overwhelming," the coach said. "But she ran the kind of race we wanted and she had a good kick at the end to catch a few girls. I just think if she'd have started her kick a little earlier she could have finished higher."

Rochester Adams' Katie Boyles won the race in a course-record time of 17:51. Livonia Stevenson's Andrea Parker was the Western Lakes' top finisher at 10th overall.

Rockford ran away with the team title, scoring just 25 points. The Rams had four of the top six finishers.

The conditions were perfect and the Class A race featured 38 girls who finished in under 19 minutes. The boys' winner, Jason Hartmann of Rockford, won his race in a course-record time of 14:51.

"I'd really like to see them wheel that course," Cronin said of MIS. "I ran in college and I didn't see too many runners run a 9:18 two-mile split. It just surprised me at how many kids ran personal-best times. Maybe the course was perfect."

Flohr's finish bettered her 65th-place finish in last

year's race by 25 spots. "The bad news was that she finished 40th, but the good news was that she ran a 19:03. So I guess those two things kind of balanced out."

Kolarchick is one of 15 graduating seniors Cronin will have to replace next year.

"She's worked awful hard for the last three years," Cronin said of Kolarchick. "She works hard in practice, and she's one of those runners who will mature and could really benefit a team sometime in the future. She'll be a better runner when she's 19 or 20."

"We were hoping to be able to take the whole team there, but Christin represented all of the seniors well."

The team has also handed out awards to various athletes on the team. Earning most valuable runner honors for the team was Flohr, who led the team the entire year.

Allison Loeffler won the outstanding freshman award and Lori Delano took home the guts award.

Hillary McCrumb was the most improved runner and Lorianne Blair, Anna Schovers and Julie Bozyk were named captains of the 1999 team.

GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY STATE MEET RESULTS

Place	Runner	School	Time
1	Katie Boyles	Adams	17:51
2	Emily Blakeslee	Rockford	18:00
3	Kalin Toadebusch	Rockford	18:09
4	Lindsey Blaisdell	Rockford	18:11
5	Michelle Ruggero	Utica Ford	18:13
6	Nora Colligan	Rockford	18:13
7	Jennifer Fitzgerald	SH Stevenson	18:14
8	Rachel Campbell	SH Stevenson	18:20
9	Teresa Bongionanni	Romeo	18:27
10	Andrea Parker	Liv. Stevenson	18:28
40	Alyson Flohr	Northville	19:03
171	Christin Kolarchick	Northville	20:22

Rockford won the team title with 25 points



Photo by JASON SCHMITT

Senior Kevin Arbuckle receives a handshake from a MHSAA official just before receiving his medal.

Arbuckle just misses all-state

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

On a day where fast times were the norm, Northville senior Kevin Arbuckle joined the crowd and finished as a medalist at the state cross country championships in Brooklyn last Saturday.

Arbuckle finished 28th overall in a personal-best time of 15 minutes, 53 seconds. He was one of 38 runners to finish the race in under 16 minutes.

"You go under 16 minutes and it raises some eyebrows and if you do it at the state meet you really get some attention," Northville coach Ed Gabrys said. "This race really signified that he was back from his injury."

His time bettered his previous personal best time of 16:25 he set at regionals earlier this season. His 28th-place finish was two worse than last year, but still earned him a medal as one of the top 30 runners in the state. He missed the all-state team by three spots.

"Momentarily there was some disappointment," Gabrys said of Arbuckle missing all-state status. "We were looking for a top 25 finish. But after looking at the time I think he was happy."

Arbuckle worked his way up throughout the race. He was 38th overall at the 1 1/2 mile mark after running a 4:52 first mile. He finished eighth among the individual runners in the race and 3rd

among Western Lakes' runners at the meet. Central's Todd Mobley and Salem's Nicholas Allen finished sixth and 14th overall.

Jason Hartmann of Rockford won the race in a course-record time of 14:51. His teammate Datha Ritzheim was second in the race, but Rockford was snubbed by Novi, who took home the team state title with 82 points.

Novi's Kevin Avenius and Dan Christopherson finished seventh and eighth to lead the team to its first-ever state championship.

Plymouth Salem was the lone Western Lakes' representative and finished 11th overall.

Central bumps off Northville

Mustangs fall to Vikings, best possible finish fifth

By JASON SCHMITT
Sports Editor

Having to contain Walled Lake Central's monstrous front court once was enough, but having to contain it twice was asking too much of Northville last Thursday.

The girls' basketball team learned that in a 44-37 loss to the Vikings in the first round of the Western Lakes' tournament.

Central's Michelle Bortz (6-foot-3), Leah Douglas (6-0) and Becca Saldana (6-0) scored 34 of their team's 44 points. The last time Northville played Walled Lake, the Mustangs did a better job containing the three and pulled off a 29-23 win.

"That was the difference in this game," Northville coach Pete Wright said. "We needed to hold them down better, and we didn't do it."

After a relatively even first half, the Vikings scored the first eight points of the third quarter to take a 10-point lead. With about 2 1/2 minutes remaining, Central had built a 38-26 lead. Northville fought back to tie the game at 38-38, but couldn't contain Central down the stretch.

"We had two or three good looks at the rim, but we were fighting back the whole game," Wright said. "The last time we played them their guards weren't playing well, so they had Bortz bring the ball up the court. We liked having her 30 feet away from the basket. They got

better guard play in this game, so she was able to play down low."

The game was a matchup of the fourth and fifth seeds in the tournament, which also saw No. 1 seeded Farmington Hills Harrison fall to the No. 8 seed Stevenson in the other half of the bracket.

"I thought all along they (Central) were one of the better teams in the league," Wright said. "We matched up pretty well with them, but we had trouble defending them in the post."

Junior forward Janel Hasse scored a game-high 19 points to lead Northville. She also had seven steals.

Mary Tanski added eight points and grabbed a team-high five rebounds. Northville was perfect from the free-throw line, however it only attempted nine shots in the game.

The Mustangs played Harrison Tuesday night on the road (after The Northville Records' deadline) and face either Churchill or North Farmington based on whether it won or lost.

The district tournament is set to begin Monday at Plymouth Canton High School. The host school will play Livonia Churchill in the first round, with the winner facing the Mustangs at 7 p.m. Wednesday. In the other half of the draw, Novi will face Western Lakes' champion Plymouth Salem at 5:30 p.m. The district championship game will be played Friday night at 7 p.m.



Submitted Photo

State-qualifying 200 freestyle relay members are (left to right) Kathryn Ohlgren, Deirdre Schwiring, Jessica Hrivnak and Stephanie Sabo.

Relay team qualifies for states

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personal-best time of 1:05.48 in the preliminary round and went on to an eighth-place finish in the finals. Teammates Voytal and Heather Rudy were 14th and 17th, respectively.

"We figured we'd be fourth, fifth or sixth, depending on where other teams put their people," Northville coach Bill Dicks said. "You're playing a game with the other 11 teams. You put your best kids at where they'll do the best and score

the most points.

"Most of the girls swam their best, as they were supposed to do," Dicks said. "They've come a long way and learned a lot this year."

Northville did bring home some team hardware in the form of the Western Division championship trophy. The team tied Canton for the championship with a 4-1 record. The team finished the regular season with a 5-4 record. Stevenson won the Lakes division. Northville is off until the state

meet Nov. 20 at Eastern Michigan University. Four Mustangs have qualified in three different events.

Sabo has qualified in the 50 freestyle and Schwiring has qualified for the 100 breaststroke. Both Sabo and Schwiring join Ohlgren and Hrivnak on the qualifying 200 freestyle relay team.

Northville will also take Michelle Tomes, Longeway, Nurmi and Greenlee as alternates for the meet.

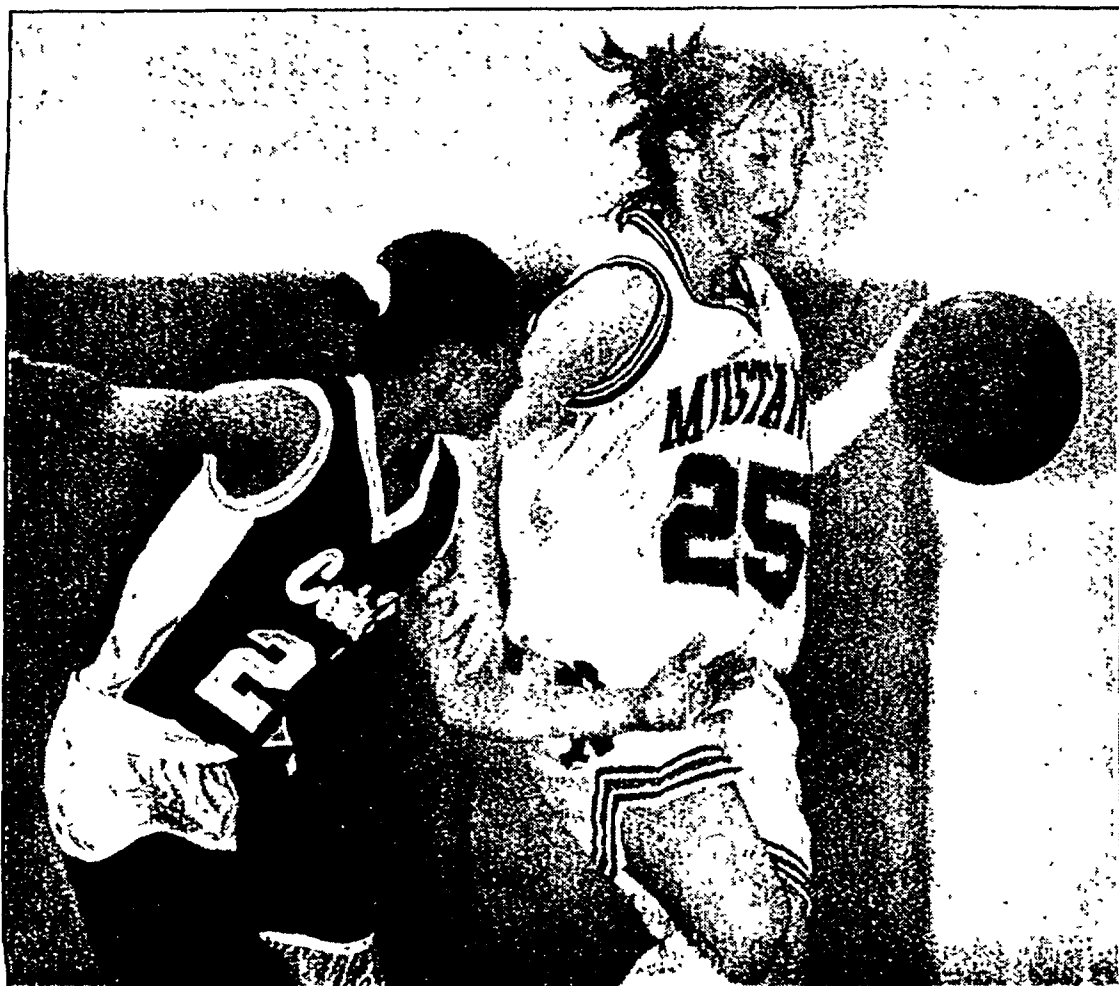


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Sophomore guard Emily Carbott (25) works her way up court against Central earlier this year.

Hot Picks

The staff at the Northville Record and Nov News will be putting their football knowledge, or lack thereof, out there for all to laugh at. Each week there will also be one guest trying to outpick the staffers.



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Denver at Kansas City (Mon)	Denver	Denver	Denver	Denver	Denver	Denver
New England at Buffalo	Buffalo	Buffalo	New England	New England	Buffalo	Buffalo
San Francisco at Atlanta	San Francisco	San Francisco	San Francisco	Atlanta	Atlanta	San Francisco
Chicago at Detroit	Detroit	Chicago	Chicago	Detroit	Detroit	Detroit
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Henson (Brighton)	2.5
Larsen (Howell)	2.4
Nowka (Fowlerville)	2.1
M. Hasse (Northville)	2.0
Grange (Pinckney)	2.0
Boss (Brighton)	2.0
Bendernagel (Novi)	1.6

STEALS	
Raths (Slyon)	5.1

Cullen (Hartland)	4.6
King (Howell)	4.0
Houck (Lakeland)	3.8
Morrow (Howell)	3.5
Beneat (Howell)	3.4
Digsby (Lakeland)	3.1
Voshell (Brighton)	3.0
Williams (Hartland)	2.9
Farrell (Novi)	2.8
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Larsen (Howell)	2.4
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Moretenson (Pinckney)	2.1
Ruddle (Fowlerville)	1.9
Henson (Brighton)	2.0
Ramsay (Slyon)	1.8
Carbott (Northville)	1.8
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FG SHOOTING	
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Tanski (Northville)	55.1
Shappee (Lakeland)	50.0
Ruddle (Fowlerville)	47.3
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Hamilton (Slyon)	43.0
Banchoff (Slyon)	43.0
Henson (Brighton)	42.0
Voshell (Brighton)	42.0
Anderson (Northville)	41.9
McGinnin (Novi)	41.1
Pedigo (Hartland)	40.6
M. Hasse (Northville)	40.2
Gearhart (Howell)	40.0
Benthiaume (Howell)	38.0
Bendernagel (Novi)	39.7
Gregory (Hartland)	39.7
Larsen (Howell)	38.0
Miller (Brighton)	36.0
Teemire (Howell)	35.0
McNally (Fowlerville)	35.0
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Morrow (Howell)	33.0
Jeikin (Fowlerville)	32.1
Calhoun (Fowlerville)	32.1
Kearney (Novi)	31.8

FT SHOOTING	
Henson (Brighton)	81.0
H. Williams (Slyon)	78.3
Ramsay (Slyon)	78.1
Houck (Lakeland)	76.0

Boss (Brighton)	73.0
Bendernagel (Novi)	72.2
Calhoun (Fowlerville)	71.4
Pedigo (Hartland)	71.4
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Pohl (Howell)	69.0
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Rogers (Fowlerville)	66.7
Kingsley (Fowlerville)	66.7
Cullen (Hartland)	65.1
Gregory (Hartland)	64.1
Rice (Novi)	63.9
Rudd (Fowlerville)	63.2
Pohl (Howell)	63.0
Raths (Slyon)	61.9

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Command (Brighton)	22
Kelleher (Northville)	18
Cummings (Hartland)	17
Krasse (Brighton)	15
Taylor (Pinckney)	16
Ornekian (Novi)	14
MacDonald (Pinckney)	15
Krasse (Brighton)	15
Bethel (Fowlerville)	12
D. Mudri (Fowlerville)	10
Lyskawa (Novi)	10
Mullender (Northville)	9
Pawlak (Novi)	8
Rzepka (Novi)	8
Rice (Brighton)	6
Leppi (Brighton)	6
Soave (Hartland)	5
Skolaris (Northville)	5
Netherton (Northville)	5
Davis (Fowlerville)	5
Soave (Hartland)	5
Donovan (Fowlerville)	4
Trimescu (Novi)	4

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Cummings (Hartland)	22
Bethel (Northville)	12
Ornekian (Novi)	10
Lyskawa (Novi)	10
Mach (Hartland)	9
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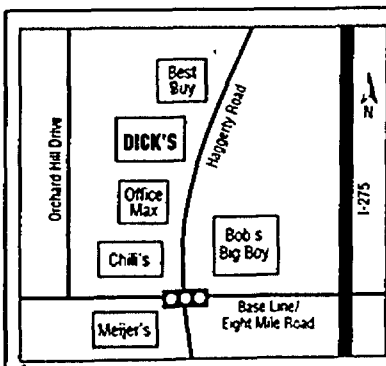
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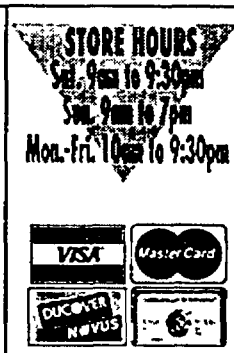
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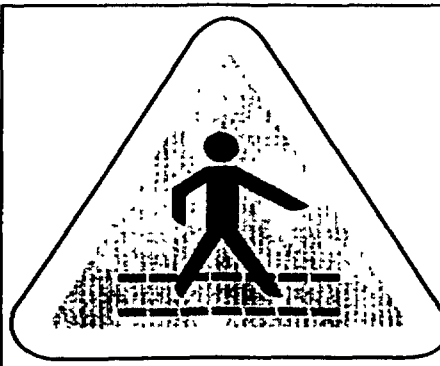


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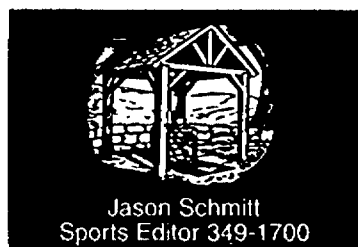
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Health Column

Really check liver function tests

Chronic liver disease is now the eighth leading cause of death in the United States.

The major culprits are hepatitis C, hepatitis B and alcohol use. Congenital, metabolic, autoimmune and drug induced conditions are also important contributors.

In its early stages, liver disease is often insidious, silently and progressively destroying the organ, months or even years before symptoms appear. The morbidity and mortality associated with hepatic dysfunction is preventable if the conditions are recognized before irreversible damage has occurred. Diagnosing viral hepatitis is even more urgent because of the risk of transmission to others.

Some of the high-risk patients include:

- 1) Blood transfusion.
- 2) History of Hemodialysis.
- 3) Patients with history of organ transplants.
- 4) History of hemophilia.

- 5) Patients with tattoos or body piercing.
- 6) Intravenous and intranasal drug users.
- 7) Multiple sex partners.
- 8) Excessive alcohol intake.
- 9) Hepatotoxic drug use.

Identifying patients with liver disease, which is often asymptomatic, is a challenge for physicians. Certain occupations may represent a risk for liver disease. For example, exposure to dry cleaning chemicals, textile and dye manufacturing and painting. These workers may present asymptotically even though chronic liver injury from chemical exposure is well under way. Screening should be done with patients who are actively exposed to hepatotoxins.

Furthermore, due to the risk of congenital transmission, all pregnant women should be tested for hepatitis B surface antigen (HBsAg). Also, physicians, dentists, nurses, laboratory technicians and others exposed to blood or

body fluids are at increased risk for viral hepatitis. In addition, it is important to assess for a family history of liver disease because a number of conditions are genetic in origin. Lastly, some systemic diseases can affect the liver. For example, liver disease has been noted in patients with sickle cell disease.

In conclusion, when considering the results of liver function tests, it's important to look closely at any lab value above the upper limit of normal. Slight elevations and elevations within the upper limits of normal should be repeated. Even seemingly trivial abnormalities may be significant.

Mary Franks, R.N., is an Office Nurse Coordinator at the University of Michigan, Monroe Health Center. The Monroe Health Center is located at 901 N. Macomb, Monroe MI 48162. For an appointment please call (734) 243-2410.

Health Notes

HOT FLASH STUDY

Women who suffer from multiple daily hot flashes associated with menopause are being sought to participate in a nationwide study to assess the safety and effectiveness of an investigational hormone replacement skin patch to treat hot flashes. Women may be eligible if they are between the ages of 45 and 65, have not had a menstrual period in six months, or a hysterectomy. For more information, call 493-6580.

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park is offering free blood pressure checks Monday through Friday from 9 to 11 a.m.

Area residents are invited to visit Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, 47601 Grand River Ave., to obtain the service. Screening will take place in Providence's Emergency Care Center located within the center.

For more information call (248) 380-4225.

FOOD ALLERGY COUNSELING

Individuals with food allergies can receive counseling on food choices and substitutions from a Botsford Hospital professional. The fee is \$30.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, call (248) 477-6100.

PROSTATE CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Offering knowledgeable speakers each month, this support group provides encouragement and education about prostate cancer, its treatment and the physical and emotional issues associated with it. It meets the third Monday of every month at 7 p.m. and it's free.

Sessions take place in Botsford's 2 East A Conference Room, 28050 Grand River Ave., in Farmington Hills. For more information, call (248) 477-6100.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

The group for caregivers meet the first Tuesday of every month at 7-8:30 p.m., Botsford Continuing Health Center, 21450 Archwood Circle, Farmington Hills. For information, call (248) 477-7400.

CAREGIVERS PROGRAM

"Caring for Dementia Patients," a free program for individuals caring for adults with Alzheimer's disease or closed-head injuries, co-sponsored by Botsford's Geropsychiatric Services and the Detroit Area Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. Topics covered include overview of dementia, managing difficult behaviors and coping skills for caregivers. Held on Monday evenings, 6-7:30 p.m. Free. Botsford General Hospital's Conference Room 2-East B, 28050 Grand River Ave., Farmington Hills. For information and registration, call (248) 471-8723.

DIABETES-CIZE

This is a 10-week comprehensive exercise program co-sponsored by Health Development Network and Botsford Cardiovascular Health Center. The program will help people with diabetes better control their blood sugar levels and improve their cardiovascular fitness.

For information, call (248) 477-6100.

DIABETES AND YOU

This six-week class explores all areas of diabetes self-care. Preregistration and a fee are required. Some insurances cover class fee. Classes are held at Botsford General Hospital, Farmington Hills, and the Botsford Center for Health Improvement in Novi.

For more information and to register, call (248) 477-6100.

E-Z YOGA

This six-week class enhances flexibility, strengthens muscles, improves breathing and promotes relaxation. Day and evening classes are available, at a \$35-45 fee. For more information and to register, call the Botsford Center for Health Improvement-TRACC, Novi. (248) 473-5600.

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. Thirteen 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.

NUTRITION FOR TWO: BABY AND YOU

Get your baby off to a healthy start. Register early in pregnancy. Classes offered monthly. \$10 fee and registration required. Botsford's Health Development Network, 39750 Grand River Ave., Novi. For more information and to register, call (248) 477-6100.

POWERSTOP

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WALKING CLUBS

Botsford General Hospital sponsors two free walking clubs. Laurel Park Mall (Six Mile and Newburgh roads) beginning at 8 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Saturday, and 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. Free blood pressure provided by Botsford for walkers on the fourth Monday of every month, 8-10 a.m. Livonia Mall (Seven Mile and Middlebelt roads) beginning 7:30 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Saturday, and 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. Free blood pressure checks provided by Botsford for walkers on the third Wednesday of every month from 8-10 a.m. For more information, call Botsford's Health Development Network at (248) 477-6100.

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.

LOSING WEIGHT FEELS GREAT

Are you ready to change the way you eat? Join Botsford registered dietitian Gale Cox and Chef Carl Oshinsky and get started on the new you. Participants will take home three entrees. It meets at 7 p.m. There is a \$30 fee. Preregistration is required. For more information or to register, call (248) 477-6100.

LAUREL PARK WALKING CLUB

"Walk the mall" for enjoyable, low-impact, climate-controlled exercise, and then have your blood pressure checked (available the fourth

Monday of every month, 8-10 a.m.). It's free.

Botsford's Laurel Park is opened to walkers 8 a.m.-9 p.m., Monday-Saturday; 11 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday. Located on Six Mile Road in Livonia (the corner of Six Mile and Newburgh roads). For information, call (248) 477-6100.

HEALTH EDUCATION LIBRARY

Providence Hospital and Medical Centers is now making its health education library open to the public.

The library has books, video tapes, computer databases, pamphlets and anatomical models available to the public which can be used to learn about illnesses, medications, parenting skills or other health issues.

The library is located at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, 47601 Grand River, and is open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call (248) 380-4110 for more information.

MENOPAUSE SUPPORT GROUP

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi offers a free monthly support group for women who have concerns about menopause.

The group meets the first Tuesday of each month at 2:30 p.m. in the Providence Park Conference Center, 47601 Grand River Ave., at the corner of Grand River and Beck in Novi. The purpose of the support group is to provide women with educational information on topics relating to menopause.

For information, call (248) 424-3014.

FREE FOOT SCREENINGS

Free foot screenings are offered every Tuesday and Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Botsford General Hospital, Suite 200, South Professional Building, 28080 Grand River Ave. in Farmington Hills.

For more information or to make an appointment, call (248) 473-1320, weekdays 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

HEART DISEASE RISK REDUCTION PROGRAMS

These risk assessment and reduction programs are designed to help modify risk factors associated with heart disease. The fee is dependent on the level of programming.

Call Botsford General Hospital at (248) 471-8870 for more information.

HEALTH RISK APPRAISAL

Do you know what your health risks are? Botsford's health risk appraisal includes blood pressure, total cholesterol and HDL readings. There is a \$50 fee and an appointment is required.

For registration and information, call (248) 477-6100.

INTERMEDIATE WATER AEROBICS

This is a 50-minute water exercise class for postnatal and postphysical therapy patients. There is a \$35 fee for the six-week course and registration is required.

For registration and information, call the Botsford Center at (248) 473-5600.

CHILD CLINIC

Oakland County Health Division's Child Health Clinics provide free ongoing well care for children from birth to school entry. Families who do not have an HMO or Medicaid may be eligible. Clinics are held at 14 locations throughout Oakland County.

Services include heights and weights; head to toe physical examination; immunizations; vision, hearing and lab testing; growth and developmental screening; and counseling as needed.

Appointments are required. For more information, call: north Oakland, Pontiac: (248) 858-1311 or 858-4001; south Oakland, Southfield: (248) 424-7066 or 424-7067; west Oakland, Walled Lake: (248) 926-3000.

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HOW TO

**Acid removes
smudges from
brick face**

By Gene Gary
COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

Q. Some of the bricks on the front of our 7-year-old house have unsightly white smudges on them. A painter tells us it isn't paint. A mason tells us it's probably efflorescence. I tried to wash the bricks with some Clorox, scrubbing the white areas. This did nothing to remove the discoloration. Do you know of a chemical that will remove this whitish film on my bricks?

A. The mason is right, the condition you describe is most likely efflorescence. It is caused by the presence of moisture working its way through the brick and bringing water-soluble salts to the surface that are originally present in masonry materials. These salts are deposited on the surface when the water evaporates. Masonry cleaning and etching preparations at masonry supply houses will remove soil, various stains and the white spots. Or, you can use a solution of muriatic (hydrochloric) acid.

Mix one part acid to nine parts of water by volume. Use great care when working with acids. Wear old clothes, rubber gloves and eye protection. In making the mixture, pour the acid into the water a little at a time and very slowly. If even a drop gets on you, wash it instantly with large quantities of clear water.

When using this solution on your brick, it is very important to presoak the brick with plenty of water before the acid washing. It is just as important to follow the treatment with a thorough rinsing of fresh water. A word of caution. Avoid acid cleaners on glazed brick or light-colored brick. Even when dealing with red brick or darker colors, it's best to test any cleaning solution in an inconspicuous area prior to proceeding.

Because the mineral composition of brick can vary from area to area, some cleaners can react with them in unexpected ways. For example, an acid used on bricks with high copper content could turn them green.

Q. Your brick has been cleaned, preventing recurrence of efflorescence by sealing the surface with a water-resistant coating. Your masonry supply outlet or a well-stocked home center will have both clear sealers and those which come in colors that are particularly suited to masonry surfaces. The pigmented sealers can give you a richer, deeper red, which emphasize the colorization of your natural brick.

Q. During heavy rains this spring (unusual for this area), I noticed that water was cascading over the roof gutters which are only 2 years old. Perhaps this was due to such an excess of water. I read your recent column on gutter maintenance. We had already done the things you advised, and the problem persisted. Do you have any other suggestions on what might be causing our problem?

A. I assume that you have already inspected your gutters to make sure that they are free of dirt and debris which could cause clogging. It may be that your gutters and downspouts are undersized and larger capacity gutters should have been installed. Another problem could be that the gutters are secured directly to the building, instead of to an extended roof eave.

If this is the situation, you can stop the water problem by creating a roof extension to which the gutters are attached. Remove the gutters and using galvanized nails, secure a double thickness of 2-inch by 6-inch lumber to the existing fascia board (the band of wood between the top of the exterior wall and the projecting eave). Paint or seal the wood to protect it from absorbing moisture. Next, add roofing shingles to extend over the new addition. Reattach the gutters. This creates a small soffit or overhang which will prevent water from cascading directly onto the house and leaking inside.

Another cause of your problem could be that the existing gutters are not angled correctly to empty, or they have developed low spots. Ideally, gutters should be pitched 1 inch for every 16 feet of gutter with no low spots (valleys that collect water).

Q. How do you get the moisture out of double-pane windows that are fogging up between the panes of glass?

A. Unfortunately, the window panes will have to be replaced. In commercially produced double-paned windows, repairing a faulty seal is not a do-it-yourself job. The process involves removing the existing seal, cleaning out the edge joints and cleaning the panes. Most insulated windows have a spacer around the edges between the panes which contains a desiccant to absorb residual moisture. If the seal fails, the desiccant becomes ineffective and must be replaced. Finally, the window must be reassembled and the edge joints sealed.

There is usually a warranty that covers window seal failure. Depending on the manufacturer, the warranty can range from five to 20 years. Keep this in mind when shopping for replacements, and be sure to keep your sales receipt so you can seek restitution if the panes fail within the warranty period.

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**Out
with
the old**

**Northville couple moves
existing house to make way
for the home of their dreams**

By CAROL DIPPLE
FEATURE EDITOR

If you can't buy it, build it. That's what Jim and Jan Willis are doing.

The couple decided to move to Northville when Jim took a position managing the Century 21 Town & Country office in town.

When an offer to purchase an existing home on Dunlap Street in Northville did not materialize, the couple came upon another idea.

A two-bedroom home came up for sale. They liked the 80 x 200 foot lot but not the home. They sold the home for a \$1 on the condition that the new owner move the house at his expense, which saved the couple demolition costs.

"I saw it as an opportunity for a lot," Jim said. "I also saw it as an opportunity, being outside the historic district, not having to mess with all that other stuff."

They gave architectural designer John VanBrouck a call and told him they had a city lot and wanted to build a 3,500 square-foot house.

Intrigued by the design of the Dunlap house, the Willises decided to duplicate it in an architectural sense, but include a modern layout.

The Willises showed VanBrouck photos of Victorian

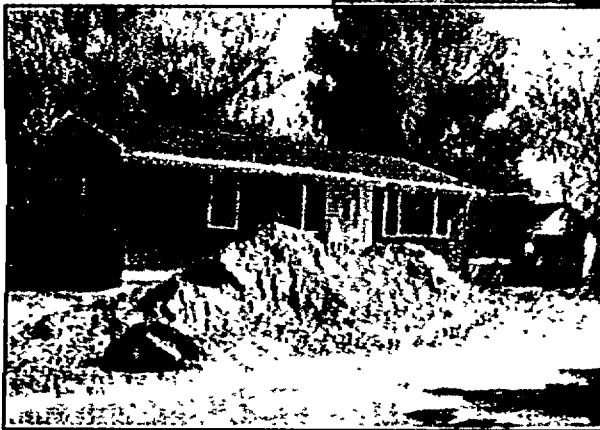
homes they liked, they talked about their ideas and he did some sketching.

"Part of the challenge was the size of the lot," said VanBrouck, who, along with his wife and architectural designer, Donna, form the team VanBrouck and Associates in Canton which has been specializing in residential design for the past 10 years.

"It was relatively difficult compared to a one-acre lot where you can do just about anything," VanBrouck said.

From beginning to end, the design phase took roughly six weeks, which is about the average, according to VanBrouck.

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Above: Although the three-car attached garage eats up a little bit of the back yard, it was a must for Jim Willis. Left: The two-bedroom house was moved to another lot in Northville to make way for a large, Victorian home.



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Building on city lot brings unique set of problems

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"We tried to blend it in with the architecture of the city as well as we could yet still have the luxuries of new," Jim said.

But building on a city lot had a few other special considerations that Jim soon discovered.

"It is a very difficult job to build a home on an existing lot like this," he said. "I knew there was going to be a problem right out of the gate when the excavator pulled his truck up and said 'oh brother, where am I going to put my dirt.'"

And it wasn't going to end there. The basement guy couldn't get his trucks around. There was an extra charge to get the cement pumped in. From there, on and on and on, it's always been one thing after another," he said.

The home will have four bedrooms, three and a half bathrooms, living room, dining room, family room, three fireplaces, and a piano alcove for the baby grand which both Gina, 10, and Deanna, 8, and Jan, play.

"It's funny, here we have three fireplaces and we have yet to use a fireplace in a house," he said.

There are nine-foot ceilings throughout the first floor and a three-car, attached garage.

"That was one of the improvements I saw as an absolute necessity," he said of the garage, which is tucked away behind the house.

The front entry door will be a custom, leaded, oval-glass oak door.

A butler's pantry sits opposite the walk-in pantry between the kitchen and dining room.

The family room, kitchen and breakfast nook area includes a center island snack bar.

"There is very little wasted space," VanBrouck said.

A covered porch, one of the features in the Dunlap house, was also included in this home.

"This gives us an area to go to enjoy summer without having the bugs," he said.

A feature that Jim has always included in his other homes is having basement access from the garage as well as inside the house.

"It allows a lot of mechanics to go up and down the stairs instead of coming through the house," he said. "It works out really well."

Load bearing trusses were also included in the garage for future expansion of an additional 900 square feet of space.

Every shrub on the lot was balled in burlap and will be used in a new landscaping design.

"We tried to save every possible thing we could and utilize every thing we could," he said. "Hopefully we can transplant them with success."

Existing tall pine trees on one side of the lot will provide privacy for the screened-in porch off the family room.

"We were lucky that way, the way it all fell into place," he said.

The Willis did not skimp on architectural details when it came to the garage. Three

dormer windows, or "dog houses," were included on the front of the garage and, on the rear, a gable and individual cedar tear drops create an attractive view from both the screened-in porch and back yard.

The wrap around porch will have 12 columns, a stone facade and three sets of stairways.

The exterior of the home is Duraboard, which is impregnated with cement.

"The concept is that it doesn't accept moisture. It will not swell or shrink. It's made to hold a paint job for a minimum of eight years," he said.

The home is expected to be completed in February.

"I had the fun part of picking everything out," said Jan, who is also a licensed realtor with Century 21, but who is staying home to raise the couple's two daughters. "Jim had the hard part of picking out the contractors."

The kitchen cabinets will be painted an egg shell color as will the trim throughout the house. The Corian countertops are a deep beige color.

The Willis have selected light to dark cherry finishes on the wood furniture they are purchasing for the home and a natural cherry stain for the hardwood floors on the first floor.

"This is such a change for us," said Jan. "We've been contemporary all along. It has taken me a while to get everything in order."

Green, cranberry and rose will be the basic color theme used throughout the home.

Jan found a cherry table with off-white legs for the breakfast nook.

The ceramic tiles chosen for all the bathrooms are a beige-taupe color. Accent tiles in the girl's "Jack and Jill" bathroom will be cranberry and green, while the master bathroom will be rose and green.

The carpet upstairs will be light beige and the walls throughout will be painted taupe.

Jan selected an authentic, Victorian-floral runner in a rose-quartz pattern for the stairs leading to the upstairs from both the front foyer and the kitchen/family room area.

"All the colors seem to tie in now," she said.

Since hanging his shingle outside the Willis' home, VanBrouck has designed a 3,200 square-foot home that is a combination contemporary, craftsman, and farmhouse style on a vacant, corner lot in Northville.

"There are some small lots out there and you can do some creative things with them," said VanBrouck.

VanBrouck and Associates can be reached at (734) 981-9751.

"Every design we get into reflects the owners' desires and tastes so each home comes out unique," VanBrouck said.

Moving to Northville was like coming home again for the Willis who both grew up in Farmington at Eight Mile and Haggerty roads.

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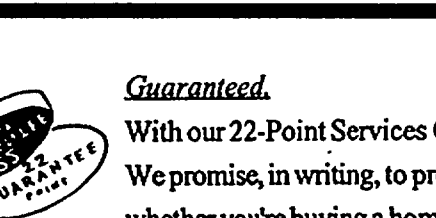
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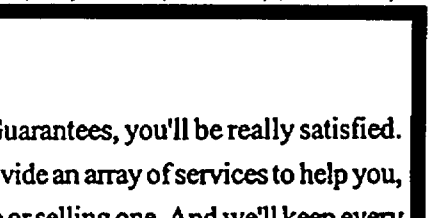
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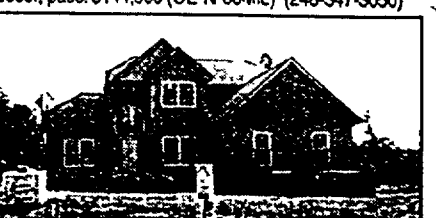
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Vintage meat platter has 'Herculaneum' value

By Anne McColam
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Q. I have enclosed a photo of a blue-and-white meat platter that I acquired in a junk shop near San Diego in the mid 1960s. It measures 16 by 12 inches. The word "Herculaneum" is impressed on the back. I was curious about it and found a picture of it in a book on Liverpool Herculaneum Pottery. I learned it is an example of blue printed earthenware and was made around 1815.

What is it worth?

A. Samuel Worthington founded the Herculaneum Pottery. It existed from 1796 to 1840. In the beginning, only earthenware and stoneware were produced. Sometime around 1800, porcelain was introduced. Your platter depicts a scene of Fort Madura and is part of the "India Series." It would probably be worth about \$1,200 to \$1,300 in mint condition.

Q. This mark is on the bottom of my wash bowl and pitcher. Both pieces are decorated with blue flowers against a white

background. They are in excellent condition, no chips or cracks. Can you tell me approximately the age and value of my set?



A. Knowles, Taylor and Knowles in East Liverpool, Ohio, used the mark you provided. Isaac Watts Knowles, John N. Taylor and Homer S. Knowles started the company in 1870. This versatile factory produced lines from outstanding Belleek porcelain to hotel china. Your circa 1900 wash bowl and pitcher would probably be worth about \$200 to \$300.

Q. Recently I saw a TV program featuring a collection of antique watches. It made me curious about my "Little Orphan Annie" wristwatch. I received it as a child in the early 1920s. It is not in working condition and I haven't checked to see if it could be repaired.

ANTIQUES

Any information you can furnish would be deeply appreciated. A. Early Little Orphan Annie watches in mint condition are usually in the \$175- to \$225-range. It's time to have it looked at by a watch repairperson.

Q. My grandmother gave me an ashtray with the original box that was from the Chicago Century of Progress Exposition. She told me it was from the Chrysler exhibit.

Is it of any value?

A. World's Fair memorabilia is very collectible. The Chrysler exhibit was spread over seven acres at the Century of Progress in

1933. Race driver Barney Oldfield and his student drivers provided thrilling drives around the Chrysler test track.

Auto-related souvenirs were sold and given away by auto manufacturers. Your ashtray has a triple crossover value; it would appeal to collectors of World's Fair items, auto memorabilia and tobacco. A similar ashtray is listed in "American Automobiles" by Jim and Nancy Schaut at \$45.

Address your questions to Anne McColam, P.O. Box 490, Notre Dame, IN 46556. For a personal response, include picture(s), a detailed description, a stamped, self-addressed envelope and \$10 per item (one item at a time).



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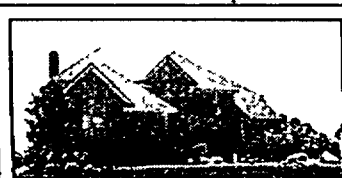


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WARM & FRIENDLY! Very nice ranch situated on a corner lot w/fenced back yard! 3 bedrooms, 1 bath and updated kitchen to name just a few of this homes nice features. Well cared for home in great location for commuters, close to schools & shopping! Brighton Schools. \$105,000.

WELCOME HOME... to this charming 3 bedroom, 1 bath ranch situated on a pretty corner lot in a nice neighborhood! Close to schools and shopping in this well located home in the Village of Holly! Detached 1.5 car garage, deck off kitchen and paved drive. \$97,800. Holly Schools.



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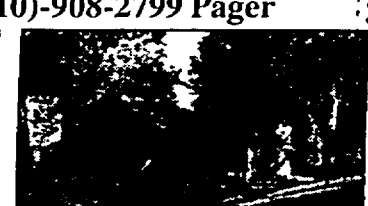
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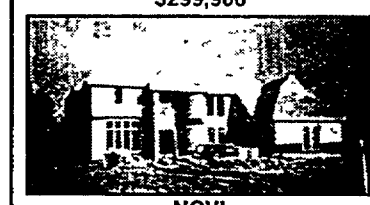
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9 ft ceilings on 1st floor, 12 ft ceilings in family room.
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BRIGHTON
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NOVI
Fabulous Novi spec home! Still time to pick colors! 2 story foyer, study, 1st floor laundry, 3 fireplaces, open staircase to foyer!
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DEARBORN HEIGHTS
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\$219,900. (OE-SLY-48DAL)



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CAN'T BE BEAT
Builder's Model. Brick ranch features over 2000 sq. ft. & walkout basement on 3/4 acre lot. Dream kitchen with oak cabinets, granite, very open & airy floor plan. Hardwood flooring, iron ceilings, central air, lake privileges too! \$277,000. (OE-SLY-79ANA)

CUL-DE-SAC LOCATION
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Novi's Orchard Ridge! Walkout ranch on a premium wooded site. 4 BR, 3.5 baths, 2 fireplaces, L.R. DR, FR. Wow! \$279,800.



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3 BR, 1800 sq. ft., w/fenced access & boat dock on Silver Lake! L.R w/fireplace, some hardwood floors, neutral decor! \$198,500.

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Living) 10:00am. Deadline
for Sunday Green Sheet at
1:00pm. Deadline for Mon-
day Green Sheet and
Wednesday/Thursday
Green Sheet at 3:30pm.

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303
Open Houses

Brighton: Open 11-8, 1-4. 4478
Golfview Dr. Oak Pointe. Ul-
timate condo living, spectacular
view of 13 Fairway on Honors
Course. 3 bedroom colonial,
custom walk-out, 2 fireplaces.
Kareem (810) 227-1311. Heritage
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FWLERVILLE - Open Sun.
Nov. 8, 2-4pm. 8090 Ruger
Ridge, (Fowlerville Rd. N. past
Allen Rd., W. side). New Con-
struction! 1+ acre, 1740sq.ft.
ranch. \$182,000, up to 15+
acres available. Call Shelly Hall,
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1-800-958-3352 ext. 25.

HARTLAND SCHOOLS - Sun.
Nov. 15, 1-4. 7033 Augustine
CL. New 1954sq.ft. 2 story, 4
br., 2 1/2 bath on 1 acre backing
to 100 acres of rolling common
area. Paved road, \$204,900
(code 20640). Also new 1850
sq.ft. ranch, \$153,000. U finish,
(code 20641), take Old US-23
to w. on Fausett to n. on Green.
Call Bonnie Lane, The Michigan
Group. (810) 227-4600, x207

HOWELL - Open Sun. Nov. 8,
1-5pm. 4012 Indian Camp Trail.
1.96 to Burkhardt, N. approx 4 mi.
to Marr Rd. E. approx 1/4 mi.
2500 sq ft. white cape cod, 3
large bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths,
large dining room & pantry.
Large 1st floor laundry, full
basement, 3 car garage with
stairway to finished attic, approx
1 acre. \$250,000
(517) 546-0698

NORTHVILLE, SUNDAY, Nov.
15, 1-5pm. 21141 E. Glen
Haven Circle, in Country Place,
8 Mile & Meadowbrook, 3 br
townhouse w/ professionally fin-
ished bsmt. (248) 305-8016

OPEN SAT. Nov. 14 2-4 197
Hacker Rd. Brighton Twp. Hart-
land Schools. New build in
beautiful country setting, in-
cludes 3 br., 2 full baths, full
basement & 2 car garage for
\$209,900. Senty Realty, call
Cam (810) 212-2603.

STOCKBRIDGE. OPEN house
Nov. 15 & 22, 1-4pm. New
construction, 7 miles E. of
Stockbridge off MS2, 4371 Win-
sted Dr., 1 1/4 acres, 3 brs, 2 full
baths, full basement, 2 car
attached garage, owner builder,
\$139,900. (734) 878-5707 after
6pm.

306
Brighton

4 BR., 2 1/2 bath, 2,700 sq ft. 1
acre on wooded bluff overlooking
pond. Will fax information.
\$230,000 (810) 220-5974

4 BR., 2300 sq ft. ranch w/ walk-
out, 3 bath, 2 car attached
garage, finished lower level
perfect for Mother-in-law quar-
ters. One lake access. \$184,900
(810) 231-4313

BEAUTIFUL LAKEFRONT
ranch, Open Sunday, 1-4. 3754
Noble, 3 brs., 2 bath, walkout
basement on West Crooked
Lake. \$279,900. Marilyn
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BUILT IN 1997, professionally
landscaped home, 1st floor
master suite, 3 bedrooms, 2.5
baths. Immediate occupancy.
Good freeway access.
\$249,900. REALTY WORLD-
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BY OWNER. Ore Lake access.
2 br., 3 lots, pole barn.
\$124,900. No realtors.
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4 brs., 3 full baths, 1/2 acre
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water heater, triple pane
windows. Great location.
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227-4600 ext. 355
or page
(810) 704-9211

FOR SALE by owner. 920sq. ft.
home, 3 br., 1 bath, large
subdivision lot in Brighton.
\$122,000. (734) 663-4177.

GREAT LOCATION & VIEW
Quiet, pretty sub. 2100 sq ft.
Colonial w/ wrap-around porch,
10 ceilings, custom trim, vaulted
ceiling, fully finished walk-
out basement, 3 br., 2 1/2 baths,
air, \$239,000 (810) 231-6162

JUST LISTED - Nice b-level
home in the city w/ view of
Brighton Lk. 1462 sq. ft. 3 br., 2
baths, built in 1990, 2 car
garage. #20763, \$139,000. Call
Randy Meek The Michigan
Group (810) 227-4600 ext. 220

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BRIGHTONTOWN & COUNTRY

Just Listed! 1298 sq ft., 3 brs., 2
baths, oversized 2 car gar., pole
barn, large lot! (MHS 7325L)
\$66,500.00

Woodlake Village Popular
Brighton sub. 3 brs., + library,
new frs. in kit. & LR Florida rm.,
private backyard (CO 7306L)
\$159,900.00

All Sports Private Lakefront 3
brs., 2 1/2 baths, laundry, large
laundry, 2 car att. garage. Large
yard leads to lake (ALH 7279L)
\$185,000.00

Loaded w/ updates! 4 br., over
2000 sq ft., 1 1/2 acre mt, full
part. fin. bsmt., new carpeting
lights, furnace, roof. (CO7309L)
\$214,900.00

4700 sq ft. of luxury living. Top
quality, 4 brs., fireplace, 2 laun-
dry areas, spa rm., 3 car att.
garage w/ workshop. Tired set-
ting. \$339,900.00 (CO7311L)

New on market 2588 sq ft., w/4
brs., den, library, home office, all
season rm., exceptionally land-
scaped. Over 1 acre, out-deck set-
ting. (CO 7314L)
\$238,900.00

Planned to Perfection - Ideal
location, setting is beautiful,
cedar deck, privacy, 4 spacious
brs + study, quality built, shows
beautifully (CO 7310L)
\$294,900.00

2.5 Acres, sub. setting. Wrap
around porch, stone fireplace,
brick & cedar, 2 story, 4 brs., 2 1/2
bath, multi-level deck, 2 car att.
garage (CO 7301L)
\$239,700.00

Drop Dead Gorgeous Transi-
tional in the Oaks at Beach
Lake 4 brs., 2 offices, library
prof. fin. walkout, hearth rm., but-
ler's pantry, prof. decorated top
of the line through out! (CO
7295L) \$775,000
(810) 227-1111

LOVELY NEW 4 br. Cape Cod
w/ 3,137sq ft. plus 1,100sq ft.
finished walk-out w/ fireplace,
1st floor master suite, den,
country kitchen, hearthroom, li-
brary, lounge, family room
w/ fireplace, 3 car garage, wood-
ed 1.6 acre lot in Brighton Twp.
sub. \$389,000. (810) 227-4042.

OAK POINTE Honors. 2827sq
ft., 2 story, 3 brs., 2 1/2 bath
elegant master suite, formal
living and dining, great room
with wetbar, 2 fireplaces, walk-
out basement, in-ground swim-
ming pool w/ safety cover, saun-
a, 3 car garage, etc. Re-
duced to \$395,000.
(810) 231-2778.

OPEN HOUSE, Brighton country
home For Sale By Owner.
1,740 sq ft., 2.7 acres, 3 br.
ranch, 1st floor laundry, new
roof, 1 1/2 baths, formal dining
room, sun porch, large ceramic
kitchen w/ great room, natural
fireplace, full finished basement,
2 car garage, security system,
\$197,000. Open Sun. Nov. 15,
10:30-5pm.
(810) 229-5154, (517) 548-7508.

314
Farmington/
Farmington Hills

MOVE IN by Christmas. New
home on wooded lot, 1400sq ft.,
full basement, 3 bedroom, 2
bath, \$164,500. (248) 685-8303

315
Fenton

ROSE TWP., Fenton schools.
3br. ranch w/ lake access to all
sports. Tippecanoe Lake. Only
\$99,900. Call Patrick Wely at
Sentry Realty, (810) 750-2300

316
Fowlerville

BY OWNER. Over 2,000sq ft.,
3 1/2 baths, on Grand River. For
sale or lease. \$139,900
(517) 223-3056

COUNTRY RANCH! On 2.5
acres, 3 bedrooms, partially
finished basement & 2 car
garage. A MUST SEE!
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2 acres, 4 miles from town on
paved road, upstairs laundry,
full bsmt., Andersen windows,
24x26 garage, & many other
extras. Fowlerville Schools.
Built by Struble Construction.
\$149,900 (517) 223-8268 &
(517) 881-8688

NEW 3 br., 2 full bath ranch on
1 1/4 acres, 3 miles from town, full
walk-out bsmt., Andersen win-
dows, 24x26 garage, & many
other extras. Fowlerville
Schools. Built by Struble Con-
struction. \$144,900.
(517) 223-8268, (517) 881-8688.

NEW CONSTRUCTION, Living-
ston County, \$149,900. Move in
before Christmas. 1388sq ft.
ranch, first floor laundry, full
basement, 3 bedroom, 2 full
baths, and 2 car garage. Call
Builder for showings office
(810) 771-3851 or Pager
(313) 436-6930.

UNDER CONSTRUCTION. 3
br., 2 bath, 1600sq ft., w/ 2 car
attached garage, fireplace, full
walkout basement, 1 acre lot,
lake access to private Lake,
Fowlerville Schools, \$164,900.
(517) 552-1251.

319
Hamburg

3 BR. Ranch w/ lake view from
beautifully treed lot. Lake ac-
cess on private all sports lake.
\$115,900. (734) 878-7046

BEAUTIFUL LIKE new home
built in 1996. Perfect location for
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4 br., 2.5 baths, 3 car garage,
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sports chain of lakes go with
this 3 bedroom ranch, 2 car
garage and great location!
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320
Hartland

A MUST See. Hartland
Schools. 2,150sq ft. colonial on
country setting, 4 br., 2 baths, 2 1/2
car garage. Many updates. Great
hwy. access \$218,000.
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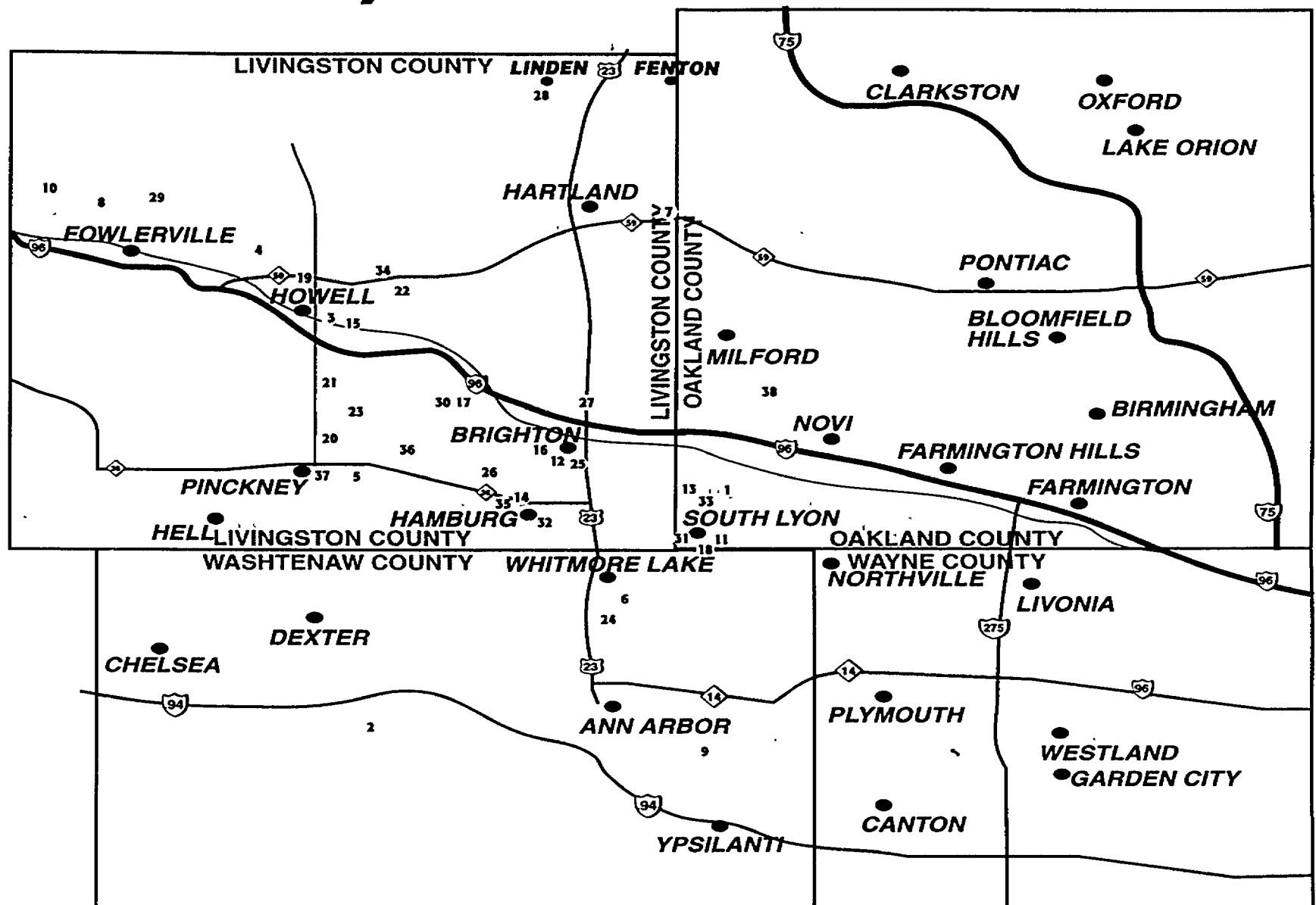


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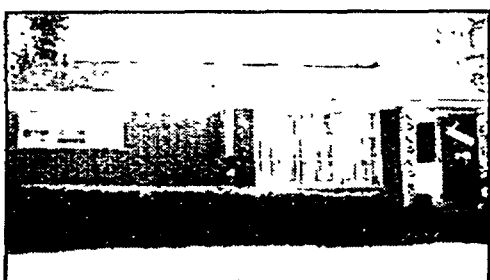
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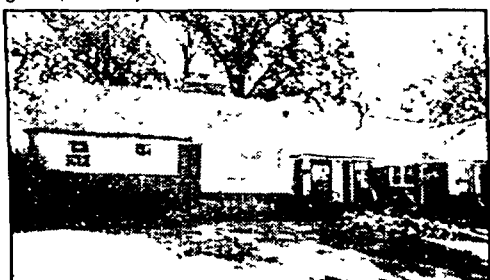
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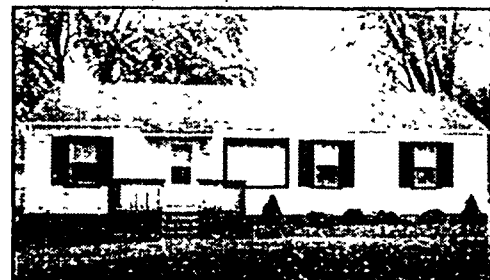
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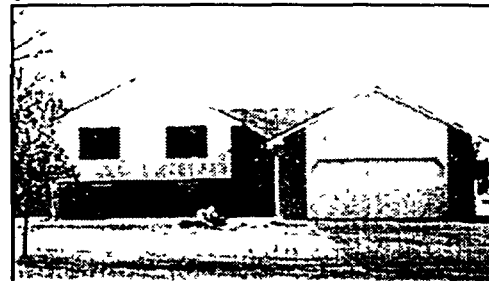
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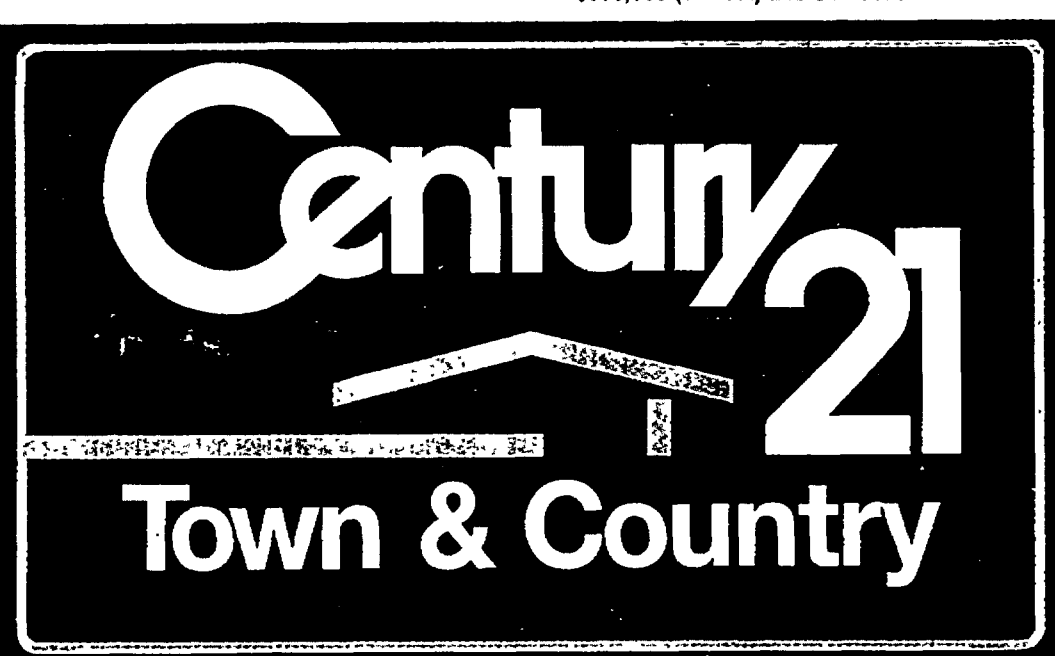
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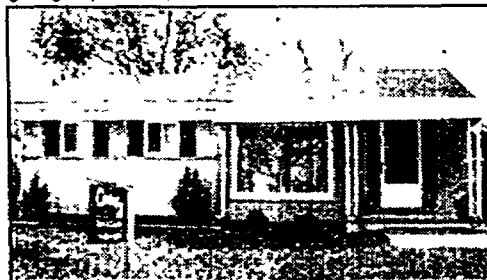
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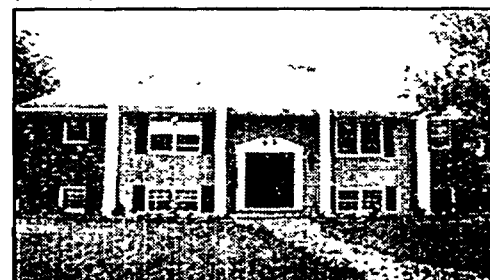
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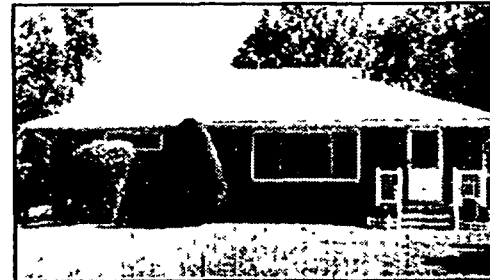
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Northville sisters launch new business

By JASON SCHMITT
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When Terri O'Brien made a trip out to San Francisco to visit her sister Mandi several months ago, she brought more than just her own luggage back to Northville. She brought her sister's too.

O'Brien had visions of opening up her own marketing business, but she would need a partner.

"I had kind of dropped the seed that I was thinking of starting my own company," O'Brien said. "I just wanted to be home more and I knew I would need someone who I felt comfortable with, that could fill in when I was busy with my kids."

"So I went out there with the intentions of pursuing her to come home."

Mandi Jarvi likes to look at it as her sister, "lured me back home."

"We were sitting in this seaside restaurant in Sausalito Beach, just north of San Francisco, and we began talking about how we could start our own company. We were drawing things on the back of our placemats and we came up with the name, 'Street Marketing'."

Mandi said.

It didn't take long for the two to make the decision to become partners, and in just two months, Mandi had made the trip back to Michigan.

Terry has had 12 years of experience in marketing and advertising, while Mandi spent four years in radio before moving out to California to work in video, film and event production. Now the two are producing their own promotions, and doing well in just their first four months.

Street Marketing was responsible for the promotions at the grand opening of the AMC 20 theaters on Haggerty Road in Livonia in October. Terry had worked with a subsidiary company of AMC for nine years and had been contacted by the company.

"They had called me while I was working with a radio station and asked me to come in and talk to them about the opening and see what the station could do," she said. "After talking with them, I realized they had no clue of how they were going to pull this event off. I asked them if they'd like us to handle the promotions and they accepted."

Mandi and Terri's job was to develop relationships between AMC and the local media.

"We were looking for opportunities for them, besides just advertising," Terri said.

"We brought in a lot of local companies, theater groups, artists and restaurants," Mandi added. "Not only to promote the theater, but what's around the theater."

Terri, the president, and Mandi, the vice president of creative services, hope to keep the business relatively small, at least for now.

"I think the two biggest fears that people have when they open up a business is, one, are we going to get any clients and, two, are we going to make money," Terri said. "At this point, neither one of those has been a concern for us."

"We don't want a hundred clients, we want maybe 15 good clients that we can do quality work for. Our biggest thing is we want to stay local. We want to be a service to businesses in our own community."

Despite the fact that the two are sisters, Terri said each are unique in their own way.

"We both bring something a little different to the table. Mandi thinks a little more far out than I do and I'm a little more on the sales side," she said. "But I think both of us are pretty creative."

The sisters are from Southfield, but both currently reside in Northville. To contact Street Marketing, call (248) 347-4350 or fax them at (248) 347-4985.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Mandi Jarvi, left, and Terri O'Brien opened their own marketing business, Street Marketing, in Northville in July.

Counseling offered to businesses

The Oakland County Small Business Center is offering professional accounting and legal counseling to small business owners in the area.

Business-related legal questions can be discussed with an attorney at Legal Day on Nov. 9 and Dec. 7. One-hour, confidential appointments are available at no charge. The Oakland County Small Business Center and area law firms are sponsoring the events, which are

held in Pontiac. Call (248) 858-0783 to request an appointment.

Small business owners with accounting questions can arrange to meet with an accountant at CPA Day on Oct. 26 or Nov. 23. One-hour, confidential appointments must be prearranged and there is no fee for the service. The Oakland

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Oakland County Planning and Economic Development Services offer a comprehensive array of community planning and business

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H.E.A.T. (Help Eliminate Auto Thefts), the state wide auto theft prevention program, estimates that somewhere in the neighborhood of ten to 25 percent of automobile thefts reported in Michigan are fraudulent.

"Literally billions of dollars are being stolen from citizens, who for the most part, are unaware that it is happening," said William Liddane, director of the 12-year-old program, which operates an anonymous tip/reward hotline (1-800-242-HEAT) that offers cash rewards for information regarding auto thefts, carjacking, insurance fraud and chop shop operators.

Insurance fraud perpetrators come from every walk of life. They can be members of complex fraud rings or someone as inno-

cent looking as the next door neighbor according to Cathy Passmore, of State Farm Mutual Auto Insurance Co.

Funded by Michigan auto insurance companies and administered by the Michigan Auto Insurance Placement Facility, H.E.A.T. is dedicated to educating the public about the extent and true cost of auto theft. Since its inception in 1985, the H.E.A.T. tip line has received 5,484 calls leading to the arrest of 2,083 suspects resulting in the recovery of 2,551 vehicles valued at \$28,938,389.

Any citizen with information about auto theft, chop shops or auto insurance fraud can report what they know by calling the confidential H.E.A.T. tip line immediately, 1-800-242-HEAT.

DEQ launches program to assess wetlands

A program providing Michigan residents with site-specific information about the presence or absence of wetlands on their property has been established by the Department of Environmental Quality.

The Wetland Assessment Program was authorized under recently approved amendments to the state Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act.

"This customer-oriented program is structured to provide property owners with a choice of services to suit their individual needs," DEQ Director Russell Harding said. "I am confident that residents statewide will find these assessments to be of great value."

Technical specialists in the DEQ's Land and Water Management Division will conduct three levels of wetland assessments.

The first level is completed from the DEQ's Lansing office using available maps and other resources to identify the possible location of wetlands. The fee for a Level 1 assessment is \$50.

Levels 2 and 3 involve assessments conducted by specialists at DEQ district and field offices, including the DEQ office for southeast Michigan in Livonia.

Level 2 assessments identify the location of "all" areas containing wetlands, types of activities that require wetland permits, and pro-

vide a statement that DEQ lacks jurisdiction for three years over those areas that do not contain wetlands. Level 2 fees are \$200 for the first acre and \$50 for each additional acre.

Level 3 assessments verify boundaries established by a private wetland consultant to delineate wetlands and areas that are not wetlands. This report also identifies the activities that require a wetland permit, and provides a statement that DEQ lacks jurisdiction for three years over areas that are not wetlands.

Level 3 assessments may expedite property development by minimizing the DEQ's site review and mapping. The fee is \$150 for the first acre and \$15 for each additional acre.

Administration of the program is funded by the assessment fees.

For more information contact Wendy Veltman of the DEQ's Land and Water Management Division at (517) 241-8485.

Selecting the right filing status

Most people assume that the amount of income tax they pay is determined primarily by how much money they earn. But, according to the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants, people with the exact same taxable income can end up with dramatically different tax bills, depending on the number of deductions and tax credits they claim and the filing status they select. Yet, most people overlook the importance of choosing the right filing status and the options that are available to them. Here are some of the questions CPAs are frequently asked about selecting the right filing status.

Q. My divorce was finalized early last year. Now I'm a divorced mother with three children. What filing status is right for me?

A. Single taxpayers with dependents to support may be able to use the head of household filing status. Generally, you qualify as a head of household if you're unmarried at the end of the year and pay more than half the cost of keeping a home for a dependent child, a relative who lives with you or a parent, whether or not that parent lives with you. Your status as head of household allows you to use more favorable tax rates than those allowed for single taxpayers.

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Q. My husband and I have always filed joint returns. He had high medical expenses during 1997 and we've been told we should file separately. Why is that?

A. Although the general rule is that filing a joint return will produce a lower tax liability for married couples, particularly in cases where one spouse earns all or most of the taxable income, there are exceptions. Filing a separate return may be advantageous where one taxpayer has deductions, such as medical expenses, casualty losses, and miscellaneous itemized deductions, that are deductible only if total expenses exceed a percentage of adjusted gross income (AGI). For example, since medical expenses are not deductible until they exceed 7.5 percent of AGI, the lower your AGI, the more medical expenses you can deduct. The same principle applies to taxpayers with high miscellaneous itemized expenses which must exceed 2 percent of AGI, respectively, in order to be deductible. CPAs recommend that married taxpayers figure their taxes both jointly and

separately to determine which filing status results in the lowest overall tax bill.

Q. My spouse died in 1996. I knew that I could file a joint return for the year in which he died, but is it true that I can file jointly for two years after his death?

A. Possibly. Congress provides a two-year grace period for qualifying widows or widowers with dependent children. If your spouse died in either 1995 or 1996, you can file as a "qualifying" widow(er) on your 1997 return, if you satisfy the following conditions: you were eligible to file a joint return in the year your spouse died even if you did not do so; you did not remarry prior to Dec. 31, 1997; and you paid more than half the cost of maintaining a home for your child, stepchild, adopted or foster child who lived with you in 1997. As a qualifying widow or widower, you may use the joint return tax rates when you file your 1997 return. If you do not have dependent children, you must begin to file as a single taxpayer in the year following your spouse's death.

Q. Last year, my spouse and I filed a joint return. Now we realize that we would have paid less tax had we filed separately. Can we amend our return?

A. Sorry, there is nothing you can do about it now. If you and your spouse filed a joint return, you cannot change to separate returns once the due date has passed. Had you and your spouse filed separate returns, you would generally have three years from the due date in which to file a joint return.

Q. I have reason to believe that my spouse is not reporting all his/her income. Is there any way I can protect myself?

A. If you suspect that your spouse may be evading taxes, you may want to file a separate return. When you file a joint return, you and your spouse can be held individually liable for the tax due, plus interest and penalties. In contrast, if you file separately, you are liable only for the tax due on your own return. Although the innocent spouse rule may protect joint filers, it can be difficult to qualify for this protection. If you're not sure about the right filing status for your situation, you may want to consult with a CPA or other tax professional.

Youngsters have 3 times more accidents

Younger drivers are nearly three times as likely to be involved in a traffic accident compared to motorists aged 55-64, according to statistics recently released by the Michigan State Police and compiled by the Insurance Information Association of Michigan (IIAM).

The information also indicates that young driver crashes tend to be more deadly.

"About 16 percent of drivers aged 16-24 are involved in a traffic accident each year," according to Leanne Snay, executive director of IIAM. "By comparison, only 6 percent of 55- to 64-year-olds are involved in a roadway crash annually."

Snay also noted that 16- to 24-year-old drivers have a greater involvement in fatal accidents than

other age groups.

"Younger motorists continue to have more accidents and more costly accidents," Snay said. "That's the reason they pay more for car insurance. The higher price is a reflection of higher insurance pay out."

A younger person who is the principal driver of a motor vehicle typically pays 40 to 200 percent more for coverage than older drivers, according to the IIAM official. This surcharge is reduced as the driver grows older.

Premium surcharges are generally much lower for young drivers who use the family car only on an

occasional basis. These typically range from 20 percent for 24-year-olds to 80 percent for 16-year-olds, but vary from one insurance company to another.

The insurance spokesperson offered the following suggestions for controlling the cost of auto insurance:

- Drive carefully. Most traffic tickets and at-fault accidents will

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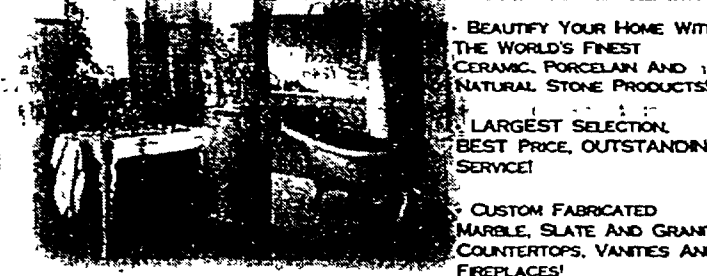
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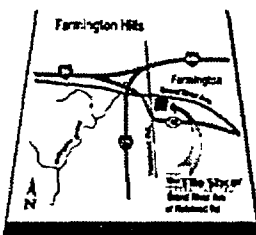
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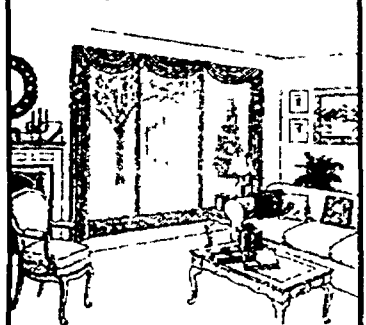
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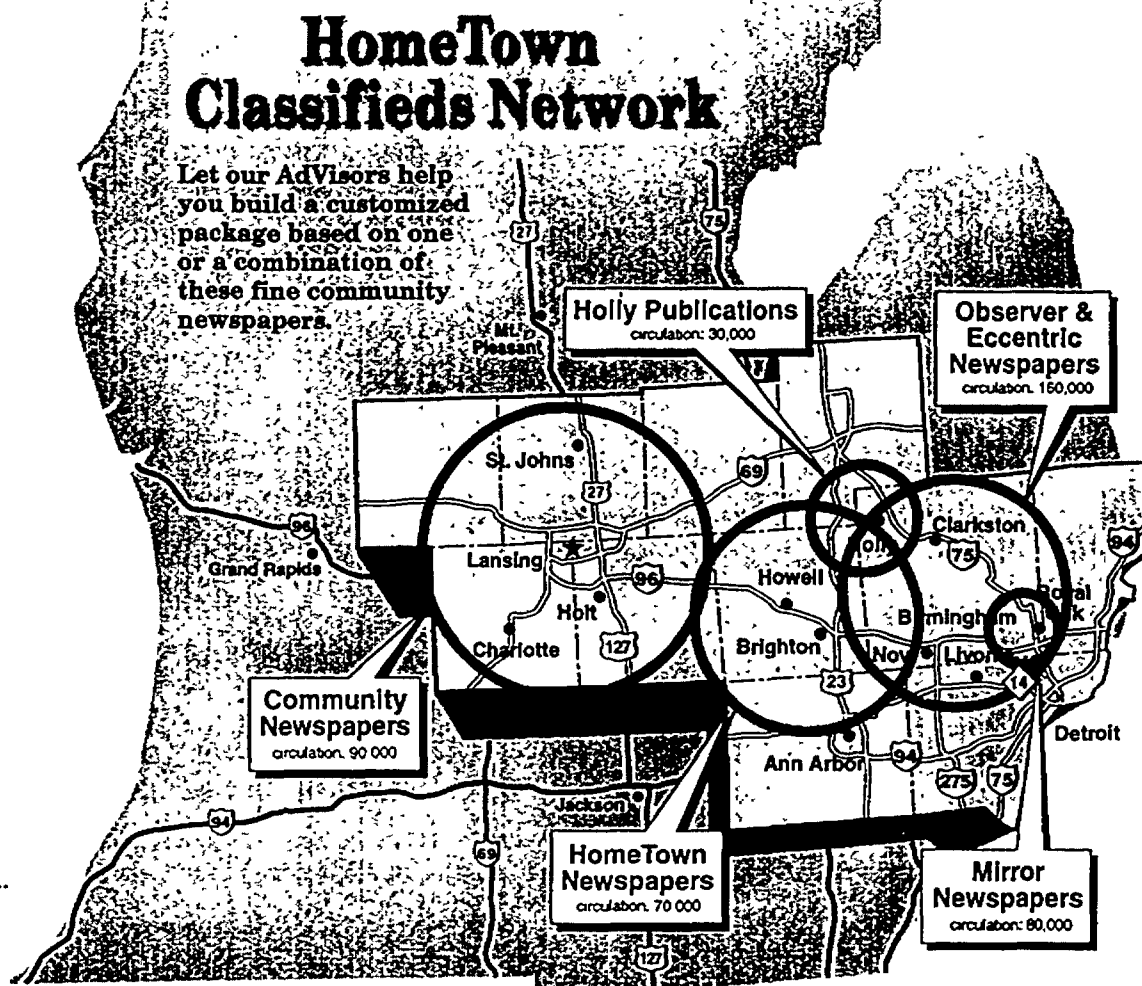
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This position involves supporting the underwriters and agents through rating of smaller commercial accounts. Qualifications: High School diploma or GED, strong communication and math skills. No experience required. Successful candidates for these positions will participate in a comprehensive training program involving both classroom and hands-on learning

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• Could become full-time

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Novi, MI
(Located 1/2 mile East of Novi Rd on 12 Mile Rd in the lobby of the DMC Health Care Center)

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CONSTRUCTION

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P.O. Box 252054
West Bloomfield, MI. 48325
OR FAX: (248)865-1630

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- SPRAY TEXTURED** ceilings. Hides imperfections. References, free estimates. Also painting. (734)762-0120

048 Chimney Cleaning/Building/Repair

- ALL CHIMNEYS,** fireplaces, relined & repaired. Porches, steps & roofs repaired (248)437-6790
- COOL CLOSETS.** Custom closets, home offices, more! Free estimates. Call Ed. (248)887-6445.

050 Closet Systems & Organizers

- DRYWALL FINISHING.** Additions, basements. Jerry Vancil, 35 yrs. exp. (734)878-6684
- DRYWALL SERVICE -** New homes, basements, repairs. Free estimates. Jerry (248)347-5944
- DRYWALL COMPLETE** carpentry, additions, basements, renovations. (248)887-1385.
- FIRST CHOICE Drywall.** 15 yrs. experience. From repair to new home construction, quality & reliability. (248)437-7519 Free estimates.
- HARDWARE RENOVATIONS** and Drywall Repair. Licensed and Insured. (810)229-6422.
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- MB DRYWALL.** Complete service. Licensed, insured, guaranteed. Free estimates. Free estimates (810)750-9063.
- MUD & DRYWALL MAN.** Additions, basements, repairs. Wayne. (517)548-1761.

073 Excavating/Backhoe

- BAGGETT EXCAVATING**
- Bulldozing
 - Grading

500 Help Wanted General

AVFUEL CORPORATION
Avfuel Corporation, the nation's leading independent supplier of aviation fuels and services, is seeking professional, enthusiastic individuals in the following full-time positions:

ACCOUNTANT: Entry-level position with accounting degree, data entry and organizational skills required. Will learn numerous aspects of accounting cycle-reporting, reconciling, analysis, and general reconciliation of fuel taxes; account reconciliations, journal entry adjustments and analysis; and transaction posting and file maintenance just to name a few.

BILLING AND PAYABLES CLERKS: Numerous openings in several departments that require similar skills. Depending on how much accounting/bookkeeping experience/education you have will depend on which position is best for you. We are looking for individuals who have strong customer service, organizational, and data entry skills; someone who can do what it takes to meet all deadlines and has a high level of attention to detail. A partial list of job responsibilities includes: preparing all paperwork for data entry and billing, actual billing, resolving invoicing problems, and working effectively with Avfuel employees, customers, and vendors to resolve issues and answer questions.

SUPPLY & PRICING CLERK: This is a new position. The critical skills for this position include someone with the ability to input high volumes of numeric data into our system, a good phone voice to contact our customers, and resourceful to get needed information to meet deadlines. Some of the duties performed will be pricing loads of fuel, entering our system into the computer, and sending pre-notification price notices to customers.

All positions available IMMEDIATELY!! Please send salary requirements and qualifications to:

Human Resources Dept.
AVFUEL CORPORATION
P.O. Box 1387
Ann Arbor, MI 48106-1387
EOE/MF

DATA ENTRY
Needed for 7PM to 2AM. Call after 7PM at Michelle, Detroit Bio-Medical Lab, 10 Mile & Grand River, (248) 471-4111

CORRECTIONS OFFICERS LIVINGSTON COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT 150 S. HIGHLANDER WAY HOWELL, MICHIGAN 48843

Livingston County Sheriff's Department is looking for highly motivated men and women for the position of Corrections Officer. Candidates must meet age requirements, have a high school diploma or its equivalent, and possess a valid driver's license. COLES physical ability test must be successfully passed before hire date. Applicants will be available at the Sheriff's Department beginning Monday, October 26, 1998 between 8:00am and 4:00pm. Monday through Saturday and must be returned no later than November 30, 1998. A \$20.00 fee for test materials will be required at the time the application is picked up. Veterans are encouraged to apply. EOE.

CUSTOMER SERVICE
We are looking for a self-motivated individual to join our customer service team. If you enjoy dealing with people we have a job for you. Duties include answering phones, helping customers, data entry and much more. Excellent benefits. \$20,000/year. Starting. Send or fax resume: Operations Mgr., V&S Galvanizers, 12600 Arnold, Redford, MI 48239 Fax: (313)535-0862

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Earn over \$8 an hour!
Twelve Oaks Hill has part-time seasonal openings to work at our Customer Service Desk!
Positions starting in November. Excellent pay, flexible shifts, great work environment. Qualified applicants should apply in person NOW! 9am-5pm, Mon-Fri at the Twelve Oaks Hill Management Office, or anytime at the Twelve Oaks Hill Customer Service Desk. Equal Opportunity Employer. Twelve Oaks Hill, 27500 Novi Road, Novi, MI 48240

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Positions available. Will train, full and part-time, full benefits, profit sharing and retirement. Salaries commensurate with experience. Apply in person, by mail or fax. Croda Technologies Inc., 40480 Grand River Ave., Suite H, Novi, MI 48375 Fax (248)473-7405

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• Detroit and Suburbs
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28241 Mount Road
Warren, MI 48092
EOE/MF/DV

DEMONSTRATOR/COSTUME
person to hand out coupons/samples in supermarkets \$7.50/hour. (517)543-3483

Decorating Associate

Local home decorating company seeking applicants to work premium shift of 12:30 to 8:30 three days a week, Sat. 10AM-6PM and every other Sunday 12-5 assisting clients with home decorating selections. We will pay you \$9/hr plus bonus commission. Farmington, Walled Lake, Canton and Troy locations.

(734)455-4400, x203 or fax (734)455-4932

DEMONSTRATORS
For supermarkets & drug stores. Excellent pay. Call: (800)967-6468

DEPENDABLE EXPERIENCED
snowplow drivers, your truck or ours. Must be flexible. (810)231-5505

DEPENDABLE, FULL-TIME
help wanted. Apply in person at The Dream Factory, 10610 E. Grand River, Brighton, 48116, between 11am & 7pm.

DESIGN
Interior design & manufacturing company seeks full time Project Manager with customer service experience. Great benefits, variety of work. Degree in architecture optional. AutoCAD R-14 a must. Please send resume: Programmed Products Corp., 44311 Grand River Ave., Novi, MI 48375. NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE!

DESKTOP PUBLISHING - Full time position - 40 hours plus some overtime and a part-time position 12-40 hours. Will train the right people. Good typing, spelling skills and a sense of design required. Computer experience a plus. Earn while you learn. Great working conditions. Call Kathy at George Moses Company (810) 227-1575. No calls until November 12 please.

DESKTOP PUBLISHING, Freelance, Highland Printing & Graphics, 227 N. Barnard St., Howell, (517)546-7030

DIETARY AIDES, part-time/full time, 6am-2pm & part-time 3pm-8pm, \$6.75/hr. Cook, part-time, 12noon-8pm, \$7.75/hr. Apply at: West Hickory Haven, 3310 W. Milford Rd., Milford between 9:30am-3:30pm (248)655-1400.

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Local long-term care facility is seeking qualified individuals to fill full time positions as Cook and Dietary Assistant. Willing to train. Must be organized, dependable, and work well as a team member. Stop in at IHS of Westland, 2003 W. Grand River, Howell, MI to complete an application and schedule an interview. EOE

DIRECT CARE AIDE
Group home openings for days, afternoons, evenings, and weekends. License, paid training. Competitive wage & benefits. Call: Tami (734)677-7929 Frances (734)653-5637 Tary (313)581-3019

DIRECT CARE instructors needed for group home in Novi. Excellent environment. Medical & dental benefits. All shifts available. Full time or part-time. Call Trisha (248)348-5874

DIRECT CARE
Looking for caring, qualified individuals to work full or part time in a S.I.P. program in Rochester Hills. Benefits available to full-time employees after 90 days. For more information, Call Wendy at (248)360-4039.

DIRECT CARE staff, immediate openings. No experience necessary. Retirees & students welcome. Full/part time, afternoons & evenings. EOE. Call (517)548-4495. Ask for Tim between 9am-4pm, Monday-Friday.

DIRECT CARE Staff needed to work elderly/mentally ill adults in Brighton area. Second & third shifts available. Degree in architecture optional. AutoCAD R-14 a must. Please send resume: Programmed Products Corp., 44311 Grand River Ave., Novi, MI 48375. NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE!

DIRECT CARE STAFF
Seeking motivated, caring people to teach & assist adults with physical and/or mental challenges in their homes. Full or part-time. \$7.75-\$8.50/hr. w/benefits. For interview with Director, Call: (248)887-3021, or Howell (517)548-9029.

DIRECTOR
FOR Child Care Center. Must have 60 credit hours - 12 in Child Development. (248) 738-9579

DIRECTOR/EDUCATION
SYRACUSE Learning Center, the nation's leader in supplemental education, seeks a highly motivated individual with educational experience as a Director, Management, communication and people skills necessary. Organization and computer skills needed. Please send resume to: Personnel Director, Syracuse Learning Center, 8700 N. 2nd St., Ste #201, Brighton, MI 48116.

DISPATCHER
PLYMOUTH area Forklift Dealership looking for an energetic, outgoing person. Must have excellent computer skills. Good pay, excellent benefits. Please call Dale at: GB Sales & Service (734) 455-5150

DRAFTERS
Interior design & manufacturing company seeks full time, entry-level Drafterperson. Great benefits, variety of work. Degree in architecture optional. AutoCAD R14 a must. Please send resume to: Programmed Products Corp., 44311 Grand River Ave., Novi, MI 48375. NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE!

DRIVER PART-TIME, 30 hrs. a week. Office furniture/supplies. Apply in person at: Office Express, 1225 E. Grand River, Howell, Steve, (517)546-2958.

DRIVER: CDL/CHAUFFEUR, Wixom, Hartland, Howell, \$10 - \$13/hr. overtime. On Star (248)360-8331 (877)360-8331.

DRIVERS & OWNER
OPERATORS wanted with "Pickup Trucks" w/caps "Cargo Vans" Extended Vans "Straight Trucks" (12-26ft.) (734)513-0719

DRIVERS - Part-time
Possible full time. Retirees welcome. Call between 8 & 3pm, Mon-Fri. (248)473-5821.

DRIVERS - Presently accepting applications for early morning NW suburbs home delivery motor routes for national newspaper. No billing, collecting or sales involved. \$140-\$150 weekly compensation. Routes take about 1 1/2 hrs daily, must be completed by 6:30am. If interested call: (248)477-1290

DRIVERS NEEDED for Brighton and surrounding areas. Part-time as needed. Good driving record and reliable transportation. (810)494-0074.

DRIVERS, PART-TIME needed to drive Aerostar Vans for Commercial Auto Parts delivery. Flexible hours, retirees welcome. Murray's Auto of Walled Lake, Auto Parts Express. Contact Steven Blas (248)624-8767.

DRY CLEANING, Carriage Cleaners in Novi is looking for afternoon customer help. Call Gerry (248)349-7476

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Seeking responsible people. Hours flexible, will train. Apply at Elite Cleaners, 9864 E. Grand River, Brighton.

EARN \$8/HR. after 30 days. Plastic injection mold machine operators. Immediate openings, all shifts. Clean plant south of Brighton. No experience necessary. (810)231-0716

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ELECTRICIAN
If you are an experienced electrician, you're the one we're looking for! Expanding multi-service company in western suburb. 401K w/50% match, profit sharing, excellent compensation paid benefit. Company vehicle provided. Call Jack at AJ Danbros for more information, (248)477-3626.

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ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN
Experienced Electronic Technician needed to service copy and fax equipment for a growing company. Salary and benefits included. Send resume to: Premier Business Products 213 E. 14 Mile Rd., Clawson, MI 48017 Fax: (248)535-2352 Call: (248)589-3535

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ESTABLISHED CO. needs subcontractors for snow plowing. Reliable, trustworthy, available 24 hours a day. (734)426-3525

ESTIMATOR NEEDED, Experienced with pay dirt system for Earth Moving contractor. Stanco Construction. Fax resume to: (248)347-2871.

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Opportunity in blueprint reading, surveying & heavy equipment operation. \$7.95/hr. to start. Own vehicle. (248)466-5818

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First National Bank is seeking full time Sales Associates for VG's branch, starting wage is \$9.50/hr and up, plus benefits. Prior retail sales experience a plus, bank or credit union experience not required. Apply in person at any branch location. Equal Opportunity Employer First National Bank 101 E. Grand River Howell, MI 48843

FITTER, HOWELL area job shop has opportunities for fitters w/least 5 yrs. exp. in structural steel, stainless, aluminum & conveyor equipment. Ample overtime. Will benefit pkg (517) 545-5559.

FLOOR MAINTENANCE scrub floor & recoat, midnights, reliable transportation needed, will train, immediate openings. M&S/Viscom/Commerce Twp./W. Bloomfield. (248)669-4940

FLOORING INSTALLERS, Carpet & vinyl, experienced only need apply. Must have van & tools. Call (248)477-7722.

FLORAL DESIGNER, full time, will train. Country Lane Flower Shop (517)546-1111.

FOREMAN (M/F)
Afternoon shift, Plastic Injection Molding Co., Wixom location. Experience needed. Benefits & 401K. Send resume with salary requirements to: Box #1398 Observer & Eccentric 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, MI 48150

FORKLIFT OPERATORS needed for Brighton & Howell co. (810)227-4894 ext 110. EOE.

FRONT DESK - Midnights, Apply at: Best Western of Whitmore Lake.

FRONT DESK/ CUSTOMER SERVICE
Immediate opening \$8 per hour plus benefits. Flexible hours (248) 476-2980

FULL TIME & Substitute bus aides, \$6.75/hr. benefits for full time. Apply to Human Resources, L.E.S.A., 1425 W. Grand River, Howell MI 48843

FULL TIME deli help, 8-3pm. Also need full time manager, Maria's Italian Bakery, (248)348-0545

FULL TIME Driver/Warehouse help needed. Monday through Friday, 8am-5pm. Forklift experience helpful. CDL Class A required. 7530 Strawberry Lake Rd., Hamburg (810)231-5550.

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Midnight position available for reliable, self-sufficient individual for Farmington Hills business offices. (248) 471-6010 x6013

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help wanted. Interior commercial work. Full time. (734)454-4919 after 6pm.

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Furniture sanding & repair person wanted. Production shop. \$9-\$12 per experience. Walled Lake. (248)624-3080.

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Will train & feed. Full time with benefits. Laid's Auto Glass. (734)453-2559

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MARKETPLACE, BRIGHTON
Looking for friendly & smiling faces for part-time cashiers & stockers. Earn competitive wages + bonus program. Apply in person: 8144 Grand River (810)220-0110

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Canton/Farmington Hills area. Call Mr. Dee at (9248)477-0189

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MACHINE op helper needed for small tasks & some small machine operation. Full time, overtime, w/benefits. Apply in person Monday-Fri. 10am-4pm. 43201 Old Plank Rd., Milford, MI 48361.

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Busy offices looking for enthusiastic individuals to join our team. Now hiring for Receptionist - \$7.50-\$11/hr. for Waterford area. Optometric Technician - \$7.50-\$12. Dispensers - \$7.50-\$14/hr. for Brighton area. All positions are full time and/or part-time. Benefit package includes paid vacation, sick time, Blue Cross insurance, retirement & bonus. Call Sheryl, 1-888-753-7266.

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Experience with carbide from work preferred. Will train right person with minimum 2-3 years grinding experience. Clean environment. Medical, Dental, 401K, Filing incentive. Send resume to: Personnel Department P.O. Box 930279 Wixom, MI 48393 or Call (248)348-9484

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Must be able to set injection molds, process injection molding machines, and troubleshoot machine problems 1-3 years position related experience is required

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Responsibilities include mixing paints, measuring and recording paint usage, cleaning and flushing system, maintaining paint tanks, maintaining solvent and paint storage areas, etc. Responsible for ensuring proper handling and storage of hazardous waste. Experience a plus but not required

RACK REPAIR
Responsible for prototyping paint racks, fixture building and repairing and adjusting paint racks. Welding experience required.

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Requires a general knowledge of hydraulics, pneumatics, electrical, and building maintenance. Working knowledge of injection molding machines and robotics is a plus

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HOUSEKEEPER, FULL time position available for a self motivated person. Job includes housekeeping duties as well as floor maintenance and special projects. Call (248)349-2200 Mon-Fri. between 8am & 3pm or come in and fill out an application. 43455 W. 10 Mile, Novi, MI 48375. EOE

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HOWELL KIDS care looking for dependable staff - dependable, love kids, early am. & late pm. shifts. Tracey (517)548-6310

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- JANITOR MANAGER (NIGHT)

RECEIVING

- STOCKERS (DAY OR NIGHT)

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- GIRLS WEAR
- LADIES WEAR
- INFANTS WEAR
- FABRICS
- DOMESTICS
- SHOES

- JEWELRY
- TOYS
- SPORTING GOODS
- AUTOMOTIVE
- COSMETICS
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Busch's, a local independent supermarket, is opening our 11th location in Livonia at 6 Mile and Newburgh in the Newburgh Plaza.

We are accepting applications for the following positions:

We also will be hosting a job fair at the Livonia store on Tuesday, November 17, (12 - 8 pm), Wednesday, November 18, (12 - 8 pm), Thursday, November 19, (12 - 8 pm).

Part Time

- Cashiers
- Service Clerks
- Produce Clerks
- Seafood Clerks
- Deli Clerks
- Stock Clerks
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- Grocery Asst/Managers
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- Frozen Managers
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We Offer:

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 Rapidly expanding manufacturing firm 1 automotive supplier, west of Ann Arbor, has immediate openings in the Parts Processor area.

Applicants must have good mechanical aptitude. Primary responsibilities include but not limited to: inspecting and sorting parts, standing and moving about work area with little sitting. Material handling duties including driving a lift truck. Bending to load machines and performing manual adjustments on packaging machines.

Must be disciplined to follow set procedures and work directions. Overtime and shift work required.

Interested applicants may send resume or apply in person to:

Dextech
 2110 Bishop Circle East
 Dexter, MI 48130
 Attn: Human Resources

Applicants extended a job offer will be required to take and pass a drug screening.

PROCESS TECHNICIAN PLASTIC INJECTION MOLDING
 May & Scofield, Inc., QS9000 Plastic Injection Mold Manufacturer located in Howell, Michigan, has an immediate opportunity for a Process Technician on our Midland Shift.

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Please send resume to:

HR - Process Tech
 May & Scofield, Inc.
 P.O. Box 500
 Howell, MI 48844-0500

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HR Dept./GTD998
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HomeTown Newspapers
 Personnel Office
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 Howell, MI 48844

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 Or call: (734) 207-4901 E.O.E.

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 Premier Lighting showroom. Benefits. Good working conditions. Experienced preferred but will train right person. Apply at:

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 Dearborn, MI 48124
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 web: www.nsa-ae.com
 fax: 313-563-3031

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 Plymouth auto body shop. Must be experienced. Full time. Benefits. (734) 207-7621

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PART-TIME CAKE Decorator wanted. Friedman's Supermarket, (248)887-4048, ask for Mary Jo.

PART-TIME HELP wanted for downtown Brighton gift shop. (810)227-5797.

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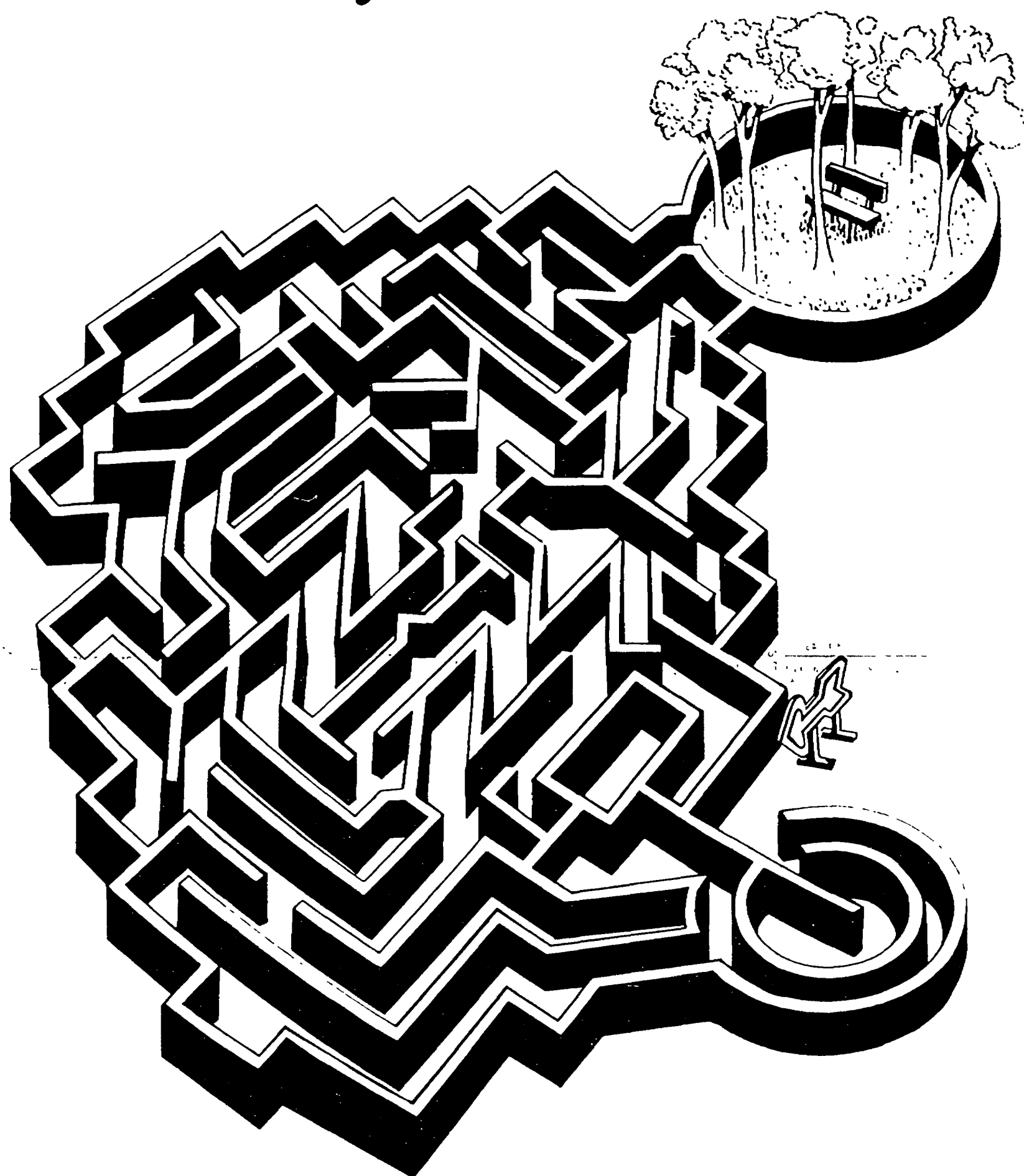
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
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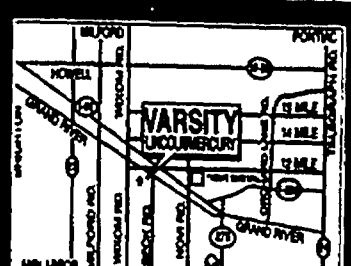
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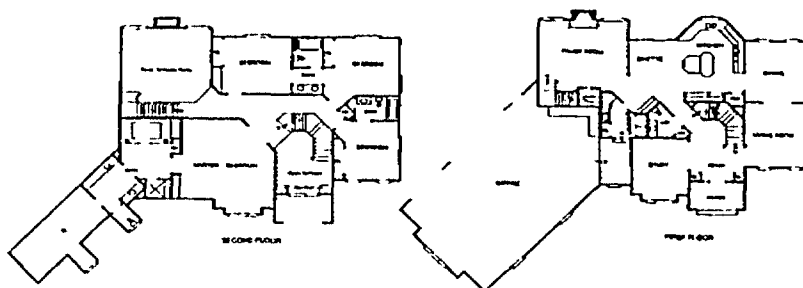
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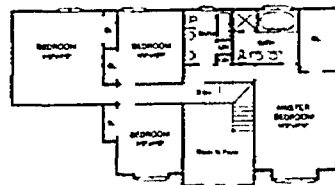
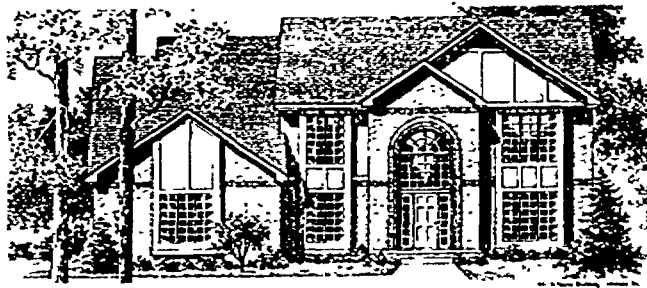


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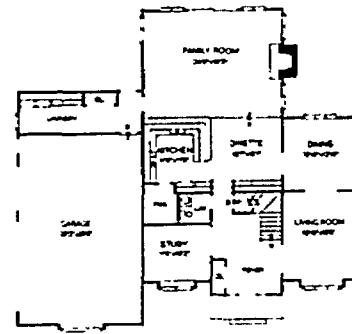


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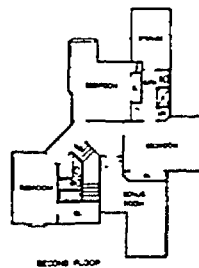


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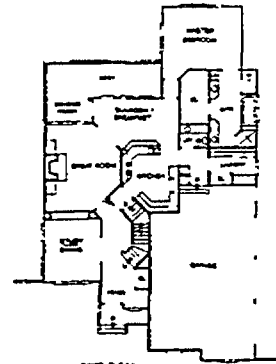
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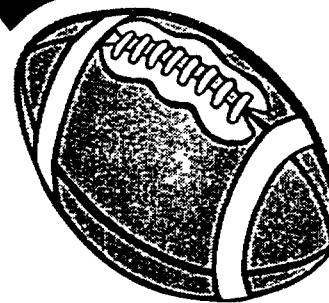
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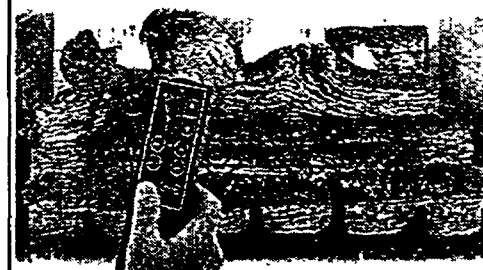
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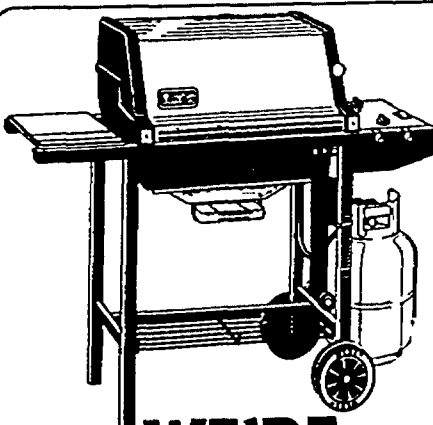
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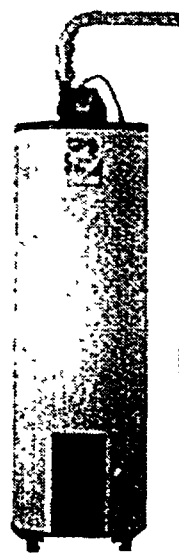
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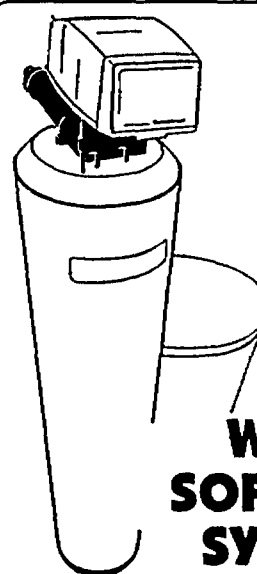
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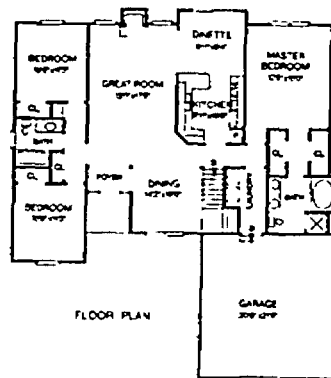
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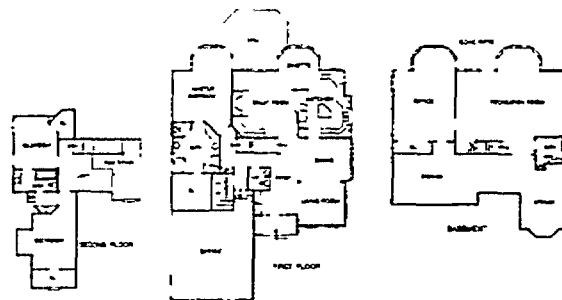
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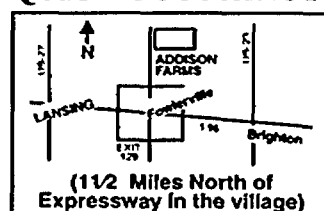
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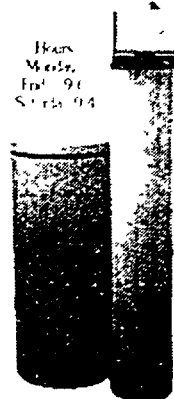
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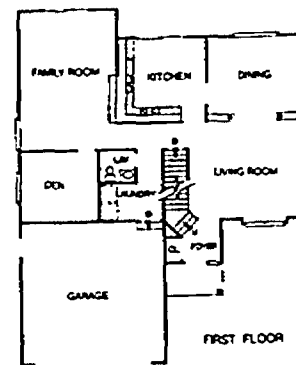
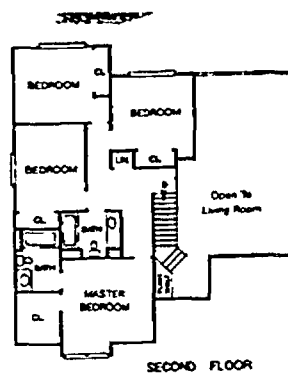
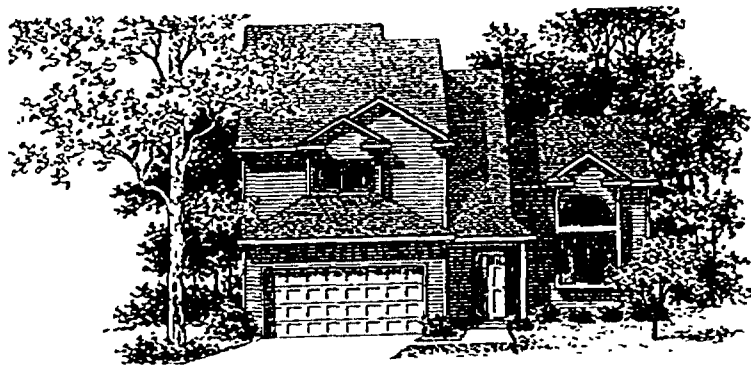
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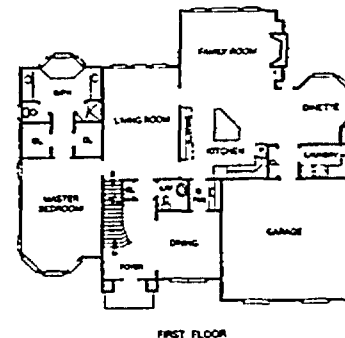
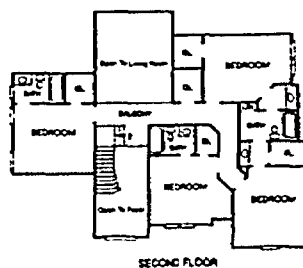
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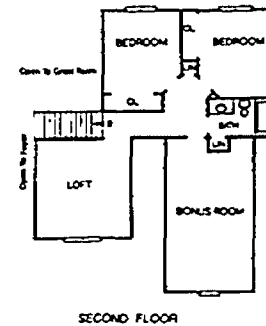
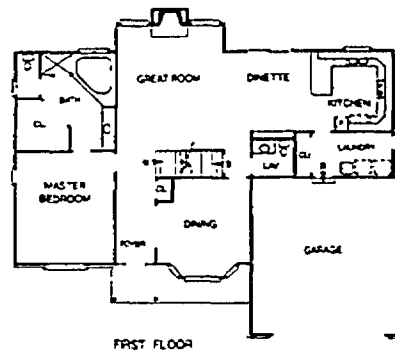
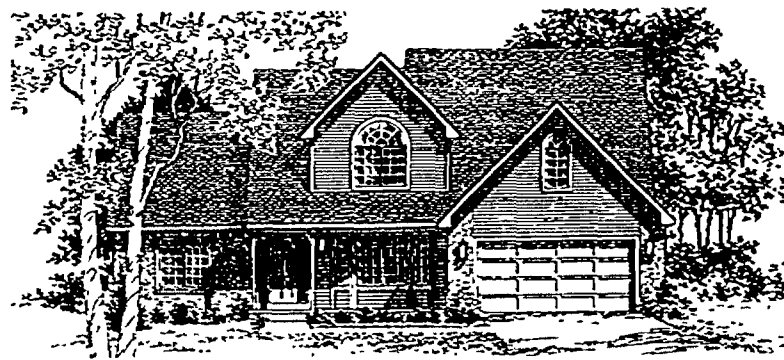
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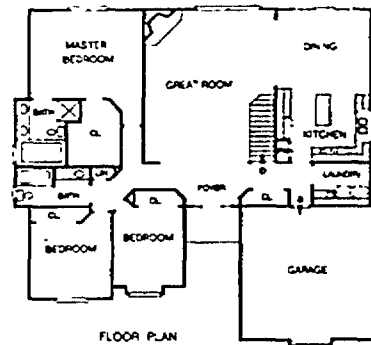
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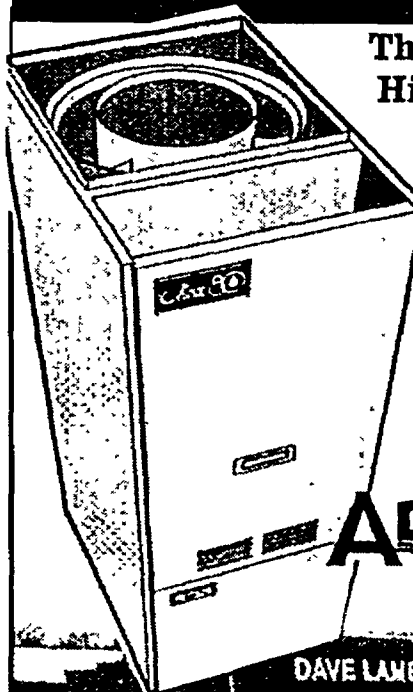
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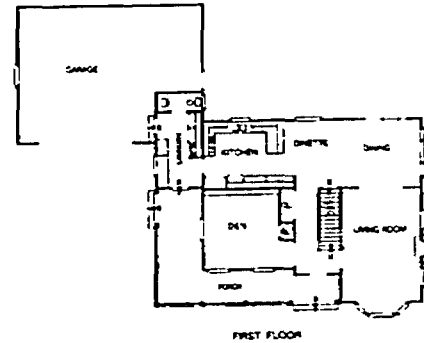
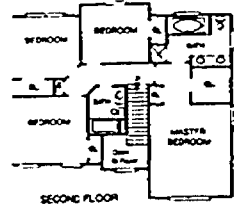
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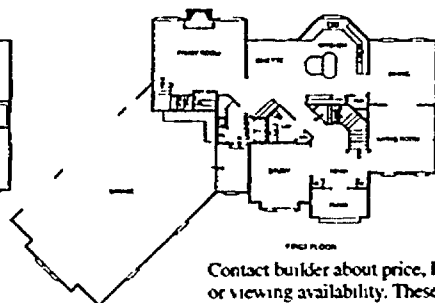
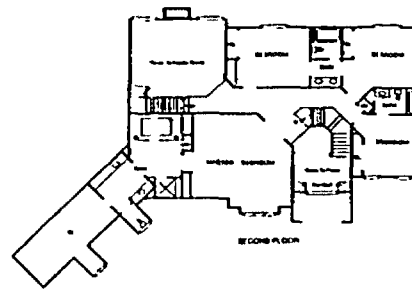
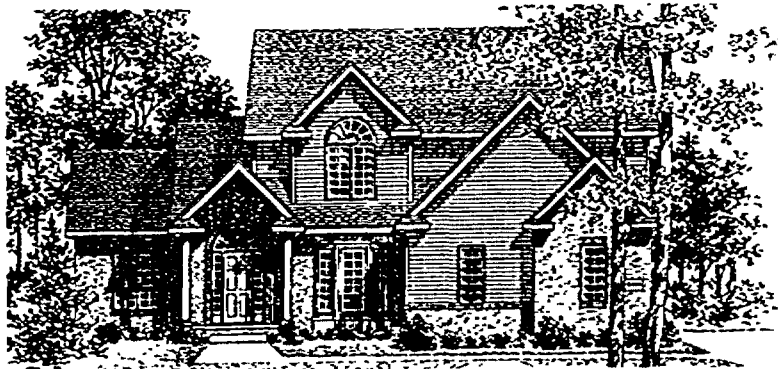
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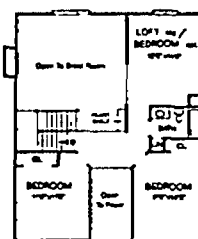
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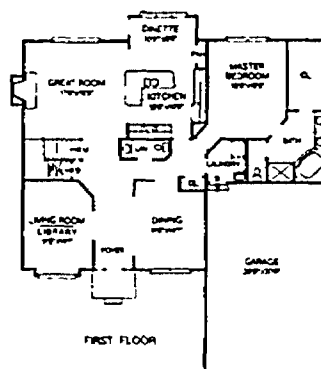
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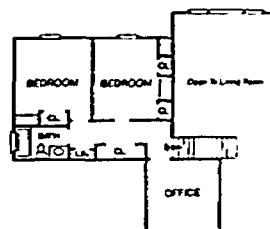


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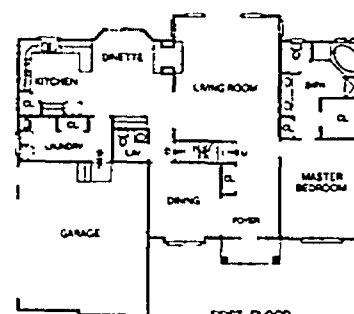
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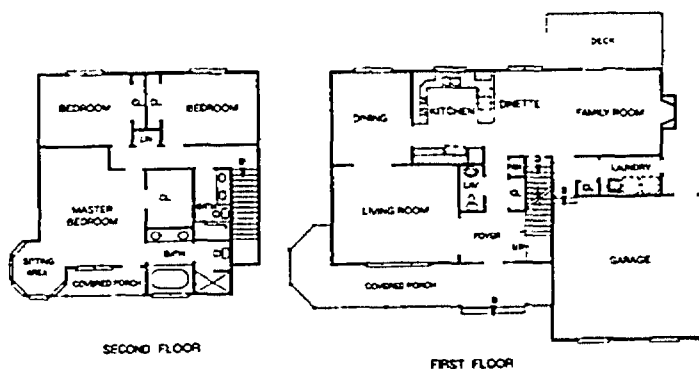
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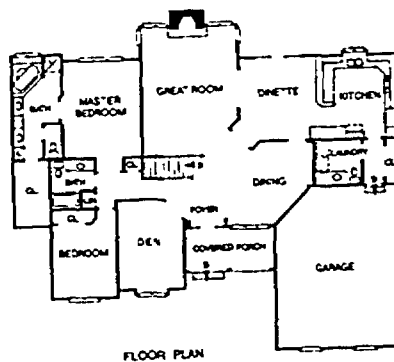
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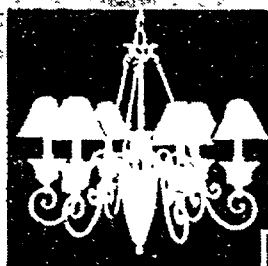
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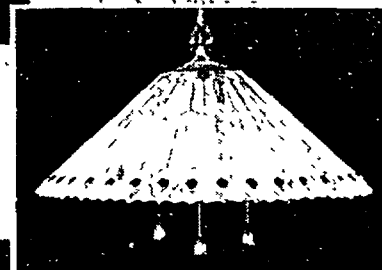
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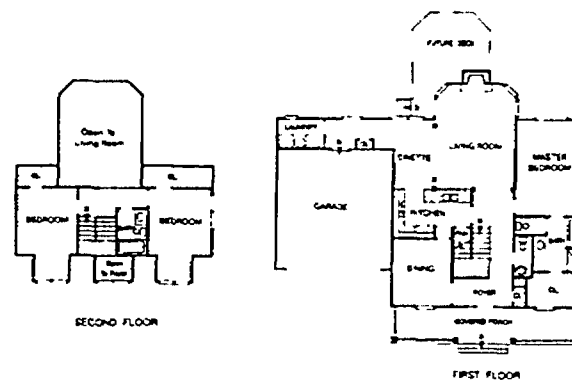
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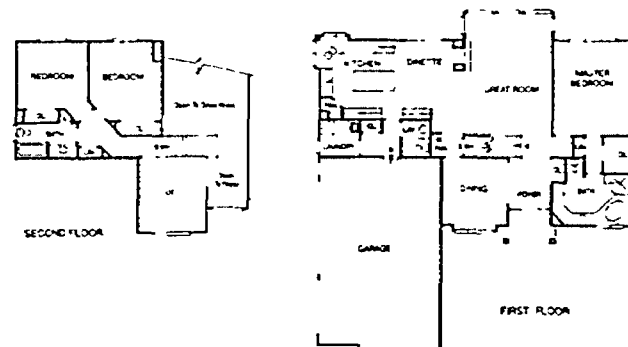
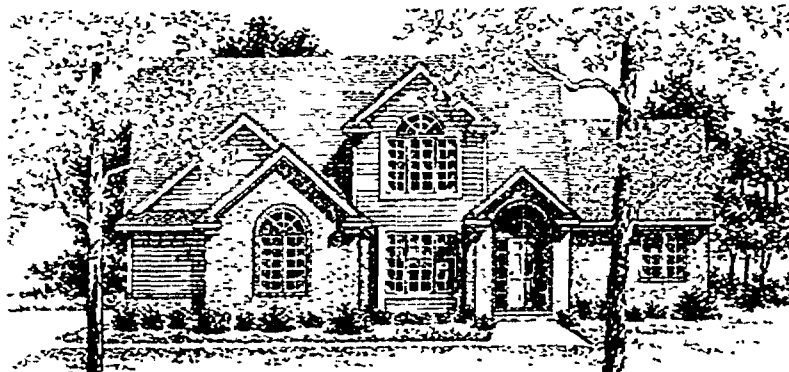
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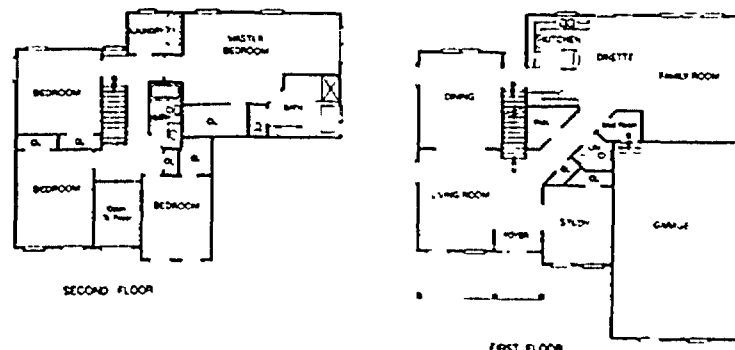
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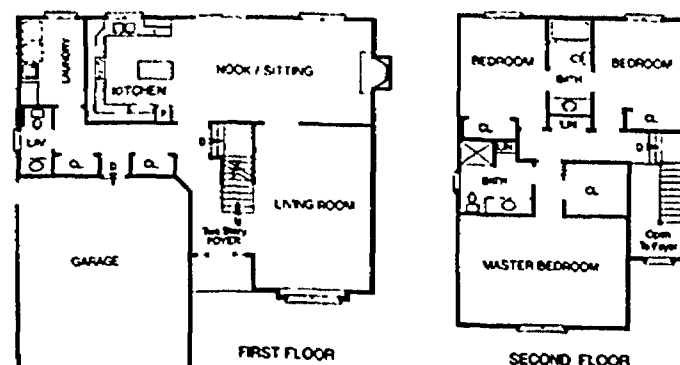
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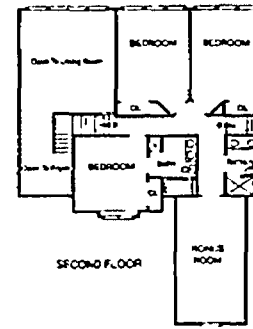
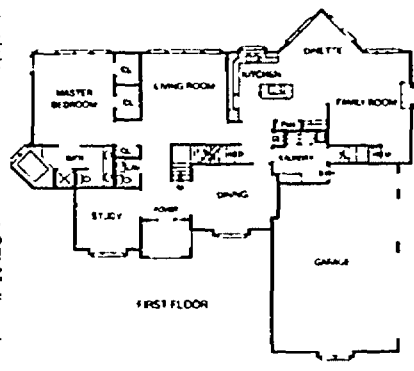
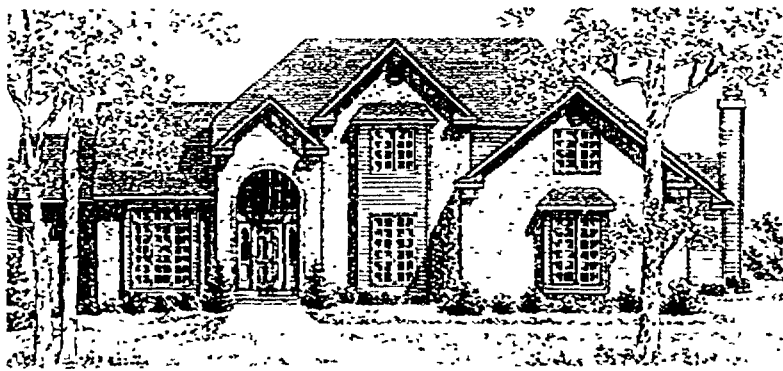
3 Bedrooms - 2-1/2 Baths - 1,905 sq. ft. - Brick, vinyl siding, shutters



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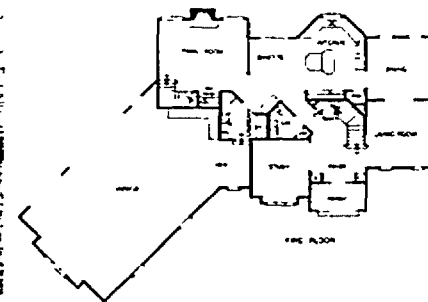
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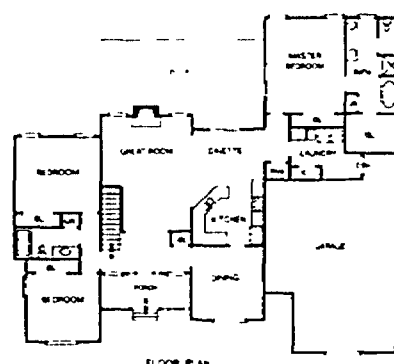
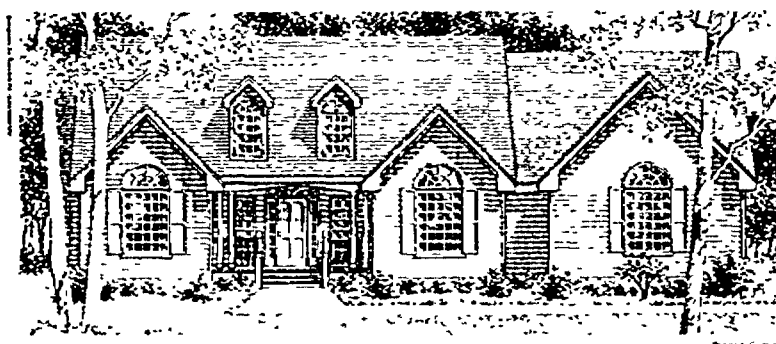
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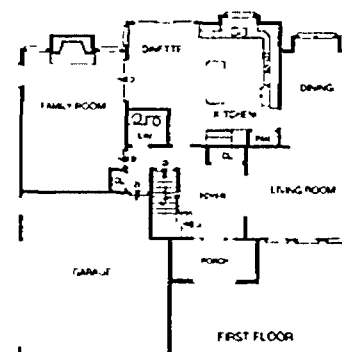
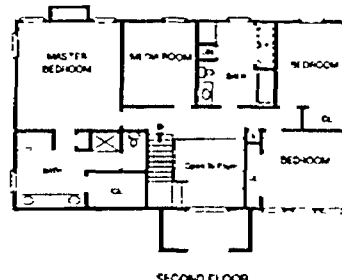
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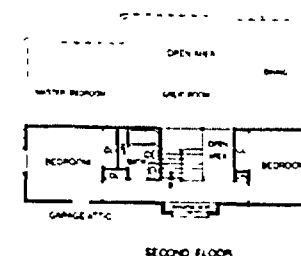
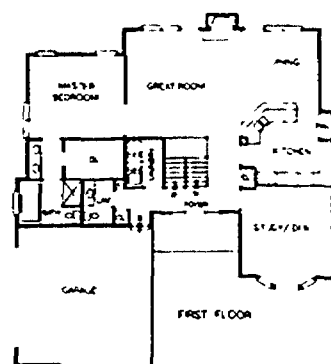
4 Bedrooms - 2-1/2 Baths - 2,695 sq. ft. - Oak cabinets



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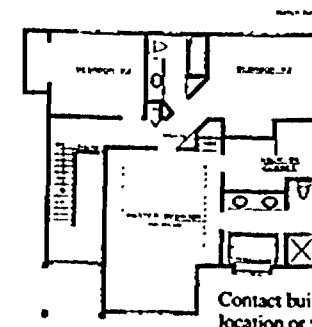
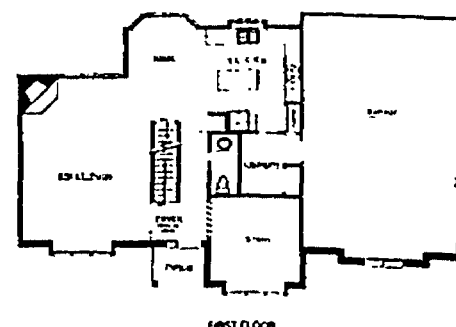
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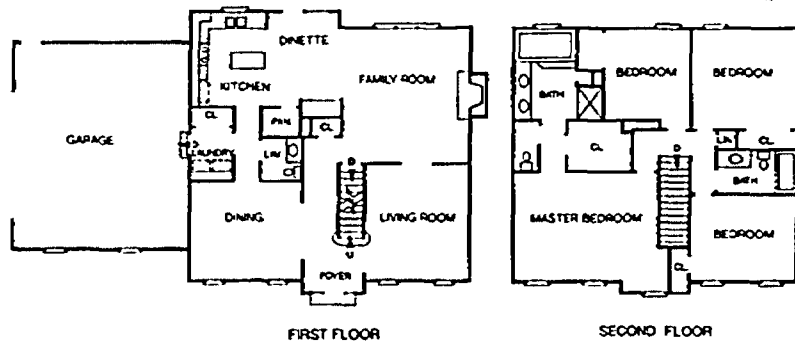
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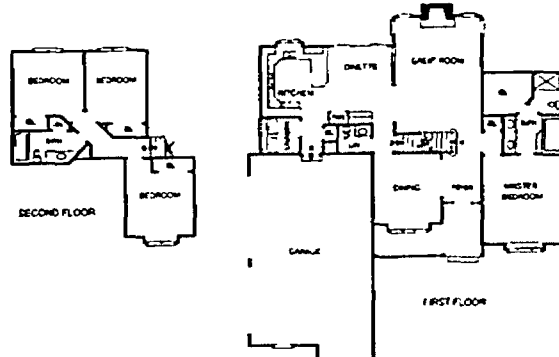
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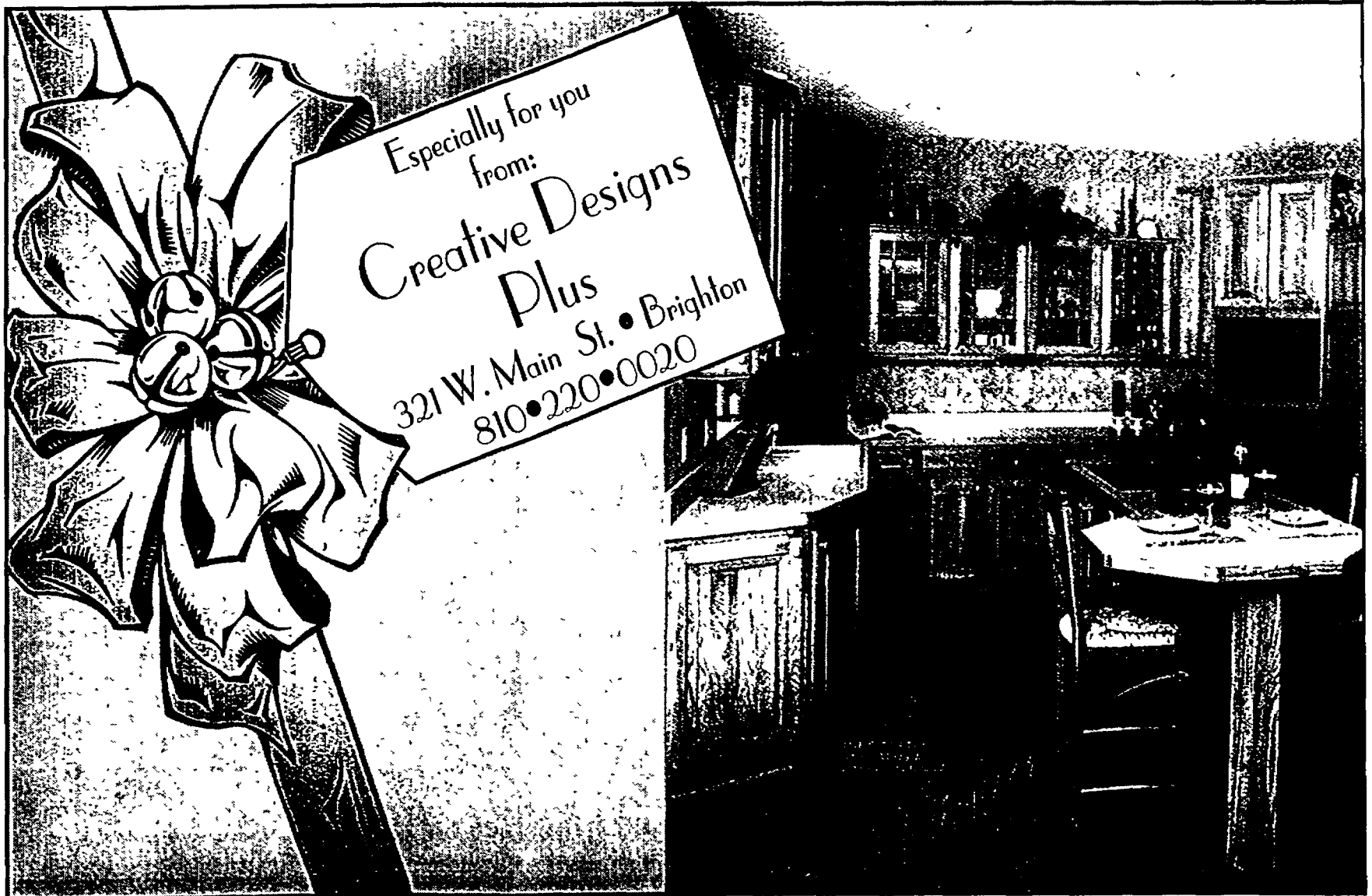
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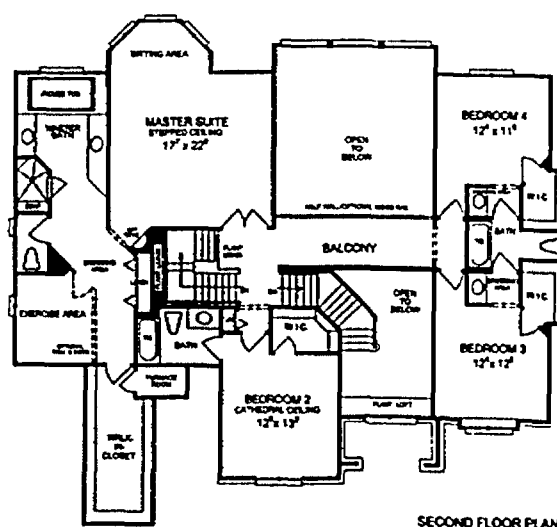
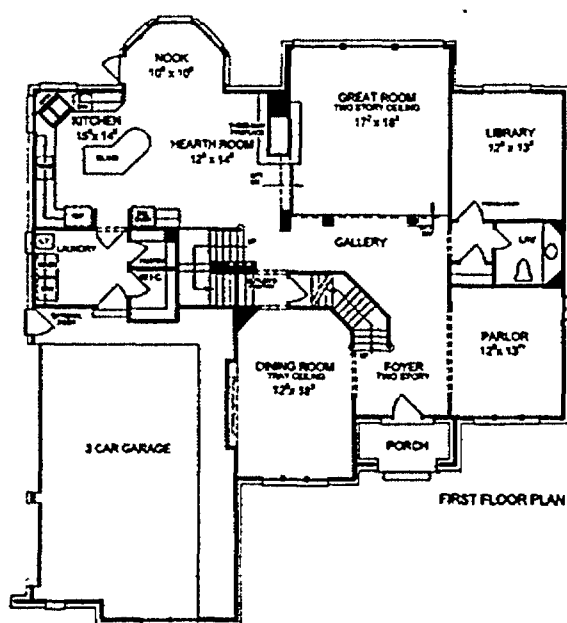
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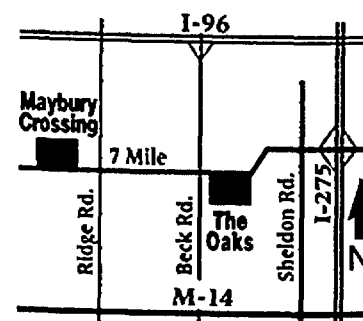
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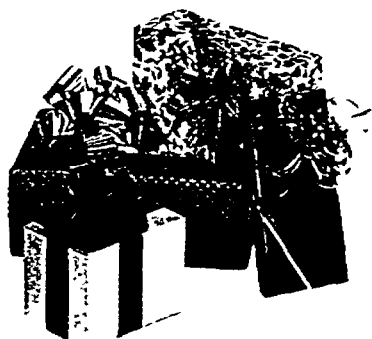


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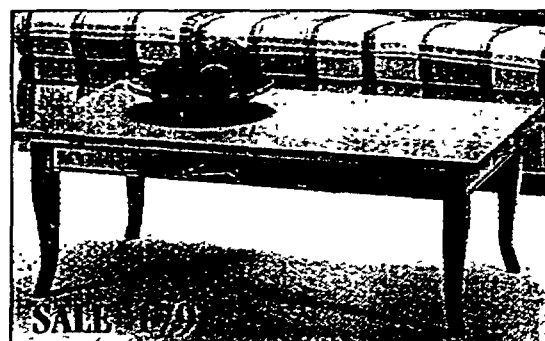
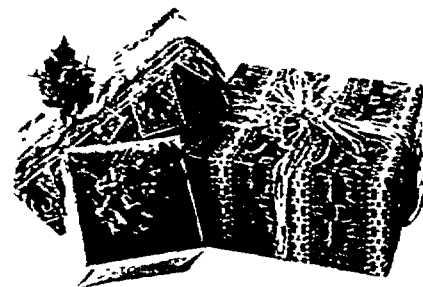
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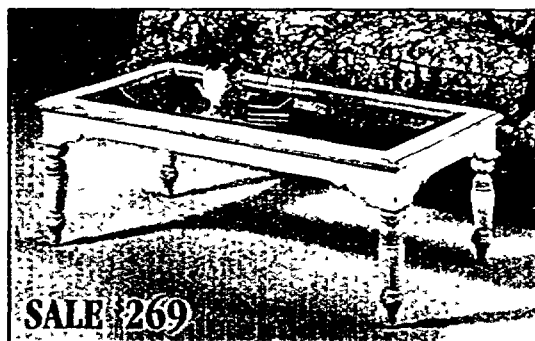


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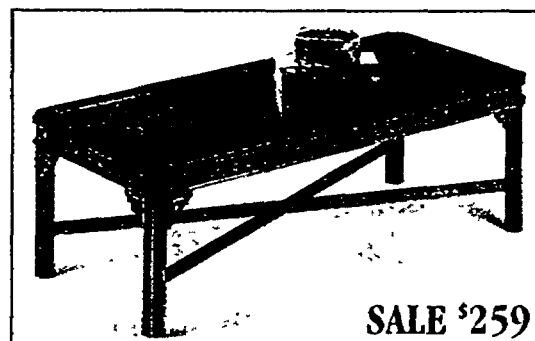
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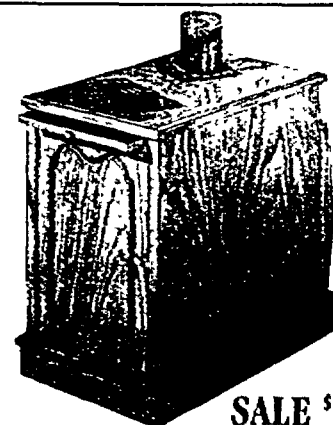
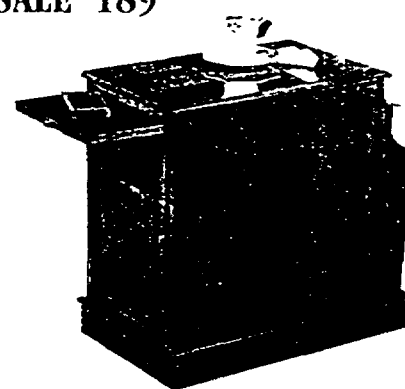
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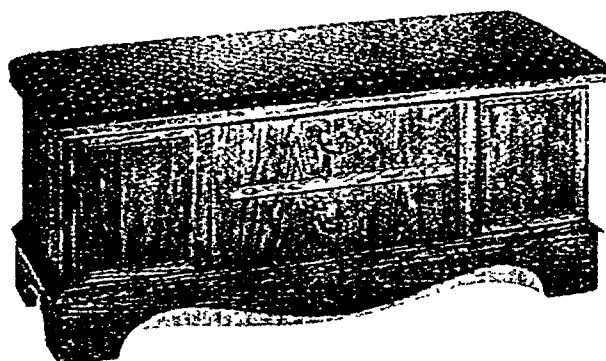
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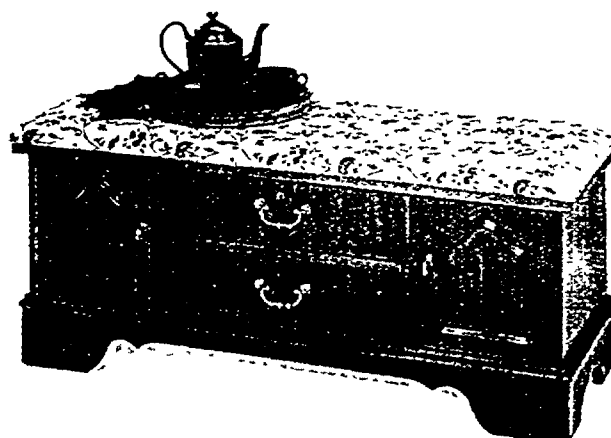
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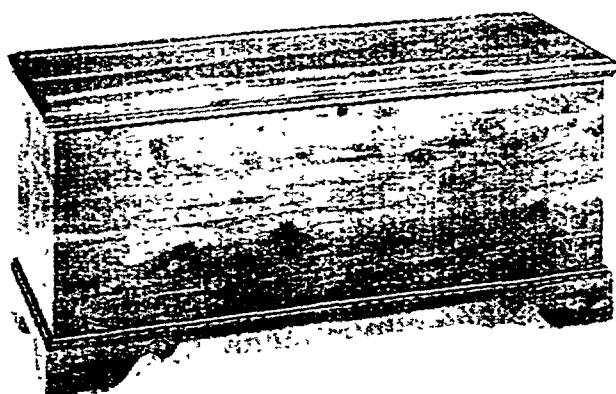
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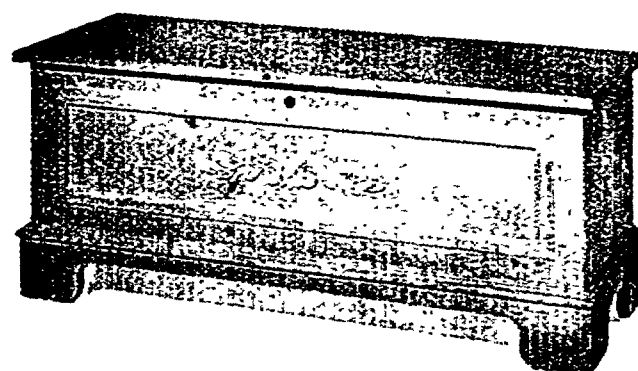
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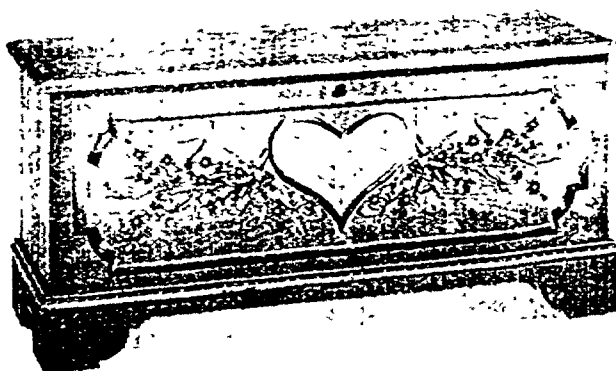
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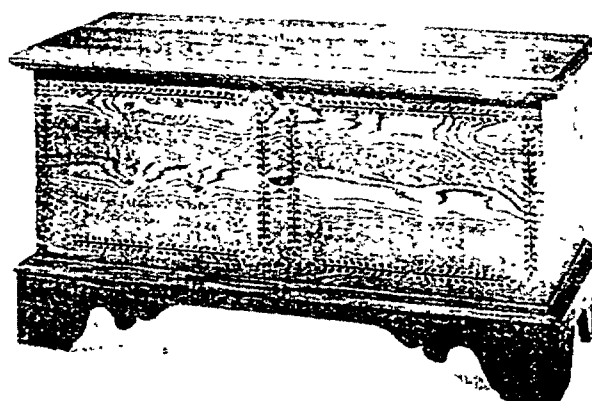
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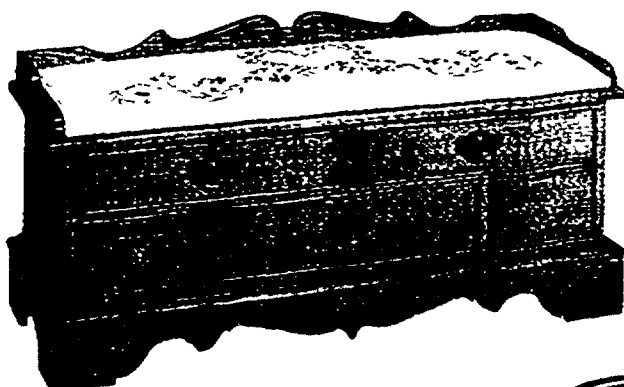
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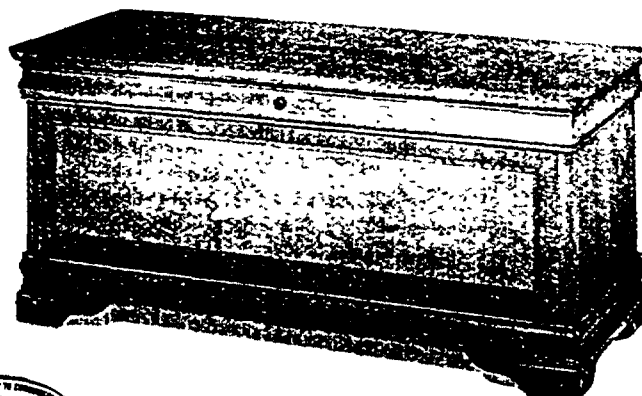
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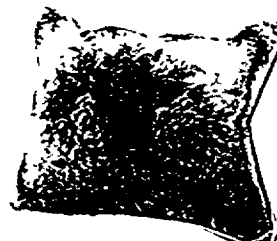


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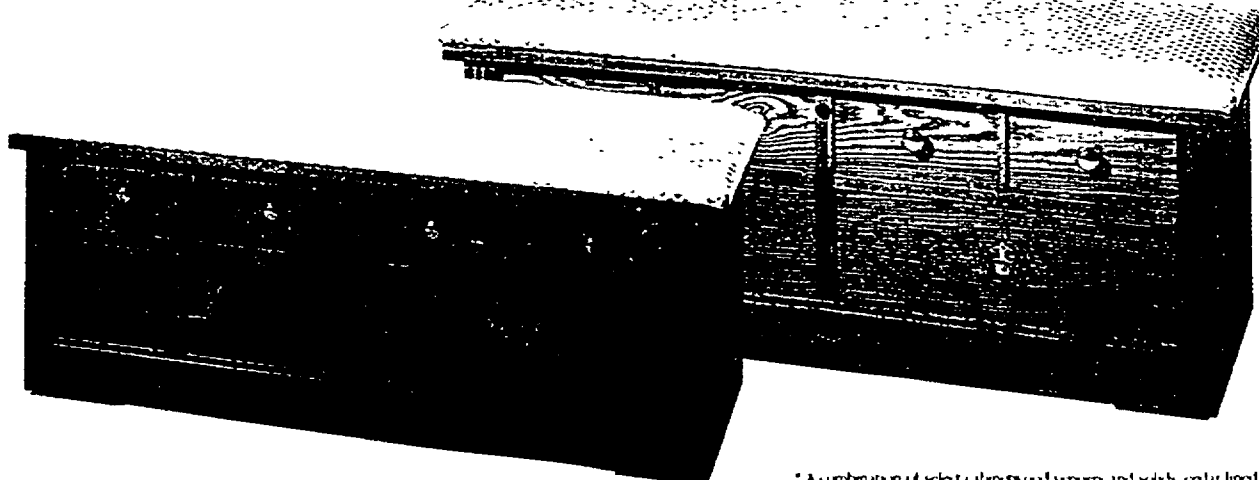
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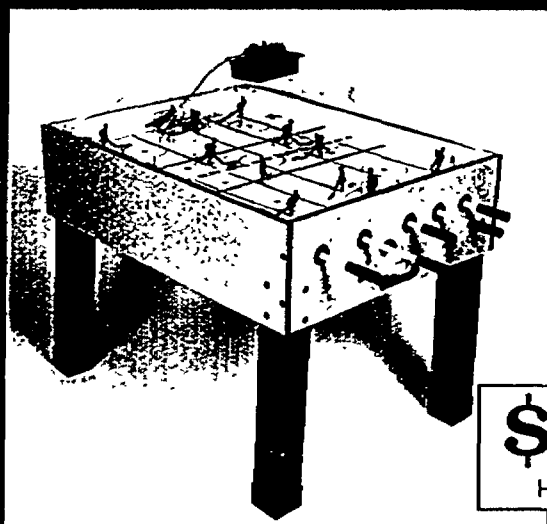


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Four piece group includes 72" angle top desk, 72" organizer hutch, 40" work connector and a 72" executive desk. Features include tower storage, legal size file drawers, letter drawers, pencil drawers, lighted hutch and lots and lots of work space.

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2 Piece Desk & Hutch

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.

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2 Piece Group

48" Deluxe Work Station

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.

Real Oak Extra Wide 36" Extra Deep 12" Bookcases

30"	\$98.00
36"	\$128.00
48"	\$158.00
60"	\$188.00
72"	\$218.00
84"	\$248.00

"Homework" 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

\$798

6 Pc. Corner Group

ALL
PRODUCTS
FEATURED
ARE FACTORY
ASSEMBLED

Four Piece Corner Group

Unheard of value on this "real oak," factory assembled 4 piece corner group. Includes oversized roll out keyboard/mouse tray, CD-ROM hutch with disc storage and bulletin board, lower level bookshelf and deluxe printer stand with corner unit.

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4 Piece Group

Desk and Return

Features 60" desk with legal size file drawer, letter drawer, pencil drawer, 54" printer return, large roll out and disc drawer roll out for laser printer.

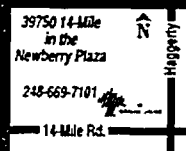
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2 Pc. Desk & Printer Return

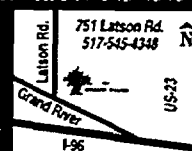
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Lateral File

Lateral File

Real oak lateral file accommodates letter or legal size documents with 125 lb. drawer glides. 38" x 24" x 30"

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4 Drawer File

2 Drawer File

Real oak two drawer file accommodates letter or legal size documents with 85 lb. drawer glides. 21" x 21" x 30"

\$198

2 Drawer File

4 Drawer File

Real oak four drawer file accommodates letter or legal size documents with 85 lb. drawer glides. 21" x 21" x 52"

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URBAN

LOFT



A Cultural Clash Between Traditional & Contemporary

In Manhattan, lofts are the only option for many who migrate to New York with talent, nerve and an undying dream. Communities of young people, artists, and musicians create an eclectic, electric community where cutting-edge styles are born and attitude defines the personality.

Bassett's Urban Loft collection takes its inspiration from this environment. Its wood and metal style is like cultural clash between traditional and contemporary attitudes. It derives its influence from the perspective of urban-scapes and textures. Metal bases and crowns, like spanning bridges, are juxtaposed against warm cherry finishes.

The collection's spirit is in the metropolitan coffee houses that spark spirited discussions, inspire poetry, and serve as the new town hall.

Bassett

Double lateral file	\$548.00
Barrister hutch	\$348.00
2 door cabinet	\$548.00
Corner hutch	\$348.00
Dropleaf desk	\$548.00
Desk hutch	\$248.00
Rolling file	\$348.00
Swivel chair	\$268.00
Computer desk	\$398.00
Mobile tower cart	\$348.00

ELEMENTS

COLLECTION

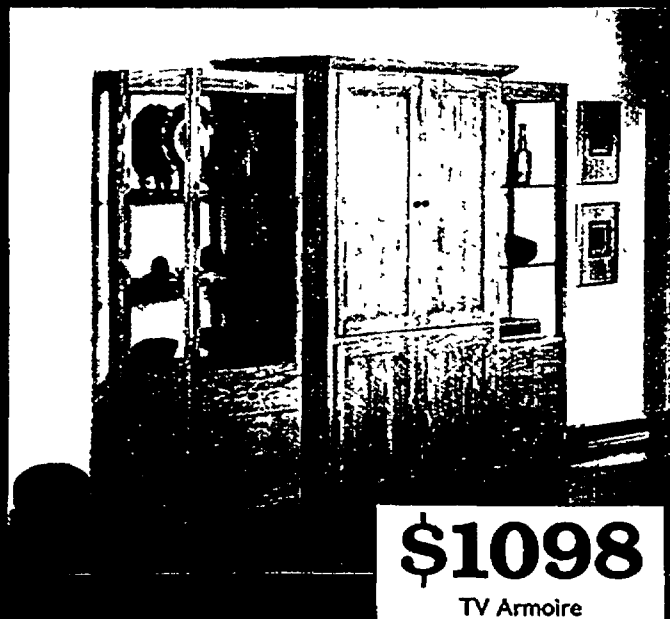
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RIVERSIDE
FURNITURE

"Elements" Collection from Riverside Furniture

Crafted of premium ash solids and select ash veneers in a rich satin natural finish. Drawer pulls are in a softly brushed nickel finish. Casual, functional and elegant in design.

Monitor Size Entertainment Wall

TV Armoire with Pocket Doors\$1098.00
Bunching Audio Display Units.....\$498.00



\$1098

TV Armoire

\$1298

3 Piece Desk Set



Corner Workstation

3 Pc. Desk Set\$1298.00
Corner Organizer Hutch\$298.00

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Home Office Collection

Inspired by the arts and crafts movement and crafted in the United States by skilled craftsmen in rich burnished oak solids and select oak veneers. Billy Bob's newest arrival to its Home Office Collection.



Arts and Crafts

- Desk chair. \$168.00
- Barrister cabinet. . . \$948.00

\$598

53" Bookcase Desk

SPECIAL PURCHASE



Leather Executive Seating

100% top grain leather made in the USA. Gas charged lift adjustment. Choice of: black, burgundy, hunter green or ivory leather.

A . . . \$698.00
B . . . \$548.00
C . . . \$598.00

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Mission Door Bookcase

Mission Door Bookcase

- 50" w x 19"d x 62"h
- Rift cut oak solids
- Leaded glass doors

Bassett

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Hide A Center

Mission Hide A Center

51" wide. Bi-fold doors conceal your home office.

**SMART
VALUES!**

BIG SCREEN, HOME THEATER FURNITURE

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As Shown

Big Screen Expandable Wall

- Rich golden oak
- Lighted display areas with dimmer
- Holds 222 CDs or 90 VHS tapes
- Expands to hold all big screens up to 60"
- Room for all your components
- Surround sound ready

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As Shown

Traditional Oak Big Screen Wall

- Rich medium oak finish
- Lighted display areas with dimmer control
- Vertical tape drawers hold 222 CDs or 90 VHS tapes
- Solid oak raised panel doors
- Fits all big screens up to 60" wide
- Removable speaker inserts
- Surround sound ready

Colors Collection From Kenwood

- Holds 35" big screen
- 2 tone finish: Midnight Rose/Sandlewood
- VCR storage
- Glass doored audio cabinets
- Pocket doors conceal TV when not in use
- Lots of storage drawers
- Made in the USA

\$1798

As Shown

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3 Piece A/V Wall

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Smart Values

MICHIGAN'S
BIG SCREEN ENTERTAINMENT
LARGEST SELECTION

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FURNISHINGS

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100" 3 Piece Traditional Monitor Size Wall System

- Rich golden oak finish
- Crafted with solid oak and select oak veneers
- Accommodates all 35" TVs and most 40" size TVs
- Beveled glass and brass doors
- Lighted display areas
- Vertical tape storage drawers
- Lots of concealed storage



\$1998

As Shown

WAMBOLD
furniture

Crystal Falls Big Screen Wall

Expands to hold all big screens up to 60" wide. Your choice of golden oak or whitewash oak. **IN STOCK!**



NEW CENTURY HOME THEATER

• Lighted 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 hinges

• Interchangeable oak and speaker grille inserts

Add beautiful accent corner wedges \$298.00 ea.

Great Choices

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4 Piece Wall System

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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!

6 MONTHS SAME AS CASH!



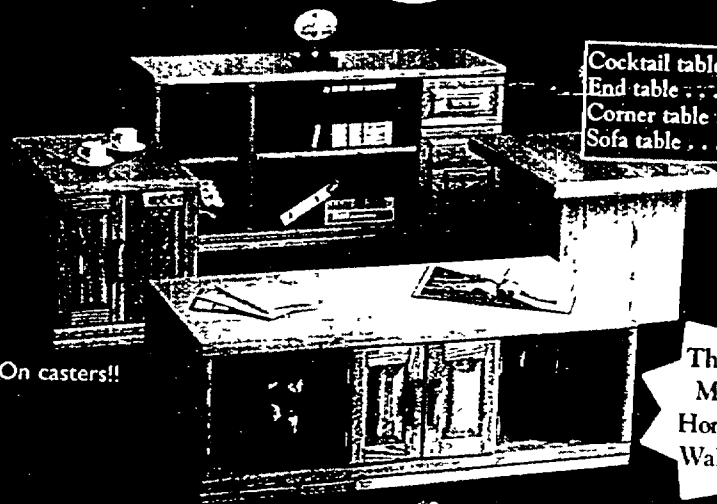
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4 Piece Wall



On casters!!

Cocktail table . . . \$298.00
End table . . . \$248.00
Corner table . . . \$198.00
Sofa table . . . \$298.00

These Tables
Match Our
Home Theater
Wall Systems!

Stretch Out In Style

Our ultimate expandable home theater wall will accommodate any big screen TV up to 60". Left and right piers with light bridge feature two lighted curio display areas, glass door storage for all your audio and video components, two speaker-grille doors and storage for 120 VHS tapes or 240 CDs. Add beautiful accent corner wedges for only \$148.00 ea.

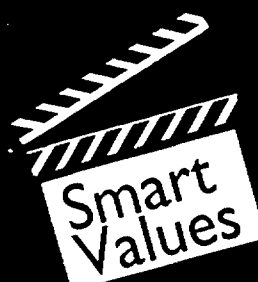


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4 Piece Oak Wall

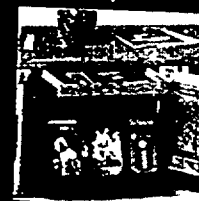
4 Piece Expandable Big Screen Wall

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.



On casters!!

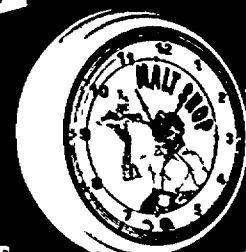
*Super cocktail table features:



Hidden remote
drawer and 30
VHS space



75 CDs space

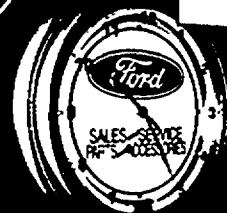


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Neon Clocks

50's Neon Clocks

Neon clocks that recreate the 50's look. 18" diameter crafted with steel. Glass enclosed neon.



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Home Entertainment Choices!!!

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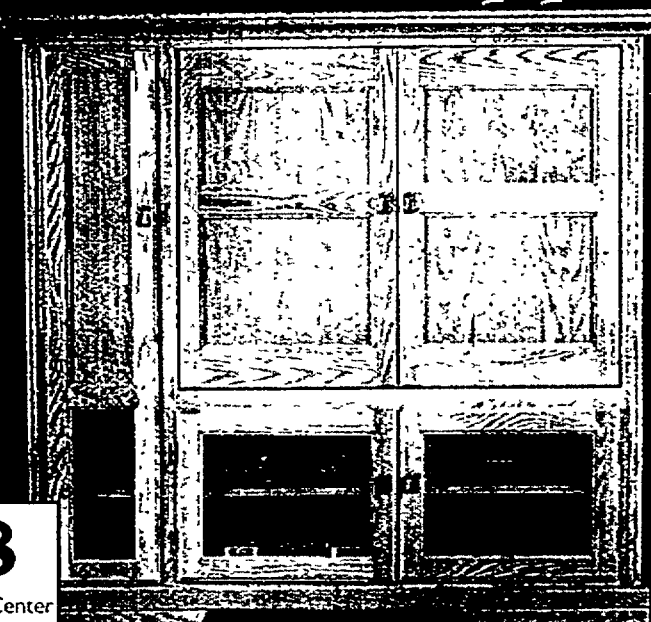


35" Big Screen Traditional Oak Corner Entertainment Center

- 57" w x 27" d x 65" h
- Solid oak raised panels
- Brass glass storage drawers
- VCR storage area
- In-stock ready to fill that empty corner

\$998

35" B g Screen
Entertainment Center



\$798

Mission Entertainment Center

35" Big Screen Mission Entertainment Center

- 62" w x 58" h x 24" d
- Real oak construction
- Tape library side unit
- Pocket doors conceal your TV when not in use
- Glass storage doors allow for remote control use

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NO INTEREST
NO PAYMENTS
FOR 6 MONTHS
ON
EVERYTHING!

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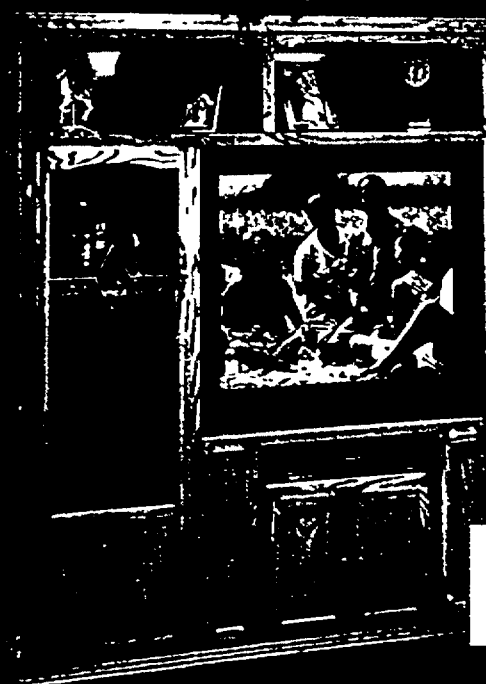
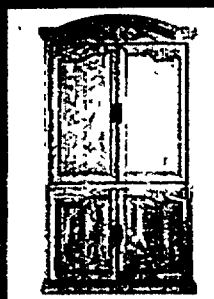


Traditional Oak TV Armoire

Features include: Pocket door adjustable component shelves, door storage area and room for your 35" TV.
45" x 26" x 79"

\$898

Traditional Oak Armoire



35" Big Screen Traditional Oak Entertainment Unit

- 61" w x 74" h x 21" d
- Lighted display storage
- Twin vertical tape drawers
- Brass and glass audio door
- VCR storage
- Holds 35" big screen
- Made in the U.S.A.



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Traditional Oak Center

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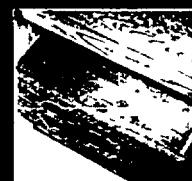
All Bedroom Groups Include:



•All dressers, chests and armoires feature a velvet hideaway drawer



•Headboard has deep storage and velvet hideaway drawer



•Top drawers of all dressers, chests and armoires are cedar-lined

MASSIVE SOLID OAK QUEEN SIZE POSTER BED

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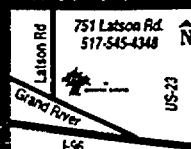
Queen Size Poster Bed



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"New Century" Transitional Oak Bedroom

Features cedar lined drawers and hidden jewelry storage drawer.
King size available at \$698.00.

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

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"Bay View" Contemporary Oak Bedroom

Features beveled back mirror, hidden jewelry storage drawers, lighted headboard and storage areas and 5 foot height on bedroom.
King size available at \$698.00.

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QUEEN SIZE OAK BEDWALL

\$598

Queen Bedwall



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

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4 x 8 Pool Table



- Rich golden oak finish
- Italian slate
- K-66 profile cushions
- Leather pockets
- Pearlized sights
- All wood construction

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Oak Corona 3.5 x 7 Pool Table

- 3.5 x 7 size pool table
- Oak solids and oak veneers (no particle board)
- 1" thick Italian slate
- RC Italian leather pockets
- Oversized solid oak rails
- Center cross beam construction
- Choice of 25 cloth colors
- 24 tables to sell

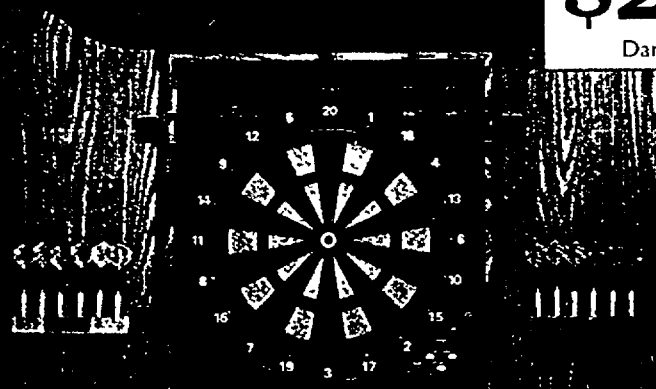
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Pool Table

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Dart Set

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Electronic Dart Board

Complete with cabinet and darts. Ready to play. Eight player with team option plus 28 games and cricket.



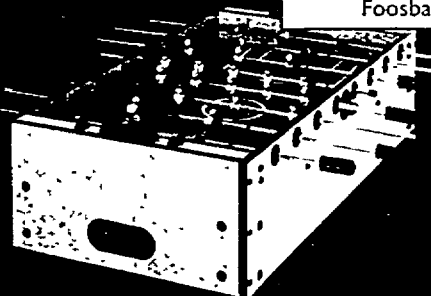
Five Piece Solid Oak Game Set

Five piece set includes 52" octagon two in one solid oak table, one side for casual dining, flip it over for serious game playing on other side and four casino styled castered game chairs. Quantities limited.

Soccer Table

Enjoy hours of endless fun!

- 54"L x 29"W x 34"H regulation size
- 1/2" thick high pressure playing surface
- Granitized cabinet
- 4" post style legs
- Ball return
- Score keeper

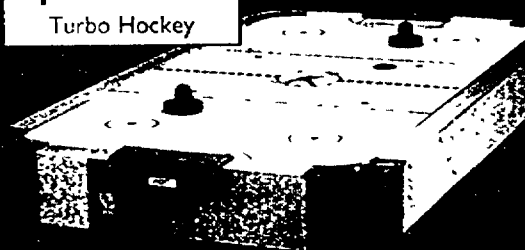


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Foosball

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Turbo Hockey

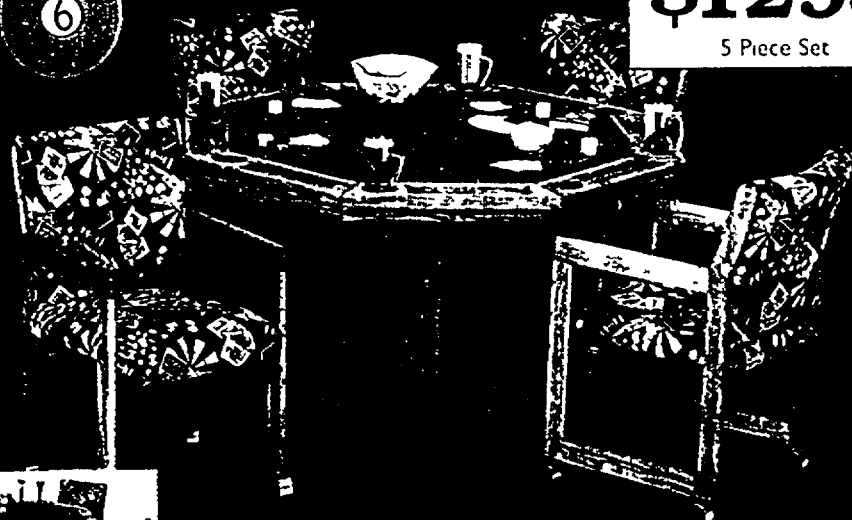


Impactor Turbo Hockey

- Rounded corners
- Heavy duty frame
- 4" solid postlegs
- "Scratch Proof" playing surface
- Extruded aluminum rails
- Includes playing equipment
- 72"L x 38"W x 31"H

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5 Piece Set



GREAT CHOICES

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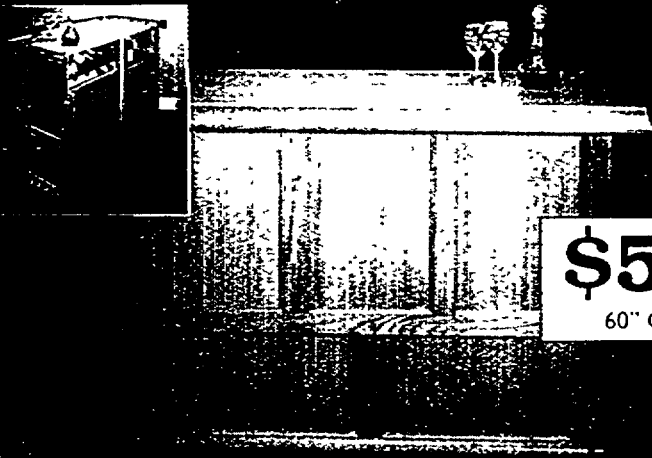


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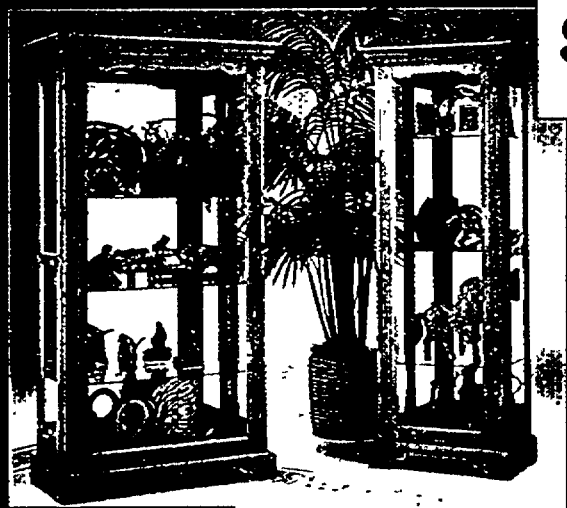


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60" Oak Bar

60" Oak Bar

- 60" real oak counter bar
- Brass foot rail
- Wine rack
- Adjustable back shelves
- Large 24" x 60" counter surface
- Crafted with oak solids and select oak veneers
- Quantities are limited
- 50 units available



\$398

28" Wide Case

\$598

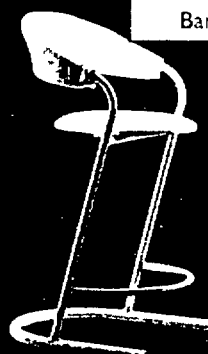
40" Wide Case



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Kenwood Collector Cases

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.



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Bar Stool

Contemporary Stools

Stocked in hunter green, white or black. In both 24" counter or 30" bar heights.

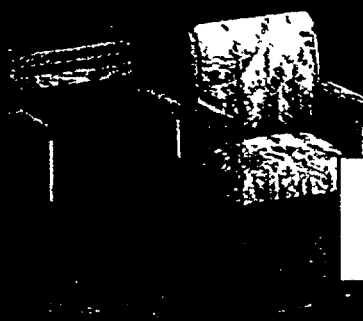
\$88

Bar Stool



Arrow Back Swiveling Bar Chair

24" counter or 30" bar heights. Stocked in hunter green, white or natural.



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Oak Bar Stool

Solid Oak Swivel Bar Stool

Extra deep seating stocked in 30" bar height or 24" counter height.

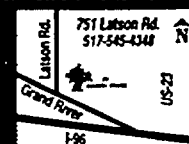
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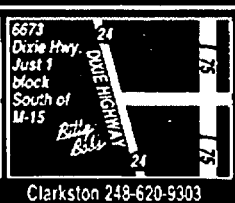
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HOURS:
Mon - Sat 10am - 9pm
Sun 12pm - 6pm



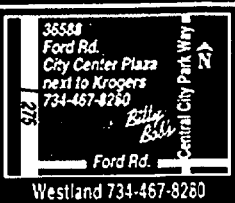
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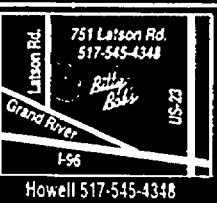
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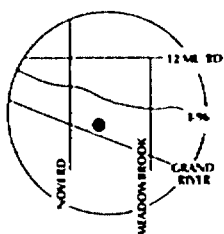
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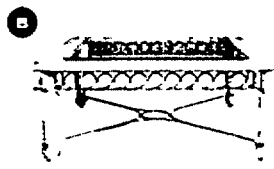
Surprise yourself with Thomasville.

They say it's better to give than to receive. This holiday season present yourself with a magnificent Thomasville ensemble. The vast selection, fine quality and impressive styles are sure to enhance any setting. Simply add chestnuts and an open fire and let the holidays begin.



A. Set up a sumptuous spread and score major points for presentation

BRIDGES COCKTAIL TABLE
MSR \$750 • SALE \$419



B. Display your holiday hors d'oeuvres with flair

CIRRUS COCKTAIL TABLE
MSR \$825 • SALE \$449

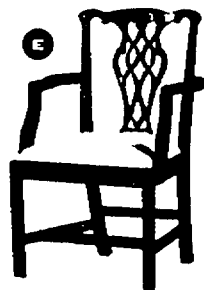


C. Make this cozy slipover sofa your perfect place to crash after the holiday cleanup.

COASTAL SLIPCOVER SOFA MSR \$2,655 • SALE \$1,499



D. Even your poinsettia can have a perfect place to perch. Height: 42-3/4" Base: 18" Dia. Top: 14" Dia.
PLANT STAND
SALE \$199



E. Pick up a stately throne for your little prince or princess
16-1/2" W
14-1/2" D
24-7/8" H
CHILD'S CHAIR
SALE \$199



F. This handsome hideaway is the ideal spot to house any treasure.
13-1/4" W x
9-7/8" D
20-7/8" H
CHAIRSIDE CHEST
SALE \$99

HURRY! QUANTITIES ON THESE GREAT HOLIDAY GIFTS ARE LIMITED.



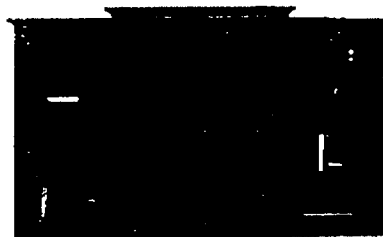
G. Whether the occasion involves office mates, family or friends, Thomasville provides the perfect ambience for an enchanting evening

LIVING ROOM

EVITA SOFA • MSR \$2,265 • SALE \$1,199
MARILYN CHAIR • MSR \$1,215 • SALE \$649
ENCOUNTER ROUND COCKTAIL TABLE • MSR \$735 • SALE \$399
ENCOUNTER STORAGE CHEST • MSR \$735 • SALE \$399
ENCOUNTER CHAIRSIDE TABLE • MSR \$450 • SALE \$249

ADDITIONAL STYLES AND FABRICS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE IN THIS COLLECTION. COME IN AND SET YOUR SIGHTS ON ALL THE POSSIBILITIES.

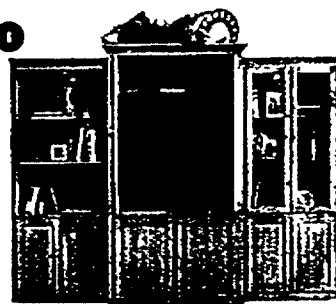
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H. When space is at a premium, this low profile configuration provides maximum storage. There's even room to hide last minute gifts! Height: 55-1/8"

BRIDGES ENTERTAINMENT CENTER
MSR \$3,435 • SALE \$1,895

I



I. Magically transform your living room from an electronics showroom to a stylish entertainment mecca. Height: 81"

CROSSINGS ENTERTAINMENT CENTER
MSR \$4,545 • SALE \$2,495

J



J. Conceal your electronics eyesore behind a traditional look of elegance. Height: 77-3/8"

MARTINIQUE ENTERTAINMENT CENTER
MSR \$2,385 • SALE \$1,295

ENTERTAINMENT CENTERS

The three striking entertainment centers featured are available at the same pricing in each of five attractive groups, including Bridges, Crossings, Martinique, Pacific Grove and Winston Court.

Thomasville... we've got the styles to fit your lifestyle!



Quick

K. Some of the most luxurious furnishings wear leather to the party.

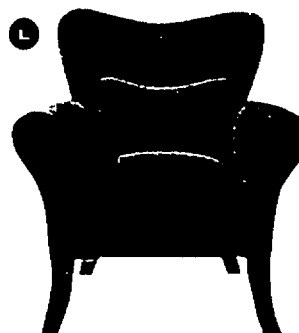
LEATHER LIVING ROOM

CHRISTINA SOFA . MSR \$2,985 • SALE \$1,699
CHRISTINA CHAIR . MSR \$2,310 • SALE \$1,299
CHRISTINA OTTOMAN . MSR \$675 • SALE \$399
ENCOUNTER COCKTAIL
TABLE MSR \$690 • SALE \$379
ENCOUNTER OVAL LAMP
TABLE MSR \$585 • SALE \$329

L. Talk about your accent piece! The red velvet Marilyn chair is never one to shy away from attention.

MARILYN CHAIR . . MSR \$1,215 • SALE \$699

L



QUICK SHIP PROMISE:

Once the Thomasville factory has received your order, it will ship within 72 hours to your retailer.

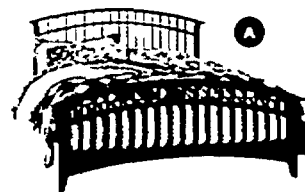
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Quick

Thomasville
Quick ship

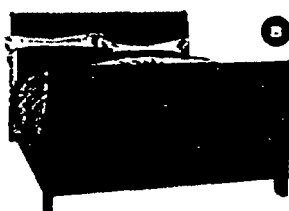
**MAKE TIME FOR
SOME BEAUTY SLEEP.**

Bring us your weary. Bring us your tired. With these dreamy bed styles, you can rest easy no matter what your selection.



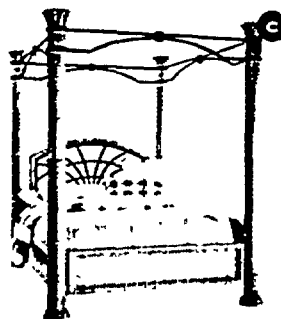
A. Enjoy a casual country look resembling the careful craftsmanship of the 19th century Shaker artisans.

BRIDGES SPINDLE BED (QUEEN)
MSR \$1,335 • SALE \$699



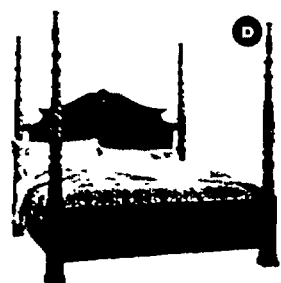
B. Stylish simplicity and a subtle low-sheen cherry finish create an elegant design.

MARTINIQUE SLEIGH BED (QUEEN)
MSR \$1,950 • SALE \$999



C. This romantic bed really sets the mood. All you need is a bowl of grapes and someone to serve them.

STONE TERRACE POSTER BED (QUEEN)
MSR \$3,690 • SALE \$1,998

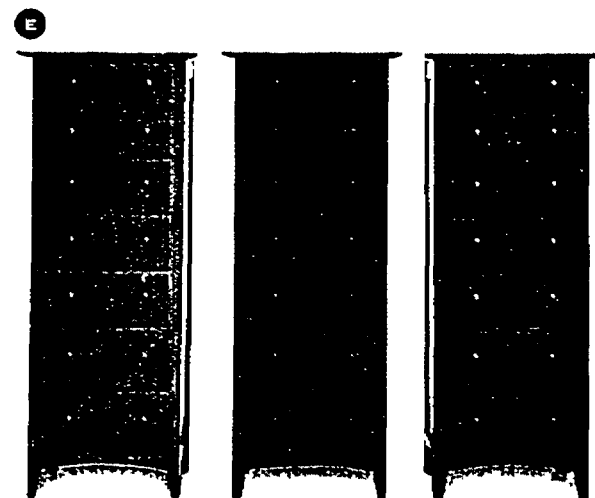


D. Unusual and ornate, but not stuffy, this bed offers a relaxed approach to 18th century English styling.

TRAFALGAR SQUARE POSTER BED (QUEEN)
MSR \$3,150 • SALE \$1,695

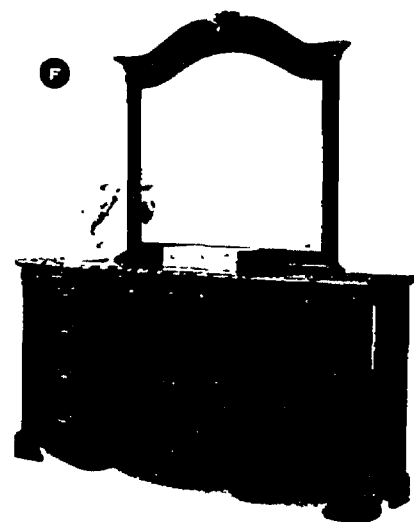
Settle down for a long winter's nap.

Maybe bears are a lot more intelligent than we realize. Snoozing through several chilly months doesn't sound too bad. The downside — you'd miss out on all of the holiday feasts.



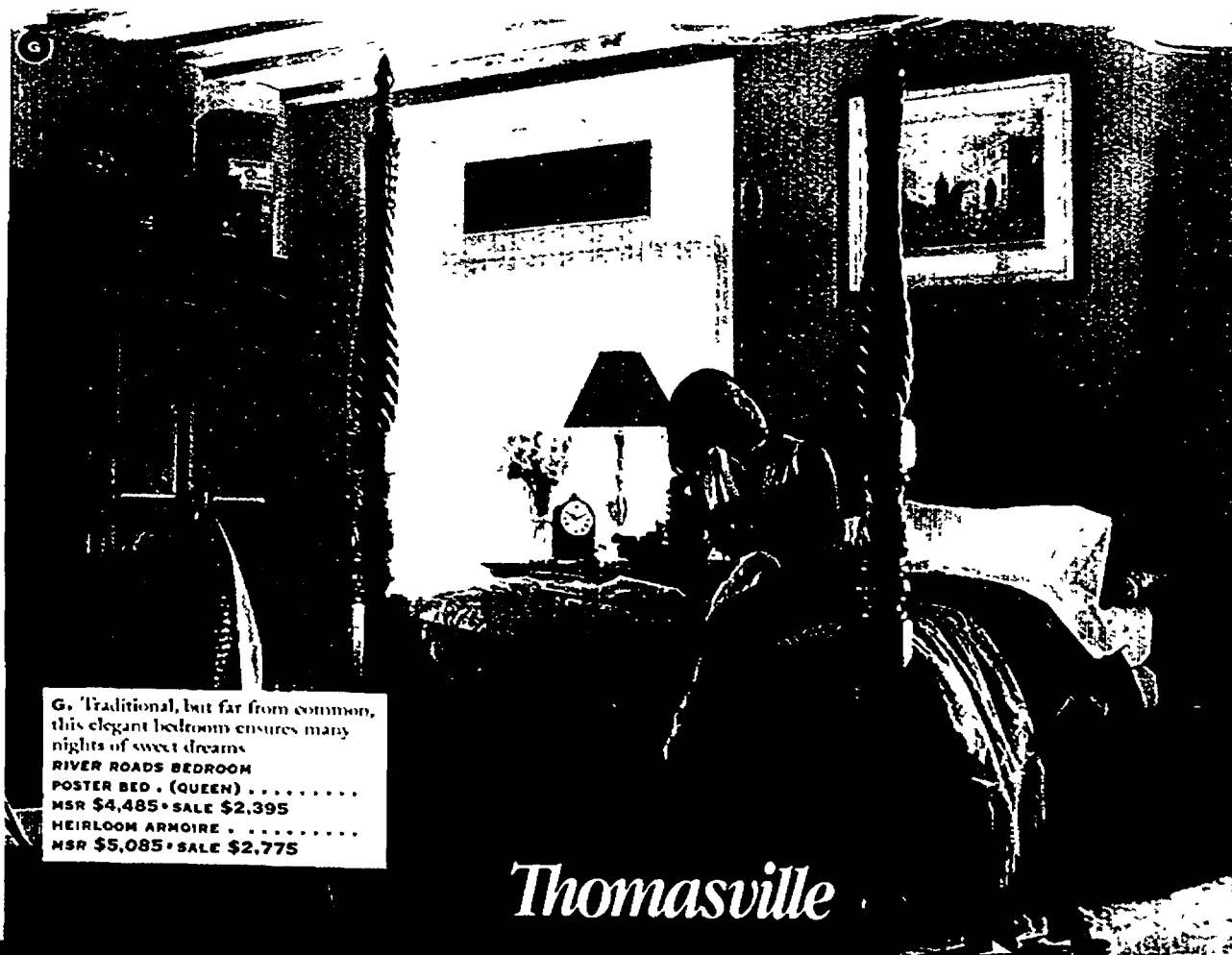
E. These seven drawer chests can hold a variety of treasures or secrets. Available in Sky Blue, Raspberry and Evergreen finishes.

FINISHING TOUCHES LINGERIE CHEST . . . MSR \$1,140 • SALE \$625



F. This time-honored dresser, shown here with a marble top, offers an abundance of storage with nine drawers and two doors to stash your unfolded laundry.

**RIVER ROADS
DRESSER (MARBLE TOP) & MIRROR MSR \$5,670 • SALE \$3,105
DRESSER (WOOD TOP) & MIRROR MSR \$4,470 • SALE \$2,445**



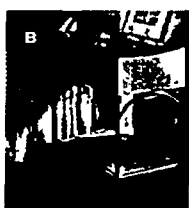
G. Traditional, but far from common, this elegant bedroom ensures many nights of sweet dreams.
**RIVER ROADS BEDROOM
POSTER BED . (QUEEN)**
MSR \$4,485 • SALE \$2,395
HEIRLOOM ARMOIRE
MSR \$5,085 • SALE \$2,775

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A. This solid stand offers three drawers to foster the appearance of a neatly kept bedroom.

ENCOUNTER ROUND NIGHT STAND
MSR \$915 • SALE \$495



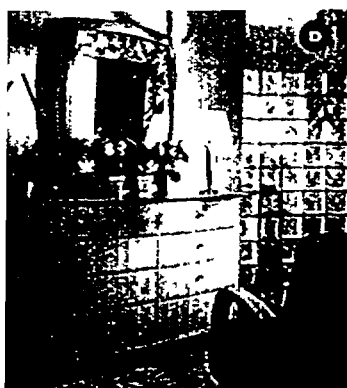
B. If you prefer an open look, select this one drawer piece with a bottom shelf for magazines.

ENCOUNTER GRANITE TOP NIGHT STAND
MSR \$1,095 • SALE \$595



C. Six roomy drawers comprise this impressive piece.

ENCOUNTER CHEST MSR \$1,650 • SALE \$895



D. This eight-drawer dresser is for the man or woman who has everything and needs somewhere to put it.

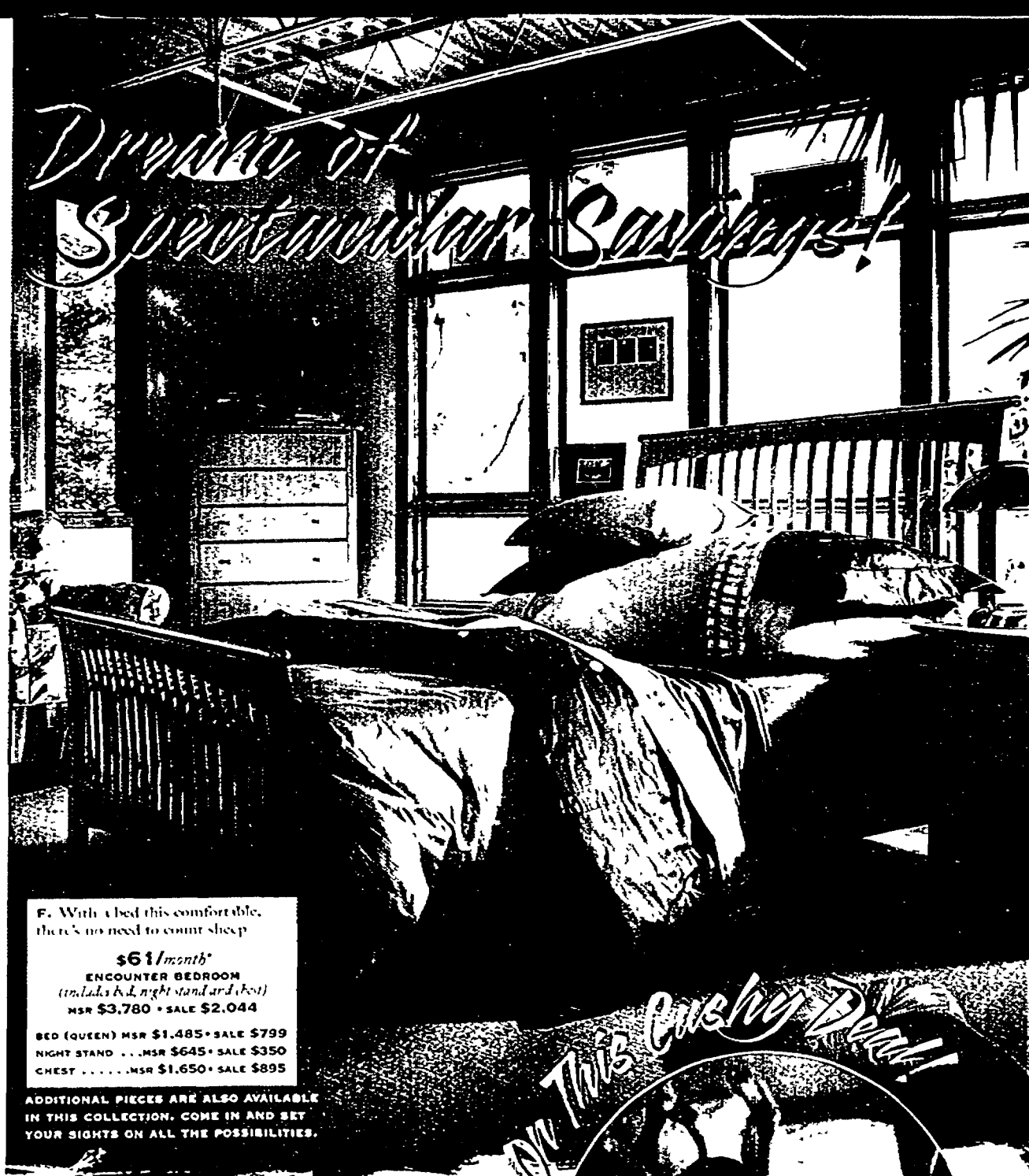
ENCOUNTER DRESSER & MIRROR
MSR \$2,355 • SALE \$1,305



E. Arrange your fine linens on the shelves behind the beautifully frosted doors and conceal your TV in the compartment above.

ENCOUNTER MASTER CHEST
MSR \$3,285 • SALE \$1,795

Dreams of Spectacular Savings!



F. With a bed this comfortable, there's no need to count sheep.

\$61/month*
ENCOUNTER BEDROOM
(includes bed, night stand and chest)
MSR \$3,780 • SALE \$2,044

BED (QUEEN) MSR \$1,485 • SALE \$799
NIGHT STAND . . . MSR \$645 • SALE \$350
CHEST MSR \$1,650 • SALE \$895

ADDITIONAL PIECES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE
IN THIS COLLECTION. COME IN AND SET
YOUR SIGHTS ON ALL THE POSSIBILITIES.

Sleep On This Cushy Deal!



...and visions of spectacular savings danced through their heads. Over 100 years of experience has gone into the hand-crafting of America's finest mattress products. Thomasville mattresses offer the best warranty available and feature all natural upholstery materials such as 100% cotton, wool, silk and latex. For a limited time, all of Thomasville's premium mattress sets are on sale — queen size from as low as \$599 per set!

PREMIUM MATTRESS SETS
QUEEN SIZE FROM \$599 PER SET

Let Thomasville treat you
to some holiday inspiration.



A. Gather your loved ones for a spirited toast in your Elysée dining room. The matching china offers plenty of space for those holiday serving dishes.

\$228/month*

ELYSÉE DINING ROOM
(includes dining table, 4 side chairs,
2 arm chairs and china)

MSR \$14,130 • SALE \$7,595

RECTANGULAR DINING TABLE

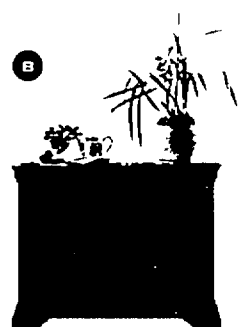
MSR \$2,985 • SALE \$1,595

SIDE CHAIR (EACH) • MSR \$825 • SALE \$445

ARM CHAIR (EACH) • MSR \$930 • SALE \$500

CHINA • MSR \$5,985 • SALE \$3,220

ADDITIONAL STYLES AND FABRICS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE IN THIS COLLECTION.
COME IN AND SET YOUR EYES ON ALL THE POSSIBILITIES.



B. The Elysée mobile server features a drawer with silver tray, three doors, casters and a marble top great for serving holiday appetizers.

ELYSÉE MOBILE SERVER

.....MSR \$2,685 • SALE \$1,475

C. Rekindle the romance in this cozy bedroom. Shown in Amaretto finish.

COLLECTOR'S CHERRY BEDROOM

.....MSR \$3,270 • SALE \$1,700

SLEIGH BED (QUEEN)

.....MSR \$2,395 • SALE \$1,225

NIGHT STAND ..MSR \$885 • SALE \$475



\$118/month*
LIVING ROOM
 (includes sofa, chair and 3 tables shown)
 MSR \$7,215 • SALE \$3,945



E. Receding panel doors, two top compartments, two bottom drawers and side bookcases elegantly house your entertainment components

ENCOUNTER ENTERTAINMENT CENTER
 MSR \$4,335 • SALE \$2,395



F. Two large doors conceal your television, with bottom doors for your blossoming video library

TRAFALGAR SQUARE ENTERTAINMENT CENTER
 MSR \$3,285 • SALE \$1,695

\$51/month*
COLLECTOR'S CHERRY BEDROOM
 (includes sleigh bed and night stand)
 MSR \$3,270 • SALE \$1,700

\$98/month*
LIVING ROOM
 (includes sofa, wing chair and cocktail table)
 MSR \$5,985 • SALE \$3,263

D. Now there's no need to jostle for the comfy chair. Whether you perch on the plush sofa or chair, you can lounge in luxuriating comfort

BRUNSWICK LIVING ROOM
 MSR \$7,215 • SALE \$3,945

BRUNSWICK SOFA
MSR \$3,465 • SALE \$1,899
BRUNSWICK CHAIR
MSR \$1,545 • SALE \$849
TRAFALGAR SQUARE COCKTAIL TABLE
MSR \$735 • SALE \$399
TRAFALGAR SQUARE LAMP TABLE
MSR \$735 • SALE \$399
TRAFALGAR SQUARE END TABLE
MSR \$735 • SALE \$399

G. Reminisce about the good old days, make plans for the future, or simply veg in your cozy living room this holiday season

LIVING ROOM
 MSR \$5,985 • SALE \$3,263

SOFAMSR \$2,880 • SALE \$1,599
WING CHAIR MSR \$2,070 • SALE \$1,099
COMMONWEALTH SQUARE COCKTAIL TABLE
MSR \$1,035 • SALE \$565
COMMONWEALTH ACCENT CHEST
MSR \$1,185 • SALE \$675

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If variety is the spice of life, Thomasville is choc-full of seasonings. The fashionable elegance, unparalleled quality and distinctive designs are tailor-made to fit your individual lifestyle. Thomasville offers over 1,000 upholstery fabrics and a vast array of style and fashion choices. For those who have more difficulty than Congress reaching a decision, just ask one of our friendly consultants for assistance. At our Thomasville Idea Center, you're sure to find the perfect furnishings for your home.



COLOR café

ORDER UP A PERFECT COMBINATION AT THE COLOR CAFÉ.

No matter what your style, the Color Café has a special for you! Choose from five table and chair styles, including Shaker, Casual Contemporary, French, Country and Transitional. A buffet and china are also in the lineup. And if you're in the mood for a hot toddy on a cold evening, you can elect for a fashionable bar stool to match your kitchen island. Whatever style and finish options you choose, you can be sure that the Color Café will serve up a beautiful combination.

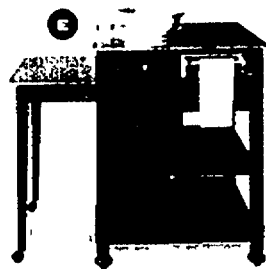
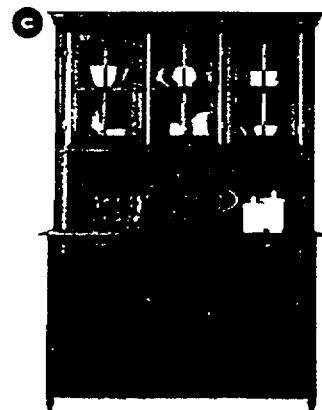
Color Café items are available in 12 delicious flavors.



A. SHAKER BARSTOOL
30" high x 14" wide x 24" deep
MSR \$360 • SALE \$199
24" high x 14" wide x 24" deep
MSR \$330 • SALE \$185

B. FRENCH BARSTOOL
24" high x 14" wide x 24" deep
MSR \$390 • SALE \$215
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30" high x 14" wide x 24" deep
MSR \$420 • SALE \$230
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MSR \$420 • SALE \$230

C. COLOR CAFÉ BUFFET AND DECK MSR \$2,985 • SALE \$1,695
D. COLOR CAFÉ BUFFET AND DECK MSR \$2,685 • SALE \$1,490
E. COLOR CAFÉ ISLAND MSR \$2,325 • SALE \$1,295



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IT'S QUICK. IT'S EASY. AND YOU CAN RUN A TAB.



Financing is available on approved credit via the Thomasville MasterCard credit card issued by Dial National Bank. The annual percentage rate may vary. As of July 1, 1998, the APR was 18.40%. The monthly payment and finance charge shown are based on the purchase of the specified item only, and based on the assumption that you have no outstanding balance on the Thomasville Line of Credit. Additional transactions may affect your actual monthly payment and the finance charge you pay. This information does not apply to your regular MasterCard line of credit, which has different terms. Note: If a downpayment is required, the amount of percentage of the downpayment must be disclosed.

COLOR CAFÉ COUNTRY



TABLE . . . MSR \$1,305 • SALE \$735



ARM CHAIR
SIDE CHAIR



MSR \$420 • SALE \$240
MSR \$345 • SALE \$190

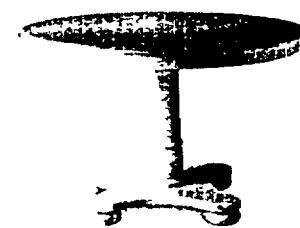


TABLE . . . MSR \$1,365 • SALE \$795



ARM CHAIR
SIDE CHAIR



MSR \$435 • SALE \$250
MSR \$405 • SALE \$225

COLOR CAFÉ SHAKER



TABLE . . . MSR \$945 • SALE \$535



ARM CHAIR
SIDE CHAIR



MSR \$405 • SALE \$230
MSR \$330 • SALE \$160

COLOR CAFÉ CASUAL CONTEMPORARY



TABLE . . . MSR \$1,395 • SALE \$775



ARM CHAIR
SIDE CHAIR



MSR \$390 • SALE \$215
MSR \$300 • SALE \$165

COLOR CAFÉ FRENCH



TABLE . . . MSR \$1,575 • SALE \$895



ARM CHAIR
SIDE CHAIR



MSR \$480 • SALE \$275
MSR \$390 • SALE \$225



A. Beveled glass doors, adjustable glass shelves, a mirrored back and dimmer switch lighting combine to display your holiday china in style.

COLLECTOR'S CHERRY CHINA TABLE
MSR \$5,085 • SALE \$2,595

B. Light some candles, have a seat and enjoy your holiday feast in elegance. The huntboard offers plenty of room for displaying those homemade pies.

COLLECTOR'S CHERRY DINING ROOM

OVAL DINING TABLE

.....MSR \$1,950 • SALE \$1,030

SIDE CHAIR (EACH)

.....MSR \$630 • SALE \$340

ARM CHAIR (EACH)

.....MSR \$750 • SALE \$405

HUNTBOARD MSR \$2,085 • SALE \$1,105

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*Create holiday memories with
an exquisite dining ensemble.*



C. Generous detailing and simulated time-worn finish create a unique dining ensemble. Holiday spills won't be a concern with the coordinating slipcover chairs.

TRAFALGAR SQUARE DINING ROOM

DINING TABLEMSR \$2,685 • SALE \$1,480

SLIPCOVER SIDE CHAIR (EACH)MSR \$855 • SALE \$499



D. Encounter this contemporary design and you can do your holiday hosting in style.

ENCOUNTER DINING ROOM

ROUND DINING TABLEMSR \$915 • SALE \$495

SLIPCOVER SIDE CHAIR (EACH)MSR \$810 • SALE \$449

SIDEBOARDMSR \$1,895 • SALE \$1,095



E. Winston Court provides the perfect setting for hosting a formal dinner party or a casual get together.

WINSTON COURT DINING ROOM

OVAL DINING TABLEMSR \$1,395 • SALE \$775

SIDE CHAIR (EACH)MSR \$420 • SALE \$230

ARM CHAIR (EACH)MSR \$480 • SALE \$260

CHINAMSR \$2,745 • SALE \$1,480

FLIP-TOP MOBILE SERVERMSR \$1,575 • SALE \$875

ADDITIONAL STYLES AND FABRICS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE IN THESE COLLECTIONS. COME IN AND SET YOUR SIGHTS ON ALL THE POSSIBILITIES.

Lounge with someone special

As we draw ever closer to those dreaded New Year's resolutions, it's time to make one you can't ignore. This year, resolve to spend some quality time with your friends in your new ultra-comfortable furnishings.

A. If you really want to be a renaissance man or woman, simply pick up this attractive group and recount a few fabricated escapades.

MARRAKESH LIVING ROOM

MARRAKESH SOFA • MSR \$4,620 • SALE \$2,399
MARRAKESH CHAIR • MSR \$3,720 • SALE \$1,899
MARRAKESH OTTOMAN • MSR \$900 • SALE \$529
RENAISSANCE AVIGNON SQUARE COCKTAIL TABLE
MSR \$1,785 • SALE \$975
RENAISSANCE SQUARE LAMP TABLE
MSR \$1,575 • SALE \$875
RENAISSANCE FLEUR DE LIS PEDESTAL TABLE
MSR \$1,185 • SALE \$650

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Matching loveseats, chairs and ottomans also available in these styles.



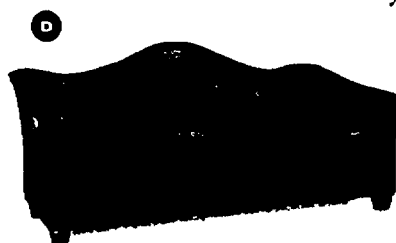
B. Pass the bon bons and be of good cheer. Lawn mowing season is far away and it's much too cold to do anything productive.

LEATHER SOFA MSR \$4,092 • SALE \$2,099



C. In Marrakesh the average winter and summer temperatures are a pleasant 40° and a balmy 101°. In my mind, I've gone to Marrakesh.

LEATHER SOFA MSR \$3,960 • SALE \$1,999



D. Don't let the dead of winter get you down. Find a blender and have a fiesta!

LEATHER SOFA MSR \$3,750 • SALE \$2,199



E. Several in-laws can recline on this roomy sofa. Caveat — the utter comfort might deter their departure.

LEATHER SOFA MSR \$2,640 • SALE \$1,199



F. Make sure you're in a great position for your next business deal!
Quick Ship item

DESK CHAIR
MSR \$1,845 • SALE \$999

G. Your home office may not be a Fortune 500 company, but then again most CEOs can't take morning calls in their robes. If you're in need of some extra room to build your empire, this "U" configuration provides a multi-purpose arrangement. *Crafted in maple with a Merlot finish*

HOME COMPUTER WORKSTATION
(CHAIR NOT INCLUDED)
MSR \$6,135 • SALE \$3,360

PENINSULA DESK	.....MSR \$930 • SALE \$510
BRIDGING DESK	.....MSR \$585 • SALE \$320
FUNCTIONAL DESK	.....MSR \$720 • SALE \$395
STORAGE HUTCH	.....MSR \$1,455 • SALE \$795
DESKTOP ORGANIZER	.....MSR \$285 • SALE \$160
MOBILE FILE CABINET	.....MSR \$660 • SALE \$355
KEYBOARD MECHANISM	.....MSR \$420 • SALE \$230
POWERED CPU STORAGE CABINET	.....MSR \$1,080 • SALE \$595
DESK CHAIR	.....MSR \$1,575 • SALE \$869

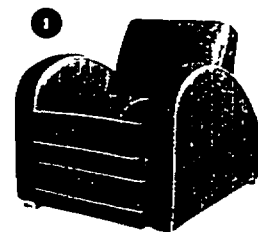
H. For maximum productivity, put yourself in the corner. The corner desk lets you wrap your office components around the perimeter of a room, creating an efficient computer workstation and a protective bunker from the hostile work world. *Crafted in oak with a Cambridge finish*

HOME COMPUTER WORKSTATION
(CHAIR NOT INCLUDED)
MSR \$4,290 • SALE \$2,335

CORNER DESK	.....MSR \$1,065 • SALE \$580
FUNCTIONAL DESK RETURN	.....MSR \$720 • SALE \$395
CPU DOOR CABINET	.....MSR \$360 • SALE \$195
KEYBOARD MECHANISM	.....MSR \$420 • SALE \$230
BOOKCASE HUTCH	.....MSR \$660 • SALE \$355
LATERAL FILE CABINET	.....MSR \$1,065 • SALE \$580
DESK ARM CHAIR	.....MSR \$750 • SALE \$409

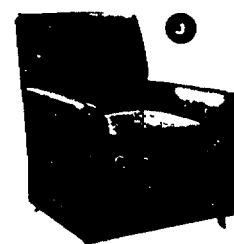
Grab the best seat in the house.

Each of these comfy leather chair styles is available in all 120 colors from our Optima collection.



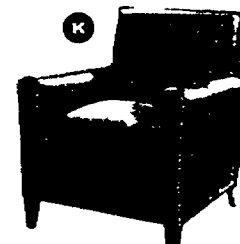
I. A prize for those who could have been contenders

BOXTER CHAIR
MSR \$1,785 • SALE \$999



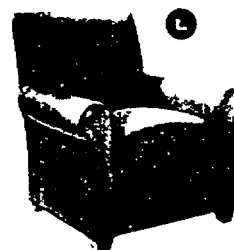
J. And the oscar goes to this outstanding leather chair

OSCAR CHAIR
MSR \$1,785 • SALE \$999



K. A fine throne for the king of the remote control

PHILIPPO CHAIR
MSR \$1,785 • SALE \$999



L. Perfect for any bachelor pad, or reminiscing about those carefree days.

BACHELOR CHAIR
MSR \$1,785 • SALE \$999



M. Play your cards right and this could be your holiday surprise.

SOLITAIRE CHAIR
MSR \$1,785 • SALE \$999

THOMASVILLE QUICK SHIP PROGRAM*

In this fast-paced world we live in, you can only think on your feet for so long. All executive swivel chairs will be shipped within 72 hours of receiving your order at the Thomasville factory.*

*If you choose an optional color, additional shipping time will be required



Color Café
available at Novi
Location Only.

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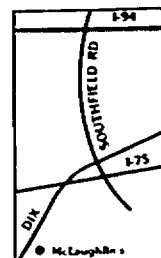
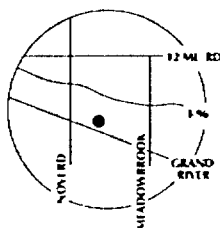
"make it Mc Laughlin's because we treat you better!"

Thomasville Home Furnishings of Novi
McLaughlin's of Southgate

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12 Oaks Mall) (248) 344-2551

14405 Dix, Southgate
(2 blocks N. of Eureka Rd.)
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ULTRA PREMIUM MATTRESS SETS
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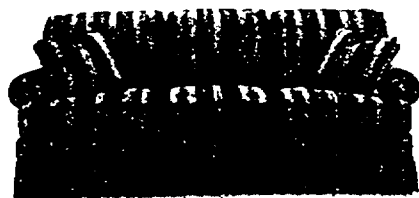
THOMASVILLE

Create Your Own Wonderland.

As the cold months linger, you can always count on your new Thomasville furnishings for warmth and cheer.
Ordering them is as easy as 1-2-3!

1 SELECT THE SOFA FRAME OF YOUR CHOICE.

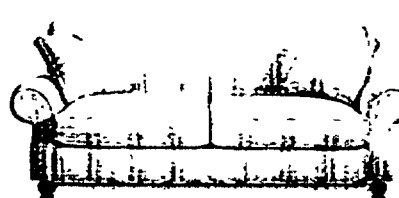
With these options, every pick is a winner. If you can't decide, simply use the time-tested method of drawing names from a hat.



RUSHMORE SOFA



BAKERSFIELD SOFA



PORTOFINO SOFA



SEABROOK SOFA

2 SELECT THE FABRIC OF YOUR CHOICE.

Once again, behind every door is a quality selection, so you can't go wrong.



FABRIC A
\$799



FABRIC B
\$899



FABRIC C
\$999

3 COMBINE YOUR SOFA FRAME AND FABRIC SELECTIONS AND PLACE YOUR ORDER.

It's certainly easier than an income tax form. And you get a great custom-made sofa in the process!

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TOYS 'R' US

AWESOME SELECTION & LOWER PRICES!

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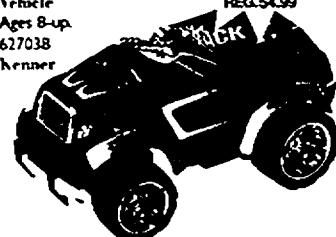
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Complete entry form and deposit at any Toys'R'Us
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Name _____

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City _____ State _____ Zip _____

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NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. Open to U.S. residents 18 years and older who are
licensed drivers. Void in Puerto Rico and where prohibited. Sweepstakes ends 11/30/98.
See participating stores for rules.

Official Rules:

1. To enter, complete the entry form or hand print your name, complete address, and daytime telephone number on a 3"x5" piece of paper. Deposit it at any Toys'R'Us, Kids'R'Us or Babies'R'Us "Let's Go" display between 11/1/98 and 11/30/98, or mail to TRU Box 8010, Amityville, NY 11708. Enter as often as you wish, but entries must be mailed separately, postmarked by 11/30/98 and received by 12/7/98. No liability assumed for lost, late, illegible or misdirected entries.

2. A random drawing will be conducted on or about 12/18/98, from among all entries forwarded by Toys'R'Us stores to Kat'Kev Assoc., who will conduct the drawing under guidelines established by Little & King Co., Inc. whose decisions are final. By entering this sweepstakes, each entrant accepts and agrees to be bound by these rules. All prizes awarded. Odds of winning based on number of entries received. Approximately 42 million entry forms will be available nationwide.

3. Winners will be notified by mail and Grand Prize winners will be required to sign an Affidavit of Eligibility/Liability Release within 10 days of notification date or sponsor reserves the right to randomly determine alternate winner(s). Taxes are winner's responsibility. No prize substitution or transfers. One prize per family/household. Lost, mutilated, misplaced or stolen Geoffrey Dollars will not be replaced. Winner consents to use of his/her name and likeness for advertising/publicity purposes in connection with this promotion without additional compensation.

4. PRIZES: GRAND (10): 1999 Chevy Venture® passenger van in Sandrift Metallic with Neutral Custom Cloth Interior, 4-door, Extended wheel base, 4-speed automatic and other options up to an MSRP (Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price) of \$26,830.00. The Chevy Venture that winners receive will arrive at each winner's home on Valentine's Day morning (2/14/99) and will contain \$250.00 worth of toys, selected by sponsor. Winners will receive that same Chevy Venture van, minus decals or other promotional stickers, as the one delivered to their home. The Chevy Venture winner will be provided with the name and the location of the dealership near their home, where they can pick up the van once all arrangements have been made and proper paperwork has been completed, estimated @ approximately 6-8 weeks. In the event of circumstances beyond sponsor's control, such as a strike by General Motors prior to Valentine's Day morning or within the 6-8 week pickup time, sponsor reserves the right to delay or eliminate the Valentine's Day morning "appearance" of the van, and/or delay winners' anticipated pickup of their prize. All taxes, title, license, registration fees, insurance, cost of travel to dealership to take delivery of vehicle, and other expenses associated with prize not specified herein are the responsibility of each winner. Total value of each winner's prize \$27,080.00. FIRST (25) \$500.00 Shopping Spree at Toys'R'Us. Retail value \$500.00 each. Total retail value of prizes: \$263,300.00.

5. Open to U.S. residents 18 years of age or older who are licensed drivers. Employees and their immediate families of Toys'R'Us, Inc., General Motors Corporation, Chevrolet Division, Kat'Kev Assoc. and Little & King Co., Inc., their affiliates, subsidiaries, vendors, and agencies are not eligible. Void in Puerto Rico and where prohibited or restricted by law. Federal, state, and local laws and regulations apply.

6. For a list of winners, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to TRU Let's Go Winners, c/o Little & King Co., Inc., Dept. DL, 1040 Ave. of the Americas, 20th Floor, New York, NY 10018 by 3/12/99.

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Official Entry Form

Enter at Toys"R"Us stores Nov. 1st through Nov. 30th

child's name _____

parent's name _____

address _____

city _____ state _____ zip _____

phone () _____

child's birth date: month _____ day _____ yr. _____

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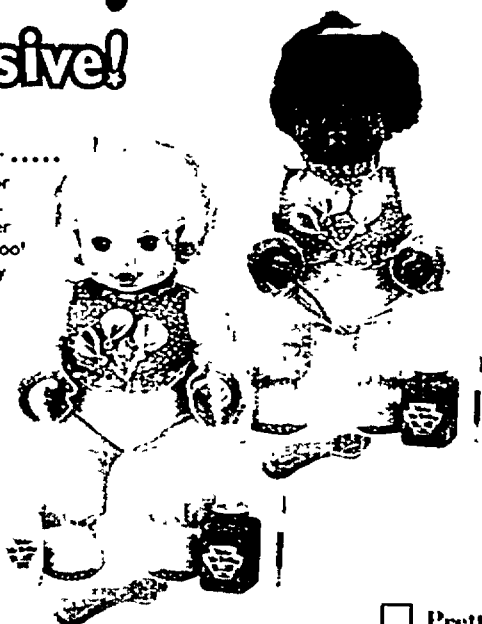
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☐ **Make Me Better Baby**

Squeeze her hand, she coughs or cries... and her cheeks glow red. Give her medicine, and make her feel better. She says 3 phrases, too! Ages 2-up. Batteries sold separately 939390 456209

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Stroller transforms into a cradle, backpack, feeding seat & baby carrier! Includes 13" doll, stroller, storage tray & bottle! Ages 4-up 612243 612359

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She drinks from her "magic" milk bottle, then hiccups. Pat her back and she burps...just like a real baby! Ages 3-up. Batteries sold separately 939404 359696

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She gives you butterfly kisses with her long eyelashes! Comes with a brush, accessories...and locket with butterfly stickers inside! Ages 3-up 911070 911143

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Press her back for a butterfly kiss!

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For Little Mommies!

☐ Oopsie Daisy

She crawls, moves her head, falls down, cries for mommy... even gets up by herself! Ages 3-up
Batteries sold separately
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☐ Newborn Jennifer.....

Wiggly toes, wobbly head, soft skin...like a real baby! She wets and sucks her thumb, too! Ages 3-up
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Playmates

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☐ Talking.....

Mealtime Baby

She recognizes her food and chats about her meal! Includes lots of accessories! Ages 4-up
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☐ Cabbage Patch Kids.....

Babblin' Fun Baby

Tickle her lips... she'll babble!
Tickle her tummy... she'll giggle!
She sings, too! Batteries included
Ages 3-up
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☐ McDonaldland

Happy Meal Girl

13" doll comes with a McDonald's Happy Meal box, and a "magical" meal! Ages 3-up.
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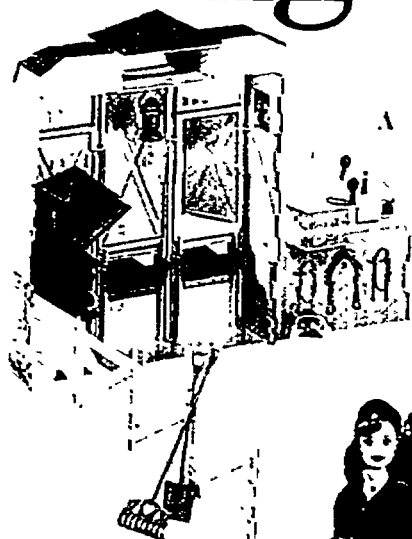
She babbles & giggles
just like a real baby!



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- ☐ **Barbie Radio-Control Sport Cruiser**
Cruise with radio-control, working headlights, cellular phone-style remote and vac-plated wheels! Ages 3-up. Batteries sold separately 949582
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- ☐ **A. Barbie Horse & Pony Stable**
Saddle up! Corral comes with horse, pony... and lots of cool accessories! Ages 3-up 846104
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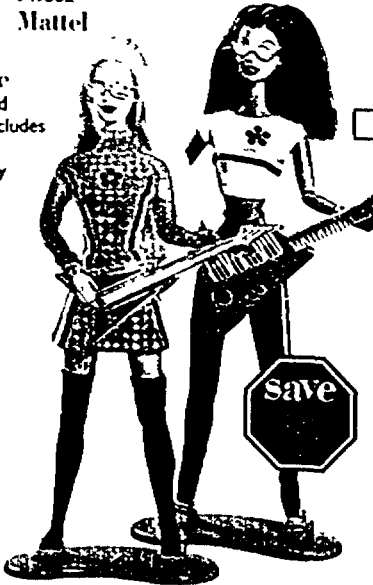
- ☐ **B. Horse Riding Barbie**
Barbie really rides! With authentic riding outfit and accessories Ages 3-up 846023 956910
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- ☐ **C. Barbie Walking Beauty Horse**
Realistic horse neighs, kisses and "walks" when you push him! Includes saddle, saddle blanket & more! Ages 3-up. Batteries sold separately 062723
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- ☐ **Beyond Pink Barbie**
Rock with Barbie...and her hit single! Doll, instrument and cassette included. Ages 4-up. 334537 334510 334561
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- ☐ **Barbie & Kelly Recital**
Barbie and Kelly are ready to dance! Pretty costumes, practice skirts & more! Ages 3-up. 333123 176788
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Barbie wears a cool WNBA team outfit, "holds" a basketball... even shoots a basket! Accessories included Ages 3-up. 306126 306193 306738 307130
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- ☐ **Flashlight Fun Stacie/Pooh, Jane/Tigger or Whitney/Piglet**
Each doll wears Pooh clothes & has a Pooh doll and accessories. Ages 3-up. 139491 140392 140481
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Rugrats and Friends!

□ Dream Garden.....

Giggle 'n Grow Nursery

Discover the 5 babies that live inside this pretty garden pitcher!

Ages 4-up.

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□ Dream Garden.....

Giggling or Sunshine Babies

These babies move and make sounds... plus they're scented!

Batteries included.

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Watch with any My Little Pony purchase and coupon on watch package. (\$6 value!)

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□ My Little Pony Garden.....

Carry Case

A place for all ponies to play...plus store up to 6 ponies and accessories! Accessories included. Ages 3-up. Ponies sold separately

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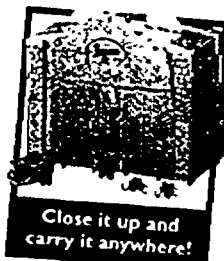
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My Little Pony Sweet Surprise Friends..... 4.99 ea.
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Close it up and carry it anywhere!

□ Rugrats Playsets.....

Recreate fun adventures with Baby Di's World, Reptar & Tommy or Tommy's World playsets.

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Backpack Club Doll

with Backpack..... 8.99

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Fold it up and take it anywhere!

□ Pound Puppies Super.....

Pound Playground

Open to create a huge play area for puppies and kitties! Circus, dude ranch, schoolhouse, park and more! Ages 4-up.

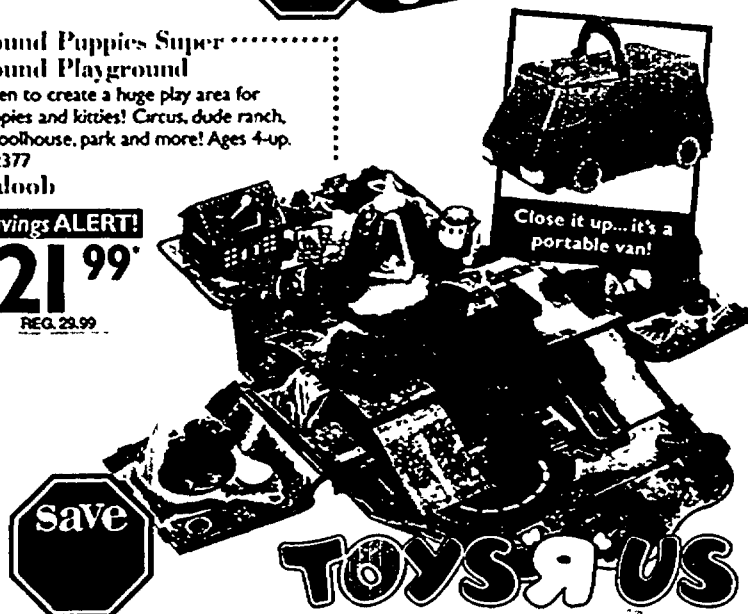
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Close it up...it's a portable van!

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- ☐ **Girls on the Go!**
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Elite Doll

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- ☐ **My Special Sister Gift Set**
Both dolls come with attractive outfits and their very own rag dolls! 20" and 12". Ages 3½-up
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- ☐ **Victorian Bows Collection:**
Beautiful, porcelain dolls with detailed, hand-painted features. Certificate of authenticity, display stand & more! Ages 8-up
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- ☐ **Stroller
With Doll
& Accessories**
Includes stroller, 16" doll, diaper bag, 3-piece feeding set, clothes & accessories!
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Includes all of
these extras, too!



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Includes a doll feeding station
and 17 accessories. Easy assembly
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- ☐ **Shop and Cook Kitchen**

A kitchen on one side... a grocery store on the
other! With working cash register, portable play
phone, "sloshing" coffee pot & more! Ages 2-up
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Fisher-Price

Complete Meal Assortment... 7.99

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Price Check Shopping Cart... 24.99

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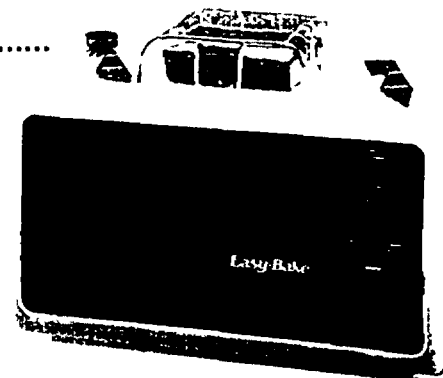
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- ☐ **Easy Bake Oven.....
and Snack Center**

It's easy to prepare real
treats with fast-baking
mixes! Includes 4 mixes
and accessories. Ages 8-up.
Light bulb sold separately.
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- ☐ **Victorian Kitchen**

Beautiful kitchen has lots of great features!
Double sink with swiveling faucet, country-
style window, dishwasher with removable
rack, microwave and more! Ages 2-up.
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The Beauty Center!



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- ☐ Hair, Nails or Cosmetics Party Pazazz Kits
Choose a kit to style your hair, create beautiful nails or create your own cosmetics! Handy carry case included Ages 5-up
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- ☐ Make-Over Creations
Includes eye shadow, blush, lipstick, nail polish... everything you need for a great look! Ages 8-up.
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Rose Art

- ☐ Super Hair Creations...
Create the perfect look with extensions, beads, glitter gel, color streaks, scrunchies and more! Ages 8-up.
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- ☐ Fashion Magic Fingernail Fun Salon Set, Hair Wrapper or Rings 'n More

Decorate your nails, create the coolest hair wrap styles or make cool jewelry...just like magic! Ages 6-up
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- ☐ 10-in-1 Super Nail Creations...
It's like having a nail salon at home! With 120 nails, nail dryer... even spinning carousel! Case has a built-in handle. Ages 6-up.
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Rose Art

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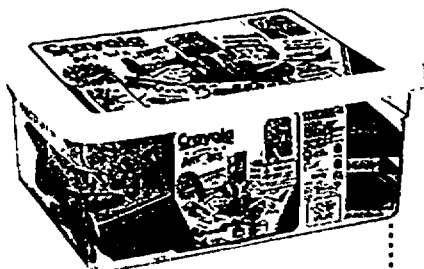
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On the Creative Side!



- ☐ Crayola "My Marvelous Memory Book"
Personalize and record your fondest memories. Markers, glue, stickers and stamps included. Ages 8-up.
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- ☐ Crayola Super Art Chest
A little artist's treasure!
14-pc. set includes crayons, markers, paint, glue and more. \$30 value if sold separately.
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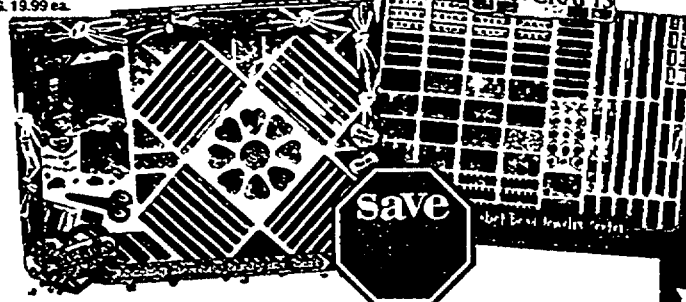
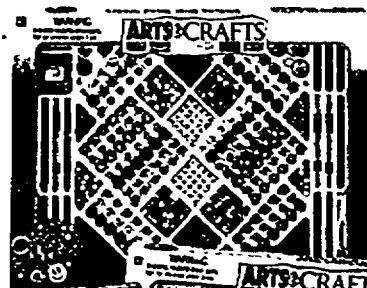
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- ☐ Jewelry & Bead Sets.....

Everything you need to make cool jewelry and groovy bead creations for you and your special friends!
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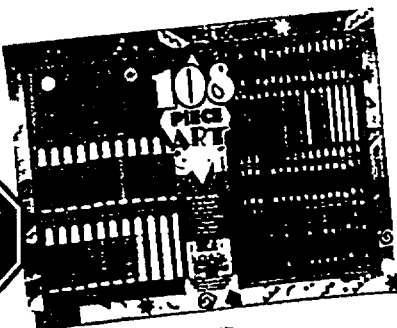
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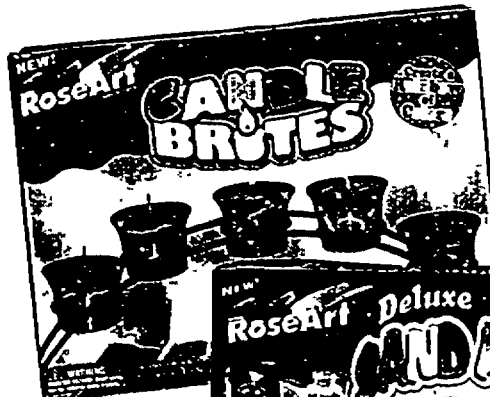
- ☐ 108-Piece Art Set
Create colorful works of art! Includes handy carry case for young artists on the go. Ages 5-up.
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Lucky Star

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- ☐ Sound Bites Music Assortment
Touch it with your teeth... hear music and sound effects inside your head! Two lollipops and batteries included. Ages 4-up.
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Sound Bites

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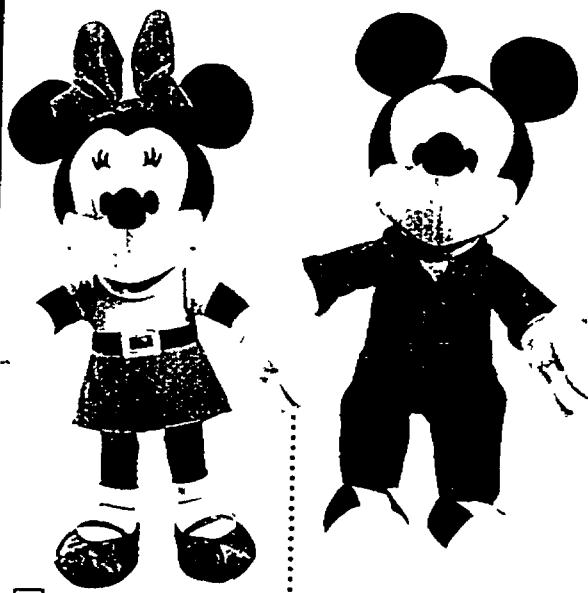


- ☐ Assorted Art Cases
Make the most of your creativity! Design beautiful sand or glass art sculptures, make cool candles... the fun never stops!
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Action-Packed Friends!



- ☐ **Disney Talkin' Fun Mickey or Minnie**
Soft, cuddly characters help kids learn about 5 different parts of the body. Washable. Batteries included. Ages 2-up.
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The harder he's grabbed...the funnier he is! This interactive frog reacts by croaking out funny phrases kids will love! Batteries included. Ages 3-up.
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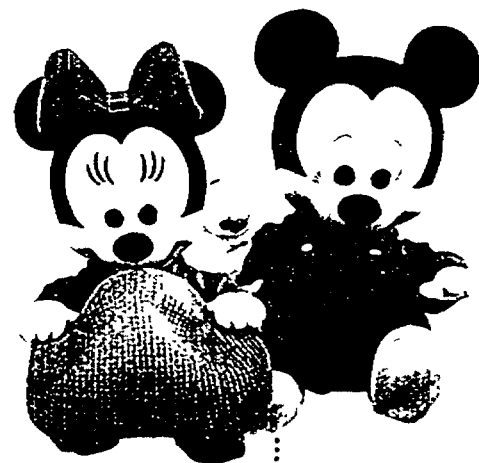
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- ☐ **I Love You Barney**
Just press his heart...and he'll sing his popular theme song "I Love You!" Batteries included. Ages 3-up.
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- ☐ **Disney's Touch 'N Surprise Babies**
Characters come to life with surprise sounds and actions! Choose from Baby Minnie or Baby Mickey. Ages 6 months-up. Batteries sold separately.
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- ☐ **Real Live Babe**
It's your very own Babe! He chats and sings just like in the movie... plus, his internal clock lets him say time-related phrases! Ages 3-up.
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Equity

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Some Famous Faces!

- ☐ **Barney Song**
Magic Banjo
 Magically plays 8 songs when you "strum" the center! Choose from 8 instrument sounds by pressing a button. Batteries included. Ages 2-up.
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- ☐ **ActiMates**
Interactive Arthur
 Arthur speaks over 100 fun phrases and has a 4,000-word vocabulary! Works in TV, PC or Stand-Alone Mode. Batteries sold separately. TV & PC not included.
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- ☐ **Teddy Ruxpin**
 The original talking bear includes a storybook and interactive cassette tape. Easy operation and special fast forward feature, too. Ages 2-up. Batteries sold separately.
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 Free item in pack.



- ☐ **ActiMates Interactive Barney**
 Barney has a 2,000 word vocabulary! Plus, he sings and plays games, too! Ages 2-up. Batteries sold separately. TV & PC not included.
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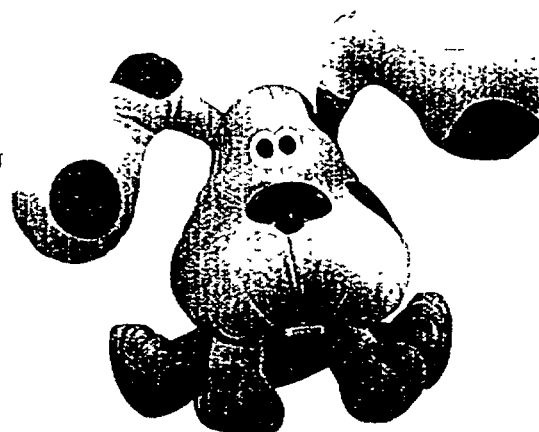
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Pick Your Pal!



- ☐ **Rugrats Movie Doll**...
Each character performs an action!
Tommy snaps his jump rope.
Angelica skates and more!
Ages 4-up. Each sold separately.
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- ☐ **Blues Clues Pose-A-Blue**...
Blue's ears and paws really
pose! Make her happy, sleepy...
it depends on how you pose
her. When you're done... give
her a hug! For all ages.
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Tyco Preschool

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- ☐ **Musical Hug-A-Blue**...
Press one paw... she plays the Blue's
Clues song! Press her other paw...
she barks! Batteries included.
Ages 1 1/2-up.
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- ☐ **Winnie The Pooh
Bounce Around
Tigger**
A soft, cuddly Tigger that
bounces and talks! Ages 2-up.
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- ☐ **Giant Chuckie
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Oversized Rugrat friends for
kids of all ages! They're soft,
cuddly and ready for your
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Giant Tommy Doll . . . 34.99
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More Fun... Baby Style!



☐ Doors & Drawers Activity Kitchen

A kitchen filled with culinary delights! Features pop-up, spin and rattle activities. Ages 9 months-3 years.
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The Sesame Street gang teaches colors and sounds! 15 fun activities, 6 realistic sounds, lights, talking characters and more! Ages 4 months-3 years.
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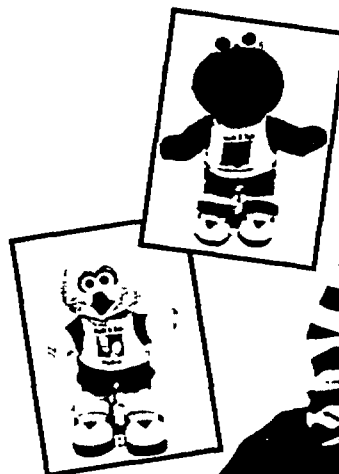
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Look!
Elmo's
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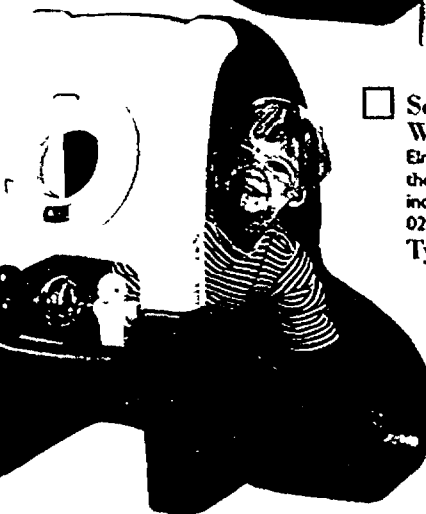
☐ Sesame Street Walk'nTalk Assortment

Elmo and pals walk and talk when you press their sneakers! Auto shut-off. Batteries included. Ages 1 1/2-up.

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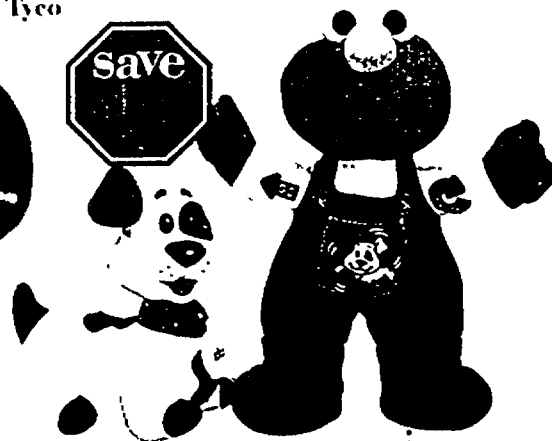
☐ Peek-a-Boo Activity Tunnel

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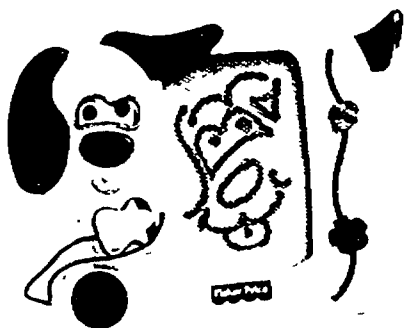
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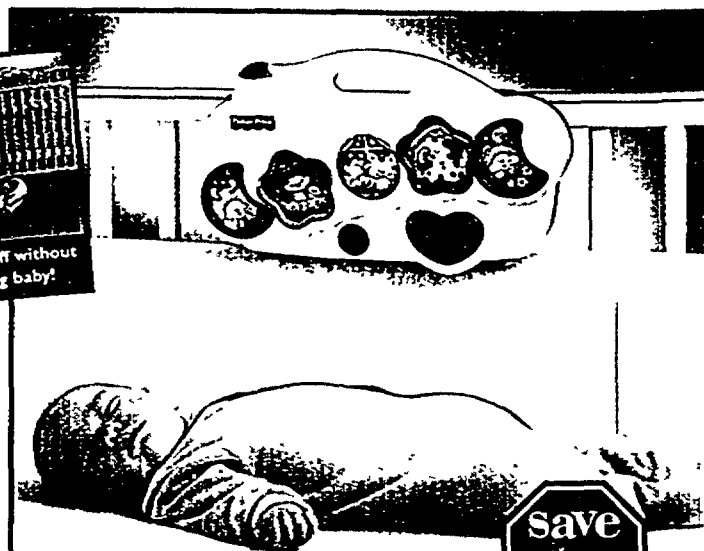
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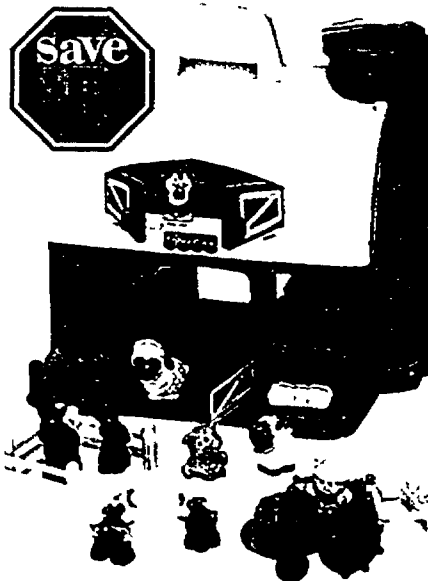
- ☐ **Slumber Time Soother With Remote Control**

Three soothing modes for calming baby: soft lullaby music, twinkling lights and nature sounds! Remote control unit included. Newborn-3 years. Batteries sold separately. 023078

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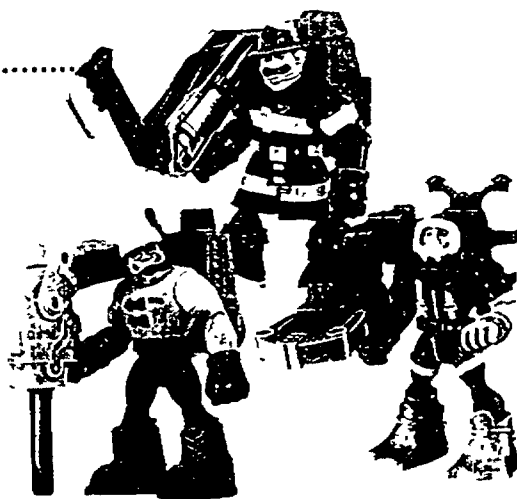
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☐ Great Adventures Robin Hood

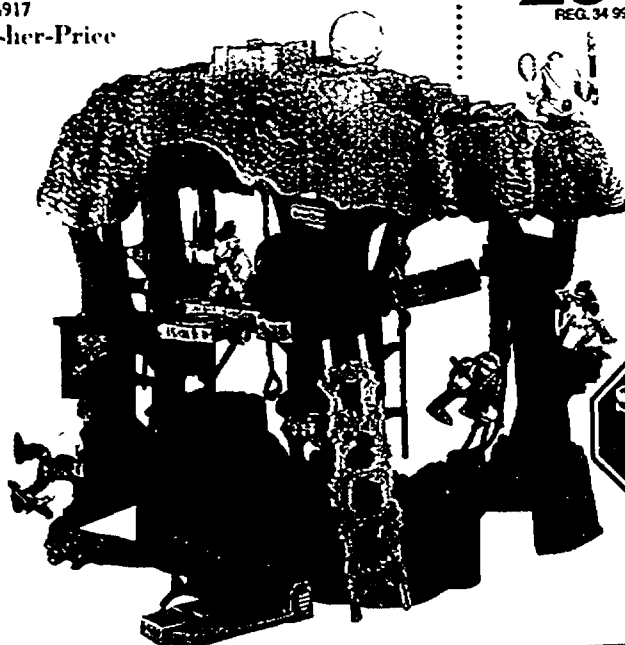
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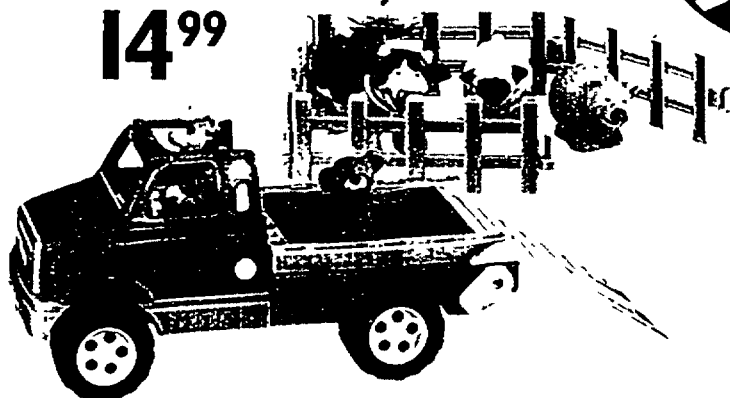


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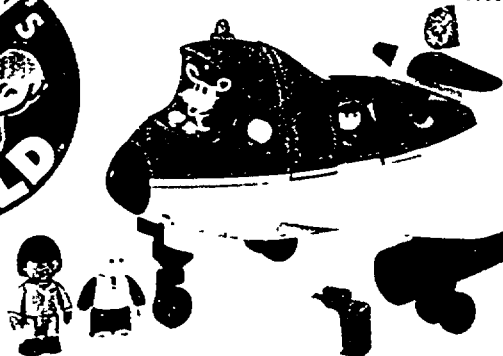
- ☐ **On-The-Go Farm Truck**.....
Farmer Geoffrey carries 5 animal friends on his truck! Features animal sounds, working platform and fence. Ages 3-up
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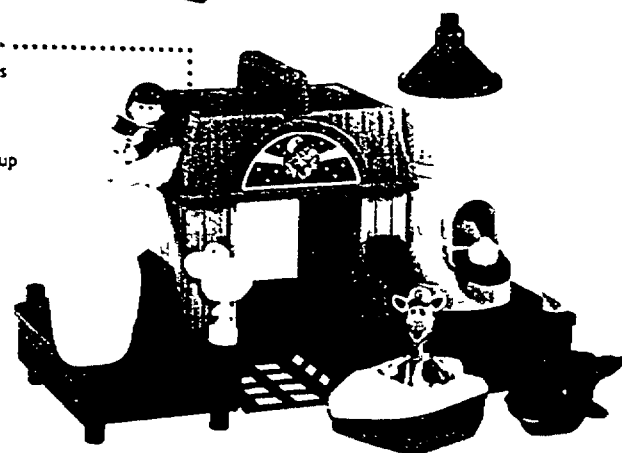
- ☐ **Jumbo Jet**.....
It's Pilot Geoffrey and friends! With sounds, flashing lights, working baggage compartment and more! Batteries included. Ages 2-up.
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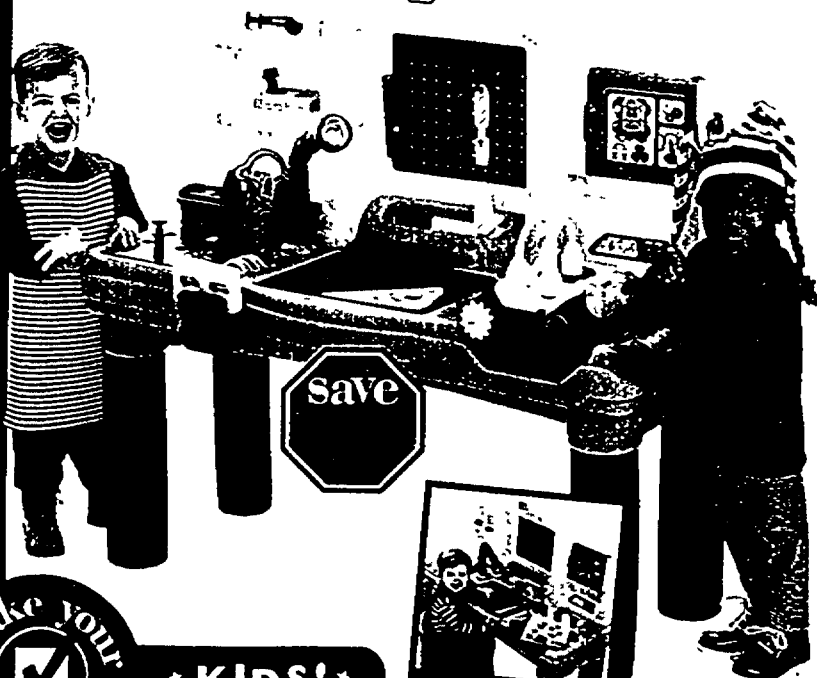
- ☐ **Tubtime Boathouse**.....
All aboard with Geoffrey, his friends, a squirting whale, spinning pelican and more! Plus, a 3-piece lighthouse. With carry handle. Ages 2-up
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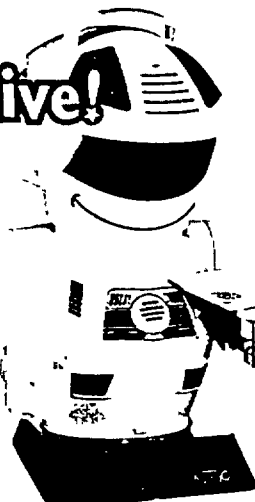


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Eight fun-filled activities help kids learn the alphabet, numbers, shapes & more! Sound effects & animation. Batteries included. Ages 3-up. 310107
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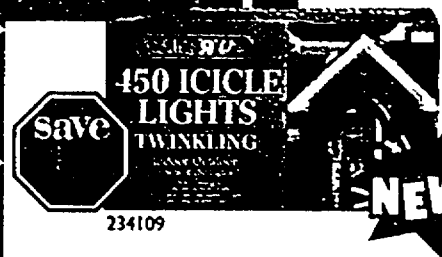
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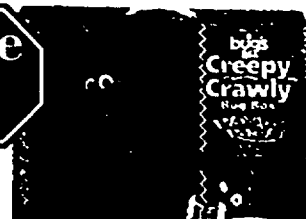
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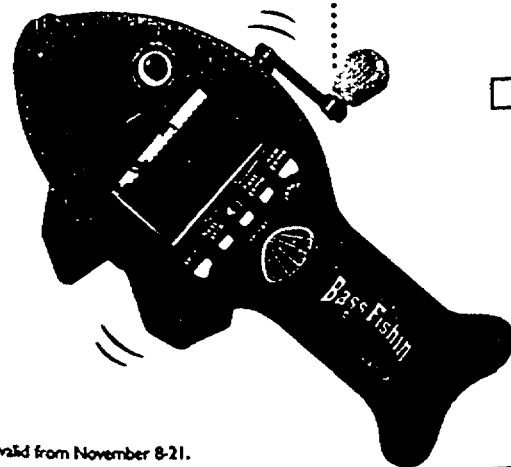
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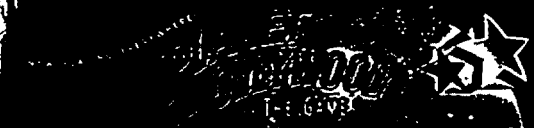
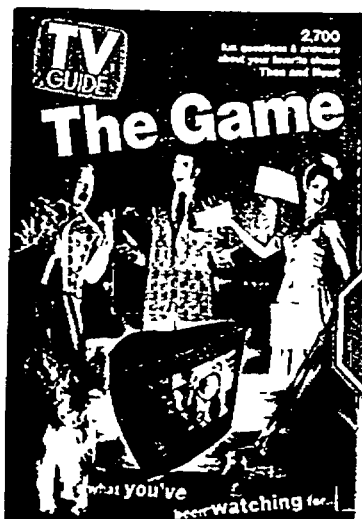


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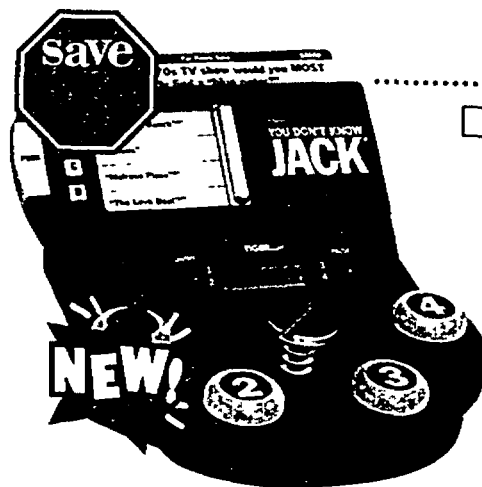
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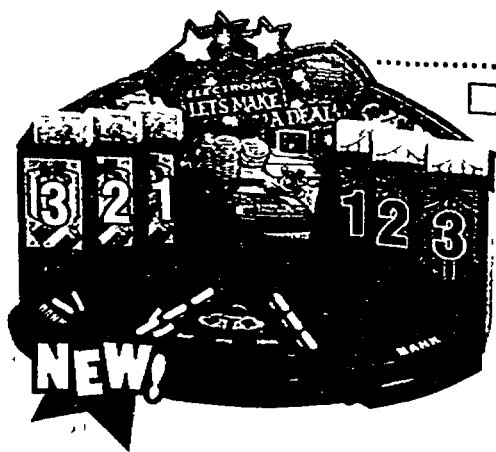
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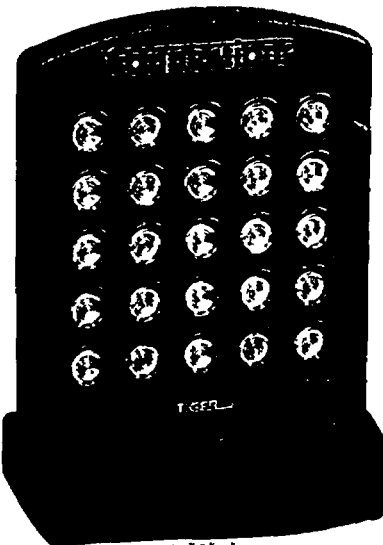


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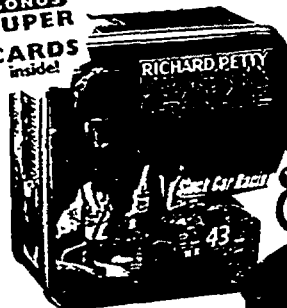
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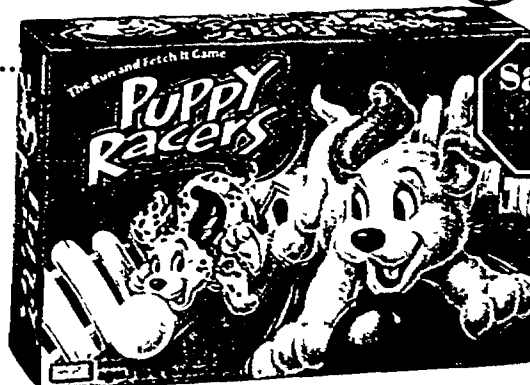
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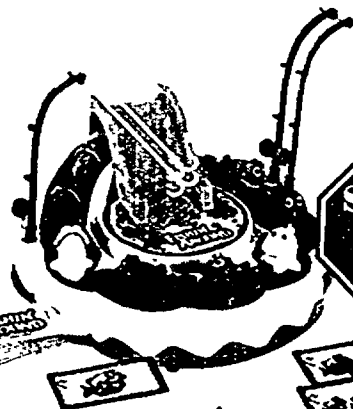
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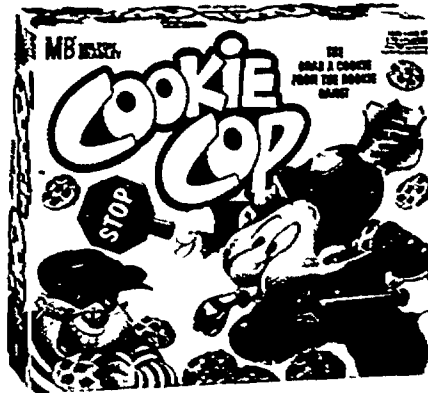
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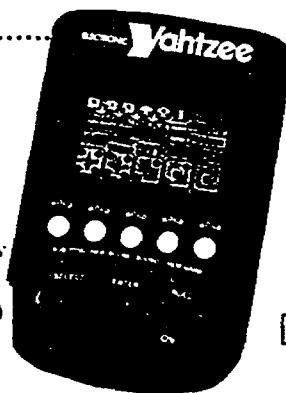
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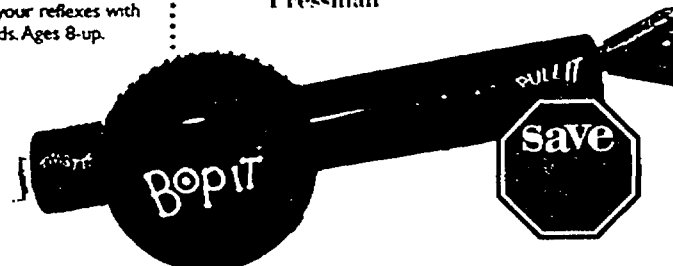


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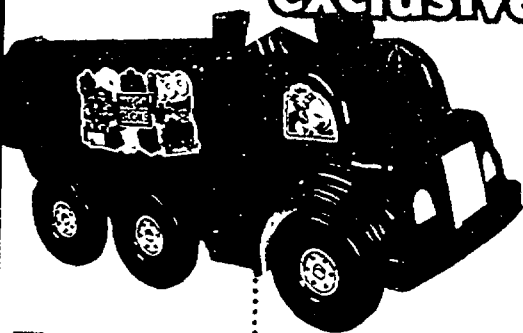
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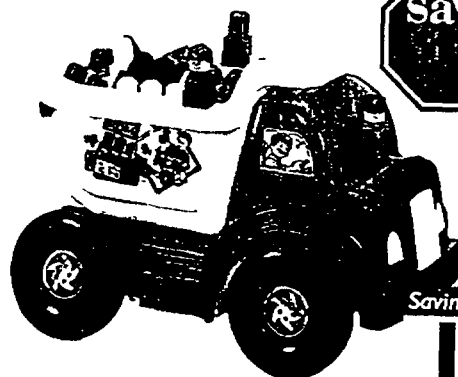
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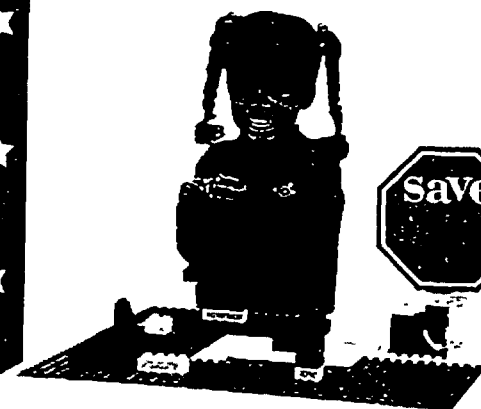


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Colorful maxi blocks to stack, load and build with! Ages 1½-up. 011029 649325
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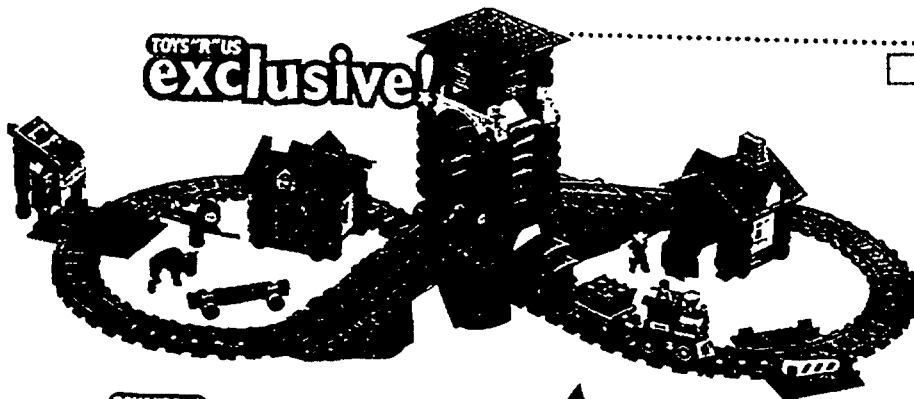
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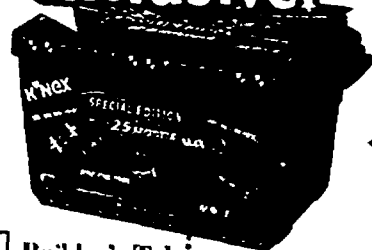
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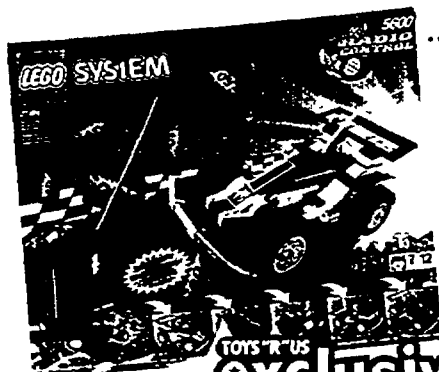
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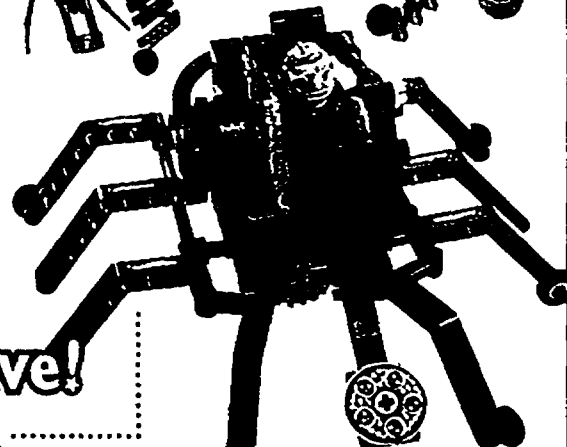
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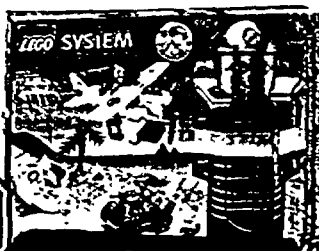
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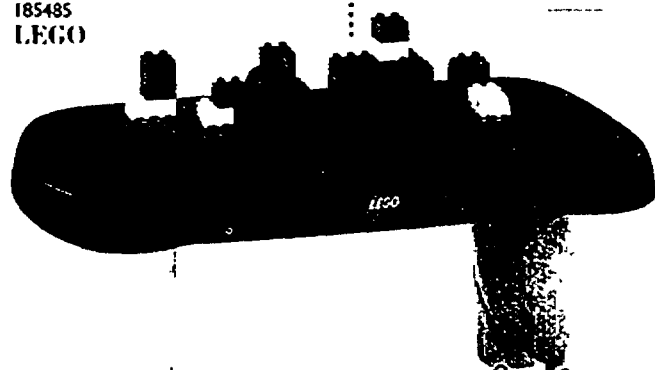
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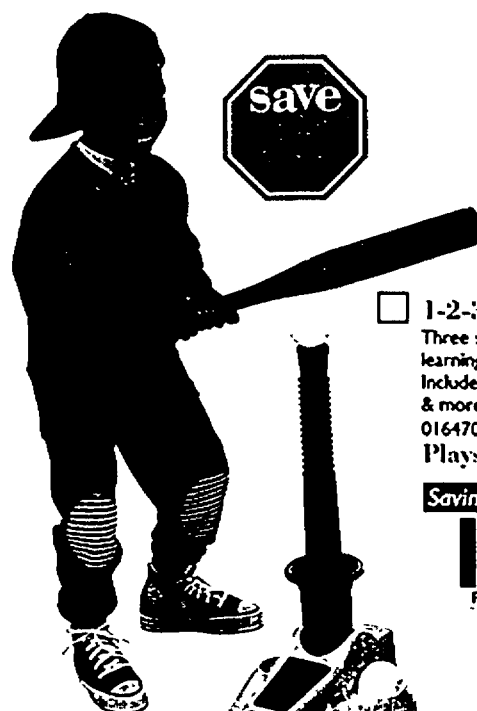
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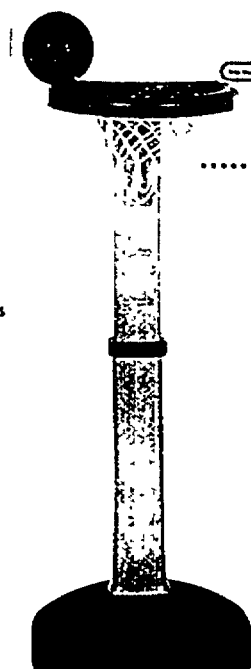
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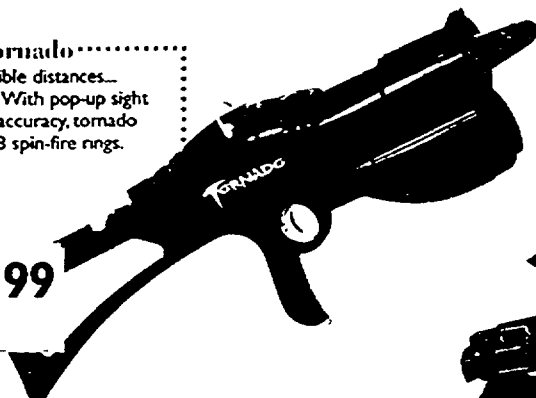


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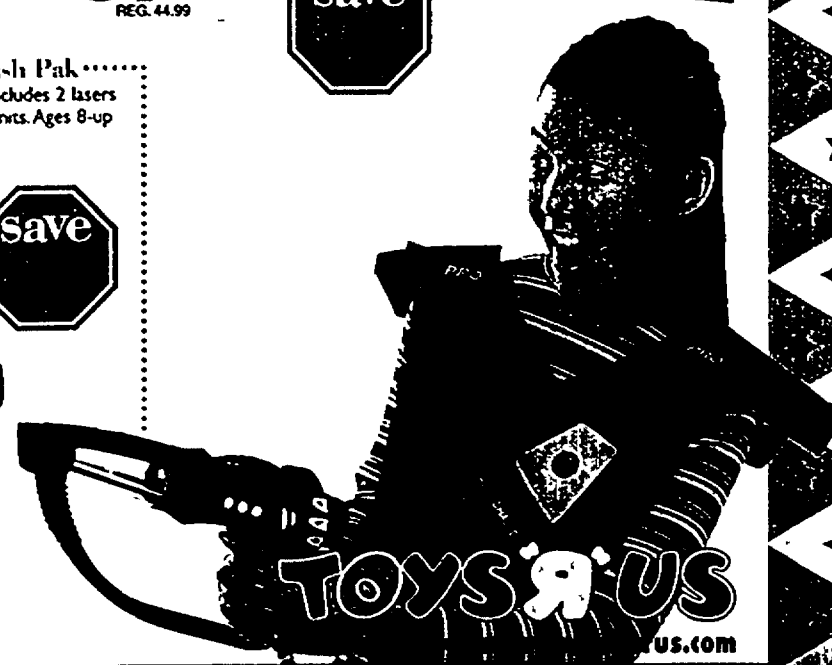
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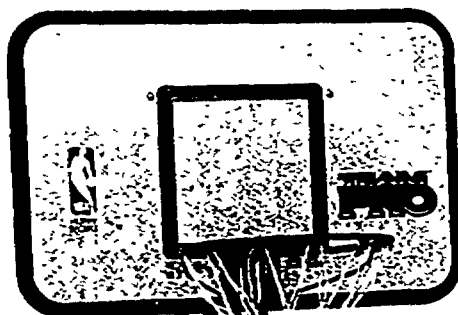
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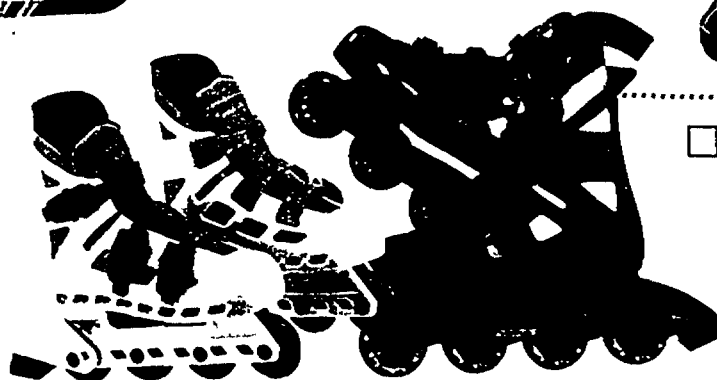
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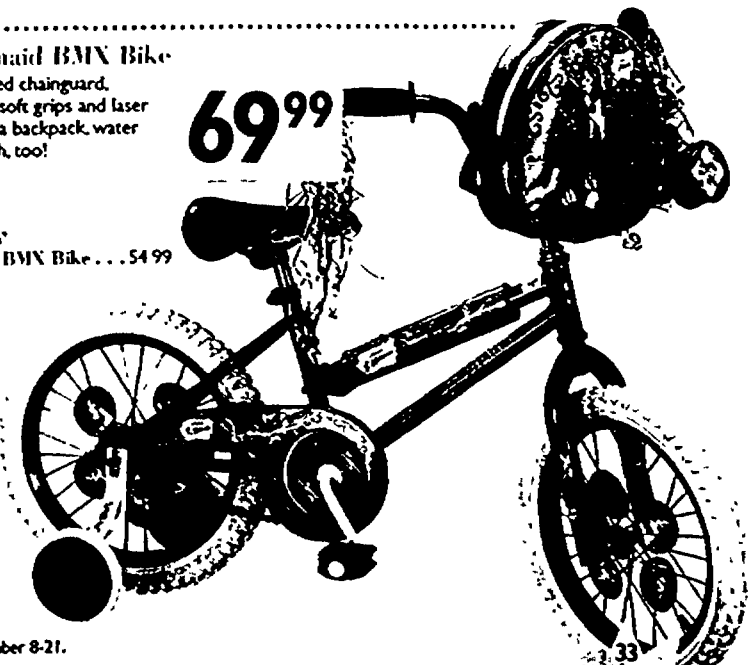
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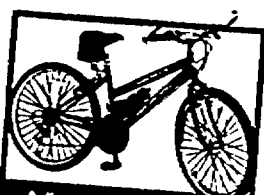
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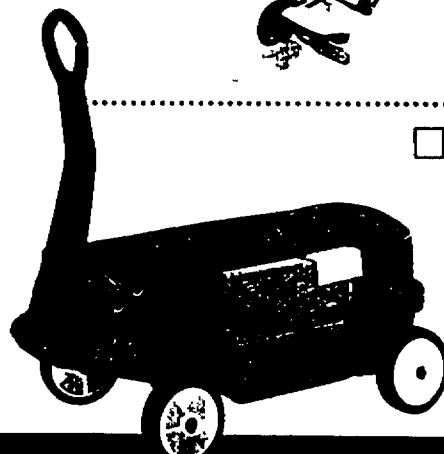


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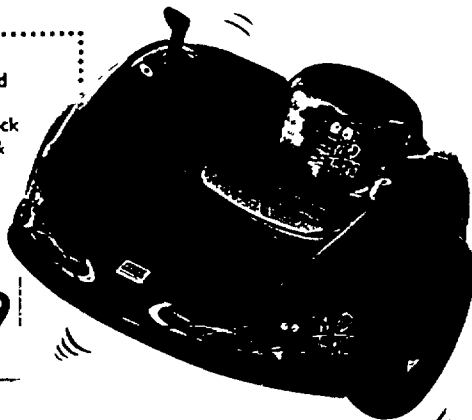
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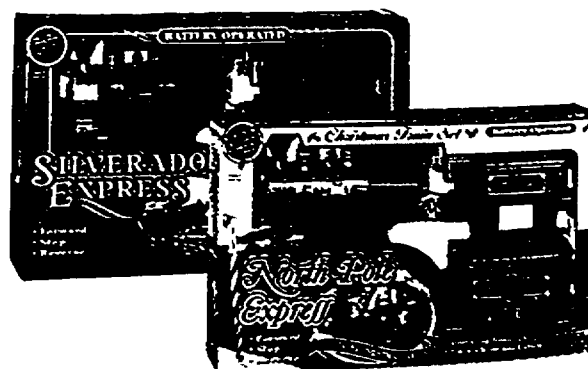
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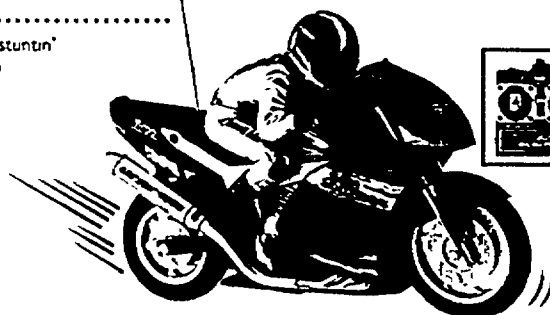


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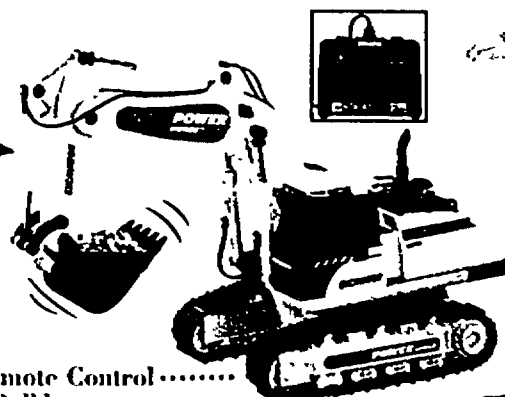
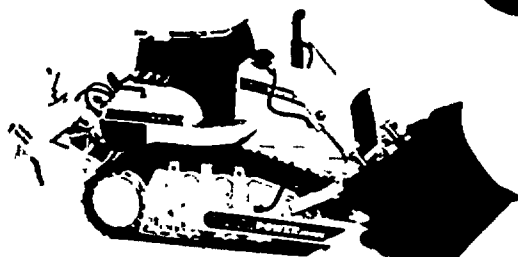
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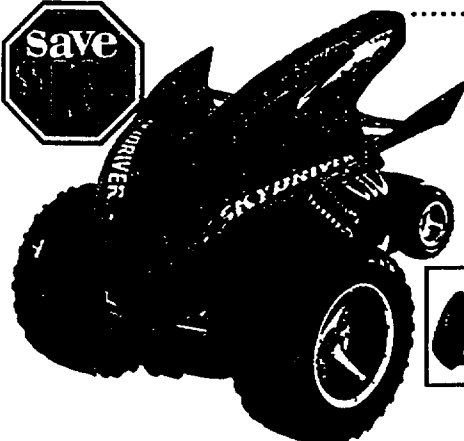
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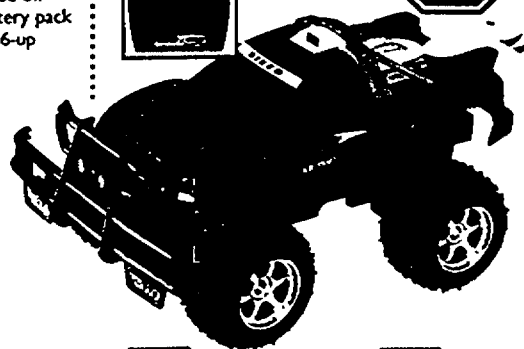
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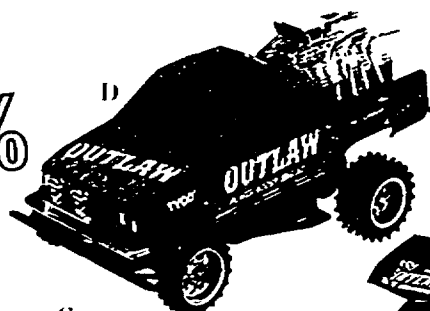
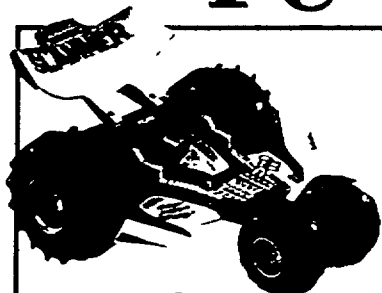
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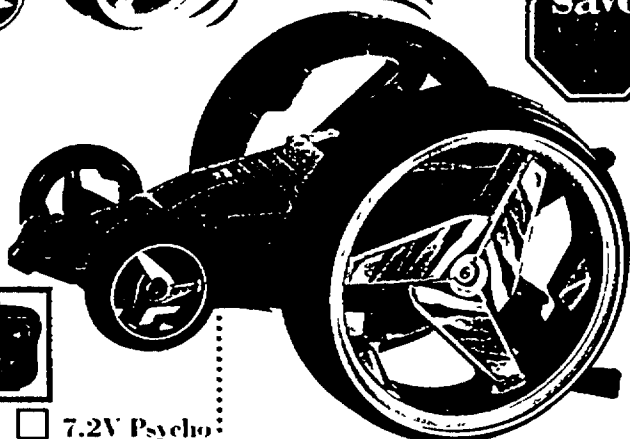
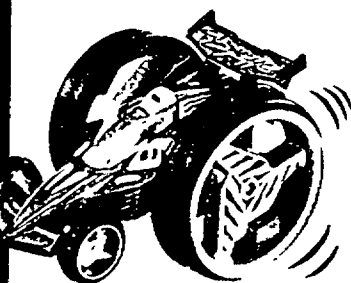
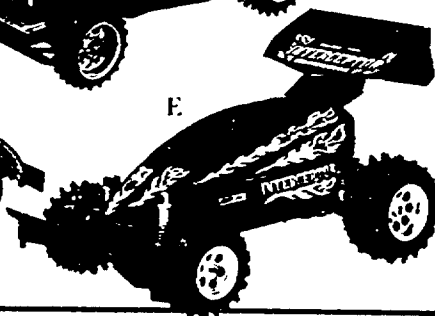
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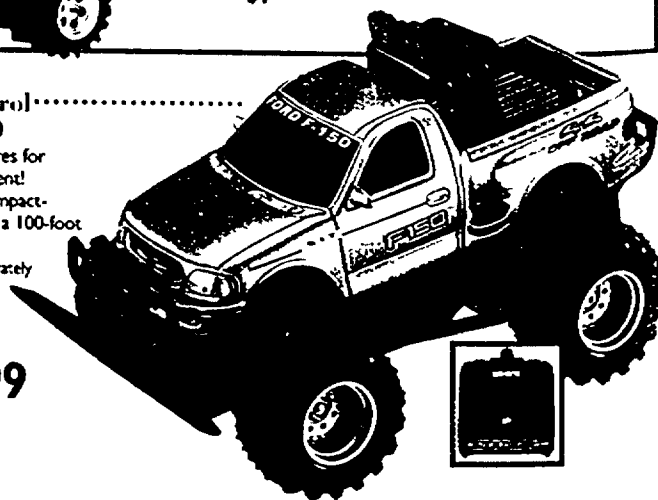
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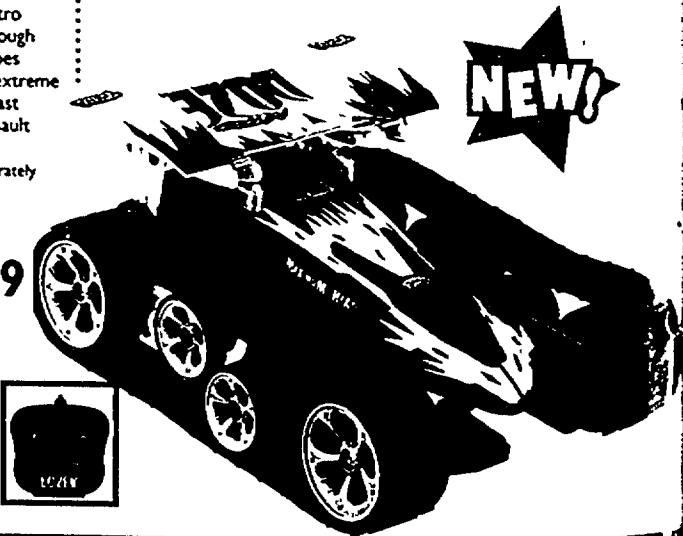


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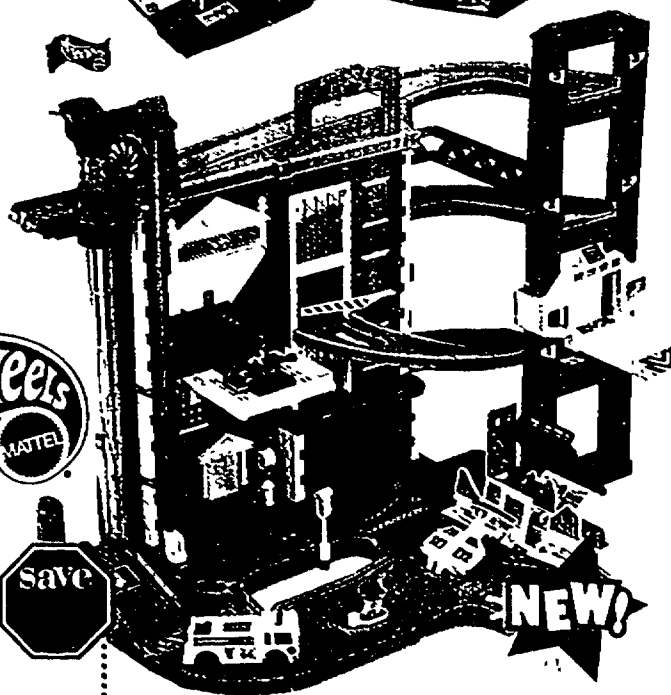
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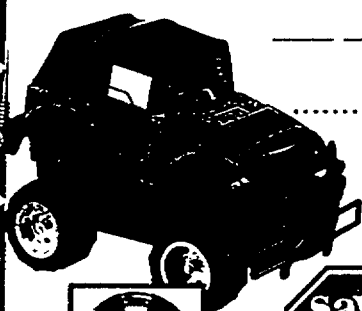
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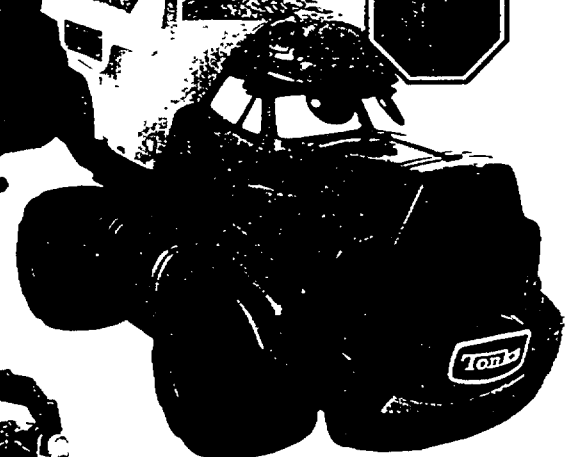
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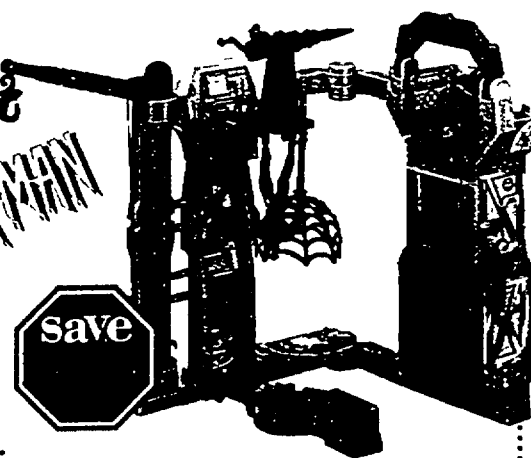
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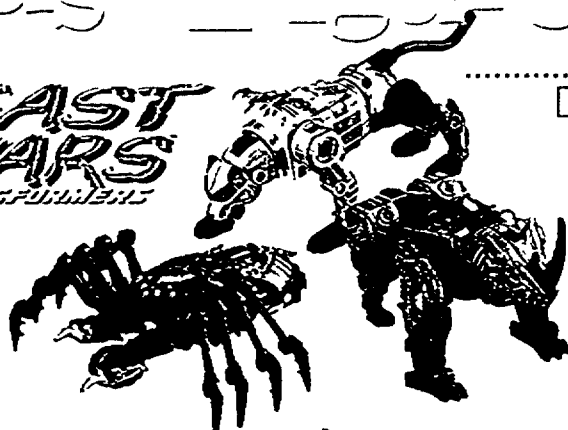
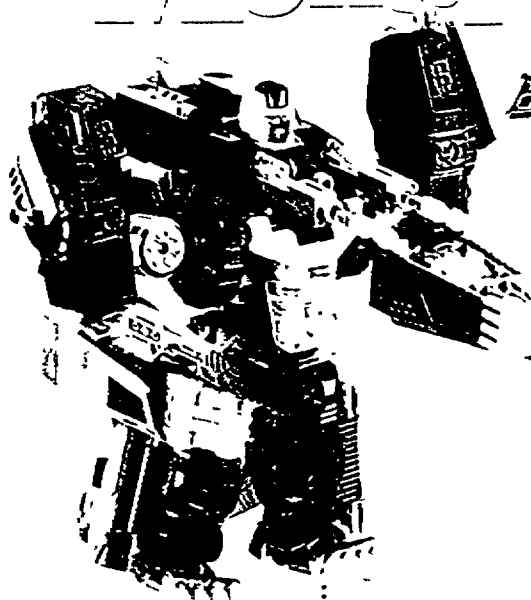
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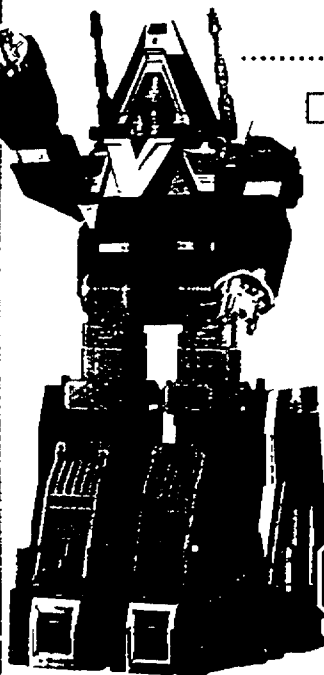
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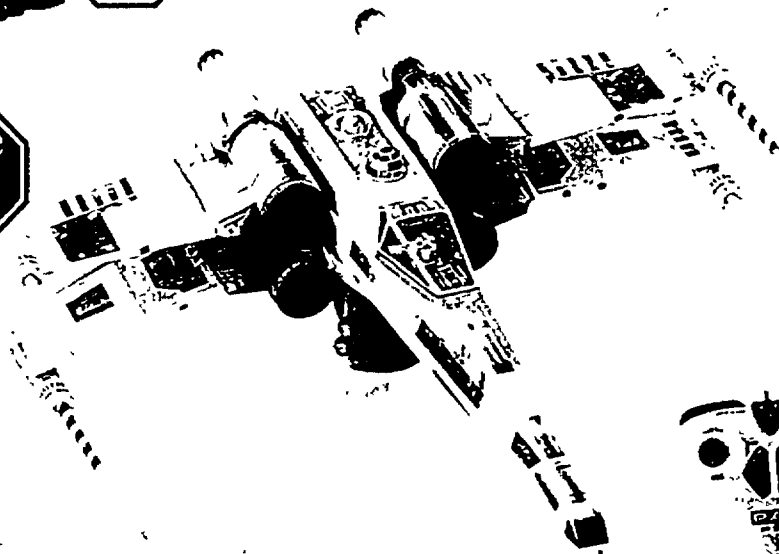
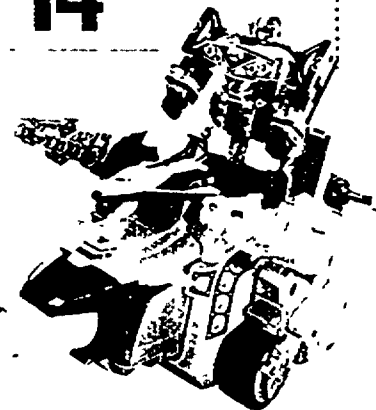
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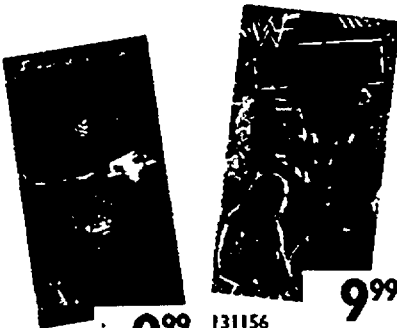
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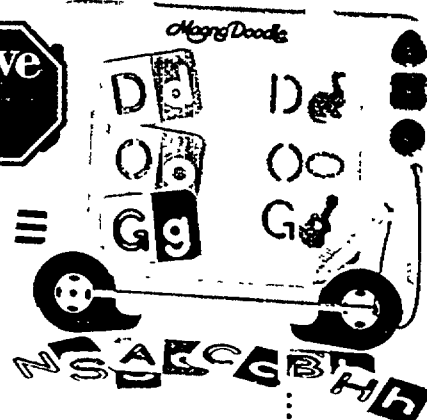
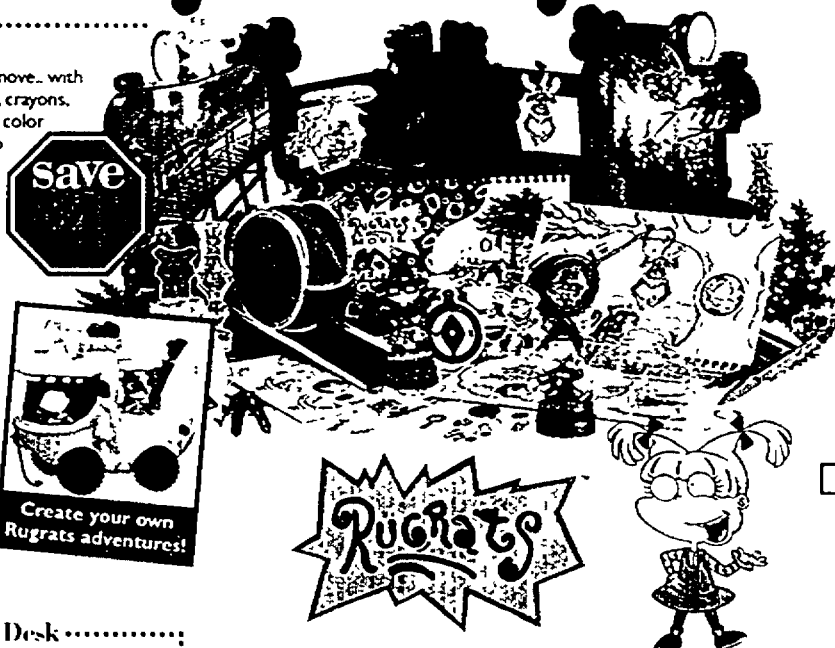
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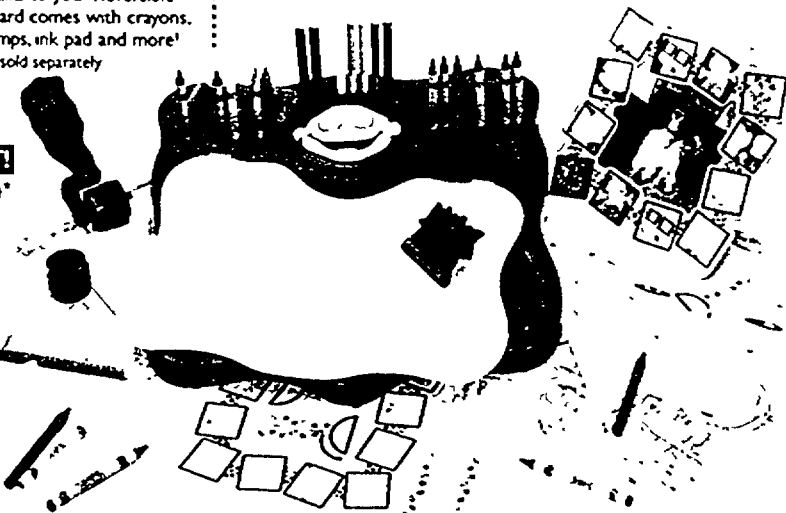
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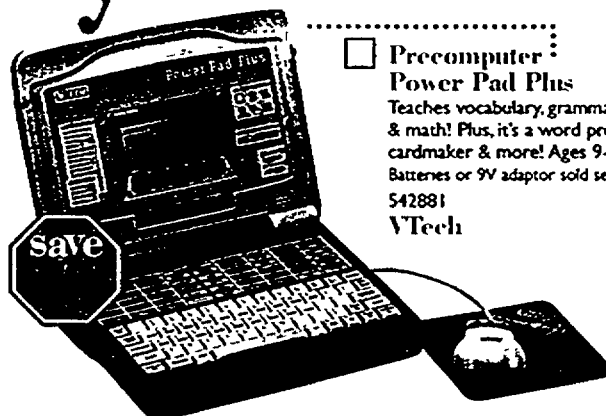
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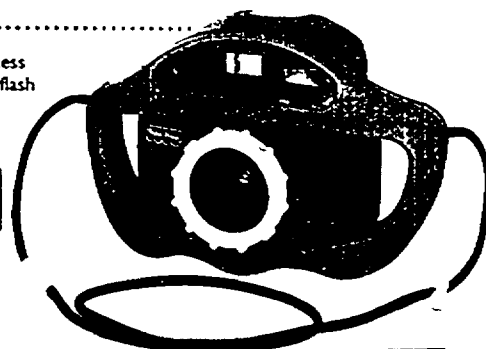
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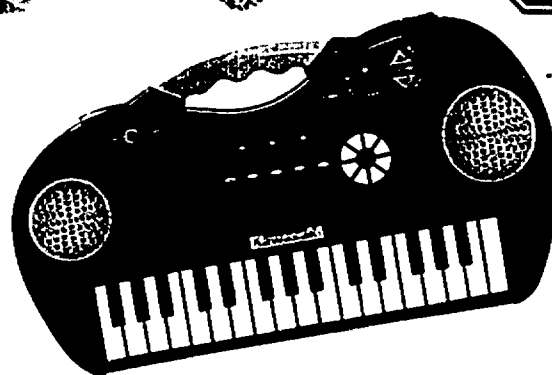
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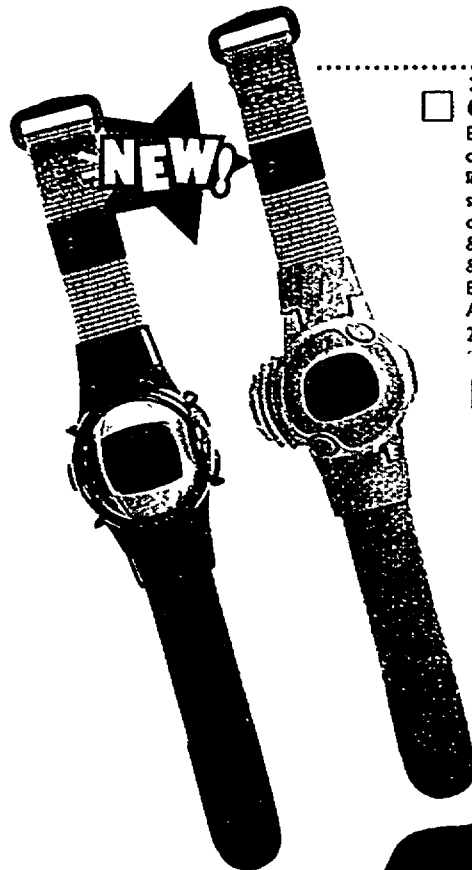
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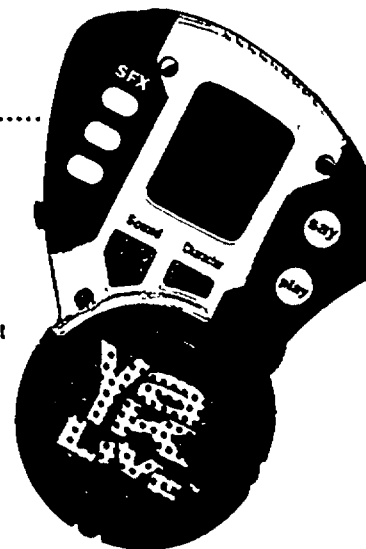
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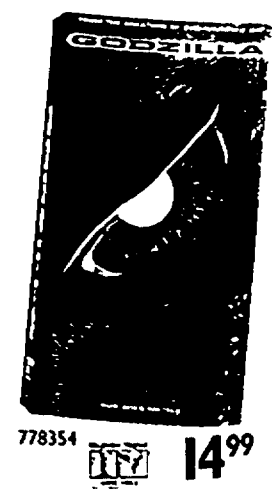
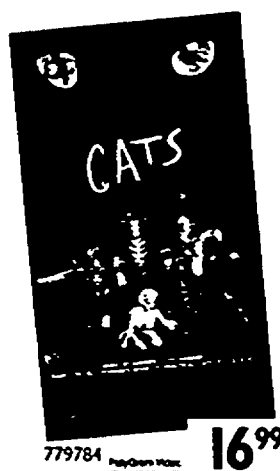


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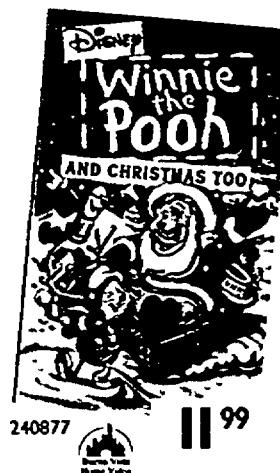
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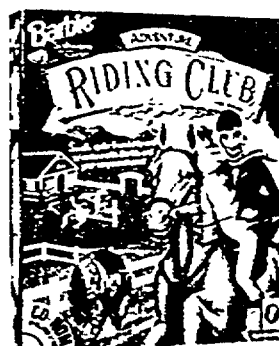
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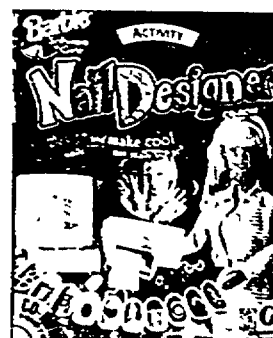
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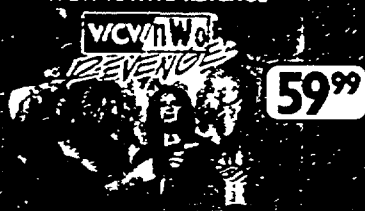
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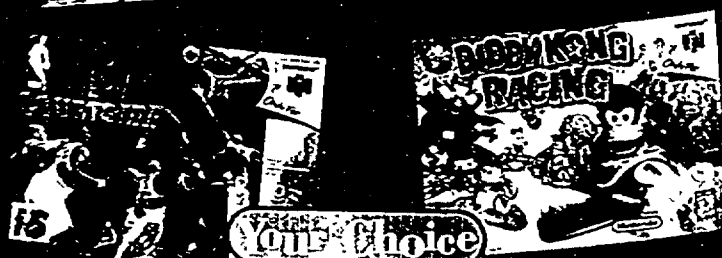


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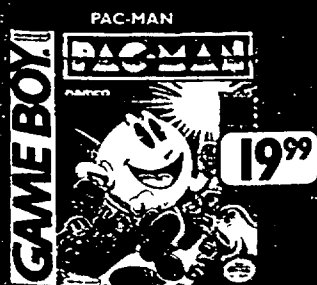
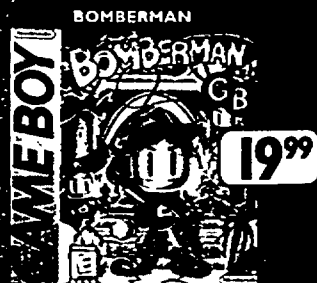
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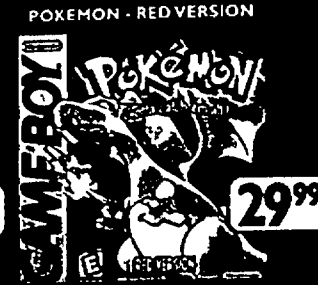
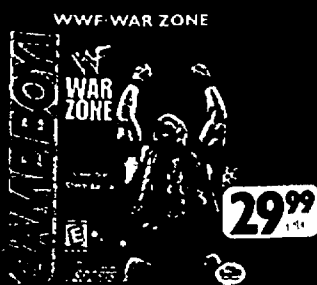
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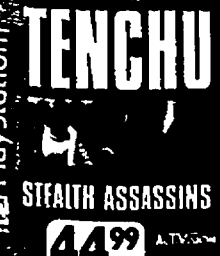
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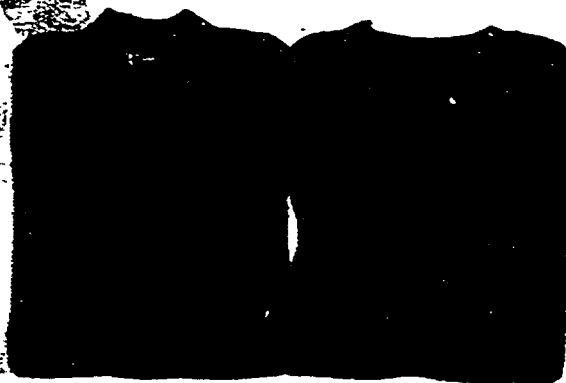
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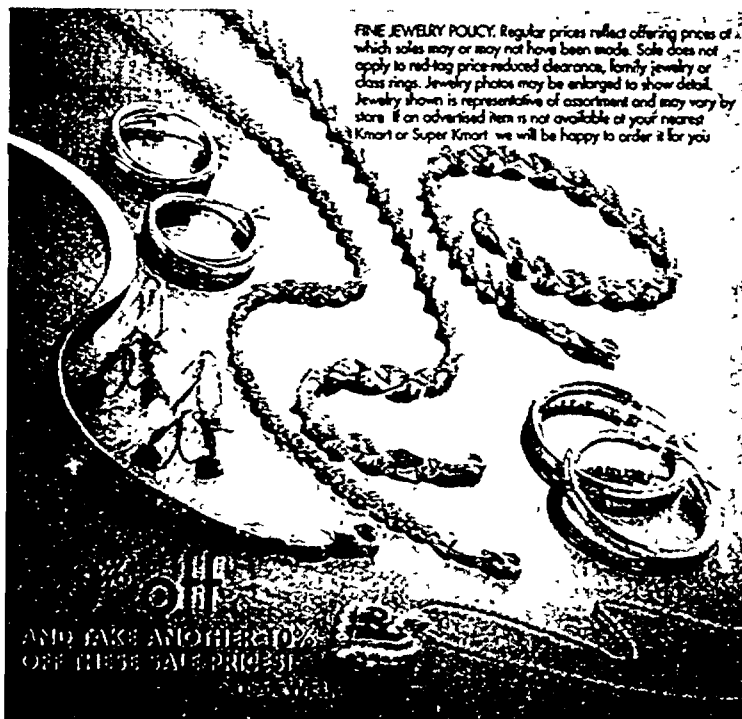
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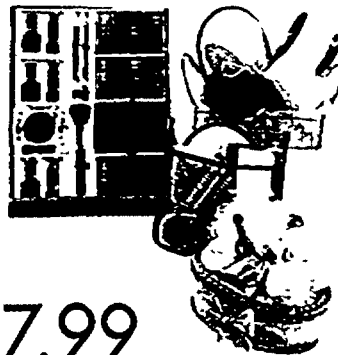
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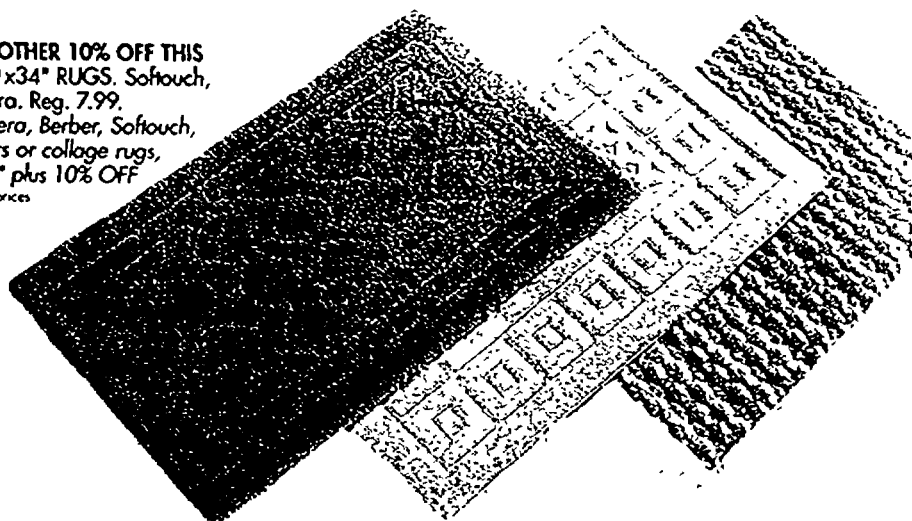
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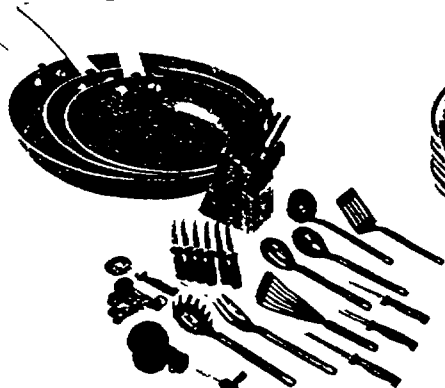
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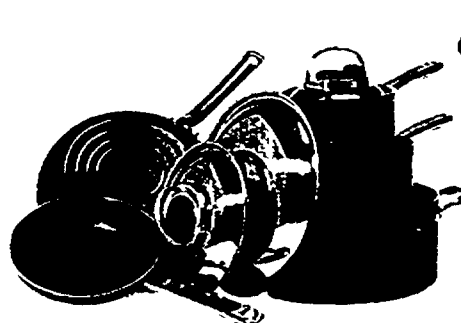
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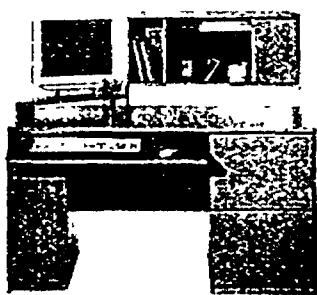
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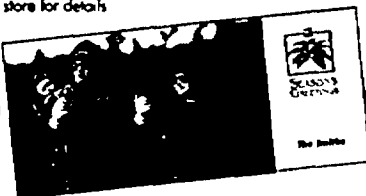
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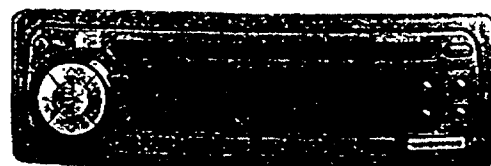
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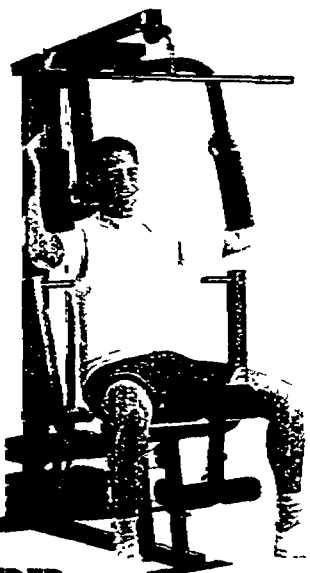
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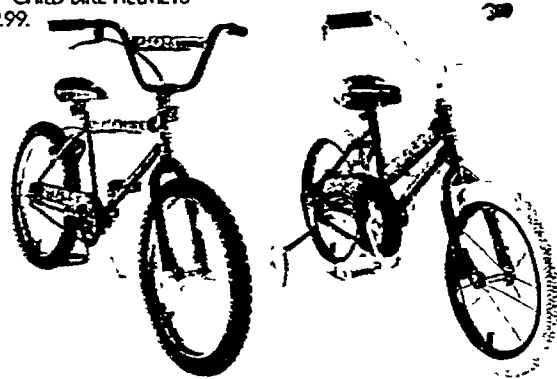


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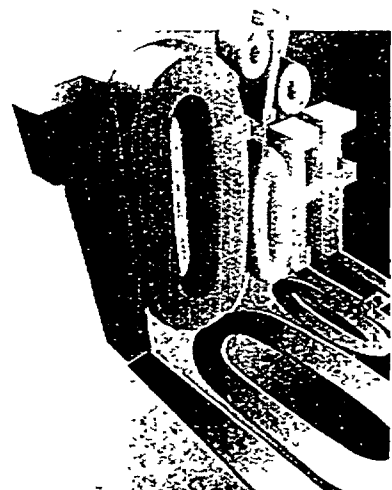


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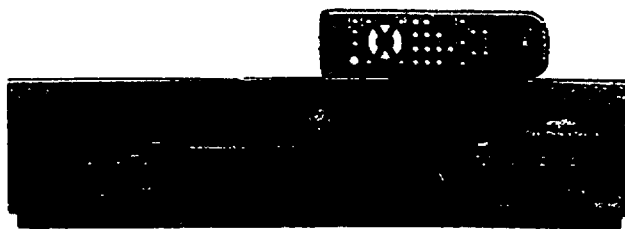
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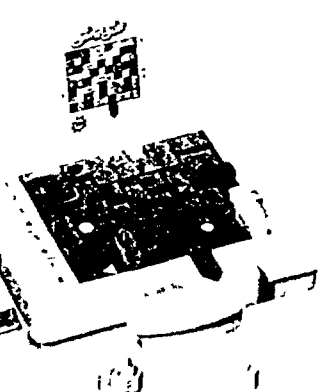
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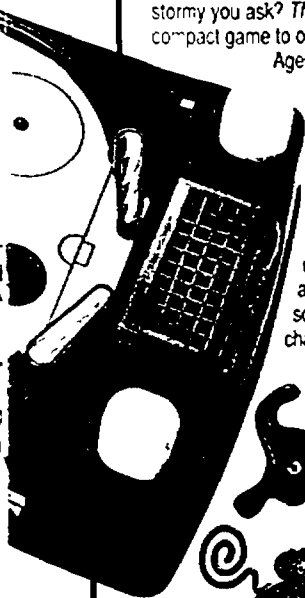
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cards. 4 levels of play. And what makes the seas so
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compact game to occupy landlubbers traveling by car.
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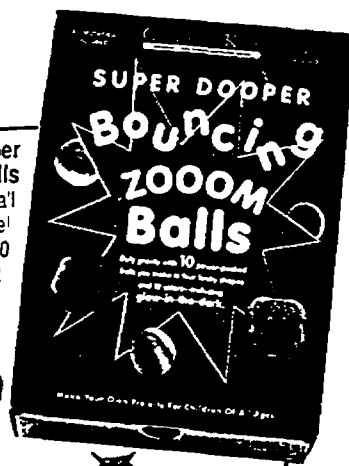


Mini Zolo

Little bits of zaniness kids can't resist.
Make mini 3" Zolo characters to go
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Mix and match the pieces to build a
unique Zolo collection. Features
a fun "pop" connection system,
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characters stay together.
Also includes suction cup feet
and clip. Quirky!
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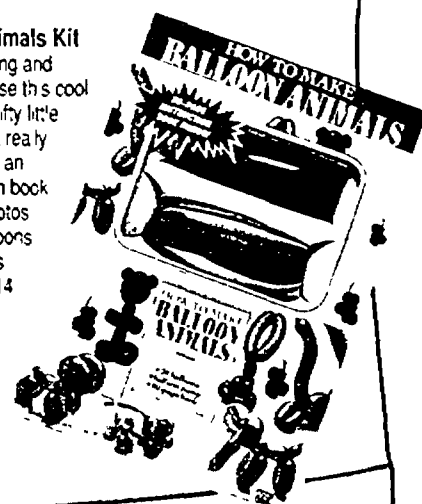
Super Dooper Bouncing Zoom Balls

How does a 10-sided ball
bounce? Differently every time!
Make your own collection of 10
power-packed balls and check it out.
Kit has 4 funky molds
10 colors (including
glow-in-the dark)
and ultra easy
instructions.
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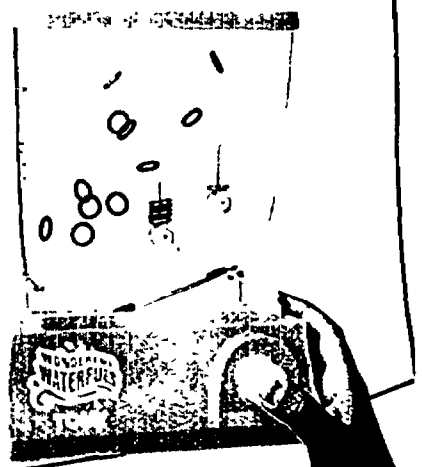
Balloon Animals Kit

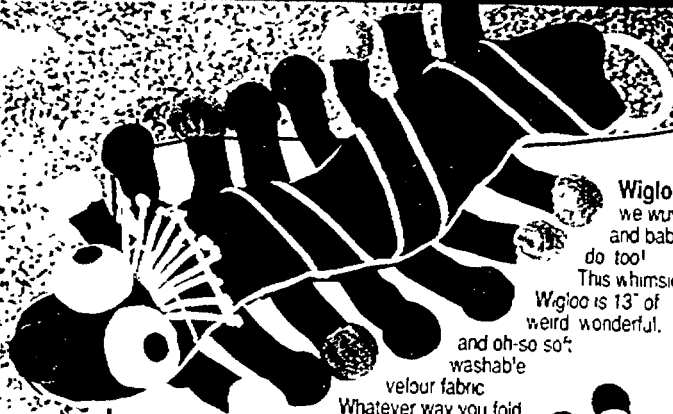
No more huffing and
puffing because this cool
kit includes a nifty little
hand pump that really
works swell, plus an
80 page instruction book
with step-by-step photos
and enough quality balloons
to make ten fun animals.
Ages 8 & up #310 \$14
Refill Pack of 24
Balloons #100 \$4



Wonderful Waterfuls Ring Toss

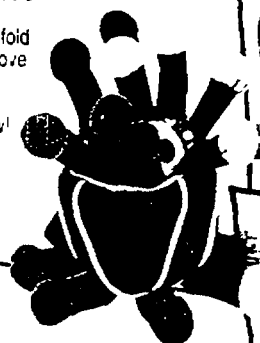
Fill the plastic tank with
water and flip the rings
on the poles. Careful,
though! Too much
motion in the
ocean and the
rings will float away!
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#TY7213 \$8



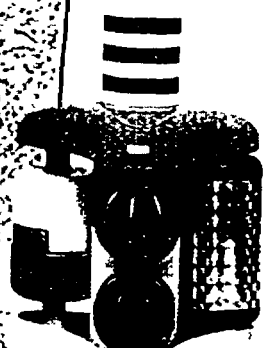


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washable
velour fabric

Whatever way you fold
him or roll him, babes love
the color and motion,
squeaks and rattles! Lots of legs for
droolers and gummers to grab and chew!
Hand washable
Ages birth & up
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Chiming Mirror
A mirror is a baby basic. This one, the
perfect size for younger babies, even
comes with a soft base to hold the
mirror in a steady position for easier
viewing. The soft velour covering feels
inviting to the touch, and both the
mirror and base have soft rattles
inside to further intrigue little ones.
Ages 6 months & up
#EOO307 \$16



Tabletop Pop-Up

We tested and tested
and TESTED suction toys til
we found one that really stays put. This
ultimate high chair toy spins, rattles, squeaks
and clicks and clacks. Develops hand-eye
coordination and fine motor skills, and yes, it will
keep Junior busy while he's waiting for you to
serve up chow. Ages 6 months & up
#TF10255 \$12



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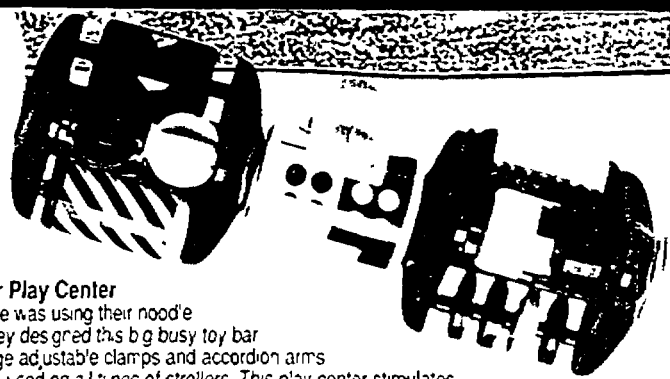
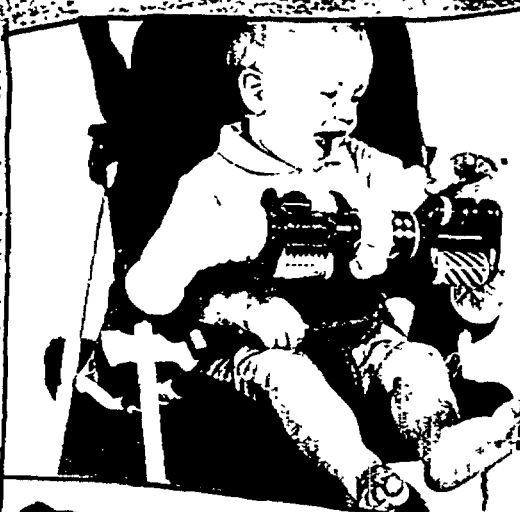
Earl may not
catch any worms
but he sure will catch
your baby's attention!
Baby will first want to
grab Earl's orange beak
or maybe his bright red
tail with the crinkle sound
or one of his feet that
squeak, or one of his
teething rings. So many
delicious choices to
tickle so many, many
developing senses!
Machine washable.
Ages Birth & up
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BoBo Ball

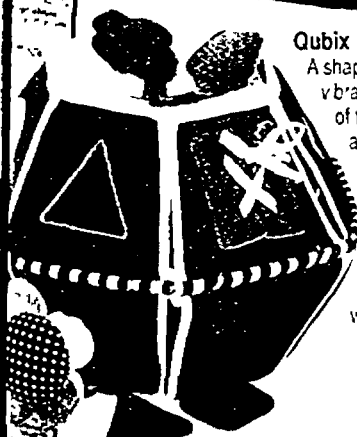
Hello BoBo! Hello to a new kind
of ball! It's a colorful cur-cue of tricot
"feel-good" fabric. It's springy and
squishy, with a rattle inside.
Smooch it flat, stretch it out or roll it
around, bet you can't put it down.
Hand washable. Ages 6 months & up
#BO1 \$15





Stroller Play Center

Someone was using their noodle when they designed this big busy toy bar. With large adjustable clamps and accordion arms it can be used on all types of strollers. This play center stimulates, encourages and intrigues babies with vivid colors, bold graphics, and 9 interactive multi-sensory educational activities. Stroller riders never had it so good! Ages 6 months & up #TF10215 \$25



Qubix

A shape sorter and activity toy in one with vibrant colors to attract children to the wealth of things going on. 12 side panels and top and bottom all have unique features: faces, a zipper, a mirror, a pouch, and openings to insert shaped pieces. Features multiple activities, various sounds, and even a carrying handle. So many details, each time babies play with Qubix they discover another surprise! Hand washable and the entire toy folds flat to take along! Ages 8m & up #QU700 \$30



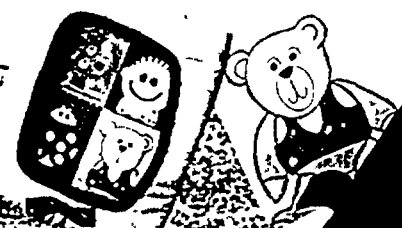
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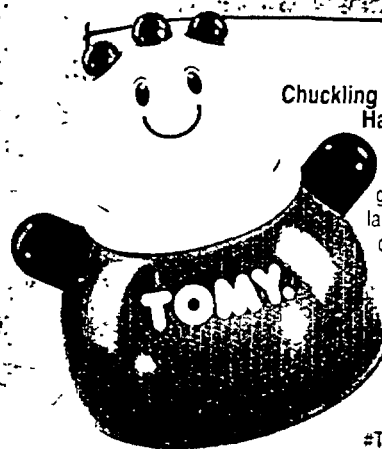
1-2-3 Discovery Lane

A road that will be well traveled! This is a unique baby playground made of soft, safe and stimulating materials. It's a 3 stage modular playground with 10 activities to encourage curiosity and alertness. Use first in circle shape for babies on their tummies, then stretch out the lane to motivate crawlers. When baby sits up, the Discovery Lane becomes a tent with "peek-a-boo" activities.

Here's a sample of the treats waiting for baby to discover: a big mirror surrounded by crinkly sounds, water mat with bright fish, soft toys that make real animal sounds when squeezed. Configuration can be easily changed with Velcro fasteners. Ages 3-18 months #470-412 \$50

Exclusive! While supplies last, we'll give you a free hanging soft picture set (shown below) with the purchase of every 1-2-3 Discovery Lane.



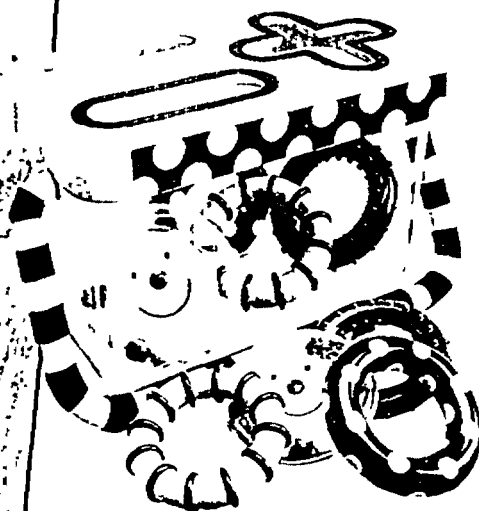


Chuckling Charlie Happy Pal

Here's a good humor man that'll get everybody laughing with his cheery giggles. Roll Chuckling Charlie along like a computer mouse and he'll make funny baby sounds that will charm real babes right out of their socks. 3 button cell batteries included. Ages 12 months & up #TY6578 \$8

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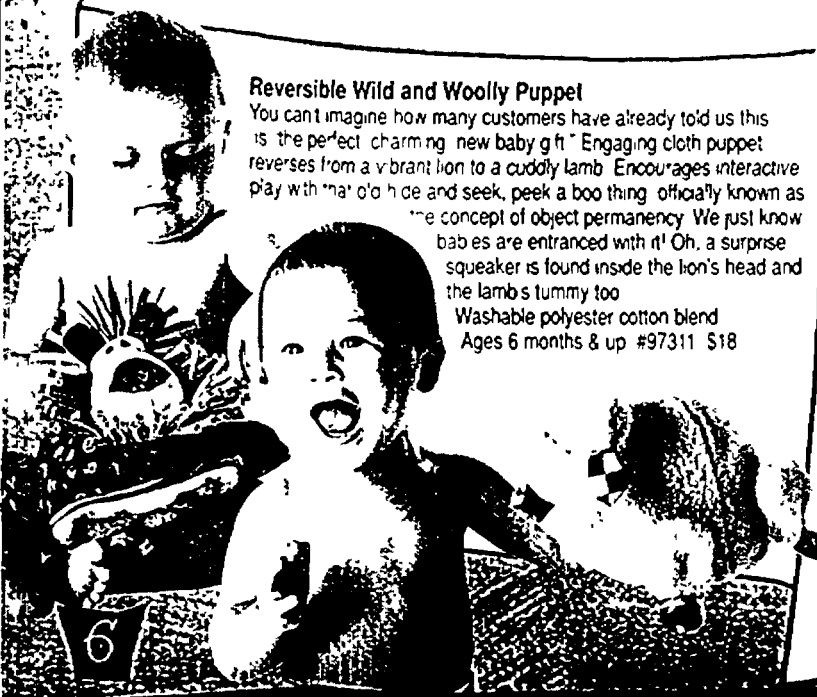
Dunk and Clunk Circus Rings

A first sorting toy. First baby can take the bright rings out of the container to play with. Later, baby will learn how to put them back in and dump them out. Then finally baby will have the skills to drop the rings thru the slots on the lid. Simple baby steps to us, big stepping stones in baby's development. Handle locks the top on making it easy for baby to carry. Ages 9 months & up #840 \$10



Smiley Face Rattle

Baby has a nice day when she interacts with this friendly face. Eyes wiggle, the nose squeaks and beads rattle. Textured handles are great for holding and teething. Mirror on reverse side is always intriguing! Ages 3 months & up #824 \$8



Reversible Wild and Woolly Puppet

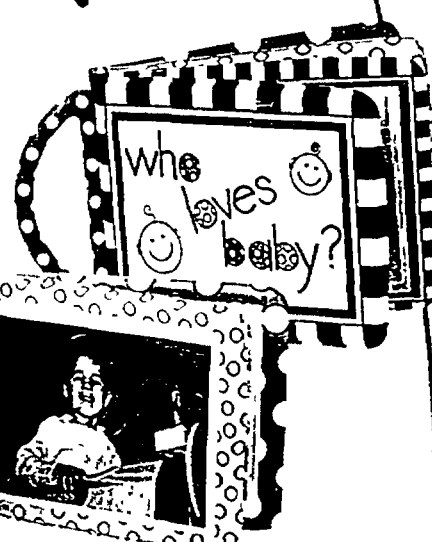
You can't imagine how many customers have already told us this is the perfect charming new baby gift. Engaging cloth puppet reverses from a vibrant lion to a cuddly lamb. Encourages interactive play with that old hide and seek, peek a boo thing officially known as the concept of object permanency. We just know babies are entranced with it! Oh, a surprise squeaker is found inside the lion's head and the lamb's tummy too. Washable polyester cotton blend. Ages 6 months & up #97311 \$18

Bouncing Billy Happy Pal

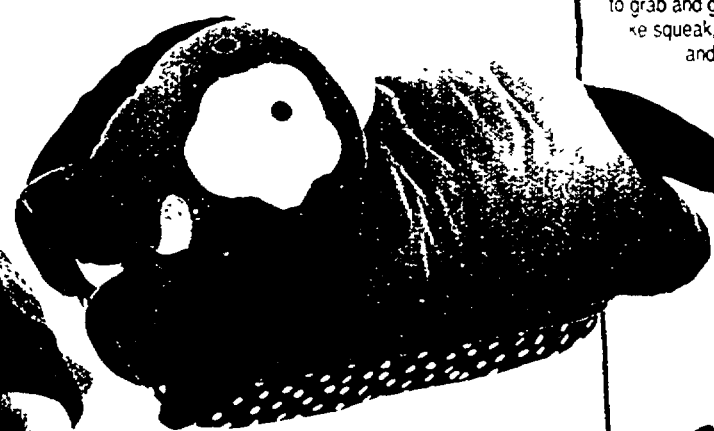
This guy's a hoot! Think of him as a jack-in-the-box with all the fun of anticipation and none of the scare! Push Billy into his barrel and wait for him to pop up. His head whistles on the way down then BOIIINNGGG up pops his head and his tummy shakes and a HAH, here comes one more crazy sound! 3 button cell batteries included. Ages 12 months & up #TY6525 \$13



Happy Baby!



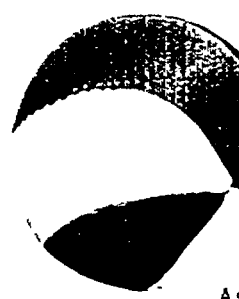
Who Loves Baby Photo Book
Babies love looking at faces. Fill this six page, well-made, vinyl photo album with the people in their family. Baby will learn to turn the pages to look at pictures over and over. Grab the handle and take it along on outings. Ages Birth & up #844 \$7



Dot The Dog Rocker
Very velvety, very soft and very cuddly! Babies love this because it's close to the ground, easy to stay balanced upon, and softer than a blanket. As they roll gently back and forth and grab hold of Dot's floppy ears, one squeaks and one rattles. Another surprise! Dot's paws have balls hidden inside that jingle! 26" long. Ages 18 months & up #RK501 \$60

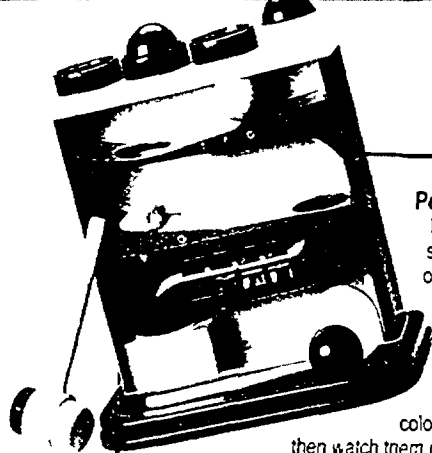
Happy Sounds Ball
17 wacky cartoon sounds like dings, kachings, boings, and gachaws come from this vinyl ball whenever it's bounced or tapped. The silly sounds are hard to describe, but they're so much fun that babies are encouraged to crawl after the ball. Ages 6 months & up #TY2631 \$17

BOING! Ka-Ching!



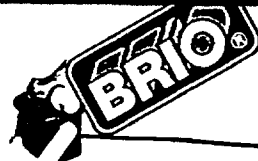
Shake N' Rattle
A soft "jack" with four arms for baby to grab and grip. Each arm does something different: one squeaks, one rattles, one chimes. Bright colors and patterns and interesting textures stimulate awakening senses. And no matter how this toy falls, it always ends up in an easy-to-grasp tripod position. Ages 3 months & up #97215 \$10





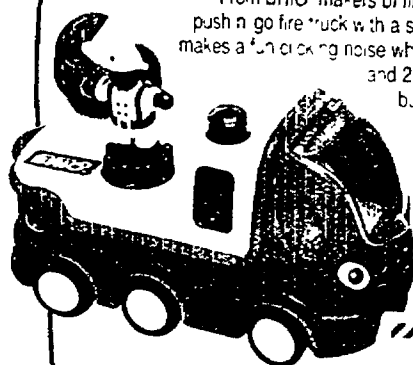
Pound A Ball

In our store, kids find this and stop in their tracks, making it one of our most in demand toys ever. It's an update of the classic pounding bench just as irresistible now as it always has been. Little ones delight being able to pound the colored balls through the holes then watch them roll back and forth down the ramp, spin the wheel and exit. Sooooo satisfying!! Plastic "cause & effect" pounding bench includes four balls to match to corresponding colored holes plus a sturdy hammer. Ages 18 months & up. #BB3004 \$16



Rev-up Fire Truck

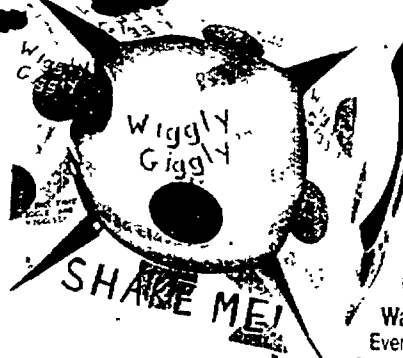
From BRIO makers of fine quality toys, here's a chunky push n' go fire truck with a siren that dings and a ladder that makes a fun clicking noise when rotated. Includes 2 firefighters and 2 road blocks. The truck with a push button tailgate release for loading is designed to develop fine motor skills and hand eye coordination. Ages 2 & up. #45311 \$25



Happy Todd

Baby Things Tot Tower

10 extra large laminated blocks with sweet-sweet-sweet beautifully colored pictures. Pictured are baby activities such as sleeping, crawling and cuddling plus images of kitties, bunnies, bbs & bottles, a slice of baby life! Stack, tumble and nest as well as talk all about the pictures on these charming blocks. Ages 1 & up. #BT398 \$19



Wiggly Giggly Ball

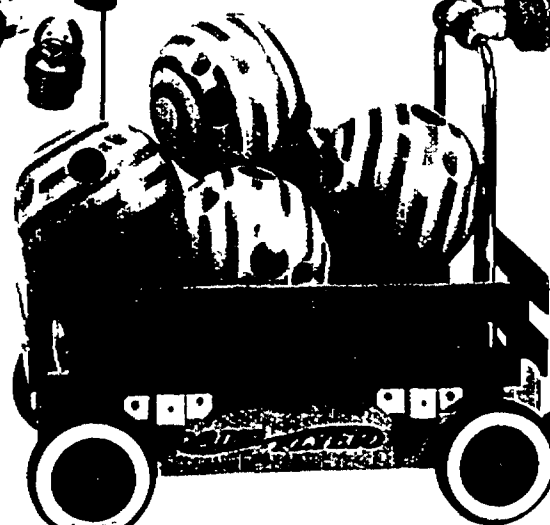
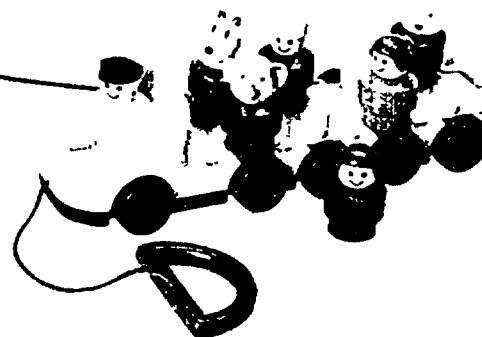
There simply is not a way to adequately describe how fun the sounds are that this ball makes as it rolls. OK, we'll tell you this: 9 out of 10 people who pick it up in our store break into a grin and then say they must buy it. Why? When they roll the ball, it wiggles but the real clincher is it GIGGLES! Yup, a wonderful "sound widget" inside it gives it an infectious goofy laughing sound that's absolutely irresistible. No batteries required. Ages 3 months & up and wildly popular with the college crowd, too! #310 \$15

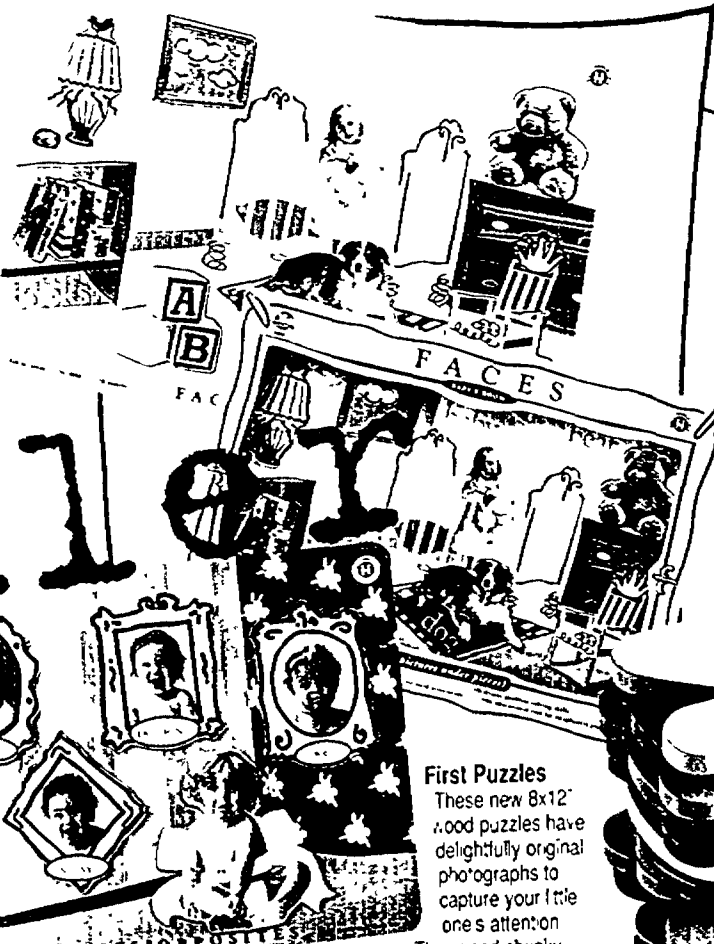
Walker Wagon

Every child wants their own little red wagon for toting important cargo. This one, made in America by Radio Flyer, is wooden with removable side panels, a removable steel push bar for beginning walkers, and a pull rope for experienced walkers. Ages 1-4. #11 \$53

Spinning Animal Bus

The wheels on the bus go round and round and the animal passengers go round and round too! Stop the bus and connect the ramp to let the happy driver and riders off. Easy to grasp loop handle for pulling. One of the best pull toys we know of! Ages 1 & up. #BB108 \$16





First Puzzles

These new 8x12" wood puzzles have delightfully original photographs to capture your little one's attention.

The raised chunky

pieces are easy to handle, making these perfect first puzzles for ages 18 months & up.

Baby's Room Puzzle (shown at top and in center)

has 6 pieces of everyday objects with the

identical picture underneath. Words

are also spelled out to initiate

word and object association.

#6003 \$10.25

Faces Puzzle (shown

above) has happy, sad,

laughing, crying, wet-dry,

and other "opposites."

#6001 \$10.25

Roll Around Tower

Step right up for tons of repetitive entertainment!

Ten rainbow bright balls with

assorted patterns and funny

faces roll down the chute.

This is a smash hit with toddlers

as well as bigger kids. How do

we know? Cause it's one of the

most popular samples in our

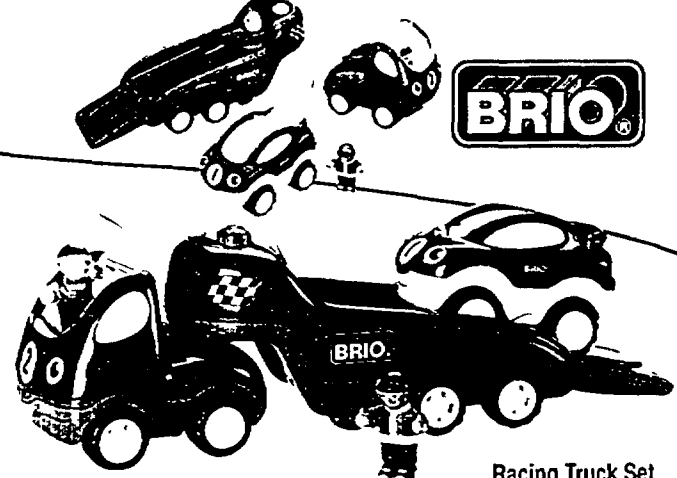
store. Kids stand in line for a

chance to roll the balls again

and again and again.

Ages 1 & up

#TY1270 \$25



Racing Truck Set

Another super BRIO vehicle for "wheely crazy" kids. This rev-up truck with

removable trailer features push n' go action: give the wheels a starting push

and away they go on their own! Set includes 2 rev-up cars, one driver and one

mechanic. Magnet on truck provides real towing action for the cars when they

"break down." Sturdy plastic. Ages 2 & up. #45315 \$35

Stackabells

26 colorful wood

letters stack properly when

they're in correct alphabetical

order while kids have fun

fitting the "puzzle" together

or just

stacking

them up.

They're also

learning

appropriate

alphabet

sequencing.

The high quality

enamel finish

must be felt to be

truly appreciated.

Ages 3 & up

#96604 \$30

Alphabet Block Wagon

This Radio Flyer wood wagon is

filled with 35 heirloom quality

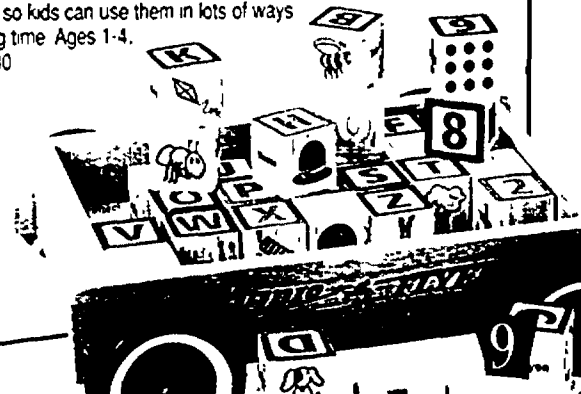
wooden blocks sanded to a smooth

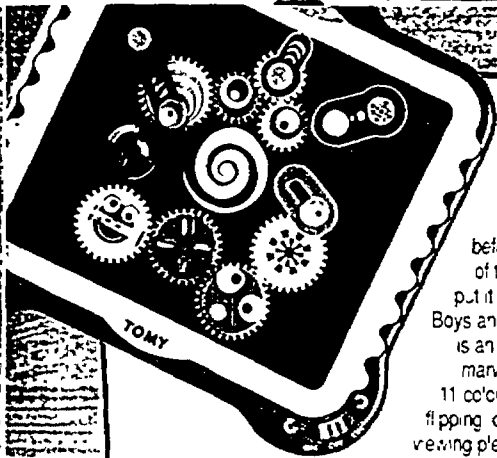
finish. Blocks have non-toxic letters, numbers, math symbols, words and

pictures, so kids can use them in lots of ways

for a long time. Ages 1-4.

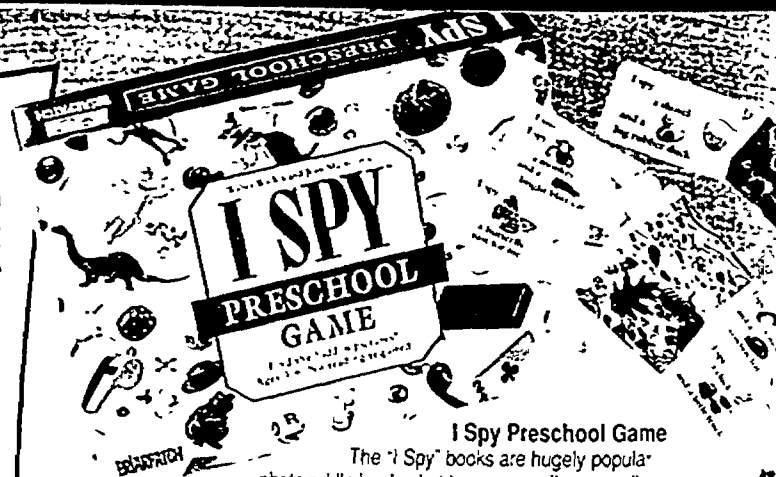
#10A \$30





Gearation

This one wowed us before we even got it out of the box. We could not put it together fast enough! Boys and girls, yesssree, this is an authentic mechanical marvel of toy engineering! 11 colorful, turning, spinning, flipping, dinging gears for your viewing pleasure. Turn it on and add one gear at a time to the magnetic surface. Keep adding pieces till you have a truly whiz-bang display. Move the gears fast or slow, forwards or backwards! Requires 1 C battery, not included. Ages 3 & up. #TY6526 \$25



I Spy Preschool Game

The 'I Spy' books are hugely popular photo riddle books that have spun off an equally popular game. Now there's an I Spy game with beautifully detailed photos just right for preschoolers. Five self-correcting ways to play: see the words, match the pictures or match the rhyming pairs. It's a game that can be played without reading and everybody wins! For 1-4 players, ages 3-6. #BP6103 \$15



Little Contractor Jr. Tool Belt Kit

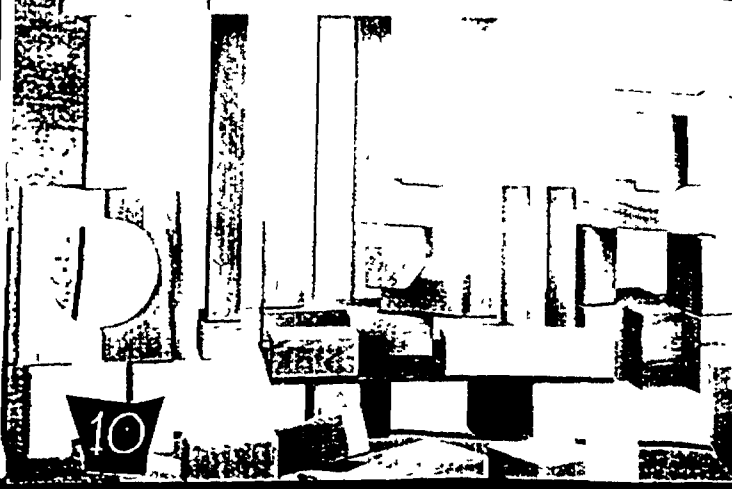
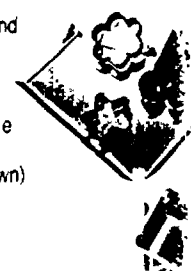
For the little tool man or woman at your house, real working tools in a top grain leather pouch slung on a thick leather belt. Set includes hammer, flashlight, level, 10" steel tape measure, and T-Square. Ages 6 & up. #LP105H \$28

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Unit Blocks

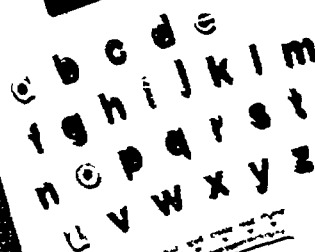
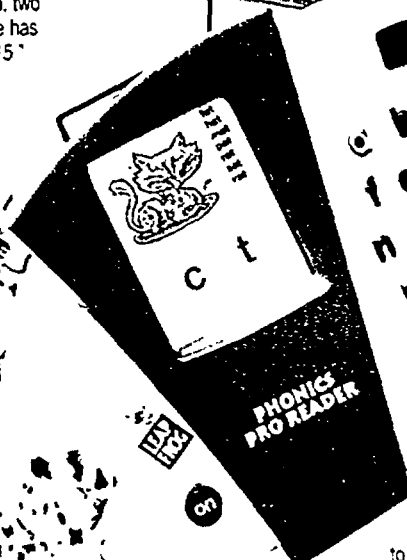
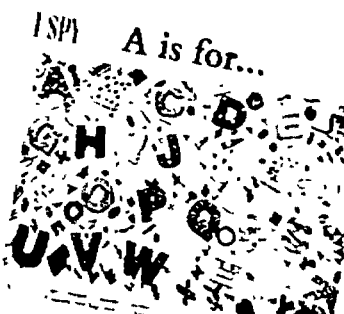
Blocks are the most basic of playthings, but they offer unlimited possibilities to a child. Block play is considered important in early child development for developing motor skills and learning basic math concepts. These blocks are hard maple, natural finish and smooth sanded with rounded edges and corners. Shapes include arches, triangles, columns, 1/2 circles, roof boards and unit blocks. Folks, these blocks are the best. Carefully made in the USA to last far into the next millennium!

Includes cloth storage bag. Ages 2 & up.
68 piece set (shown) #BCKID \$120
36 piece set (not shown) #BCKIS \$72



I Spy Jigsaw Puzzle

I spy a magnet, a monkey, a mouse, a squash, two flags, five 4s, a house. Alphabet jigsaw puzzle has picture riddles to solve. 63 pieces. Size 11 5x15". Ages 5 & up #BP6205 \$8



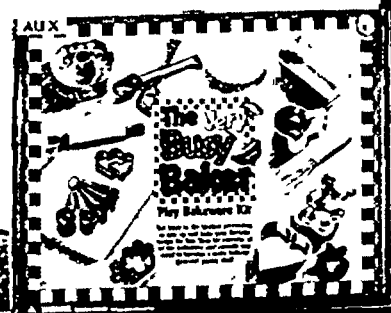
Phonics Pro Reader

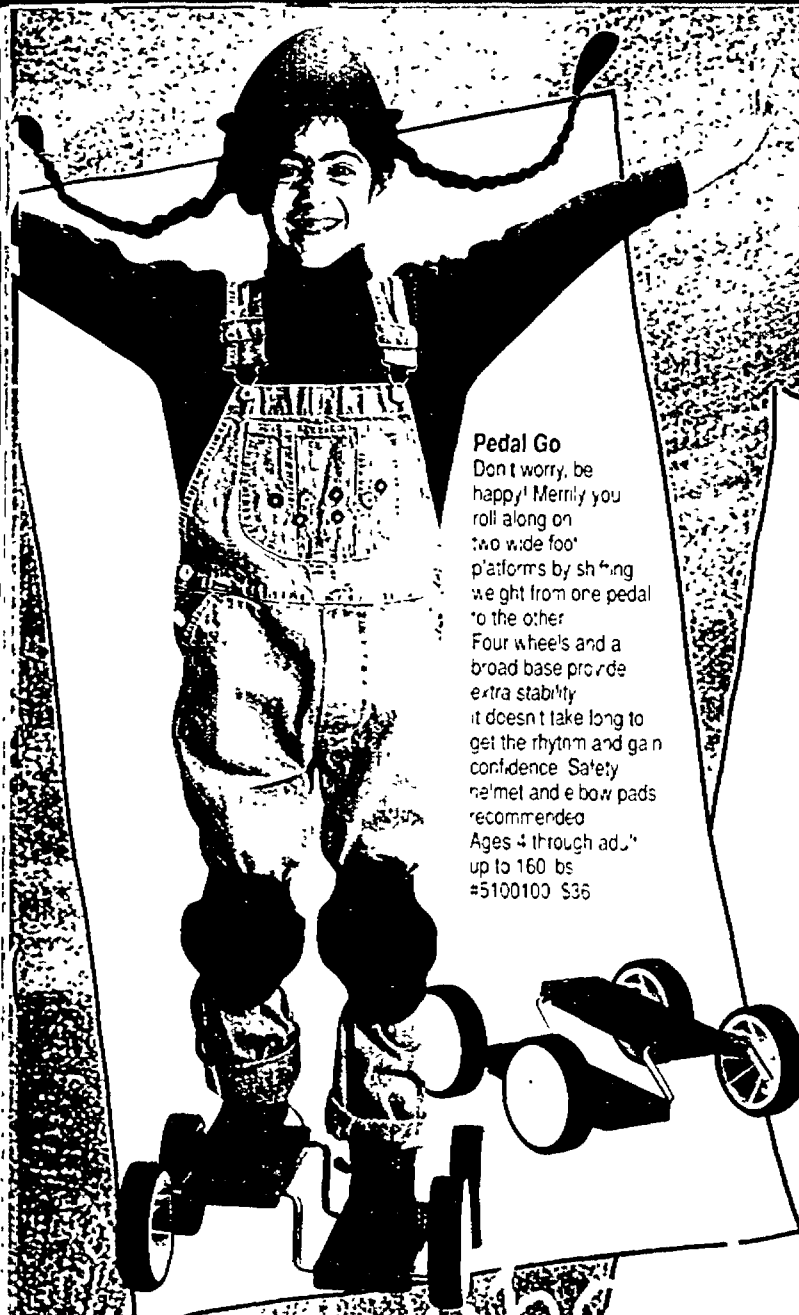
A portable, multi-sensory learning system combining touch, sight and sound to teach children the alphabet, phonics, reading and spelling. Impressive, but is it fun? We! Our toy testers could not put it down, and with 120 talking word cards to work with, they may never have to! Stanford University-developed curriculum, self-contained storage, automatic "sleep" mode. 4 AA batteries included. Ages Pre K through 3rd Grade #26200 \$79.95

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The Very Busy Baker Play Bakeware Kit

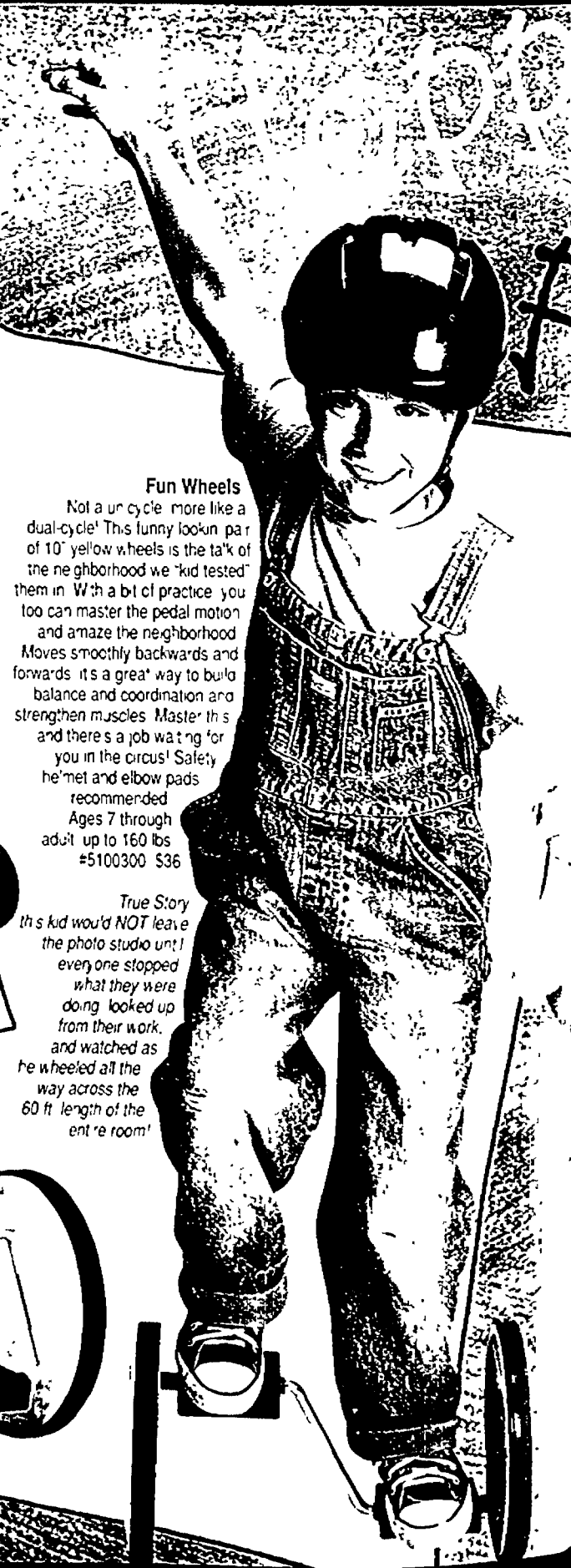
Recipe for fun! 1 chef's hat and apron, a collection of quality bakeware and utensils mixed together with your imagination. Aluminum and plastic pieces include whisk, measuring spoons, 8x11" cookie sheet, cookie cutters, rolling pin, loaf pan, springform pan, measuring cup and even a teddy bear mold. The professional-quality, kid-sized bakeware can be used in a real oven to make cakes and cookies along with the help of an adult. Ages 4 & up #601X \$30





Pedal Go

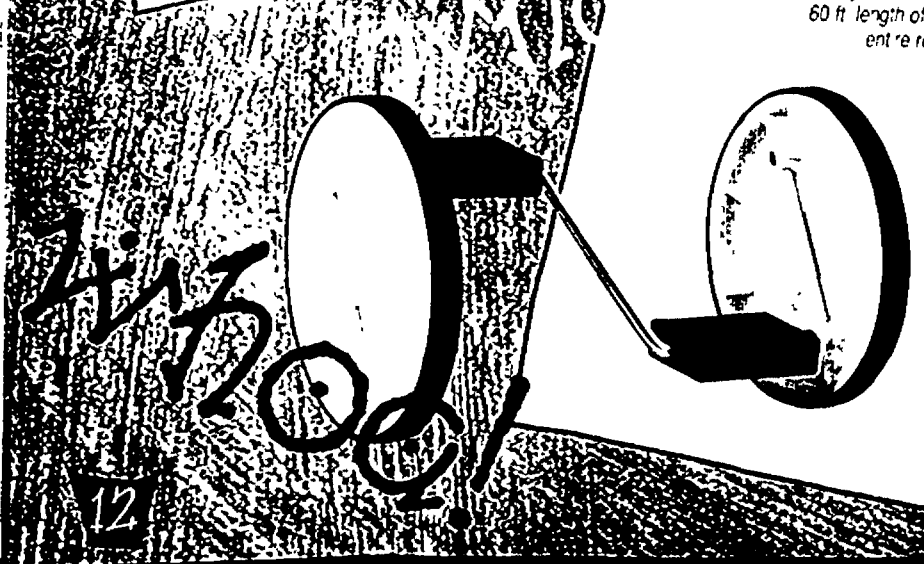
Don't worry, be happy! Merely you roll along on two wide foot platforms by shifting weight from one pedal to the other. Four wheels and a broad base provide extra stability. It doesn't take long to get the rhythm and gain confidence. Safety helmet and elbow pads recommended. Ages 4 through adult, up to 160 lbs. #5100100 \$36



Fun Wheels

Not a unicycle, more like a dual-cycle! This funny looking pair of 10" yellow wheels is the talk of the neighborhood. We "kid tested" them in. With a bit of practice, you too can master the pedal motion and amaze the neighborhood. Moves smoothly backwards and forwards. It's a great way to build balance and coordination and strengthen muscles. Master this and there's a job waiting for you in the circus! Safety helmet and elbow pads recommended. Ages 7 through adult, up to 160 lbs. #5100300 \$36

True Story
This kid would NOT leave the photo studio until everyone stopped what they were doing, looked up from their work, and watched as he wheeled all the way across the 60 ft. length of the entire room!



Wobbler

Rock and roll maneuver the ball through the maze into the hole! Learn to use just the right body english to build your skill. Wobble alone or wobble with friends wobble against the clock wobble your way to better balance and coordination wobble just for the fun of it. Made in the USA of heavy duty plastic. For use by kids and adults indoors and out. Ages 7 through adult up to 250 lbs #30000 \$36

Bungee Jumper

We think of it as putting spring in your fall and winter! Easier to balance on than a pogo stick the extra wide safe base and super soft handle make this Bungee Jumper easy to do and a blast to master. The flexible tetra allows skateboard and snowboard inspired tricks to be performed. Diggity dog it's extreme fun! Use indoors or out. For kids of all ages up to 250 pounds #1888 \$20

Pogo Roo

Get the most bounce per ounce with this super strong welded tubular steel jumping pole. This is a first rate hopper. Safety features include a cover for the high tension safety spring, molded hand grips, heavy duty foot pads and cushioned floor saver tip. No assembly required just jump on and hop away! Ages 8 & up 75 150 lbs #1321 \$32

Pogo Roo Junior (not shown) for ages 6-10 40 80 lbs #1315 \$30

Hi-Walker Stilts

Being a head above the crowd is always exciting. See the sights up there while building balance skills with these heavy duty steel stilts. Designed for foot comfort and performance they feature five adjustment settings for growing kids, molded hand grips, floor saver tips and non skid foot platforms. Ages 6 12, up to 150 lbs #1330 \$24



Shakin' A Tailfeather

Gotta move gotta dance! Taj Mahal the renowned folk and blues musician combines hip hop with classic rock n roll. The Grammy nominated recording is full of free n free get up and shake rattle roll and wobble songs. Who can resist shakin' it to "Rockin Robbin" "While and the Hand Jive" "Land of a Thousand Dances" "The Name Game" and "Shortnin Bread"?

All ages

Tape #MLP72940CA \$11
CD #MLP72940CD \$16

Wave Drum

Create the whoosh of an ocean wave with this 10" two sided drum filled with beads. Colorful beads produce the smooth sound of waves as they roll from side to side. Shake the drum for crashing waves and thunder. See through drum lets kids watch the beads dance inside. Captivating! And this drum works as a marching drum too producing a snare drum sound when it's struck with the mallet. Mallet is included with a clip to keep it in place. Ages 3 & up

#480 \$15



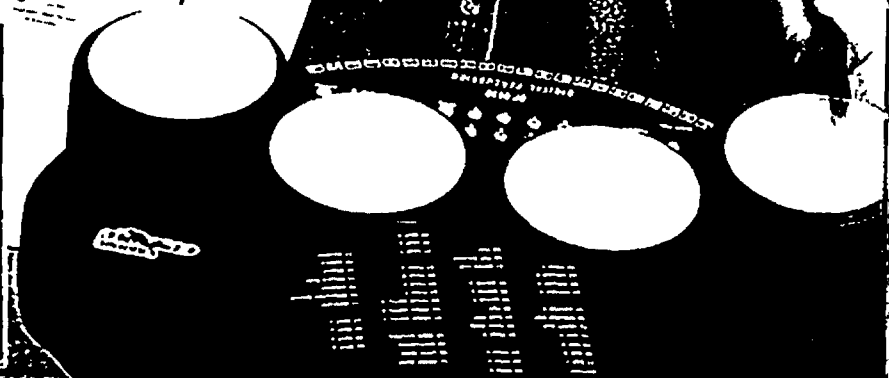
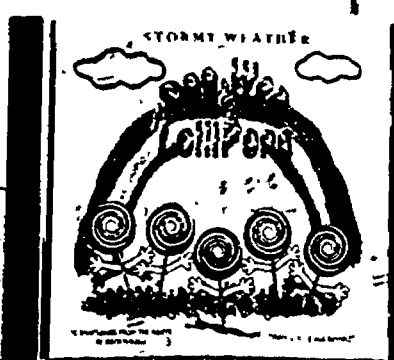
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Doo Wop and Lollipops

5 rock n roll classics sung flawlessly and enthusiastically by a quartet without instruments. Kids respond to the simplicity and humor of 60's Doo Wop music such as "The Banana Boat Song" "Somewhere Over the Rainbow" "Alley Oop" "Peanut Butter" and "Iko Iko". This recording is geared to children but bridges the gap nicely between child and adult tastes. All ages

Tape #STG7204CA \$11 CD #STG7204CD \$16



Wooden Zither

Kids love to dither with a zither! This folk instrument is a child sized (8x15) heirloom quality wood harp with metal strings the whole family

can learn to play in an instant! We're not joking! Simply slip the song sheet pattern under the strings and connect the notes using the pick to pluck beautiful rich sounds. It's easy to learn and an excellent introduction to tone, rhythm and musical basics. Family favorite songs include: Mary Had a Little Lamb, Yankee Doodle, Happy Birthday and Twinkle Twinkle

Little Star. Includes tuning key, instructions, picks and extra string. Ages 5 & up #5407022 \$30

Classic Wood Guitar

For "Guitar Sallys" and Stage-door Johnnys we have a quality 30" wood guitar with 6 metal and nylon strings. This is a real musical instrument just a scaled down version that is the perfect size for the young child starting guitar. Comes with an instruction manual and songs to learn. A great way to introduce the playing of a musical instrument. Ages 4-8 #GSW76 \$50

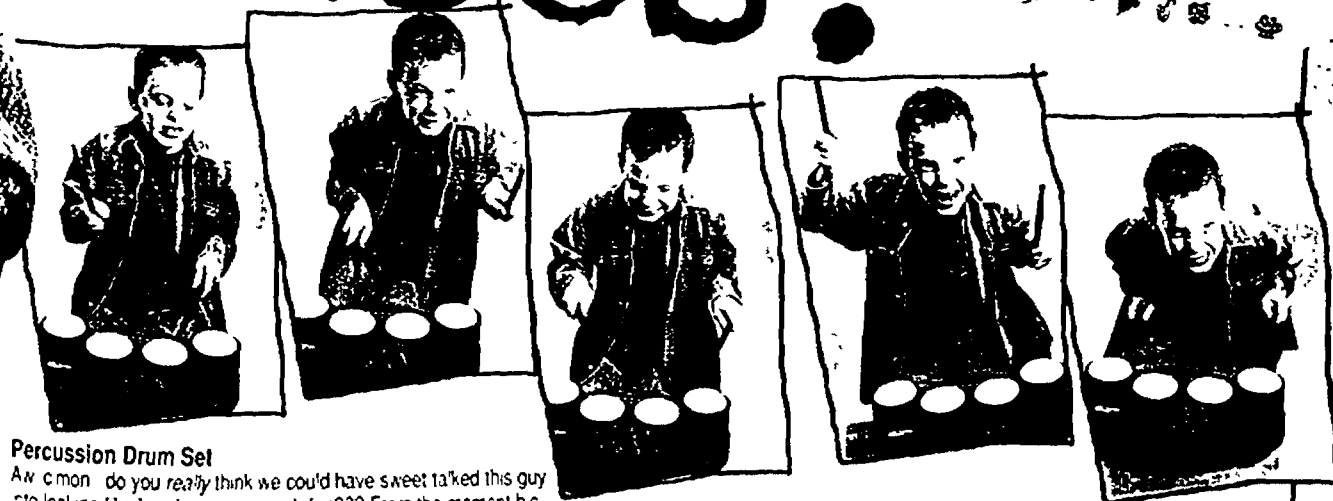
Mini Rainbomaker

Turn it over to sit & shake. Create visual and audio excitement when the multi-colored beads cascade down the tube making the sound of gentle rain while a prism of colors flashes by. Great special effects you're gonna love it! Ages 3 years & up #5300201 \$10

Little Composer

Educators tell us early involvement with music helps boost critical thinking skills later in life. Now children can make their own music with this electronic music education toy. Use a musical song card to play a pre-programmed song or move the notes up and down to create a song. Record favorites to play again and again. Songs can be played in any of the following modes: guitar, piano, saxophone, violin, a female voice, singing, cats meowing or dogs barking (or should we say "Baching"?). Includes 10 song cards & 4 AA batteries. Ages Pre K through 2nd Grade #27000 \$36

Noises!



Percussion Drum Set

Aw c'mon, do you really think we could have sweet talked this guy into looking like he's having so much fun??? From the moment his drumstick hit the pad, this kid went NUTS! High tech percussion instrument has 4 drum pads and 49 rhythm styles to explore. It's a whole world of musical variety at your fingertips, not only do you have your basic rock, rap, swing, beat and hip hop tempos, you've got bossanova, funk, dance pop and novelty beats like horror, jungle and comedy! Also includes 22 sounds like cowbells and cymbals that can be assigned to any of the 4 pads to play along with any of the rhythm styles. Tempo and volume can be adjusted up and down. Comes with 2 plastic drum sticks. If you want a sample of what everything sounds like, just press the DEMO button. Sweet!!! Requires 6 C batteries or a 9-12 volt power adapter (not included). Ages 5 & up #DP0650 \$85
True Story: this guy sure wasn't shy, but we do know a very shy 11 year old who looked at the drum, quietly went into his room, closed the door and didn't come out for 90 minutes. All his parents could hear was slow, slow, fast, and then wild music escaping from under the doorway!



Drop in
on BRIO's
Busy World of
Richard Scarry!

For generations children have jumped right into the bright and happy world of Richard Scarry's stories

And for generations BRIO has made the finest wood train sets

Now The Busy World of Richard Scarry is finally part of the BRIO

wooden railway system. All play

sets and vehicles are fully compatible with all the other wonderful BRIO wooden

railway pieces. The poseable characters can be removed from the vehicles and interchanged with all the others

Best of all, the play sets feature removable panels with graphics on each side so the panels

can be flipped to create two different play scenes. Ages 3 & up

A. Bananas Gorilla and Bananamobile #32511 \$15

B. Hilda Hippo and Skate Car #32514 \$15

C. Huckle Cat and Fire Engine #32513 \$15

D. Lowly Worm and Apple Car #32510 \$15

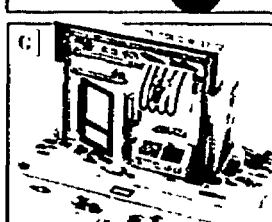
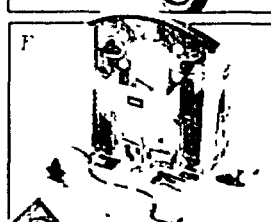
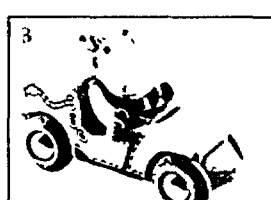
E. Mr. Frumble and Pickle Car #32512 \$15

F. Fire Station with removable balcony #32530 \$42

G. Grocery Store with removable awning #32532 \$35

H. Busytown Train Station Set with 9 pieces of track, train station, bench, engine, caboose, Huckle Cat & Lowly Worm #32550 \$80

I. Additional 11-pc. Track Set for even more adventuresome designs #33339 \$27.50

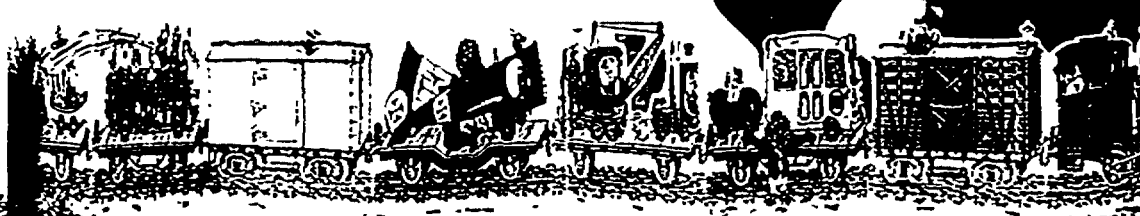


Richard Scarry's Longest Book Ever ..

Shown below is our top selling fold out book that keeps on going and going!

8 long feet of lift the flap fun! Ages 3-8 #01343 \$12.95

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Train Brain revisited...

Several years ago this train crazy boy was featured on our catalog Bro page. Today, he still loves his Bro trains. Bro track. Bro this n Bro that.

He now also craves all the train books he can get his hands on, but most are either geared toward young preschoolers or toward adult techno buffs.

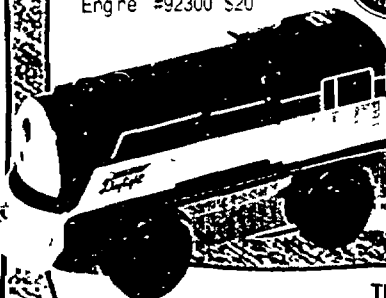
Finally, the legendary Lionel company has created beautifully illustrated books that fill this "age gap." Follow the thrilling escapades of two young heroes as they travel across America to be reunited with their parents. Filled with action, information and memorable characters, these historically based heart warming paperbacks come with audio cassettes. The expertly produced 25 minute tapes are narrated by actor LeVar Burton, with train songs performed by award winning entertainer Red Grammer.

To go with the books, Lionel created die-cast engines with working headlights, and forward and backward movement. True to Lionel quality, they feature real life train detailing using actual color treatments and 1930's styling such as the rail line insignias, engine numbers and pinstriping. The battery powered engines can run independently or on wooden track, and feature a lifetime warranty. Each engine requires one AA battery. Ages 5 & up.



The Daylight Limited

11-year old Tuck and his younger sister Billie travel up the coast of California and save a runaway railroad car as it careens out of control down a steep mountain grade threatening to take down the glamorous engine known as "the most beautiful train in America." Book & Tape #92400 \$13 Engine #92300 \$20



The President Express

Crossing the Midwest, Tuck and Billie rescue a trainload of passengers when a lightning storm knocks out the signal in a dark tunnel threatening one of twenty stately engines named after an American president. Book & Tape #92401 \$13 Engine #92301 \$20



The Torpedo Run

On the final leg of their journey, Billie and Tuck are rewarded for their courage by riding on the maiden voyage of the mighty Torpedo Run, the fastest engine of its time. With undaunted courage they overcome all obstacles to arrive in New York in time to see their parents' triumphant moment. Book & Tape #92402 \$13 Engine #92302 \$20



Happy Travels

Tres la dee dah!
 "I am the queen," says Lilly, "and I like everything!"

Lilly is a mouse with an abundance of panache, and we've found the best of Lilly's world for you
Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse Book a story illustrated and written by Kevin Henkes. Lilly loves school and everything about it, especially her teacher. But her over eagerness about a smashing new purple plastic purse her Grammy bought gets her into trouble. This is a story about saying "I'm sorry" and forgiving each other. Ages 4 & up #28971 \$15

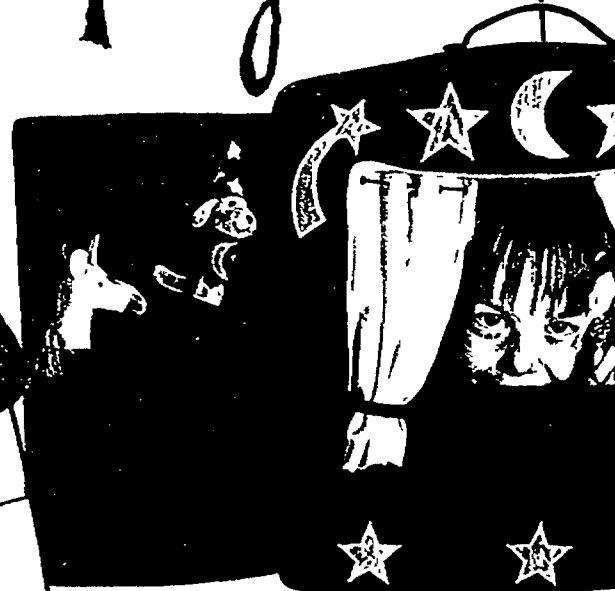
Lilly 9" Cloth Doll complete with a tiny purse and crown. Removable clothes and boots, jointed arms and legs. #1100 \$15

Lilly's 4x6" Musical Purple Plastic Purse, with a light sensitive sound chip that plays "Twinkle Twinkle Little Star" when the purse is opened. #1174 \$15

Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse Game a peek and tell memory game for 2-4 players with no reading skills required. Game can be played cooperatively or competitively. It engages imaginations either way. Ages 4-7 #30304 \$19

LILLY'S PURPLE
 PLASTIC PURSE

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Whimsical Hand Puppets

From the warped mind of a Chicago cartoonist and a factory in Chicago that actually used to make grades comes a collection of irreverent puppets we find totally irresistible! Tongues that waggle, luxurious flowing hair, moveable arms and mouths - we! these puppets just have a whole lot going on! Puppets are 9" and made of fleece, felt and cotton. Fabrics may vary from those shown below.

Blonde Girl Puppet #2003 \$24

Baby Wizard Puppet #0003 \$19

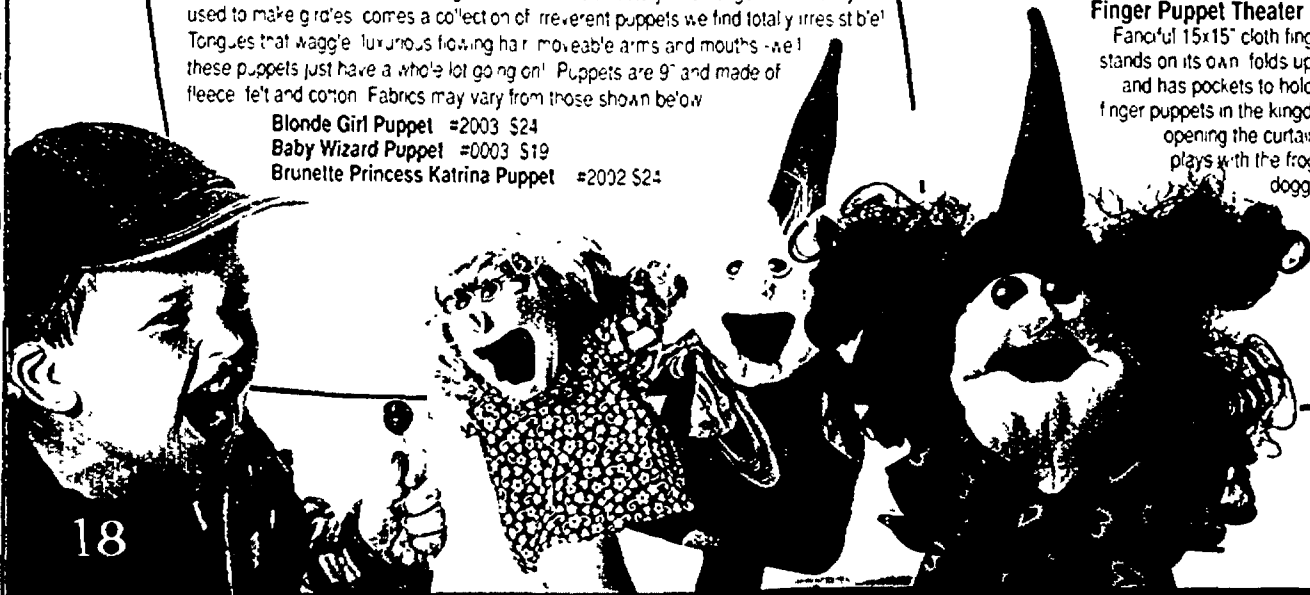
Brunette Princess Katrina Puppet #2002 \$24

Our very own exclusive!

Finger Puppet Theater with 5 Puppets

Fantastic 15x15" cloth finger puppet theater stands on its own, folds up into a carry case and has pockets to hold five of the cutest finger puppets in the kingdom! Kids will love opening the curtains and presenting plays with the frog king and queen, doggie wizard, unicorn and dragon. Ages 2 & up

#CR980CK \$50





Design-Your-Own Costumes

...just the thing for imaginations in constant motion. Each kit includes interchangeable pieces with Velcro® attachments to make designing different costumes a snap. Medieval Princess Kit has 3 loopy skirts, an adjustable cummerbund, duchess hat, jewels and trim to accessorize with and a wand to wave at the subjects! Machine washable. Ages 3-10 #CV12 \$27

Robin Hood Kit includes quilted vest, hat, safety bow, safety arrows, accessory jewels, emblems and even a pouch to collect from the rich to give to the poor! Ages 3-8 #CV11 \$25

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Dress Up Glamour Outfits

A glam collection of dress-up fun! Today's girls can have it all: baggy overalls one day and pretty pink oo-la-la clothes the next.

Pink Halter Dress: Velvety halter top with Velcro® closure, tiers of shimmering netting and delicate ribbon rosettes.

Hand washable.

XS fits sizes 2-4 #PPDRXS \$35

S fits sizes 4-6 #PPDRSM \$35

M fits sizes 6-8 #PPDRMED \$35

Pink "Fur" Hat #PK43 \$8

Pink "Fur" Stole #PK50 \$13

Pink "Fur" Purse #PP44 \$12

White Rosebud Gloves

#PPGL \$10 pair



Bath Baby with Outfits

Bath dolls hard to find... always in demand! Kids adore "taking care" of babies. Our 16" vinyl doll has open and close eyes, and moveable arms and legs. Includes gingham robe, terry romper, rubber duck, teddy bath mitt and bottle. Ages 3 & up. #FS7050 \$47

Tub & Accessories

Rub a dub dub... it's time for the tub! Plastic tub fits dolls up to 16" tall. Set includes hair dryer, brush, pacifier, thermometer, potty seat, 2 canisters and a disposable diaper. Ages 3 & up. #FB6057 \$15

HAPPY EARTH DAY



Corolle Laughing Baby Dolls

From Corolle, the French designer of some of the world's finest dolls, we have Giggling Calins... delightful 12" dolls who giggle when gently tossed in your arms or bounced on a knee! Hidden in the tummy is a switch to flip when you want to hear the contagious giggles! The vinyl dolls have soft, super-cuddly bean bag bodies, sweet expressive faces, open & close eyes and a delicious vanilla scent. Machine washable. Long life batteries included. Ages 3 & up. \$60 each. Shown above, left to right:

Theo Brunette #23208
Yang Asian #23209

Zoe African American #23210
Filou Blonde #23202



Corolline Hair Design

Every once in a while a very good doll comes along that kids can truly positively, absolutely, really play with. These exquisite dolls--entirely machine washable--are from Corolle, France's award winning doll designer. They have luxuriously long and silky hair that will endure continuous styling, quality vinyl bodies and moveable arms and legs. And for a limited time, each 11" Corolline doll comes with a special brush, scrunchie, 2 barrettes and 2 coated binders. Dress fabrics may vary from shown. Ages 5 & up. Choose auburn, blonde or dark brown hair. #32411 \$40

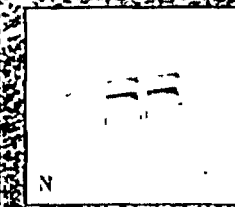
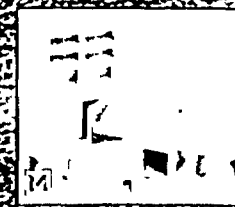
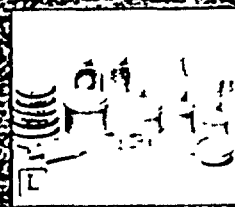
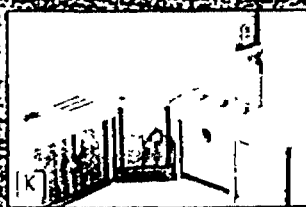
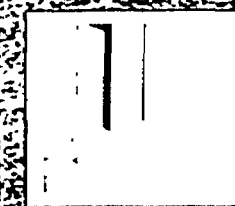
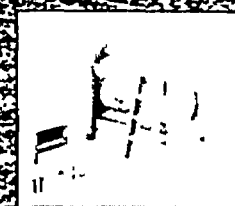


Plan Doll House

The busiest house in the imaginative world of make believe!
 Finely crafted wood house has wide open spaces to provide easy access
 The big 24"x22" house is easy to assemble, with spacious rooms to fill with
 durable, detailed furniture available separately. A treasure to pass through
 generation after generation. Ages 3 & up

- A House (unfurnished main floor & attic) #829011 \$99
- B Bottom level expansion kit with adjustable stairway
 and 2 modular bases #829830 \$30
- C Asian Family #829852 \$30
- D Caucasian Family #829104 \$30
- E African American Family #829434 \$30
- F Gas Station #829848 \$15
 Mechanic #829858 \$10
- G Convertible Family Car #829847 \$18
- H Children's Bedroom Set #829502 \$22
- I Bedroom Furniture #829016 \$24
- J Bathroom Set #829014 \$18
- K Kitchen Furniture #829013 \$18
- L Kitchen Accessories #829406 \$15
- M Dining Room Furniture #829012 \$22
- N Living Room Furniture #829015 \$22
- O Living Room Accessories #829405 \$15
- P Playground (dolls not included) #829841 \$16
- Q Firefighters* #829856 \$10 each
- R Fire Engine #829846 \$25

* Yellow oxygen tank is included
 with fire engine, not firefighters





From the
brand new
Lego
Adventure
theme:

Sphinx Secret Surprise (shown at left)

A great ancient temple is
bobby-trapped with a column that
topples on intruders; a secret compartment
that conceals treasure maps and a snake; and the
pharaoh himself who leaps out to protect his treasures.

Use the magnifying glass and tool to examine hieroglyphics. 342 pc. set includes
snakes, mummy coffin, car and five figures. Ages 8 & up #5978 \$49.99

Pharaoh's Forbidden Ruins (shown at right)

It's a desert chase in your truck and the enemy is fleeing in a hot air balloon! Beware of the traps and tricks and
spooky surprises within these stone walls. Set has 710 interlocking pieces including hot air balloon, truck,
scorpions, mummy, 3 skeletons and 5 figures. Ages 8 & up #5988 \$79.99

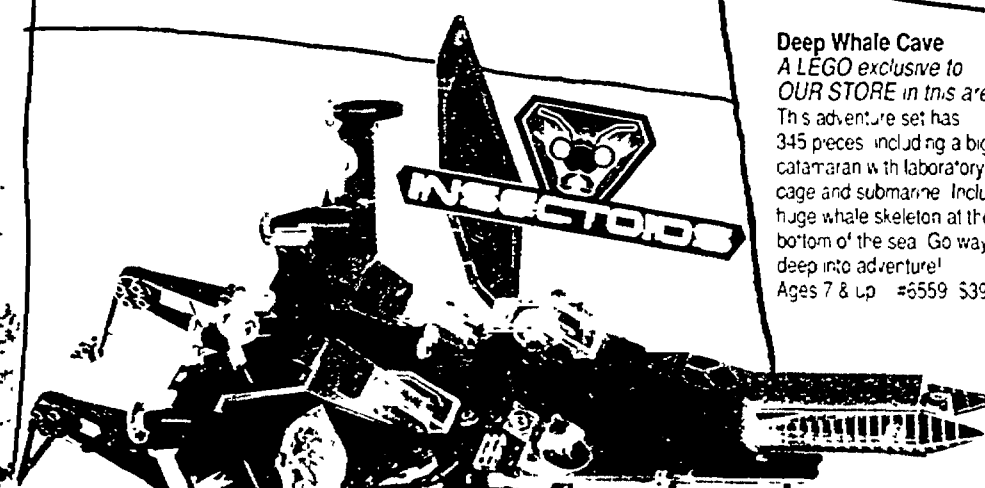


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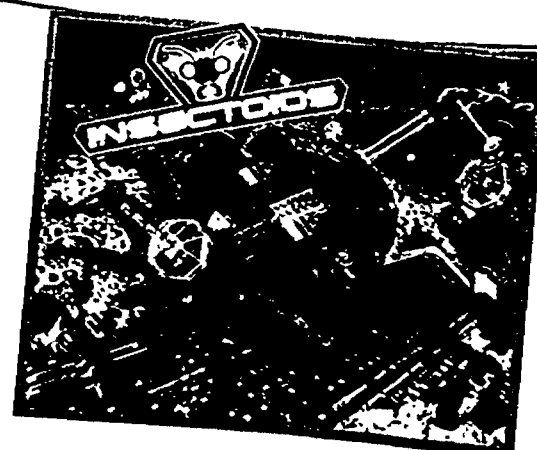
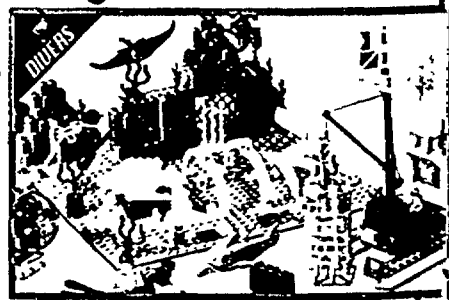
Deep Whale Cave A LEGO exclusive to OUR STORE in this area!

This adventure set has
345 pieces including a big
catamaran with laboratory, crane,
cage and submarine. Includes a
huge whale skeleton at the
bottom of the sea. Go way
deep into adventure!
Ages 7 & up #6559 \$39.99



Celestial Stinger

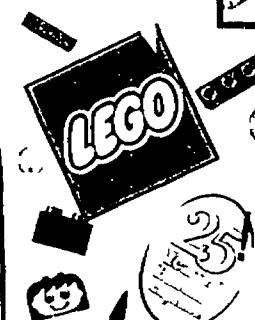
The Insectoids are coming
and the Celestial Stinger leads the fleet. Time for a
search and sting mission! Two small scout ships detach from
the side. Remove the front and reveal a secret compartment to hide
energy orbs. Features a battery pack with flashing lights that makes three different
sounds. Set has 252 interlocking pieces including three mini figures. Ages 8 & up
#6969 \$49.99



Arachnid Star Base

Gather up energy orbs
and scuttle away as fast
as you can! But never
never turn your back on
this spider-like foe. When
under attack, the star base
divides into 2 separate
vessels to trick the enemy.
The tracker has moveable
arms and legs, and the
control room has secret
compartments for energy
orbs, small planes and a
magnetic crane. A light and

sound battery pack gives off flashing lights and eerie space sounds.
Includes 4 figures, 433 interlocking pieces in all. Requires 2AA batteries.
Ages 8 & up #6977 \$79.99



In 1973, the Lego® Toy Company began selling its marvelous building system in the USA.

Every year, the world's children spend an
estimated four billion hours
being fascinated and challenged while
designing Lego models.

Thanks, Lego, for helping build
incredible minds.

And congratulations—
we can't wait to see
what you wizards
come up with
during the
next 25 years!



Happy 25th
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Play Stations

Rokenbok: New! Hot! Totally awesome!
Honest, we hate sounding pushy, but this is the product that stops folks in their tracks... the perfect "W-O-W" gift for the family!

ROKENBOK
TOY COMPANY

*Build an expandable, modular high-tech construction factory.
Drive articulated vehicles all over the site.
And control everything, from dumping, carrying, lifting and loading, with your own radio control unit.*

It's been years since we saw a product so completely innovative, so very well made, and so appropriate for a wide variety of ages. Older kids like to design and build different layouts using the snap-together modular pieces, while younger kids just love to operate the detailed radio control vehicles. Players can control up to 8 vehicles with easy function and precise control pads. Ages 6 to adult.



Power Chutes



1. Start

Begin with either of Rokenbok's complete starter sets...

Basic Start Power Chutes

- 152 modular building pieces
 - 1 wireless RC Loader Vehicle with 17 precision functions
 - 1 Command Deck with capability of handling up to 4 Control Pads and 8 vehicles (AC adapter incl.)
 - 1 Control Pad to direct a vehicle to load, dump, go forward, reverse or turn
- #34110 \$149.99

Deluxe Start Action Factory
(our best seller!) includes all of the above plus:

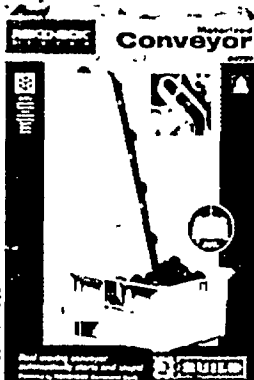
- 51 additional modular building pieces (203 total)
- Motorized Conveyor
- Action Sorter System: a series of chutes which send balls down different paths and sorts them by size

#34120 \$199.99

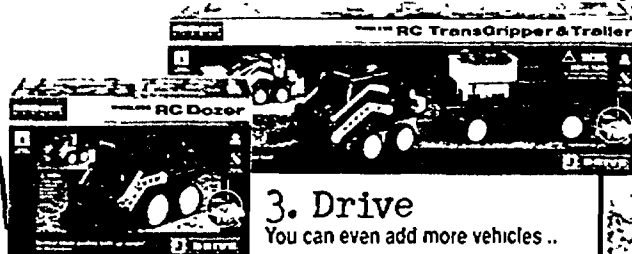


2. Build

Expand your set with additional accessories... Motorized Conveyor #04721 \$39.99



Bridges & Roadways
173 pc expansion kit for even more building fun
#34315 \$49.99



3. Drive

You can even add more vehicles...

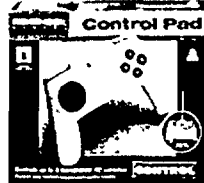
RC TransGripper and Trailer features front power forks that grip, lift and load objects for transporting. Includes cargo trailer with 2 side rails for transporting cargo, and hidden ramps that pull out for loading vehicles. 19 functions controlled with the Rokenbok Control Pad sold below. #04241 \$64.99

RC Dozer features front vertical blade for pushing materials even uphill! The tractor trends perform amazingly on steep grades! 15 functions controlled with the Rokenbok Control Pad sold below. #04271 \$49.99

Each vehicle requires 3 AAA batteries, not included.

4. Control

More than one kid? Just add another control pad so they can drive vehicles at the same time!



Control Pad allows a player to control up to 8 Rokenbok RC vehicles simultaneously. Up to 4 Control Pads can be connected to one Rokenbok Command Deck. #04710 \$29.99



K'NEX BOOK OF BIG IDEAS

OVER
100
THINGS
TO BUILD



K'NEX: Here's a wildly popular construction system with color-coded connectors, rods, tires and pulleys. Using the snap-together pieces, kids can build anything from simple models to complex designs that actually move and spin. Most importantly, the sturdy models stay completely together to play with until purposefully taken apart to make other creations!

Our EXCLUSIVE...

FREE Idea Book with purchase!

While supplies last, we'll include a full-color 80-page Big Book of Ideas with each Master Building Set. Or, you can also purchase the book separately. K'NEX Idea Book #11022 \$10

K'NEX Master Building Set

A big 20x14" carry case jam-packed with 1,030 K'NEX pieces! This huge set includes step-by-step instructions to build 50 different models, including the motorized truck, ferns, wheel and cordomatic we've shown here, and yes, the motor is included! Requires 2 AA batteries. Ages 7-14. #35139 \$79.99

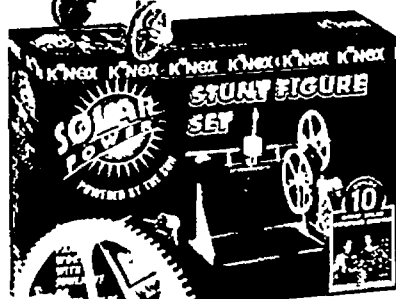
K'NEX Solar Power Stunt Figure Set

Build 10 different models driven by solar power. Set includes 239 pieces total, including K'NEX stunt figure, motor, and solar panel. For chance Mr. Nature won't cooperate, this also works with a light bulb. Ages 9 & up. Can't you just imagine the contraption below on some big rock designs? #15405 \$69.99



K'NEX Rip N' Go Mean Machines

Build two Mean Machine models at once for your own Rip N' Go raceway. Customize the cars with decals, put in the K'NEX crew figures, to the cords and watch these big 13" racers zoom. Includes 2 rip cord fly wheel motors that don't need batteries. Ages 7 & up. #12519 \$26.99



Kapla Blocks

Ahhh simplicity! Position these identical wood planks either flat on edge or upright to make countless creative structures. The 200 top quality pine planks, each 5" long, are natural, untreated, balanced, and smooth to the touch. Kapla is not "fixed" in any way, making it rare in the world of construction toys. Each boxed set includes a booklet of building techniques and photo ideas. Ages 3 & up and up and up. This might end up going to college with the kids. Kapla is that good!! #KS200 \$60

For even more ideas of things you can do with Kapla, try one of their wonderful books.

Volume 1 Red Book: Various animals and architecture. Ages 6 & up #KS RB \$17.95

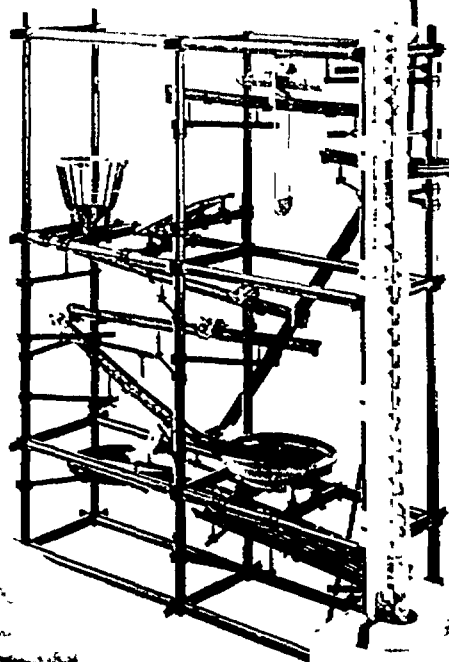
Volume 3 Green Book: Simple architecture. Ages 3 & up #KS GB \$17.95

True story: We tried Kapla out on a 12 year old who thought he was past toys. Well, he and his dad spent an entire evening building with Kapla. They didn't stop for dinner, they didn't stop for the phone, and they didn't even stop for the Simpsons!!!

Chaos

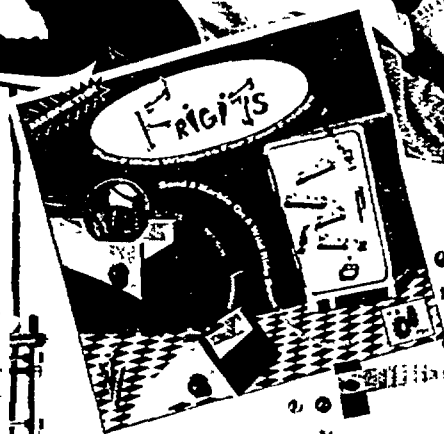
In the world of Chaos, kids become the architects, engineers, and scientists when they design ingenious structures for balls to race down and maneuver thru stunts like a loop-de-loop, pendulum, and mini trampoline! But that's just half the fun - you also get to watch the balls ride back to the top via a motorized elevator to start another dpsy-doodle ride. Includes easily assembled parts, absorbing 100 page design manual.

Full of layouts, experiments, and scientific explanations of what's happening and why. As shown at right, the Intermediate Chaos set measures a huge four feet high. Ages 8 & up #81002 \$100



Frigits

Tired of photos and drawings and ordinary magnets on the frig? Break loose and get Frigits - fun ffiled widgets for your fridge! Architects, college students, 9 year olds - everyone who sees these relates to them. Arrange the wood chutes, swinging buckets and bumpers in a run of your design and then let marbles fly through! Infinite variations possible. Each wood piece just magnetically snaps right on, so Frigits work on file cabinets, lockers and other metal surfaces too. Ages 8 & up #3000 \$26



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Disaster Science

Our Amazing Volcanoes

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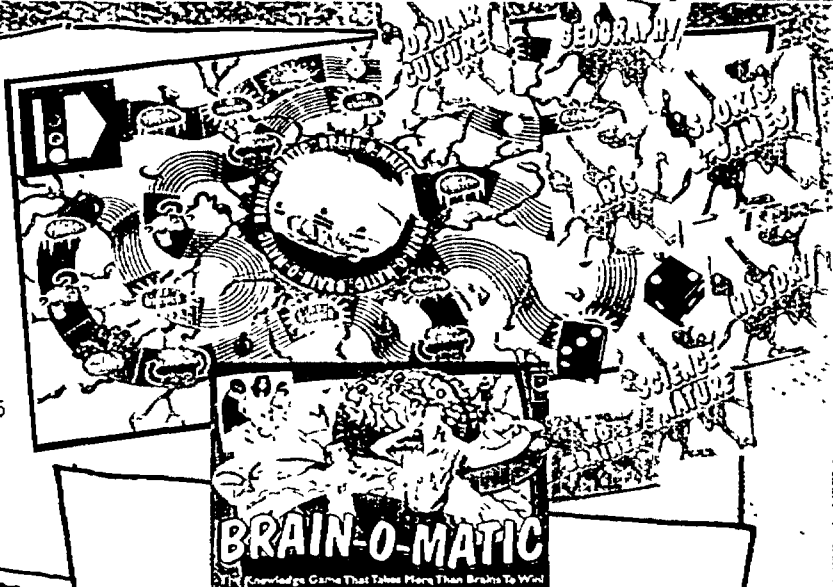
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Brain-O-Matic

It takes more than brains to win this game, it takes wits, strategy and attitude. Be the first player to get to the brain by answering questions correctly. "No Brainer" cards include questions such as: "What color is the White House?" and "When was the War of 1812?" Maybe you prefer the Einstein level: "What two elements are found in water?" or the Brainiac level: "Is it true that the human body is over 50% water?" And finally the Whiz Kid level: "If you surfed in California, what ocean would you be in?" The brain chooses a category of questions for you to answer from. Categories include sports, history, popular culture, geography and more. You choose the difficulty level of the question; the harder it is, the more spaces you advance. 2 AA batteries required for the Brain's lights and music. For 2-4 players ages 8 & up. #8022 \$25



Discovery

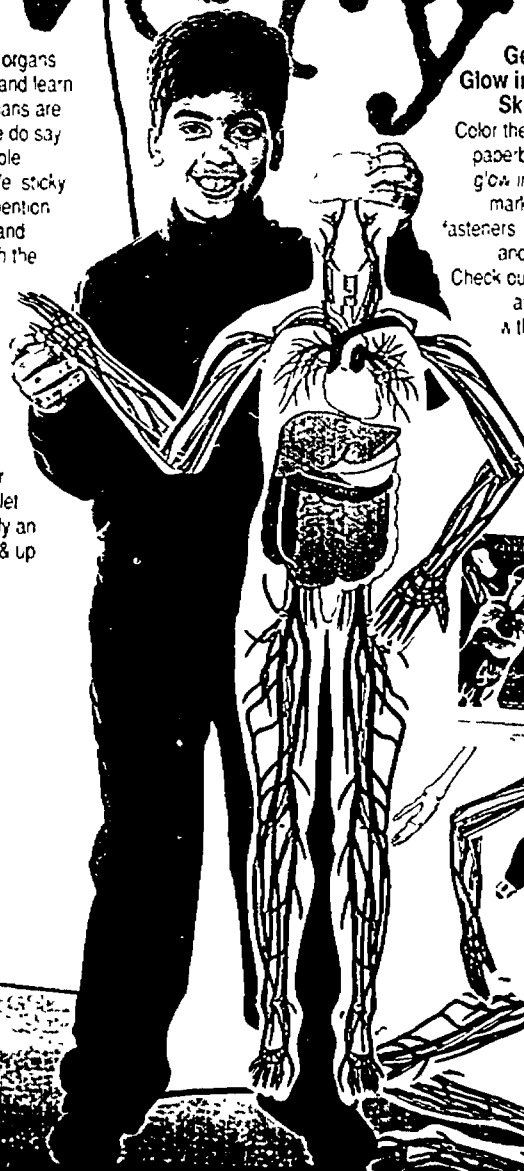


Goosey Anatomy

A package of major organs for kids to play with and learn about. But these organs are rather different if we do say so! They're stretchable, squishable, splattable, sticky and blobby, not to mention clammy and goosey and gummy oh my! Stretch the goosey intestines (if you have the guts!), churn the stomach, hug the heart and expand the brain, no matter how they're twisted and pulled, they always return to their original shape. Booklet of facts included, truly an 'inside story'. Ages 6 & up #2188 \$15

National Geographic Society Glow in the Dark Human Skeleton Activity Kit

Color the pre-cut, pre-printed paperboard body parts with glow in the dark paints and markers. Then with easy fasteners, assemble the pieces and hang your skeleton. Check out skeletal, circulatory and digestive systems with this life size model. A black light bulb is included to make it glow in the dark. Includes detailed informative color poster. Ages 7 & up #009 \$20



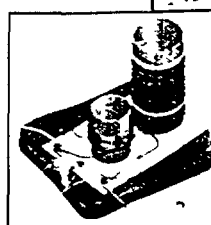
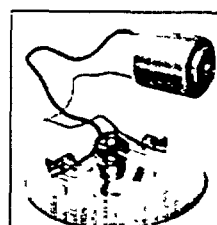
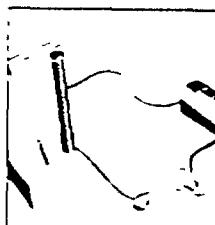
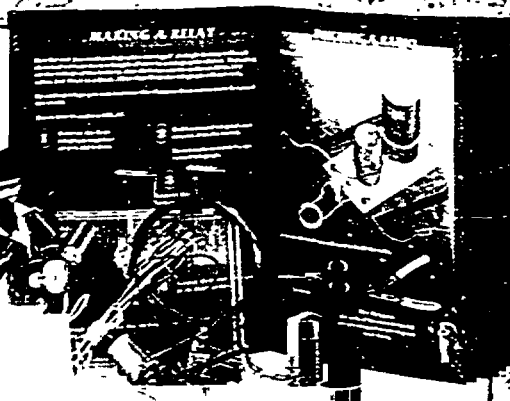
The Boss





Electrowizard Inventions

Build a working radio, a spinning motor, a clicking telegraph, a flashing generator, and more. This book contains 10 projects that will help you learn the basics of electronics. Each project is illustrated with clear diagrams and step-by-step instructions. You will need a few basic tools and components, but everything else is included in the book. This is a great book for anyone who is interested in learning about electronics.



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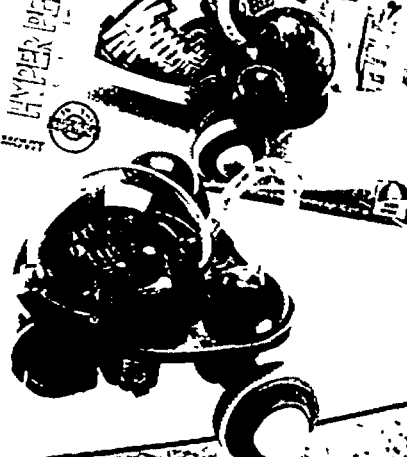


Soccer Robot

Build your own robot that can kick a ball towards and away from the goal and execute all sorts of other moves. This is a great book for anyone who is interested in learning about robotics. It contains 10 projects that will help you learn the basics of robotics. Each project is illustrated with clear diagrams and step-by-step instructions. You will need a few basic tools and components, but everything else is included in the book. This is a great book for anyone who is interested in learning about robotics.



ROBOTICS



Hyper Peppy

When it's time to play, it's time to build. Easy to assemble 3 wheel robot is quick and spry. Best of all it has a built in sensor which reacts to vibration from sound or physical contact by changing direction. Flip your hands and it will automatically reverse for it and resume a new course. Hyper Peppy, your very own kick robot. Requires 2 AA batteries. Ages 10 & up. #1A1965 \$29

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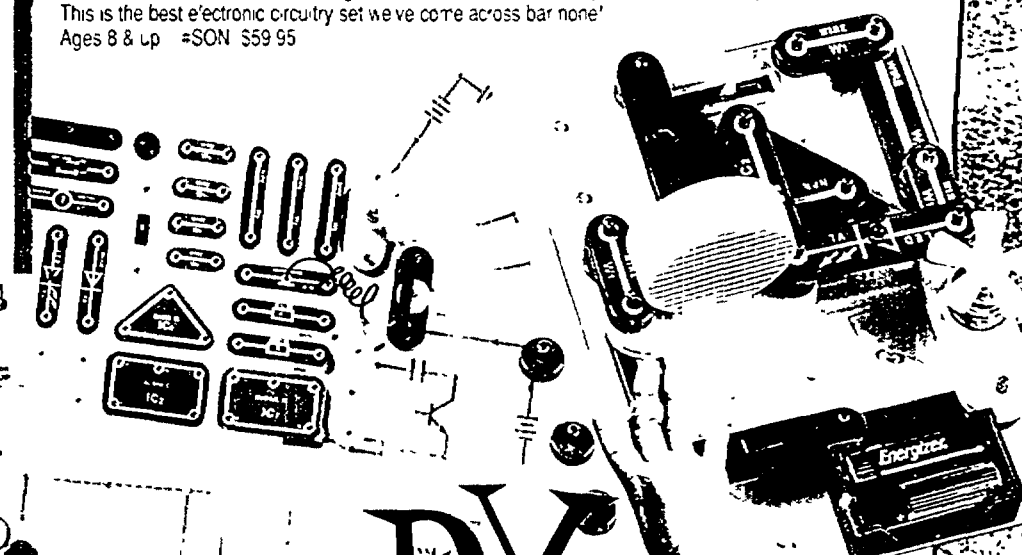
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Switch-On

You could say this kit really tripped our Toy Testers' wires because they begged to keep the first sample we had of this set! Officially, this is an electronic circuit activity set that safely teaches the basic principles of electronics with easy-to-use building blocks. Bottom line for the kids is you can have a blast setting up circuit blocks to switch on a light bulb, electric fan, fire engine siren, flashing door bell and moisture detector. All the parts to do these activities and many more are included. And what's ultra cool and helpful is that the instructions include color-coded diagrams that can be used as templates under a clear plastic base plate. This is the best electronic circuitry set we've come across bar none!

Ages 8 & up #SON \$59.95



Happy Sparks

Super Giant Horseshoe Magnet Kit

Start with a big 8" horseshoe magnet that can lift over 4 pounds of weight. Then add enough accessories: chips, discs, marbles and clips to manipulate and go crazy with trying to figure out the "magic" of magnets. Finally add an activity guide with enough ideas to tumble your kid's curiosity. Whaddaya get? One of our all time best sellers people are just naturally attracted to! (Yuk Yuk!)

Ages 3-7 #MK505 \$15



GrandPoppa

PRESCHOOL

Hand Print

Amazing Case

3+ kinds of markers to change color or erase color and write inside messages
Contains 7 color changers
1 secret marker
1 dove color 5 erasable markers
1 Magic Wand Ages 6 & up #115 \$12

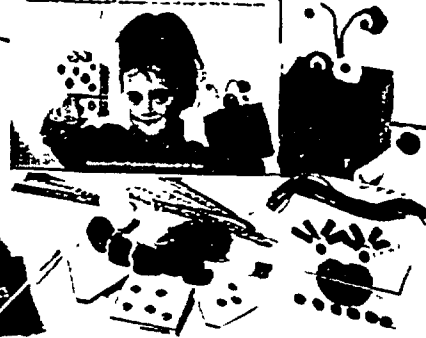


Creativity for Kids

Preschool Hand Print Kit

Quick! Capture forever those sweet, tender hands and feet before they grow into stinky, chunky teenager ones. Make two kid-priceless mementos by painting a color hand and foot and placing them on the cream of a card to make a print. Have your child design a name or a design around it. Then bake them in the oven to make them permanent. For baking and hanging wire are included. For school. Ages 3 & up #100 \$16

Puppet Maker



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Puppet Maker

Children can't stop studying colorful paper boxes to create three puppets and then give them personality with felt, fur, pom-poms, googly eyes and oodles of other trimmings. Illustrated instructions provide lots of ideas. Ages 4 & up #115 \$12

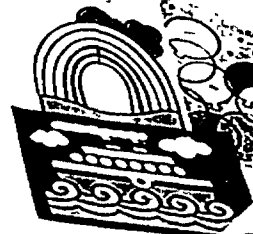
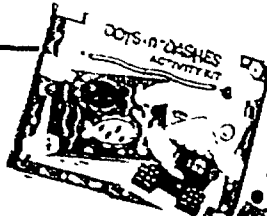


Clay Faces Kit

Make all kinds of 'rocky' faces out of 'revere' faces out! modeling clay! Activity kit includes work mat, 25 plastic cutters, modeling tool and 10 colors of brilliant, non-toxic clay. Endless combinations possible. Endless fun! Ages 4 & up #333 \$17

Dots N' Dashes Activity Kit

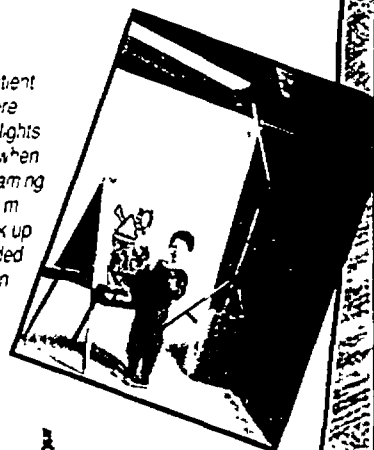
An easy art activity that the ones love. Love 'love'! Create patterns, explore colors and get a great big sense of accomplishment. Color six simple pictures with six washable sponge-tip painters. Bottles are easy for little hands to grasp and dab to create dots or use like a paint brush. Ages 3 & up #359 \$17



Double-Sided Wood Art Easel

Simply the best! Year after year, we scrutinize all the easels "on the market" and this is the easel we keep recommending. Made of hard maple in the USA by quality crafts people, it's designed for safety, durability and flexibility. Double sided easel has large 24"x24" surfaces (chalk board and wipe-off board), pinch-proof hinges, safe wooden "paper cutter" that allows kids to tear off paper, industrial strength washable plastic trays, paper roll holder and center storage tray. Pass it through several families; it's really that durable! Folds for storage with paper roll in place. Approx. height 4 feet. Paper roll sold separately. Ages 3 & up. Double sided easel #EDCKI \$70. Paper Roll (100 ft.) #PCKI \$13.

True Story: This little guy was so patient during our photo shoot when we were finished, we turned off the big photo lights and began to pack everything away when we noticed huge crocodile tears streaming down his face. He quietly said "But I'm not finished with my picture!" So back up went the lights and back we all headed to the camera to take this photo when he was proudly "all done!" Don't forget folks, just how much kids love to paint!



Accessories to make easel life easy!

Non-Spill Paint Cups keep paint handy with a built-in brush holder. Special sliding lid design prevents spills even when tipped. Keeps paint fresh between uses just wash the brush and flip the lid closed! Set of 4 with multi-colored lids #317 \$6

Assorted Brushes. Pack of 7 natural hair bristle brushes with durable plastic handles. Includes 3 brush widths #239 \$7

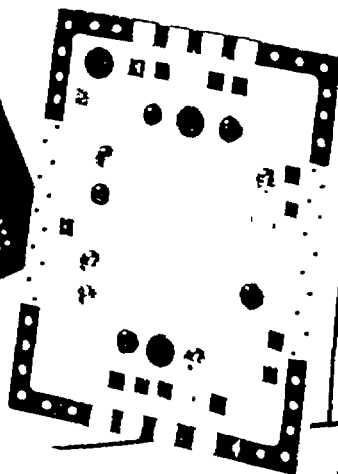
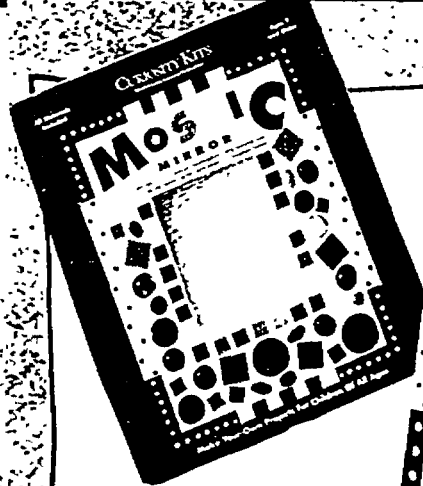
Long Sleeve Plastic Apron has elastic cuffs and velcro closure. Red or blue plastic. One size fits ages 3-8 #303 \$10

Washable tempera paint in ready-to-use flip-top plastic 8 oz. bottles \$3 each

Black #280-BLK
Blue #280-B
Brown #280-BR
Green #280-G
Orange #280-O
Purple #280-P
Red #280-R
White #280-W
Yellow #280-Y



PPH Hands



Mosaic Mirror

Basic techniques, spectacular results. Paint a picture in the wood frame and then design a mosaic of the ageless medium of painting without paint by arranging a rainbow of colored tiles, glass gems and ceramic squares. Once the tiled picture is dry, add the acrylic mirror for a one-of-a-kind keepsake. Kit comes with everything you need and ten full instructions. Ages 7 & up. #0378 \$20

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Bath Time Bull Frog

This frog is pretty smug 'cuz he has a bug in his belly! Make this silly soap frog with child safe glycerine soap, plastic bug and a mold. And this guy doesn't smell like the swamp either, he's deodorant scented. Also comes with a sponge bath pad. Dare we say good clean fun?? Ages 7 & up. #62 \$11



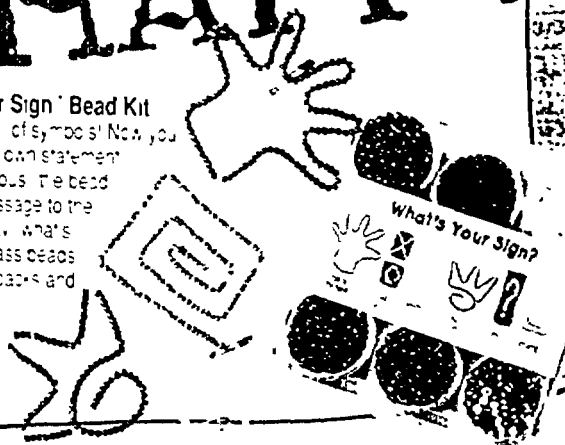
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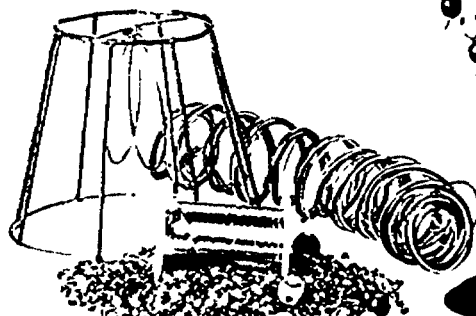
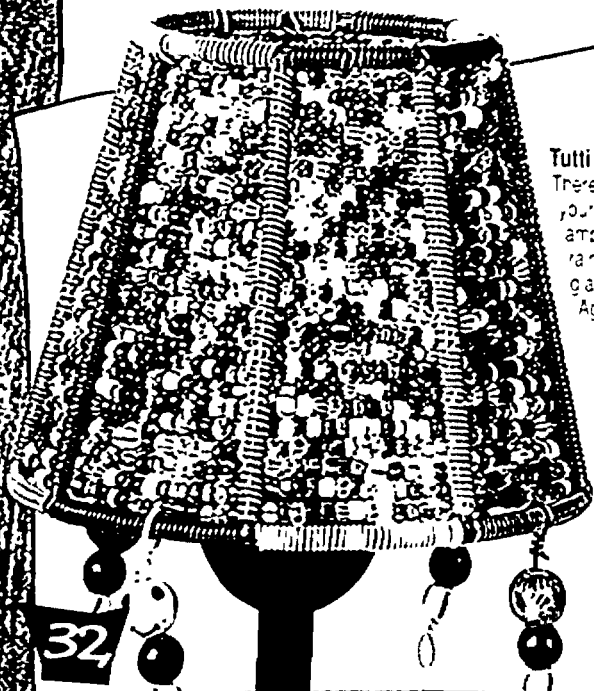
"What's Your Sign" Bead Kit

The word sign of symbols! Now you can make your own statement with this ingenious, tie bead kit. Send a message to the world or just say, "What's up?" Kit has glass beads, wire pins, on backs and instructions for making 7 pins. Ages 8 & up. #0066 \$14



Tutti Frutti Little Cutie Lamp Shade Kit

There'll be colors and aahs galore when you make your own gorgeous glistening shimmering beaded lampshade. Kit contains full instructions, lampshade frame, rainbow wire, gold wire and beautiful beads made out of glass, wood and ceramic clay. Lamp base not included. Ages 12 & up. #13501 \$27



Smackers
Make Your Own
Bath Gel

Smacker
Make Your Own
Lip Balm

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Make Your Own Smackers

A little bit-a science and a whole lotta-fun mix potions design labels and even name your own creations that you can really use for yourself or as special gifts for friends and relatives

Bath Shower Gel Kit makes 3 bottles of lavish liquid soap
Ages 7 & up #1751 \$14

Lip Balm Kit with yummy vanilla strawberry or watermelon flavoring and Bonne Bell lightly tinted base
Ages 7 & up #1752 \$14

TO DO THINGS

Rubber Backpack Kit

Lace together a waaay cool 7x9" kid sized carryall perfect for holding books CDs and snacks
Kit includes colorful cording pre-cut rubber pieces wooden clasp and beads And we're oh so pleased to tell you these materials were made from recycled rubber!

Ages 7 & up
#139 \$17

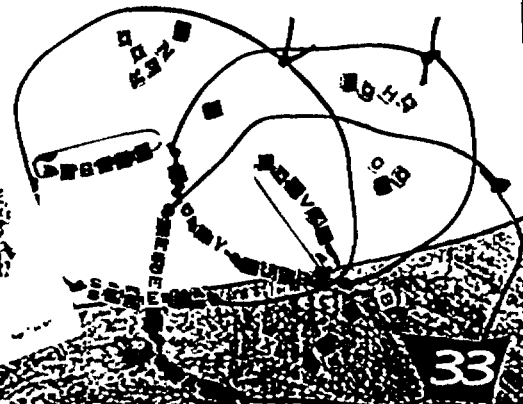
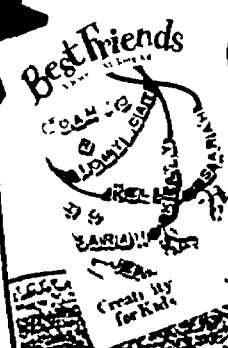
Wee Bead People

These wee folk aren't found at the end of the rainbow but they look like they could be! You make them out of colorful glittering glass beads and shiny happy wood face beads. The kit was an instant hit from its first day on the shelf

absolutely delighting beaders of all ages
Contains wire and complete instructions for making 7 pins Ages 8 & up #70003 \$14

Best Friends

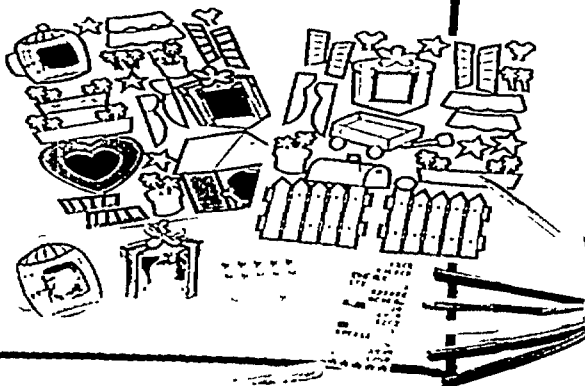
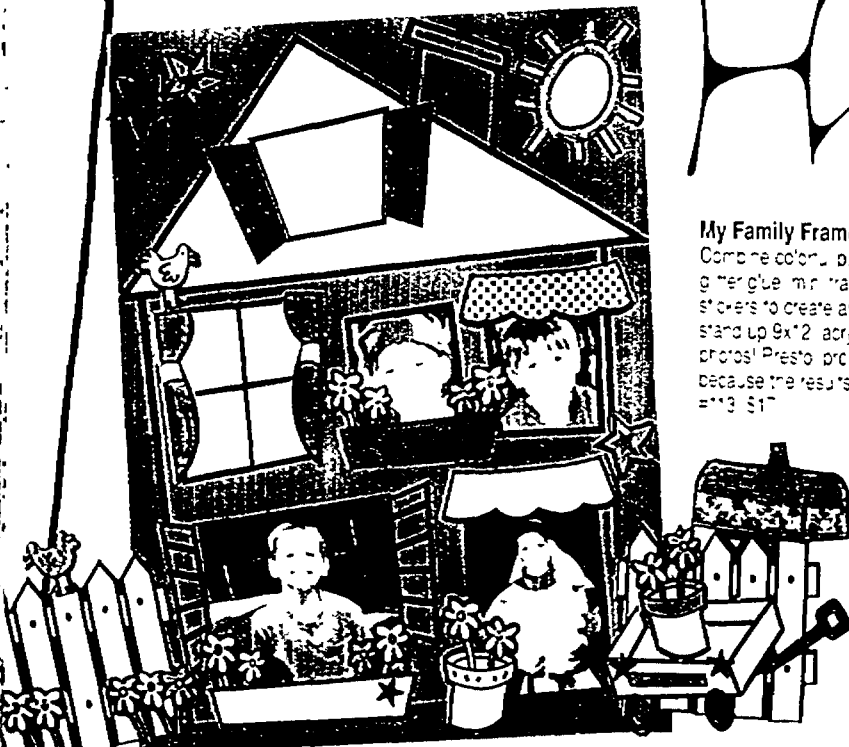
Calling all amigos sidekicks and chums! With this kit you can make personalized bracelets necklaces chokers and pins And why do we call it Best Friends you ask? Well, in the kit is a 2 part Best Friends charm make a necklace for yourself with half the charm and a second one with the other half for your best buddy
Kit comes with 88 rainbow colored alphabet block beads leather like cord coil less brass pins and 2 piece metal charm Ages 7 & up #1514 \$10



Happy

My Family Frame

Combine colorful punch outs, gingerbread man frames and stencils to create an original personalized stand up 9x12 acrylic frame. Then fill it up with a houseful of happy photos! Presto! Pronto! Instant family hee room. We especially love it because the results are so fun and it's so simple to do. Ages 5 & up #119 \$17



Gold Leaf Frame Kit

Mamma Stewart, move over. Unique frame = this is the supplies, instructions and tools you need to practice the ancient art of gold leafing on a 10x12 wood frame. Ages 10 & up. don't go younger. the gold leaf is tissue thin and very delicate. #AA07 \$19

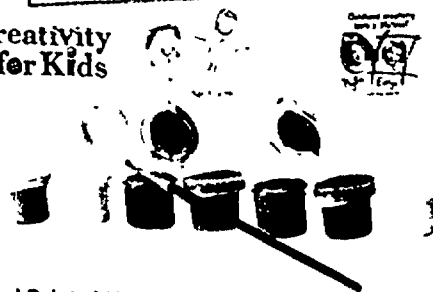


National Geographic Society Mola Pillow Kit

Molas are bright cotton panels that have been handcrafted for more than a century by the Guna people of Panama. With this kit, children design their own Mola using colorful fabric. They then add stitching and stitch it to make an original Mola. 6x6 pillow. Ages 8 & up #160 \$12



Creativity for Kids



Hand Painted Memory Plate

Paint a permanent picture on a ceramic plate. a vacation, a celebration, a family portrait, your pet, an "I love you Grandma" message, or whatever your heart desires. When the plate is heated in a home oven, the picture becomes permanent. Includes ceramic paint, 8" plate, plate stand, brush, complete instructions and tips. Ages 8 & up #1021 \$16

Memorias



Lap Loom

Is the world moving too fast for your child?
Slow things down a bit by introducing them to the joy of weaving the pleasure of working with fibers. 16x12" hardwood loom has unbreakable nylon pegs. Includes loom, cotton warp string, 2 shed sticks, stick shuttle, tapestry needle, step-by-step instruction book and enough wool yarn to make a project of weaver's choice. Made in the USA by a highly respected professional weaving supply company.

Lap Loom Ages 7 & up #376 \$40

Woolly Sheep Project Kit with yarn, cotton warp, plastic needle and illustrated instructions
Ages 12 & up #440 \$20



Soho Art Set

Happiness is your very own exquisite collection of quality art supplies. Convenient carry case includes:

- 36 colored pencils
- 15 pastels
- 12 watercolors
- 3 drawing pencils
- mixing tray, eraser and sharpener

Ages 5 and up and up and up!
#EKSHG03 \$30

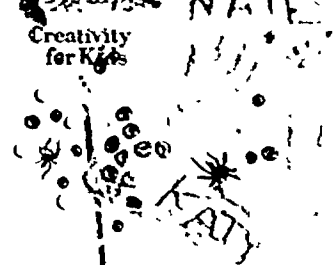


Memory Stone

Carve things into wet cement, such as a hand print, a name or a saying. Your family will enjoy personalizing a 12x12" stepping stone or up to 4 smaller stones made from this easy-to-use kit. With adult supervision, mix cement and pour it into a cardboard form.

The great thing about this kit is you never have to touch the cement. It's mixed in a bag. Then get creative and embed the glass nuggets, buttons, plastic creatures that come with the kit or found objects of your own like seashells and old jewelry. A family keepsake for indoors or out, and a super gift to make for someone special.

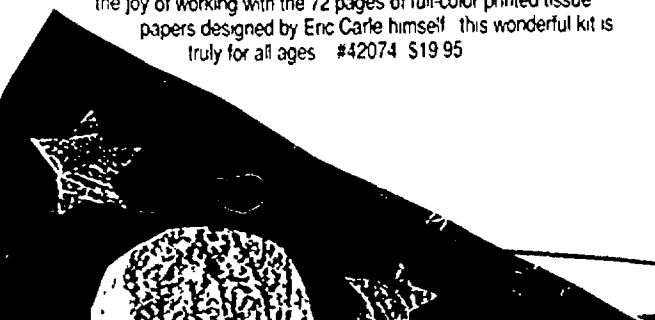
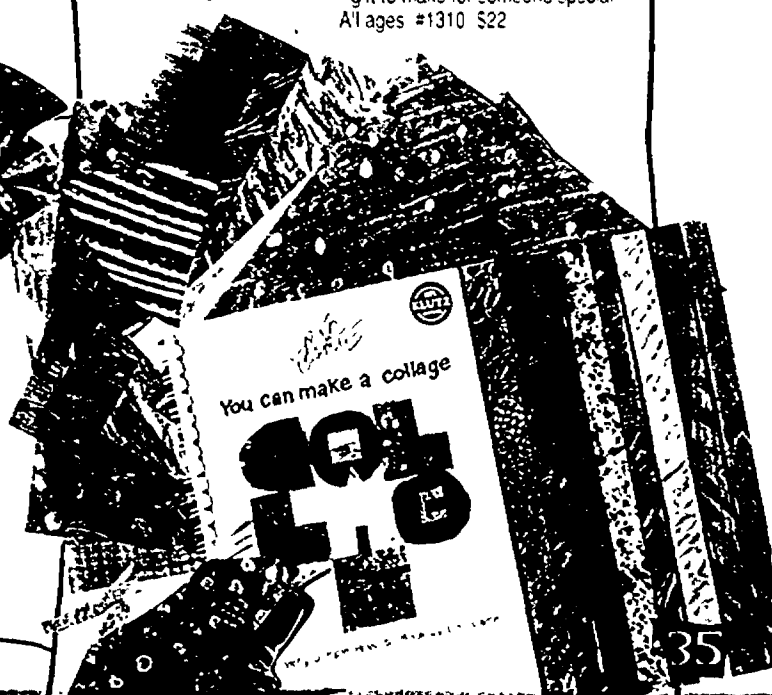
All ages #1310 \$22



You Can Make a Collage

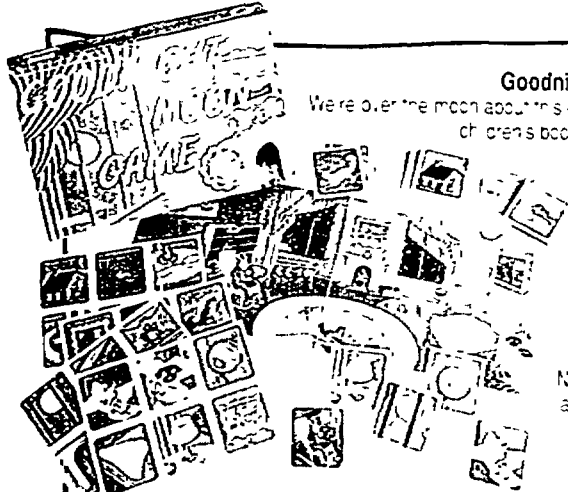
Eric Carle is a national treasure. For 25 years, this author/illustrator has been delighting children with such glorious books as "The Very Hungry Caterpillar." He is a master of the art of collage and shares his ideas on the subject in this unique book. As he says, "Good teachers don't want to be imitated, they wish to inspire." And this book is pure inspiration! Don't deny yourself the joy of working with the 72 pages of full-color printed tissue papers designed by Eric Carle himself. This wonderful kit is truly for all ages.

#42074 \$19.95



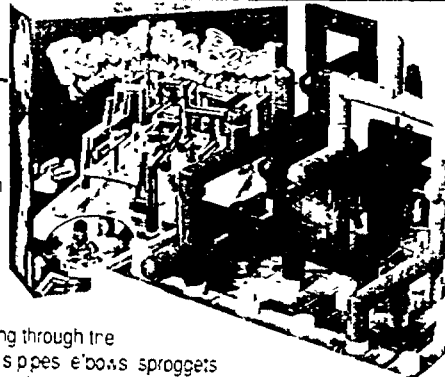
Goodnight Moon Game

We're over the moon about this game! The beloved children's book comes to the table in a small but satisfying first matching game. 6 ways to play are detailed in the instructions along with the language and social skills they encourage. No reading required and everyone wins. Ages 2 1/2 to 6 #B9301 \$20



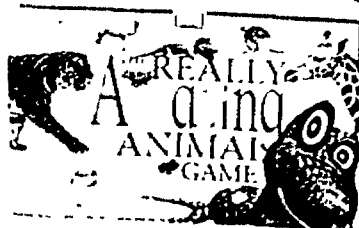
Round the Bend

This is the perfect game for that future plumber in your family! Actually it's a great twisting turning game of strategy for the whole family. Lay your pipe from one end of the board to the other, winding through the maze of the other player's pipes, elbows, sprockets and hinges. But watch out for the blocker piece that I can your pipe off and slow your progress. For 2-4 players Ages 5 & up #P25030 \$20



The Really Amazing Animal Game

Based on the Amazing Animals series on television, here's a game of concentration, finding matched pairs, and answering animal fact questions to advance on the board. Henry the Spooked Lizard on the cards is the animal expert and he'll help find answers to questions like: "In an octopus loses a tentacle, will it grow back a new one?" or "Do rattlesnakes have opposable thumbs?" Kids can't get enough of amazing animal facts. For 2-4 players ages 6 & up #P20011 \$20



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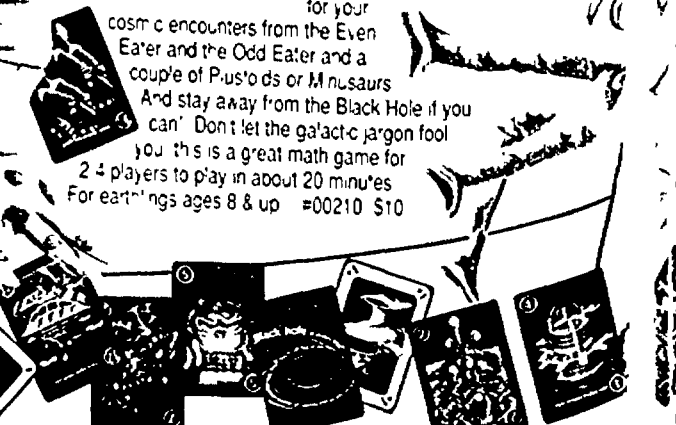
Here's a fresh take on the classic strategy game of battles with ships. You're not going to battle on the sea anymore, but head out onto the desert to recover UFO pieces and hostilities. The first player to reconstruct the 7 piece UFO in the recovery zone wins! Flashing lights, cosmic sounds, mysterious screams and howls, rattlesnakes and coyotes add intrigue and excitement. Requires 2 AA batteries. Ages 8 & up #8021 \$25

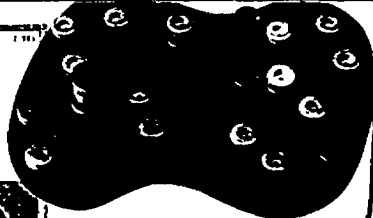
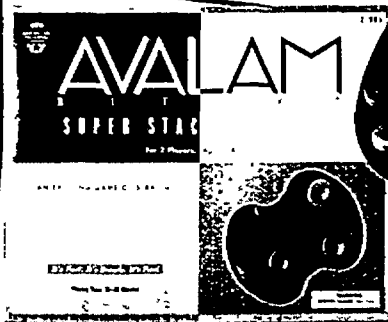


Alien Hotshots

Join the "Odd" and the "Even" aliens in the interstellar struggle. Just as in the classic card game of war, the highest card wins each hand. Collect all the cards, win the game! You'll need some help

for your cosmic encounters from the Even Eater and the Odd Eater and a couple of Pustoids or Musasurs. And stay away from the Black Hole if you can! Don't let the galactic jargon fool you, this is a great math game for 2-4 players to play in about 20 minutes. For earnings ages 8 & up #00210 \$10





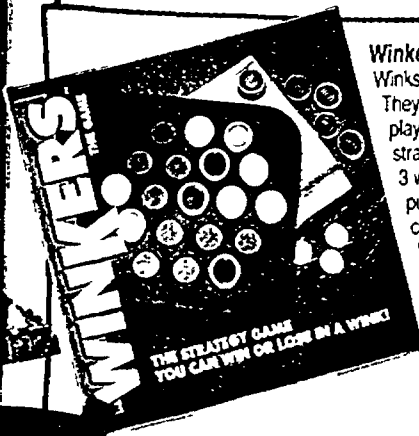
Avalam Super Stacking Game
Those smart folks at Mensa named it one of the best new mind games for 1998! Two players split 48 pieces and take turns building

towers on the board. But don't think like Donald Trump, cuz it doesn't matter how high the tower is! You play til no more moves are possible, then the player with the most towers wins. Fast and fun! For 2 players ages 8 & up #22065 \$25



Say When

Perfect for parties and get togethers, any number can join in the mental gymnastics. Guess answers to 1,000 fascinating questions such as, "What percentage of Americans choose chocolate as their favorite candy?" Don't know? Don't worry! In this family game, "close" is good enough to win! For 2 or more players ages 10 & up #1016 \$27



Winkers

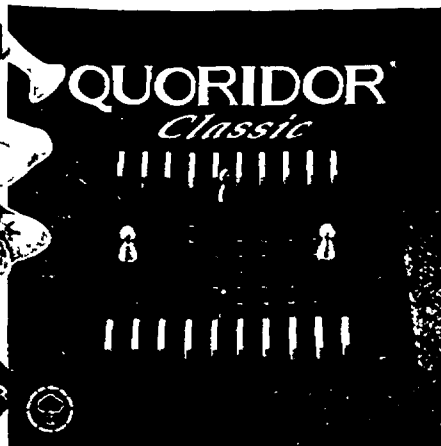
Winkers aren't just for "tiddly-ing" anymore! They're the extra element of this game that plays almost like Tic Tac Toe. It's a simple strategy game for 2 players where 3 winks in a row win! Winks can be put on top of either player's checkers to create a winker. Whoosh, this game plays fast, and you can win or lose in a wink! Includes travel friendly storage bag. Ages 6-Adult #22022 \$15



A to Z

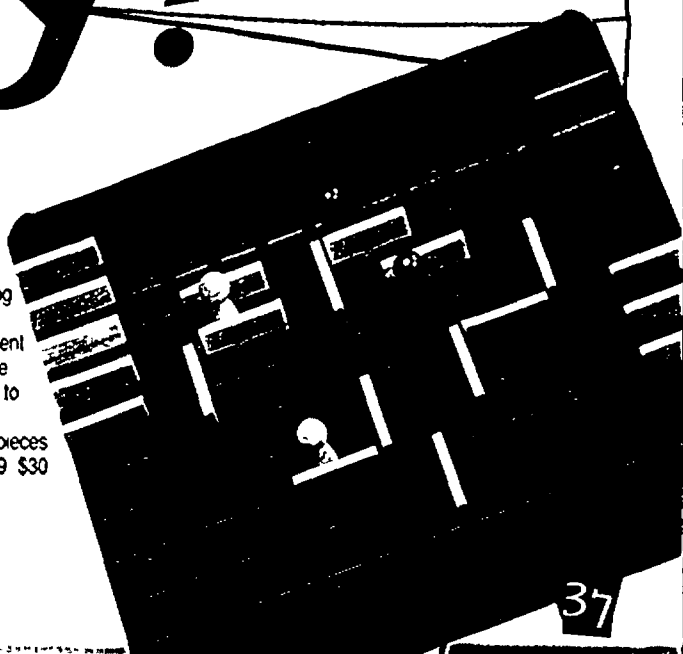
A lickety-split word game that covers everything from A to Z. Quick, try to name as many items as you can each starting with a different letter from a category like, "basketball stars" or "animals with spots" or "things in a movie theater" in 30 seconds or less. You'll love the snap and flip-over timer, it makes the pace even more frantic! 2 to 4 players or teams. Ages 8 & up #2526 \$26

Game Happy!

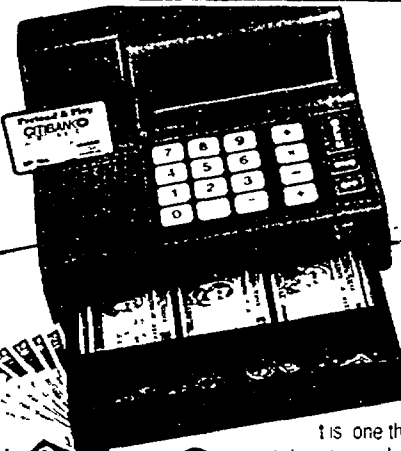


Quoridor...Mensa's 1998 Game of the Year!

Don't fence me in, pardner! This rapid playing strategy game is a bit like checkers. Players race to get to the other side of the board by moving their pawns square by square or by placing fences, blocking their opponent and forcing them to take a long route around. And you know how we hate to take the long way around!! Quality hardwood game board and playing pieces. For 2-4 players ages 8 & up #22089 \$30



Fun



Cash Register

For years we begged toy manufacturers to make a cash register for kids to play store with. Here

it is...one that withstands a ton of entrepreneurial play! A solar powered calculator cash register with big buttons, big digital display, life size play money and a cash drawer that pops open with a touch of a button. Adds, subtracts, divides and multiplies. First rate fun, not to be missed.

Ages 3 to 12 #LER2629 \$40

Pssst! Watch out for less expensive imitations. Remember you get what you pay for, truly.

PARENTS CHECKBOOK FOR KIDS



Checkbook For Kids

With an adult as the banker, kids write checks to Mom or Dad to remove funds that have accumulated from gifts and allowance and chores. Teaches children money management and banking. 7x4" wallet has velcro closure and holds assorted checks and a register. Kit also comes with a mini calculator and check reorder form you can even order personalized checks! Ages 6 & up #19 \$13.50

Hand Painted Piggy Bank

This little piggy needs a creative hand! Paint this porker any color and pattern you can imagine, then bake it in your home oven. Kit has paint brush, instructions for mixing colors and 4x3" ceramic pig. And if you've designed a perfect pig, you don't have to break the bank to make a withdrawal!

a rubber stopper is included. Ages 7 & up #1022 \$12

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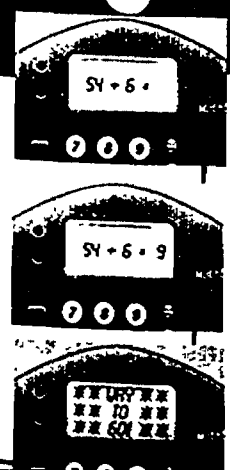
Math Shark

Slick. And sharp. oops, we mean sharp. And verrrry coooooo! Math Shark is a portable electronic math game and full function calculator that teaches major math skills to ages 6 & up. Timed, self-directed games drill 7 essential basic math skills with 8 levels of difficulty. Non-stop feedback with lights and sounds. The 'p' key provides additional clues for solving problems. Kids will want to play over and over again (who's going to clue them in that it will improve speed and accuracy with those multiplication tables?). Uses two AA batteries, not included. A skill enhancing tool for all grades of students ages 6 & up #8490 \$39.95



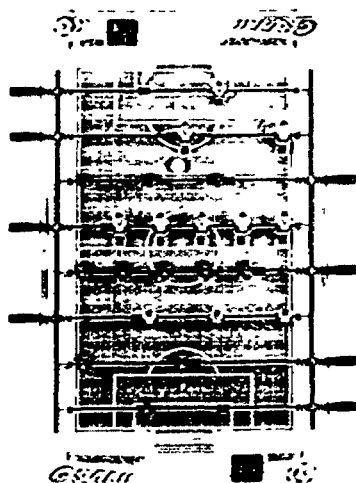
Cash Boxes

Keep your moo'la in here or jewelry, candy, rocks & gems, whatever treasures you value! Durable heavy-gauge metal boxes have a slot in the top and open with a key or simple combination lock. Just the ticket for home theatrical productions, playing store, running lemonade stands and being the boss at garage sales! Includes 2 keys. Ages 4 to adult. Black Cash Box #CBA101BLK \$15. Red Cash Box #CBA101RED \$15.



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Our "best family gift of the year" award goes to this well-priced, sturdy-for-a-gaggle-of-kids Foosball Table...even the UPS guy couldn't keep his hands off!



One of the happiest men on the planet has to be Dick, the UPS driver extraordinaire! He ever so cheerfully lugs boxes upon boxes of toys for us rain or shine nearly every day of the year. And with four kids of his own, he keeps an eye out for the really cool stuff. Dick's vote for "winner" this year is our Foosball Table. So, folks, whatdaya think we gave Dick for an early holiday gift? Yep! This very sturdy plastic table is easy to assemble (really!) with adjustable legs for growing players, a scorekeeper, two soccer balls, and interchangeable shirts for the plastic figures. Table is 29" wide by 49" long and adjusts to either 28" or 33" high.

The bright spot in Dick's day is his "home team." Shown here playing a serious game of foosball: Tyler, Peter, and Sean. Daughter Hanna is taking this all in so she can show those big brothers how it's done someday! Ages 5 & up.

Foosball Table #G6510 \$199

Extra pack of 3 balls #G6505 \$4



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Pizza

	Two Small	Two Medium	Two Large	One Small	One Medium	One Large
With Cheese	7.99	9.99	11.99	4.49	5.49	6.49
Extra Toppings	1.49	1.89	2.29	.89	1.09	1.39

TOPPINGS Extra Cheese, Cheddar Cheese, Three-Cheese, Feta Cheese, Pepperoni, Ham, Mushroom, Onion, Green Pepper, Italian Sausage, Bacon, Ground Beef, Black Olive, Green Olive, Jalapeno, Fresh Tomato, Pineapple, Wild Pepper & Anchovies.

SPECIALTY PIZZAS

"Meat Eaters"

Pepperoni, Ham, Sausage & Ground Beef

"Deluxe Hawaiian"

Pineapple, Ham & Bacon

"Bacon Cheddar Cheeseburger"

Ground Beef, Bacon, Cheddar & Mozzarella Cheese

"Howie's Special"

Pepperoni, Ham, Mushroom, Onion & Green Pepper

"Veggie"

Sliced Tomato, Mushroom, Onion, Green Pepper, & Black Olive

"Philly Steak"

Shaved Steak, Green Pepper & Onion

One Medium 8.99 Two Medium 10.99 Two Large 12.99

"The Works"

Extra Cheese, Pepperoni, Ham, Mushroom, Onion, Green Pepper, Sausage, Ground Beef & Black Olive.

No substitutions - Deletions O.K.

Two Small 7.99 Two Medium 9.99 Two Large 11.99

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Italian Dressing on the Side.

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Sliced Turkey Breast, Melted Cheese, Lettuce & Tomato.

Mayonnaise on the side.

TURKEY CLUB

Sliced Turkey Breast, Ham, Bacon, Melted Cheese,

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Double Cheese, Mushrooms, Onions, Green peppers,

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A generous portion of Hot Buttered Garlic Bread

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With just Cheese.....**\$10.99**

Extra Item \$1.89 covers all three

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With just Cheese.....**\$12.99**

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THREE CHEESER HOWIE BREAD

16 pieces of Hot
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Topped with
Mozzarella, Cheddar &
Parmesan Cheese.
Zesty Tomato Dipping
Sauce on the side.

\$3.49

HOWIE BREAD

16 pieces of Hot Buttered
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Parmesan Cheese. Zesty
Tomato Dipping Sauce
on the side.

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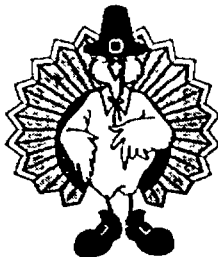
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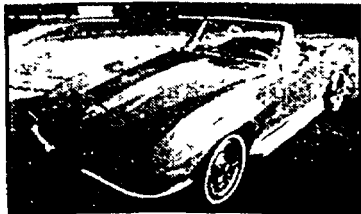
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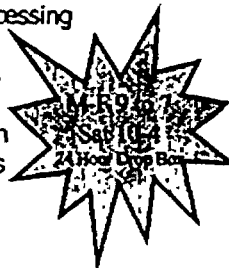
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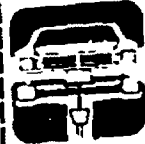
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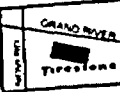
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