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Hayes Lemmerz files Chapter 11

By Lon Huhman

Northville Township-based auto parts manufacturer Hayes Lemmerz International Inc. said the company's filing for Chapter 11 bankruptcy was just one necessary step in the company's restructuring process.

Haves Lemmerz elected to file

tection on Dec. 5 in the U.S. Court in Wilmington, Del. in order to reorganize its North American operations and become a stronger company.

According to Hayes Lemmerz spokesperson Marika Diamond, the voluntary filing will only affect its 22 operations in the which includes the

for Chapter 11 bankruptcy pro- Northville and Howell facilities and the one subsidiary facility in Nuevo Laredo, Mexico. The company employs 14,000 workers at 46 facilities worldwide and is a manufacturer, designer and supplier of wheels and brake components to original equipment manufacturers of passenger cars, light trucks and commercial highway vehicles.

In a statement, Hayes Lemmerz chairman and chief executive officer Curtis Clawson said the Chapter 11 filings for reorganization were prompted by declining market conditions as well as the company's excessive debt bur-dens. Clawson said the filing would allow Hayes Lemmerz the flexibility to reduce its debt and restructure its balance sheet.

Clawson said he fully expected the company to become stronger and more competitive after the reorganization and he said the filing would have no effect on the company's obligations to customers and employees.

Diamond said the company has received commitments for up to

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Fa la la-la-la-la...la la..la la!



The combined choirs of Hillside and Meads Mill middle schools sings Christmas Carols during last Friday night's Northville Mothers' Club tree-lighting ceremony at the downtown Gazebo.

Beck as a boulevard? Maybe, maybe not

■ Township, county differ on future of roadway

By Lon Huhman

Beck Road as a boulevard? Northville Township' authorities Monday seemed optimistic the road conversion was a definite possibility, but Wayne County officials had a different take on the issue.

Wayne County spokesperson John Roach said at present, the county plan stands for the one mile stretch between Five and Six Mile roads to be just widened, with no plans calling for a boulevard design. Roach said the county is looking to expand the road between Five and Six

Mile roads to five lanes, with two lanes on each side and one center turninglane. The estimated cost for the project is \$4.1 million.

In mid-November. Northville Township director of public services Donald Weaver informed the township's board of trustees that the proposal to construct the portion of Beck into a tree-lined boulevard was being favored by Wayne County. Weaver said the tree-lined boulevard idea first came about after the town-ship found out last spring that Wayne County would be widening Beck from Five and Six as well as reconstructing and adding lanes from M-

14 to Five Mile. After Weaver asked the board for a straw vote regarding its willingness to proceed, the board unanimously favored the idea and said the township would contribute funds so a boulevard could be constructed. Township supervisor Mark Abbo said the township should be creative in pursuing possible funding from grants and that the boulevard plan may have been the township's only opportunity to get the project

At the township's November meeting, Weaver said Wayne County was ready to proceed in redrawing the project, but only if the township was willing to pay over and above what the cost of a regular, five-lane road would be. He said it was not known what the cost would be, but did

say there would be extra expenses incurred. In a meeting with the county last week, Weaver said the county conducted a preliminary analysis and found nothing that would prohibit

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Folino bails out of House race '02

By Lon Huhman STAFF WRITER

Northville resident and political figure Teresa Folino said she was given a job opportunity good enough that her run for the 20th state House District seat has now been pushed aside.

"This was a tremendous offer that was just

too good to pass up. Folino said of her acceptance of the job offer as Technical Training Consultant for AAA automobile claims for Michigan. lllinois and



Wisconsin. Folino is set to start her new job in January, but she said she 4 would stay involved in the str

representative campaign. Fo

said she would be placing.

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State vindicates schools on **MEAP** test

By Jennifer Norris STAFF WRITER

Winchester Although Elementary School has been cleared of allegations of test irregularities on the writing portion of the 2001 Michigan Educational Assessment test, the school is still waiting on an overall building report regarding stu-dents' test performance.

The Michigan Department of Treasury claimed in early June to have found test irregularities writing portion of the MEAP tests taken by fifth grade Winchester students, as well as many other

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photo by JOHN HEIDER

Cooke School teacher Heather Guzick, right, and student Britney Danol take a look at some of the crafts hand-made by its students during the school's annual Christmas Bazaar. The holiday shop bazaar was open last week.

Cooke students show their wares at bazaar

By Jennifer Norris

Finding just the right holiday gift can be perplexing, but Cooke School was making it a little easi-

Cooke School hosted its fifth annual Christmas bazaar Dec. 5-

Whether patrons were looking for clothing, jewelry, ornaments, or decorative home items, handmade crafts were abundant and tables were overflowing with the makers' diligent efforts and sense of pride.

Kathy Bradley, a paraprofessional in the vocational department at Cooke School, said all of the items for sale are made by the students.

Cooke School is a special education center for students ages 12 to 26 who live in western Wayne

Bradley said crastmaking continues throughout the year in preparation for the bazaar. She said proceeds from the bazaar go back into the program to make more products and purchase more supplies. The bazaar even attracted neighboring residents.

We've had quite a few outsiders. which helps a lot," said Bradley. "For our first day, we did quite

But Bradley said the community is not the only ones that benefit from the annual Christmas bazaar. The students do as well.

"They do a fantastic job," she said. They enjoy all the stuff they get to work on. It gives them [an] opportunity for the students to interact with other students, staff and the outside community when they come in to purchase the products they made.

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OVS to be paid a visit by state superintendent

By Jennifer Norris STAFF WRITER

It's not everyday that a state education official visits a Northville school.

State superintendent of public instruction Tom Watkins has agreed to visit Northville's Old Village School tomorrow at 10 a.m.

According to OVS administrator Art Fischer, Watkins was coming to the school as a result of an invitation from Bonnie Tolles, an OVS parent.

She invited Mr. Watkins out as a direct result of the proposed special [education] rules changes. said Fischer. "This is very unusual that he would come out to a program like this because of his busy schedule. I do know he's had a number of listen-and-learn sessions with parents around the state. I do know he's trying to be more receptive to the needs of special needs students.

Fischer said some of the pro-

"This is very unusual in that [Watkins] would come out to a program like this because of his busy schedule."

> Art Fischer OVS administrator

posed changes are causing concern among school staff and the community.

*Other issues of concern regarding the proposed rules changes are possible increases in class size, possible reduction of class staff, as well as a possible reduction of school days for these special needs students," said Fischer.

Those are mutual concerns that the staff and parents at Old Village have.

During the visit, Fischer said Watkins would be given a walking tour of the program in place at Old Village School. The tour is expected to last about an hour.

"I will give him a tour of the program and show him our new video of the program," said Fischer, who also said that the school video has been very well received.

Fischer also said he hopes after Watkins has had the opportunity to visit the school and gain a greater awareness of the OVS program, any potential changes in special education will be well thought out beforehand.

We're very pleased that he's coming." said Fischer.

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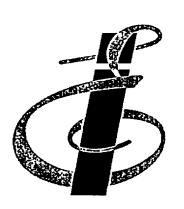
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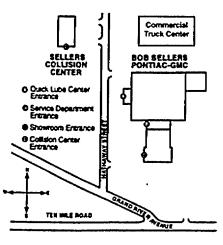






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Cops break up marijuana house

By Lon Huhman STAFF WRITER

Northville According to Township police Detective Paul Sumner, any information pertaining to narcotics sale or possession will be taken very seriously by the township department's detective bureau. On Dec. 4, such information led to a search warrant being executed at a home on Seven Mile Road by the township department that resulted in the arrest of a 19-year-old Northville man for marijuana possession.

"We conducted an investigation for several months and subsequently a search warrant was approved by 35th District Court Judge John MacDonald, Sumner said. The inspection of the subject's home did substantiate the search warrant. Narcotics and narcotic paraphernalia were found and we took the subject into custody. Overall, it was a success because it was a smooth entry and no one was hurt."

Upon arrival at the home it was discovered that no one was home. That forced the township police

to forcibly enter the home to execute the search. Several bags of marijuana seeds and stems were located, as well as rolling papers and a pipe. In addition, one small bag of marijuana and another containing over a quarter of an ounce of marijuana was found hidden in the box springs of a bed. During the search the subject under investigation arrived and was taken into custody.

Sumner said the department's zero tolerance policy is the basis for such investigations.

"Individuals can contact our detective bureau with any information and it will be kept confidential," Sumner said. "We conduct these type of investigations with the active hope of preventing narcotic sales and use. The Northville community, specifically parents, should be aware these types of crimes exist in the community. And recognizing them is one way in helping stop them."

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Parking problems raise tempers in city

By LON HUHMAN

The ire of several residents has caused the Northville City Council to take another look at their decision of boosting the downtown parking fees

During the citizens' comment period at Dec. 3 city council meeting, downtown Northville resident Darrell Harris expressed his anger at the city's resolution approval in early November that would have the overnight parking fee inside of the central business district jump from its current rate of \$1 per month to \$5 per month starting in 2002. The fee was supposed to ultimately increase to \$15 in

singled out a few people and not those who use the parking areas the majority of the time. Harris said everyone who parks each day in the downtown should be charged.

The overnight parking fee for outside the business district is supposed to be raised to \$2.50 in 2002 and then level off at \$5 m

Mayor Chris Johnson countered Harris and said he did not believe the fee increase was excessive because the additional revenue would be used to properly maintain the city parking areas. The city believes an increased fee is needed because of the potential increase in residential population

create additional parking spaces. City manager Gary Word said in the last two years the city has issued 70 overnight parking permits as well as 30 permits for onstreet parking.

Council member Kevin Hartshorne said he originally felt the fee increases were excessive and that some residents have legitimate hardships that could cause them difficulties in trying to pay for the new fees. Harris said he had a neighbor who was on a fixed income. Harris asked the council how the man was supposed to be able to afford the increased fee. Council member Jerry Mittman, as well as Johnson, said the issue should be future.

With the council in agreement, Johnson said the implementation of the fee increase would be postponed into March until the council could take another look at the resolution. Downtown Development Authority director Lori Ward said the DDA's parking subcommittee would also work and discuss with the affected residents on their parking concerns. In the interim. the current SI per month fee will be collected.

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Police Reports

ATTEMPTED ABDUCTION: A nine-year-old Northville girl was nearly abducted by an unknown man near Six Mile and Winchester roads on Nov. 27, but the girl ran away from the man to a neighbors home causing him to drive off. According to a

man, described as a white male approximately 40 years old. approached the girl in his car and spoke with her.

The report said the man stated to the girl that he would take anywhere she wanted to go. At that point, the

*Parents should talk with their children about these types of situations so they can become more aware of the potential dangers." Northville township police Detective Paul Sumner said of the attempted abduction.

NOT-SO-SPECIAL DELIVERY:

Sometime around Dec. 7 or 8, an unknown suspect ripped a mail box from its post in front of a home on Bloomcrest Road. The reporting resident, a 49-year-old woman, could not provide any investigative leads and there is no more information at this



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Toronto, Arbor Hills deal ends in Anniversaries 2003, but trash issues to remain

By Lon Huhman STAFF WRITER

Currently. Onyx's Arbor Hills landfill is receiving 450,000 tons of garbage from Canada.

However, starting in 2003, another Michigan landfill will bear the burden of disposing of the garbage sent across the border from the city of Toronto.

The Toronto city council approved a plan on Dec. 4 to have all of its garbage shipped to Washtenaw County's Carlton Farms landfill, which is operated by Republic Waste, starting in January of 2003. As of today. Toronto ships garbage tonnage to Carlton Farms and Arbor Hills, which is located off of Five Mile Road near the western boundary of Northville Township.

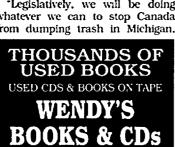
According to Toronto's solid waste general manager Angelos Bacapoulos and Arbor Hills



spokesperson Dave Reitel, Carlton Farms currently receives 285,000 tons of garbage and Arbor Hills takes in 450,000 tons. The total amount will eventually go to Carlton Farms. According to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, in 1999 Canada sent 2.34 million cubic yards of waste to Michigan.

Bacapoulos said 19 landfills formerly used by the city are closed and the remaining one — the Keele landfil — is expected to be at capacity in 2003. The expiration of Toronto's contract with Onyx and the eventual closing of Keele led to the new contract with Carlton Farms, Bacapoulos said.

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more specifically in Washtenaw number of trucks will most likely County," state representative John Stewart (R-Plymouth) said.

However, Stewart said because the importation of garbage is an interstate issue, it would primarily be dealt with on the federal level.

Concerns over border security and increased congestion have been addressed, Bacapoulos said. He said Arbor Hills has several transfer stations that inspect the garbage trucks prior to them entering the U.S. Currently, about 160 trucks make a daily round trip of ten hours. The

increase in 2003, Bacapoulos said.

There is now pressure on the provincial government to come up with alternatives to handle our garbage tonnage in the near future." Bacapoulos said with regard to the Carlton Farms contract that expires

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Forty friends and relatives attended a surprise party Oct. 13 for Keith and Beverly (Bechtol) Warner in celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary. The party was held at Salt Creek Golf Club in Nashville, Ind.

In attendance were sons, Jeffrey D. (Sharon) of Novi, James D. (Denise) of Florida, and David (Teresa) of Georgia.

The Warners have seven grandchildren, who were at the festivities, and five great-grandchildren. Pamela, daughter of Sharon and Jeffrey, flew in from Paris for the occasion. Also present were from Connecticut. guests Arizona, Florida, Georgia, and Illinois.

Keith is retired and Beverly is a homemaker.

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Obituaries

Norman C. Anderson

Norman C. Anderson, 77, of Vanderbilt, formerly of Northville died Monday, Dec. 10. He was born Feb. 14, 1924, in Gay, Mich.

Before retiring in 1986, Mr. Anderson was employed as a machinist for Pyles Perfection Push in Wixom for several years. He was a member of Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses in Plymouth and in 1941, became a lecturer and teacher of the beliefs of Jehovah's Witnesses

He is survived by his wife of 33 years, Ruth of Northville; six children, Dorothy (Philip) VarnHagen of Vanderbilt, Carroll Payne of Tennessee, Janice Spring of West Virginia, Gary (Jenny) of Brighton, Normal Jr. (Sue) of Detroit, and Johnny (Marsha) of Howell; one sister, Lila of Minnesota; five brothers: Edmund, Paul, Wayne and Reuben, all of Copper Harbor and Wesley of Lapeer, 20 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Mr. Anderson was preceded in death by an Infant son, one sister, and one brother.

Memorial services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 15 at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, Plymouth. Arrangements were made by Nelson Funeral Home Inc. of Gaylord, Mich.

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Marguerite S. Coykendall

Marguerite S. Coykendall, 90, of Northville died Dec. 5 at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. She was born April 23, 1911, in Marine City, Mich., to Fredrick and Mary (Stegher) Schriner.

Mrs. Coykendall moved to Northville in 1947. In the 1970s, she moved up north then returned to Northville in July 2000. She was a repair person for Burroughs. Her memberships included the Philathea Club, a community service organization; Cross of Christ Lutheran Church in South Lyon and Faith Lutheran Church in Meskek. Mrs. Coykendall enjoyed handcrafts and during her volunteer work at Cadillac Hospital, she made at least 500 knitted caps for newborns.

Mrs. Coykendall is survived by two daughters. Marlene Shoebridge of Northville and Sherry Manning of Washington; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband. Guy in December 1987. They were married in September 1927, and celebrated 60 years together, and eight brothers and sisters.

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Irene A. Okasinski

by the family.

Irene A. Okasinski, 80, of Northville died Dec. 4 in Marywood Nursing Care Center, Livonia, She was born Nov. 10. 1921 to Roman and Anna (Staklewitz) Rakowski of Detroit.

Mrs. Okasinski was a former sales clerk for Hudson's and a member of St. Barbaras Catholic Church in Dearborn.

She is survived by two sons, James (Linda) of Northville and Gregory (Christine) of Illinois; brother, Robert of Dearborn: and eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Okasinski was preceded in death by her husband, Frank in 2000. Services were held on Monday, Dec. 10 at Our Lady of Victory Church in Northville, with the Rev. Steve Wertanen officiating.

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Mr. Vincent was president of Audio Alert Inc. He was active in the Northville Youth Assistance program as a mentor, was a trustee of Gibson School, past president of Novi Optimist Club, and had many creative interests and talents. Mr. Vincent was of the Methodist faith.

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Apology accepted, scores come in late from state

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Michigan districts earlier this

A letter from the Department of Treasury to Northville schools was received in late August and stated that Winchester's response which refuted the state's claims - had been approved. The letter, which was signed by deputy treasurer Michael Boulus, stated, "Regarding Winchester Elementary School, the explanation submitted by the district in June 2001 was accepted. Because the school district's response was clear and convincing, further review was not warranted.

Winchester principal Nancy Raynes said three students' written responses were being questioned because they contained four or five similar words, but the phrases were not identical. The three students chose to write about a school parking dilemma when a question on the test asked test-takers to describe a situation in which they helped solve a prob-

According to Raynes, just prior to the test. Winchester students had been actively involved in helping to resolve the problem of limited parking availability.

*For three students to write about that particular problem obviously suggests our students did experience a significant and personal [problem] to them," said Raynes. "How wonderful they chose to write about something they were directly involved in."

School officials said they were angered that the allegations were made public before the district could review the test papers in question.

Districts that were believed to have test "irregularities" were required to respond with an explanation for the test results. Northville schools replied prompt-

Raynes said the district received notification in early June from the Department of Treasury that school was being investigat-

ed.
We responded to the June 7 inquiry and submitted a response on June 12," said Raynes. "I submitted a five-page response along with Dr. Rezmierski's response to the department. We as a district responded to the inquiry, [which was] followed by an Aug. 29 letter which found no irregularities."

Although Winchester is no

longer being investigated and the district's explanation has been accepted, Raynes said she would have liked to see a better apology.

"We had not erred ethically or procedurally," she said. "The stu-dents were certainly responding as fifth graders to the problem. As a building principal, I would have preferred to have seen a more personalized apology to our fifth grade teachers, students and parents in regards to the initial investigation."

Raynes described the entire experience as a professional

I really want to believe that the state is sincere in their response that in the future these types of accusations are clearly communicated to the school prior to a news release," she said. "If they had contacted us, we could have taken care of this matter very promptly. [Students] were responding to a real-live problem. promptly. It had nothing to do with teacher proctoring at all."

The MEAP test was taken by the Winchester students in early 2001. Assistant superintendent Linda Pallas said the district received a detailed breakdown of the MEAP on a CD-ROM.

"We're currently installing software called Test Whiz. The software will allow us to read the MEAP data contained on the CD,

As of Tuesday afternoon, the content of the CD had not yet been deciphered. Past scores had been transmitted to the district on paper.

Raynes expressed frustration at both the allegations of cheating and the delay in results being made available.

'[We] received letter from department explaining that they accepted our review, but at this time we have not received a building report which allows us to do an analysis of the social studies questions, said Raynes. The overall building report allows us to look at all of the responses item by item. Winchester typically looks at that as part of the school improvement process. That is one of strategies for improving instruction.

She said when the individual student reports were received, the test-takers had already advanced to Meads Mill Middle School.

We received the individual student reports around early September and those were forwarded to Meads Mill for parent and student distribution, said Raynes.

However, Raynes said that a form of assessment testing is essential.

"I think it's necessary to have a state assessment, however the changes and the formatting of the test have created numerous challenges to teachers and students." said Raynes. "Certainly, we know we're doing a great job teaching social studies and this is only one way to measure our instruction. We know that Northville curriculum is aligned with the state."

She also said the school will work around the delay in receiv-

ing the school-wide report. That doesn't mean we stop teaching to the best of our abilities," said Raynes. "Our focus is not to teach to the test, it's to focus on teaching the adopted district curriculum. This is just one piece of our teacher assessment and student assessment. Right now it's a missing link, so we review what we do have in place as

a building and as a district. Winchester is currently gearing up for the 2002 MEAP tests. Raynes said testing will begin Jan. 28 and continue through Feb. 7.

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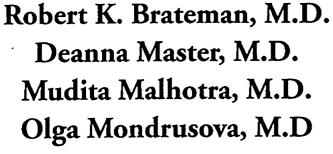
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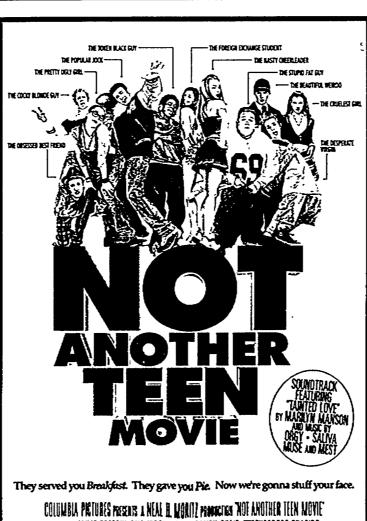
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Deadline passes, township passes on OLP purchase

By Lon Huhman

The land purchase agreement Northville Township had with Our Lady of Providence has expired without a formal declaration for its purchase, making it open season for bidding on the Beck Road facil-

However, the township still has the opportunity to obtain OLP's 40 acres, located just north of Six Mile Road. Township manager Chip Snider said the final decision will be made by the township's board of trustees. Snider said the board will potentially be discussing an OLP purchase at its Dec. 20 meeting.

Our land purchase agreement with Our Lady of Providence expired on Dec. 4 and we have

made no movement toward purchasing the property," Snider said in regard to the township's current stance on OLP. The board of trustees has yet to make a decision. The one problem with the expiration is it allows other parties to step in and potentially outbid us for the purchase of the property."

The township signed the land purchase agreement with OLP on Sept. 4, which began the 60-day due diligence period, in addition to giving the township exclusive bidding rights during the two-month span. The township used the 60day period to investigate and analyze specific property details.

The current asking price for OLP is \$6 million.

Township public services director Donald Weaver said the township assessed the property and environmental conditions, in addition to conducting a wetlands study and inspection of the facility's mechanics. Snider said the investigations did not turn up any setbacks, either environmentally or in terms of facilities.

*Our assessment turned up no environmental hazards and the buildings were found suitable." Snider said. There was nothing of any consequence.

Snider said one aspect the board will be considering is if the township should acquire OLP in its entirety or just the developed or undeveloped areas. The front 20 acres is developed with buildings and the rear 20 acres is not. Snider has said the township considers the rear 20 to be practical for park

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OLP, 'which was established in 1957 to be a home for developmentally disabled women, announced its sale in early July. OLP's Sister Linda Willette said the primary reason for the sale is a shortage in religious staff members. Homes for OLP's residents are expected to be found before its closing next sum-

Willette said the township was still interested in the rear 20 acres and there were other, unnamed parties interested in the front 20. She said OLP is currently talking with the interested parties, but nothing is official.

"It's a wait-and-see thing right now," Willette said.

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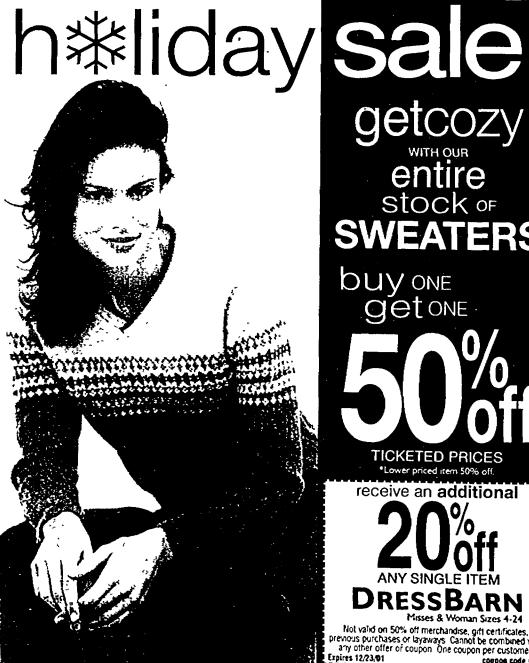
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Difference of opinion leaves Woodland issue tabled

By Lon Huhman

The Northville township board of trustees tabled the open space agreement modification of The Woodlands South development because of a difference of opin-

Opinions varied at the Nov. 15 board meeting between the board and Pulte Homes representative Howard Fingeroot on the potential change in designation from park to public use for the property donated to the township near Millennium Park on Six Mile Road. The parcel under dispute is six acres and is adjacent to the park on the southwest corner across from Northville High

ing to the designation dispute were the township's strategic land and facilities plan studies, as well as Pulte's desire to put an additional duplex in the develop-

Northville Township manager Chip Snider said the issue was tabled by the board and Pulte had not resubmitted its proposal to the board for a decision on the additional duplex building. Snider said the board would base its potential approval of the additional structure on the basis that the land would be modified so public uses such as the fire station or other community facilities could be constructed there.

Pulte also donated six acres on the corner of Six Mile and Sheldon roads, which Snider said could be the possible location of new township offices. Snider said Pulte had donated the land with the understanding that the acreage would be designated as a park area. Pulte expressed an interest in marketing the homes nearest the disputed area at a

According to the township strategic study, the township is in need of a several new fire stations - one proposed location for a 24-hour fully operational sta-tion is in Six Mile and Sheldon roads area. The location was selected by the township study consultants because of its relevance for response time and need. However, the future construction of a station at the location has not been finalized.

The planning commission and township planners recommended the modification to the board after Pulte learned Wayne County authorities would not approve of a road connection within the development, so Pulte asked the commission for approval of an additional duplex on the area of land previously designated for the road connection. Prior to the additional duplex building, Pulte had planned for 95 duplex build-

Fingeroot said Pulte would adhere to the other modifications, but had mixed feelings about the park designation being changed to public use. The other modifications include the completion of the Sheldon Road bike

path and the Six Mile bike path from the Woodlands south entrance to Sheldon, as well as appropriate plantings to be used for the storm water detention ponds along with the planting of replacement trees along Sheldon.

Fingeroot said he believed Pulte had been generous with the township by donating the property and he said a fire station would have a negative impact on marketing the development.

The board, minus an absent supervisor Mark Abbo, agreed with Fingeroot that the donation was generous, but agreed a fire station in the Six Mile/Sheldon area was needed, and that it could be constructed with proper

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buffering so it would not have a negative visual impact on the residences nearest to it. Snider said township planning consultant Jennifer Frey presented a plan to Pulte, demonstrating 190 feet of buffering between the homes andthe station, but Pulte still had" opposing feelings toward it.

A possible compromise may be discussed at the township' board's Dec. 20 meeting. However, as of Dec. 4 Pulte had' not resubmitted its request.

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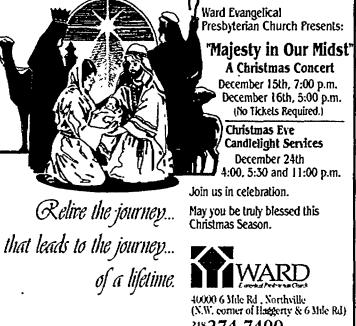
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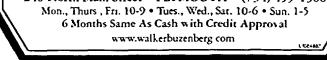
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Got an opinion on Cambridge? City wants to hear it

By Lon Huhman STAFF WRITER

The Northville City Council wants to hear the public's views on the proposed Cambridge Place development before making the final planned unit development decision.

"I'm looking forward to the public hearing," city council member Kevin Hartshorne said after the public hearing date was announced at the Dec. 3 council meeting.

Hartshorne has voiced his opposition to the project's size, specifically believing that it is one story too high. He said public input was crucial for an informed decision to be made.

Before the city council proceeds with its decision making process of the final planned-unit development and site plan for Cambridge Place. residents will get the opportunity to voice their views on the project Monday at 7:30 p.m. at city hall. Cambridge Development Company's Mark Guidobono said the mixed-use development is planned to be 113,360 square feet

with a height of five floors. The first

floor will be retail, the second for office and floors three through five will be devoted to residential units.

The project has been going through the approval process since late last spring and it was granted preliminary PUD approval by the city council in early July, prior to this the planning commission gave preliminary approval in June. After the city council preliminary approval, the PUD plan was referred back to the historic district and planning commissions for final approval. Both have granted

According to historic district commission's chairperson and city council member Thomas Swigart, the major concern the historic district commission as a whole has was with regard to the size of the project. He said even though the historic commission primarily considers the aesthetics and architecture of a project, the one thing that always came back to mind was if Cambridge Place is relative to the scale of the rest of the downtown. Historic district commissioner Walter Coponen said like many others involved in reviewing the devel-

opment, the size of the project remained a concern, but he said there were many good conceptual details to the building's appear-

Coponen said the commission hoped that if the project met all the necessary approvals, the final end look would be very similar to the conceptual plan the historic commission reviewed. He said when considering the project such things as the viability of its intentions and how it would fit in with the surrounding area should be seriously

At the public hearing, the plan will be presented again to the city council. Once public comment has been taken into consideration, the council will have its own discussion and question period before a final decision is made. If approved, the next step for the council would be to amend the zoning map.

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Hillside students launch holiday toy drive

By Jennifer Norris

Students at Hillside Middle School have launched their annual toy drive to benefit kids serviced by Wolverine Human Services, said Hillside assistant principal, Laura Kelly-Porzio.

Kelly-Porzio said the Hillside student council is in charge of promoting and organizing the toy drive. The drive will continue through Dec. 18 and donated toys should be new. She also said that the organization is looking for toys suitable for males or females between the ages of five to 17, how-

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Kelly-Porzio said school board member Judith Wollack spoke to students about the organization and spoke about the kids that would be helped.

The students felt it was important to share their good fortune with others that aren't as fortunate," said Kelly-Porzio. "Once they

heard how little these kids had compared to how much they have, they wanted to help. I'm really proud of this group.

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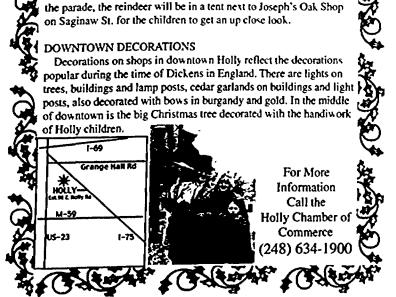
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Members of the Northville Newcomers spent a good part of last Wednesday shopping at Gardenviews. A letter outlining their experience appears on page 18A.

Students pool resources for family

By Jennifer Norris STAFF WRITER

A second grade classroom at Winchester Elementary will be making the holidays a lot brighter for a

Lillian Knoth, a second grade teacher at Winchester, and her classroom of students adopted a family through Northville Civic Concern and spent the morning of Dec. 5 shopping

for holiday gifts for their family.

"There's many teachers at Winchester that have adopted a family. ily." said Knoth, as she and parents helped the group of students select presents at Target, located off of Haggerty Road. "All four second grade teachers have adopted a family and so has [the] upper elementary."

Knoth said the students were shopping for gifts for a mother and her two children, ages 7 and 5. She also said due to the generosity of the Winchester families, over \$200 was turned in to benefit the adopted family-an amount that amazed both Knoth and the students.

"All we asked for was \$5 and \$10 donations," said Knoth. "People have been so generous."

Once the group arrived at the store, students split into small groups and were supervised by par-

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urchasing and picking [gifts]," said Knoth. "It's a great math lesson."

But students were learning more than just the principles of addition and subtraction that day.

We teach a lot about the community and giving back to the communisaid Knoth. "With everything that's happened in our country. I

think everyone has a sense of want-Knoth also said gift wrap, tape and

bows were also donated to the class. Mona Schmatz, a Winchester parent volunteer, joined her son Michael as he and his classmates hunted for just the right items.

think it's excellent," said

Schmatz. "It really helps with teach, ing the children the spirit of giving."

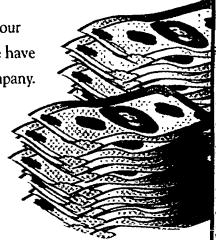
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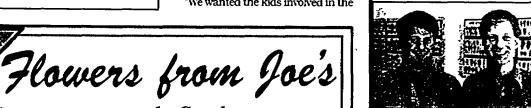
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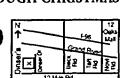
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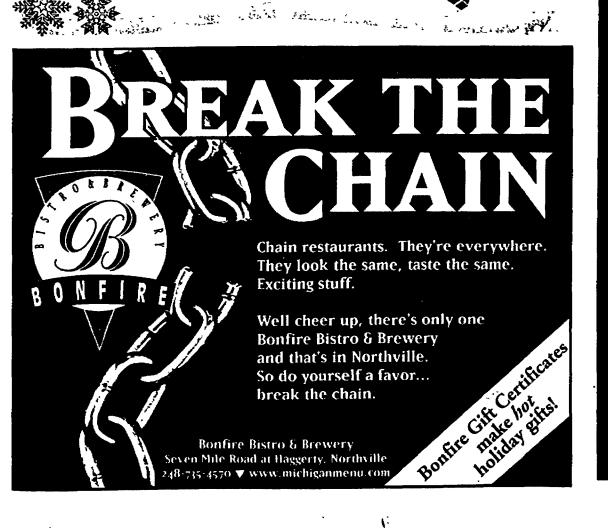
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City outlines future for sidwalk-walkway plans

By Lon Huhman STAFF WRITER

Northylle city council members concurred with the city staff's sidewalk report that suggested more sidewalks and pedestrian walkways are needed in the near future.

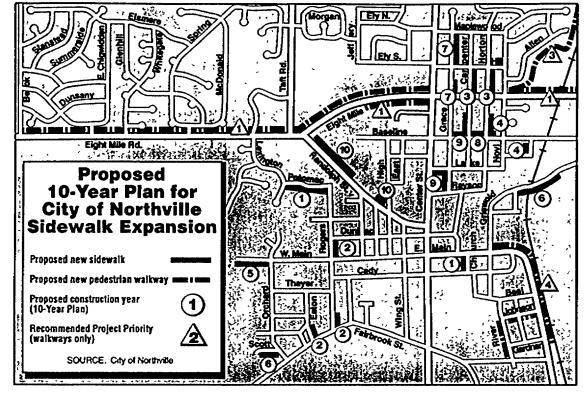
The city council accepted the sidewalk report, as well as the recommendations, after giving additional suggestions, for the future sidewalk and pedestrian walkway placements presented within the

report.

i think it is an excellent, comprehensive report," said Northville mayor Chris Johnson.

City public works director Jim Gallogly said as a part of the 2002 fiscal year's budget deliberations. the city council requested city staff to inspect and prepare a report on the condition of existing sidewalks. locations of where sidewalks do not exist, as well as the estimated costs for repairs and placement of new sidewalks. Gallogly said the report's recommendations came as a result of the investigative steps

Some of the major recommendations included the future construction of 10-foot wide asphalt pedestrian pathways along Eight Mile Road and South Main Street, and sidewalk additions along Potomac Street and near Mary Alexander Court. The city council has already approved \$300,000 for construction of a 10-foot-wide pedestrian path-



way on the north side of Eight Mile across from Hillside Middle School.

According to Gallogly, the city has 25 miles of local and major streets under its jurisdiction and 4½ miles of county streets that run through the city. A major impetus for the report was the city council's belief of there being an immediate and future need to fill gaps in the city's sidewalk system. The report said approximately one-third of the homes in the city don't have access to city sidewalks.

In addition, the report said 20 miles of sidewalk gaps were located in the city and of the 40 miles of existing sidewalks, approximately seven miles need to be replaced.

One report example gave the price possibilities of sidewalk work in the Bealtown area on the southern edge of the city. Using updated 2002 construction costs, it was estimated nearly \$14,000 would be needed for Bealtown sidewalk replacements. \$166,200 in new sidewalk placement and \$2,000 in sidewalk cost that the city would expect a developer to pay.

The report said the city's 1997 street improvement plan includes sidewalks and had \$900,000 dedicated to fill sidewalk gaps is still valid, but Gallogly said it was recognized there is a desire to expand the sidewalk system at a faster rate than what was proposed in the 1997 plan. Consequently, a 10year plan for incremental expansion of sidewalks - as well as the repair and replacement of them has been introduced.

The 1997 report has the city following a two-prong approach of repairing the sidewalks along streets that are being constructed. as well as an annual sidewalk replacement program to improve sidewalks. The sidewalk expansion plan calls for incrementally constructing new sidewalks to fill the gaps over a 10-year period that may cost less than \$50,000 each year. The city's dedicated street millage, as well as other financing methods - such as state and federal aid - would be considered to help fund the 10-year plan.

The council agreed the expansion plan should be communicated to residents because it would have a direct impact on some of those who would not favor new sidewalks in front of their homes. Council member Thomas Swigart said filling the sidewalk gaps should be taken on a case-by-case basis with residential input being considered. Mayor pro-tem Carolann Ayers said in some cases, despite residential objection, a new sidewalk will be needed. Johnson said one such street in need of sidewalk expansion was Potomac Street.

Council member Jerry Mittman said a future sidewalk near the Northville Lumber Company and railroad track is needed. Mittman said the city's sidewalk plans should also take Northville Township and Novi's pathway plans into consideration so they could tie in together. Council member Kevin Hartshorne said one area the plan should seriously consider was the city walkways to and from the city's schools, such as Hillside Middle School.

A Hillside student had written a letter to Hartshorne expressing his desire to see a future sidewalk on the south side of Eight Mile. Gallogly said for that to happen, the city would need to seek another funding grant, which Johnson said should be sought in the near future. Until then, the north side walkway would be a benefit for students walking home to and from school, he said.

Lon Huhman is a staff writer for the Northville Record. He can be reached at (248) 349-1700. ext. 109 e-mail lhuhman&ht.homecomm.net.

Mill Race Matters

Thursday, Dec. 13 Archivists, Cady Inn. 9 a.m. Scout Meeting, Cady Inn. 4 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 15 Single Point, Cady Inn, 5 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 16 Mill Creek Community Church, 9 a.m.

Eagle Scouts, Church, 2 p.m. Monday, Dec. 17 Daisy Scouts, Cady Inn. 6:30

Tuesday, Dec. 18

Stone Gang. Cady Inn/Grounds.

Girl Scout Leaders, Cady Inn.

1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 19 Mill Creek Community Church Prayer Meeting, Church, 7:30 p.m.

Sonia Swigart and Sandy Basse did a presentation for the Western Wayne County Genealogical Society on Dec. 10. Sandy gave an

overview of Mill Race Village and Sonia displayed her extensive array of Victorian style hats and presented a history of Victorian fashions and Christmas traditions. We thank the Western Wayne County Genealogical Society for their donation to Mill Race Village.

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Sealed proposals for all work described in the RFB will be received at the above location no later than 2:00 p.m. local time on January 3, 2002.

Absolutely no bids will be accepted after this deadline.

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NOTICE TO RESCHEDULE A PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE CITY OF NORTHVILLE

The City of Northville Planning Commission will consider a text amendment to the Zoning Ordinance regarding regulations for temporary real estate open house

The proposed changes are described as follows:

1) Add definition of Temporary Real Estate Open House Sign - Section 21.01.b. Add regulations for Temporary Real Estate Open House Signs governing size, placement, duration and number of signs - Section 21.01.i.
 The proposed text amendments will be considered by the Planning Commis-

sion at the December 18, 2001 meeting at 7:30 p.m., at the City of Northville, 215 W. Main. St., Council Chambers. The purpose of this hearing will be to consider public

input on these proposed changes. The complete text of the proposed changes can be reviewed at the City Hall during normal business hours.

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The Northville Township Administrative Offices will also be closed on Monday, December 31st & Tuesday, January 1, 2002 in observance of New Years Day. The offices will reopen at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, January 2, 2002. Residents wishing to pay their taxes before year-end can do so up until closing at 4:30 p.m., December 28, 2001.

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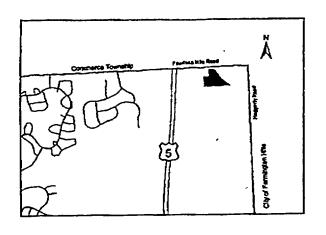
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All interested persons are invited to attend. Verbal comments may be heard at the hearing and any written comments must be received by the Planning & Community Development Department, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI 48375 untill 5:00 P.M., Wednesday, December 19, 2001.

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Horowitz cleans up in Scouts, ttains Eagle rank after project

Jennifer Norris AFF WRITER

This upcoming weekend is sure to memorable for Justin Horowitz. On Sunday, Horowitz will be paripating in his Eagle Scout Court of onor ceremony at 2 p.m. in orthville's Mill Race Historical

Horowitz completed his Eagle out project in May of 2001 and hieved the rank of Eagle Scout

An Eagle Scout ranking is the ghest level of achievement or dvancement offered through the oy Scouts of America organization. In order to attain this ranking, couts are required to organize and nplement a service project to benet the community.

For his Eagle project, Horowitz arried out a "Let's Help Clean It Up" roject, which benefited Northville Civic Concern, a non-profit organiation that assists residents by proiding basic necessities.

According to Karen Horowitz. Justin's mother, Justin placed collection boxes for cleaning products and paper products in three Northville schools. He selected to place the collection boxes at Winchester Elementary, Meads Mill Middle School and Northville High School, which are the three schools he attended before graduating from Northville Public Schools in 2001. They collected [items] used to

clean up anything around the house," she said. The items were collected from May

14-May 25, 2001. However, before Horowitz could

establish his collection drive, he first had to raise funds for the project and alert the community of his goals. He did that by launching a bottle and can drive.

"First he had to raise money so he could make the posters and the fliers," said Karen Horowitz, who also said after paying for expenses. her son presented funds to



Justin Horowitz is Boy Scout Troop No. 903's newest Eagle Scout. His Eagle service project involved collecting cleaning products for Northville schools.

Civic Concern. *Everything had to be organized by

Currently, Horowitz is a freshman at Kalamazoo College studying biomedical engineering. He said he

plans to become a genetic engineer. After Horowitz was told what items were most needed, he went to work raising funds, creating fliers. distributing them and monitoring the collection boxes.

"Since we were giving to the community as a whole and not making benches in a park or something like that, I thought it would be more appropriate to have the community help fund the project," said Horowitz. He added that 5,000 fliers were printed for the project.

At the project's conclusion. Horowitz said that he ended up with three car loads and a minivan full of cleaning supplies and paper prod-

We collected about a month's worth of supplies for 100 families. he said. I was very happy with the community's response. Everyone was very happy to help contribute to those less fortunate than them-

Horowitz said the total number of man hours exceeded 500 and members of Troop 903 and parents helped distribute fliers to most of Northville Township.

*Everyone knew that this project was going on," he said. "It would not have been successful without all the help of all the people that contributed. I owe them one.

Horowitz is the son of Jerry and Karen Horowitz of Northville. Horowitz also has two siblings.

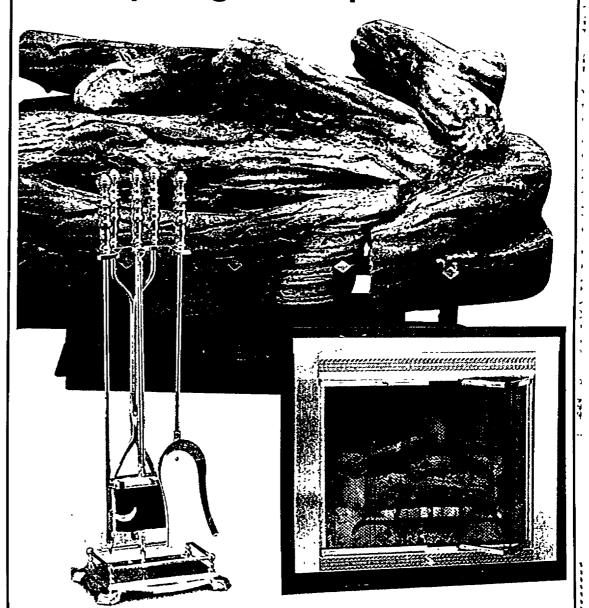
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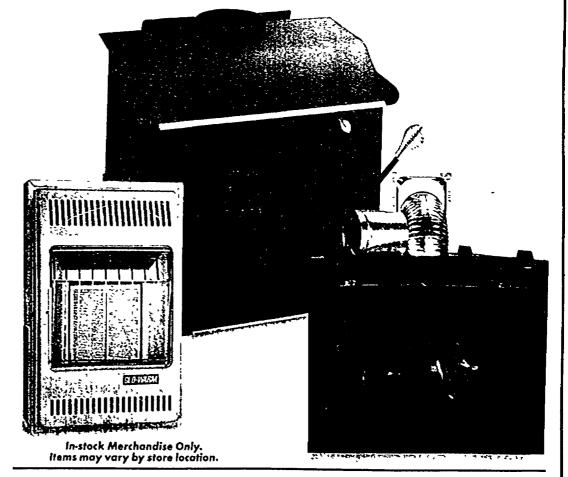
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The Northville Senior Center will be hosting a birthday party for any person age 95 or older on Jan. 23 at the Northville Community Center. Event organizers ask that individuals who meet the age requirement to contact the Senior Center by Dec. 14. Food and entertainment will be part of the celebration. For more information, call (248) 349-4140.

The play "Charlotte's Web" will be on stage at the Marquis Theatre on various dates between now and Jan. 20. Tickets to the performances are \$7.50, and special group rates and

Library Lines

LIBRARY HOURS

The Northville District Library, 212 W. Cady St. near city hall is open Monday-Thursday, from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Sunday, 1-5 p.m. Parking is available off Cady Street. The library will be closed Dec. 23, 24, 25, 31 and Jan. 1. For detailed information about programs or services. or to request or renew library materials, call (248) 349-3020.

HOLIDAY, CRAFTS

Kids of all ages are invited to make fun holiday crafts at the library on Dec. 20 at 4 p.m. Just drop in for this hour-long program, no registration required. Children 4 and younger should be with a caregiver.

WINTER STORYTIME SCHED-ULE

A whole new season of storytimes awaits children at the Northville district Library starting in January. For a detailed schedule of dates for. The Little Me Club for babies, TOT Storytime for 2- and 3-year-olds, Storytime for ages 4, 5 and kindergartners, Kids Club for first and second graders, and Evening Drop-in Storytimes, please call the library.

WINTER SCHOOL BREAK FUN

Get ready for the year 2002 by decorating a calendar at this special hour-long program during Christmas vacation from school. Join us on Dec. 27 at 2 p.m. No registration is required but children 4 or younger should be with a caregiver.

ENDOWMENT CAMPAIGN

There is no better time than now to give to the library's newly established Endowment Fund as all gifts will be matched by the special Challenge Grant. Donors also qualify for a 50 percent tax credit on their state taxes. For more information, contact the library director.

LIBRARY BOARD MEETING

The next meeting of the Northville District Library Board of Trustees will be Dec. 20 at 7:30 p.m. The public is welcome to attend these monthly meetings, which are scheduled on the fourth Thursday of the month.

Obituaries

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He is survived by his wife, Corinne: two sons, Todd (Kristin) of Boston and Steven Stanley of Northville; six brothers and sisters; and two grandchildren, Louisa and William Vincent.

Mr. Vincent was preceded in death by his parents.

Services were held on Wednesday. Dec. 15 at the First United Methodist Church of Northville, with the Rev. Jennifer Bixby officiating.

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

Memorial contributions to the Northville Youth Assistance, 775 N. Center St., Northville, MI 48167 would be appreciated by the family.

school reservations can be made. Shows are not open to children under age three. Most showtimes are at 2:30 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. For more information, call (248) 349-

The Salvation Army is looking for bell-ringers for the organization's Christmas Kettle Campaign. Four sites in Northville are the Northville Post Office, Hiller's Market (425 N. Center). Great Harvest Bread Company (139 E. Main Street) and

call (248) 348-2678.

The Victorian Tea Society of Southeastern Michigan is planning an extended program and is now open to new members. Society members host small informal gatherings in their homes and open up meetings to speakers and presentations dealing with the Victorian theme. An organizational meeting will be held in Ann Arbor in January and will feature a Victorian fashion show. For more

Farmer Jack. For more information, information, call (248) 437-4493.

Tickets for Northville Nite 2001 are on sale at the Northville Recreation Center. The event, scheduled at the Rec Center for Dec. 31 from 5 p.m. to 9 .m., is a family event with magic, entertainment, crafts and a carnival, as well as food and nonalcoholic drinks. Tickets are \$13 for adults and \$8 for youths age 10 and under. For more information, call (248) 349-0203.

The Country Garden Club of Northville will be hosting Nancy Szerlag, whose speaking topic will be "Secrets of the Soil." The Club's meeting will be held Jan. 8 at the Northville District Library at noon. For reserva-

tions, call (248) 348-0192.

The Northville Woman's Club will be hosting the Arpi Swedish Men's Chorus at its Dec. 21 meeting, to be held at 1:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church of Northville. A Christmas team will also be held to welcome new

members. For more information, call (248) 349-3064.

The Sarah Ann Cochrane Plymouth-Northville Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution are hosting a Christmas tea on Dec. 17 at 1 p.m. The program's theme will be Christmas Letters Over the Years 1780-1835. The event will be held at 51129 Plymouth Ridge Drive in Plymouth. For more information, call (734) 254-

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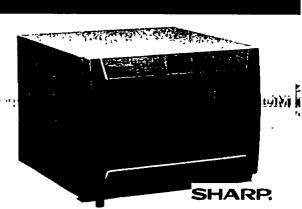




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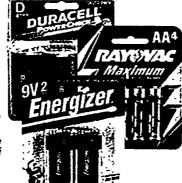
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Weak economy, lawsuits prompt Hayes' Chapter 11

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\$200 million in debtor-in-possession financing from a group of lenders led by CIBC World Markets Corp. that would be used to fund post-petition operating expenses and to meet supplier and employee obligations. The DIP financing should help support the company through the restructuring period, she said.

Diamond said Hayes was using Chapter 11 as a tool to resolve the company's largest problem, which is a debt burden that had become too large to service under current business conditions.

The overburdened debt structure arose from a number of recent cash acquisitions and capital investments that were funded with debt. Additional debt obligations arose from capital improvement programs the company has invested in over the last three years to improve operations and meet customer requirements." Diamond said in reference to why Hayes Lemmerz has so much debt. With the declining market conditions, the company was no longer able to support the debt-

According to the New York Stock Exchange statistics, by the end of April, revenues for Hayes fell 9 percent to \$541.4 million. The net loss totaled \$7.6 million compared to an income of \$15.7 million. The NYSE's recent financial summary said Haves Lemmerz's decrease in revenues reflected lower light vehicle and heavy truck production North America, which was due to the weakening of European currency as well as higher energy costs.

Late last summer, Hayes Lemmerz issued a statement indicating the company would be restating its financial results to Securities Exchange Commission for fiscal year 2000 and the first quarter of 2001. Subsequently, all shareholders who purchased common stock of Hayes Lemmerz between the time period of June 8, 2000 and Sept. 5. 2001 filed a class action lawsuit in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan.

The lawsuit complaint alleged that the company violated the federal securities laws by issuing a series of material misrepresen-

financial results for 2000 and the first quarter of 2001. The complaint said the reported net loss of \$41.8 million for 2000 was understated by at least 31 per-cent and for the first quarter of 2001 it was understated by 350 percent for a loss of \$34.7 mil-

Hayes Lemmerz's reorganization process began in late October when the company announced it would reorganize its North American Wheels operations into a single strategic business unit. The company said the move was made to improve its operating performance and competitive position in North America. The next move was to eliminate 145 positions, or 11 percent of its North American workforce as well as offering 45 employees an early retirement option. In mid-November, the company's Bowling Green, Ky. manufacturing facility - with a 235-person workforce - was closed. A weakening economy was cited as one factor for the decision.

Diamond said the reorganiza-

tion filing was a "good thing" for the company, Hayes' customers and Hayes' employees. She said it was too soon to be able to predict how long Haves would remain in Chapter 11, but said it was the company's goal to finish the restructuring as quick as possi-

Hayes anticipated the proceedings to take more than a year to complete.

*We are in control of this process. It is expected to have a good outcome for everyone, and it necessary to prepare Hayes

ble. However, Diamond also said Lemmerz for a better future, Diamond said.

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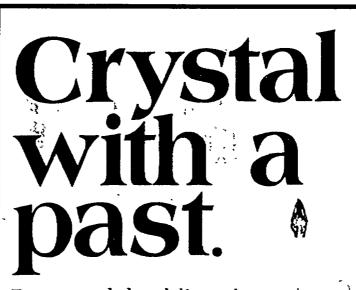
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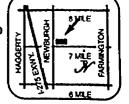
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solid waste, are able to convince their

fellow Canadians of the importance of

keeping Canada's refuse in Canada. Garbage is rarely the sort of thing

that gives people a lot of positive vibes. But there's another side to

what goes on at the Arbor Hills, and it

would be shortsighted not to mention

Waste produces gas. And gas, if col-

lected and used correctly, can gener-

ate power. That power helps light

lamps and warms homes. In addition,

a fair amount of tree and shrub debris is broken down and compost-

ed at Arbor Hills. Larger, harder

materials are shredded and turned

into landscaping material. In short, a

decent amount of what goes into

Arbor Hills gets a second crack at life

This isn't a question of usefulness,

however. It's a question of politics.

Garbage from Michigan can be land-

filled, recycled or composted at Arbor

Hills just as well as garbage from

We have great fondness for our

friends on the other side of the border-

(which, from Northville, are more east

than north.) But it's time for the city

of Toronto, the Ontario provincial

government and Canadian parlia-

ment to find a solution to its own

Michigan as it is - including our pro

place or even a dinner out would be so nice.

I wish to have my hair done at a local

I wish to have a dinner-out gift certificate

I wish to have a haircut certificate to have

I wish to have a dinner-out certificate. To

I wish I could have some green bath rugs

I wish I could be able to go out to dinner.

I wish I could have a dinner certificate so

I wish for a hair cut at Hair We Are.

I wish for a dinner out on any night.

I wish for two women's sweatshirts, one

I would like to go out to eat for dinner

I wish to have a Chinese dinner certifi-

I wish I could have tickets to the theater.

I wish I could have some coupons to get

medium and one a large, also socks would

I wish for dinner out - what a treat.

go out and have dinner anytime I was able

my hair cut. It would be appreciated.

place or dinner out. Anything would be fine.

so I can pay my own way sometime, when I

am out with family or friends.

We've got enough garbage in

in some other useful form.

Ontario.

garbage problem.

football team.

What a treat.

to would be fun.

for my bathroom.

I can enjoy dinner out.

be nice (size 9).

sometime.

my car washed.

Our fundamental purposes are to enhance the lives of our readers, nurture the home towns we serve and contribute to the business success of our customers.

Canada needs to find a trash solution, eh?

For the moment, at least, Onyx Bacapoulos, Toronto's manager of Arbor Hills' waste recovery site will continue bringing in some 450,000 tons of Toronto's trash.

But if you're one of the many including state Representative John Stewart — who doesn't like the idea of importing all of Yonge Street's waste, there is good news: the deal to allow foreign waste into Arbor Hills is coming to an end.

That's certainly welcome information for the people who watch the stream of trucks make their daily trek through Northville Township, even if it won't be happening for another two years. On top of that, the end of the Toronto-Onyx arrangement doesn't mean the end of Canadian waste ending up in Michigan landfills. The city of the Maple Leafs and Blue Jays will be shipping its trash to Carlton Farms landfill in Washtenaw County after the Arbor Hills deal concludes in 2003.

While we're happy for Arbor Hills and Northville Township, we stand by what we said before: Canada needs to find a place to put its trash...within Canadian borders. When you're talking about a land mass roughly the same as our own, but with eight times fewer people (and 90 percent of those people living within 100 miles of the U.S. border, at that) we'll venture a guess that there's no shortage of space for Canadians to get rid of their waste.

We hope folks like Angelos

I am a 61-year-old widow and an amputee confined to a wheelchair. I live in a mobile home and require dialysis treatment three days a week. I am in need of a wheelchair ramp to be built in front of my house. as my children carry me up and down the stairs. I am concerned that they will slip, fall and drop me once winter weather

I wish to take my husband who has been ill for a long time out to dinner/or lunch and to see a current movie at the AMC the-

I wish to have a bed pillow with arms to support me for I am in bed 90 percent of the time due to my illness. If this is too hard to find. I would appreciate a bed Jacket (size medium) to put on when friends visit.

I wish to have movie tickets to AMC theater/or a hat/scarf and gloves set in red (medium).

I wish to have my hair done at JCPenney for I had it done once there and loved it. Or. if that is too expensive, a dinner out anywhere would be so nice.

I wish to have a new electric razor. My budget does not allow me to purchase one on my own, with my wife's illness and recent death.

I wish to have my hair done at a local salon. This would e a real treat for me.

I wish to be able to go out to dinner at a local restaurant. It would be nice to do

something different. I wish to have a new knitted hat and scarf/gloves set in red. It is nice to get something new to dress up in.

I wish to have my hair done at a local salon for dinner out at a local restaurant. It's hard to do these kinds of things.

I wish to have my hair colored at the hair salon at Allen terrace. I can't afford this on

my own. I wish to have a hair cut and perm at

JCPenney's. They did a nice job on me before but on a limited budget. I can't afford one on my own anymore.

I wish to have my hair done at a local

If you're in need of help this holiday season, or can offer a hand to someone in need, call Northville Civic Concern at (248) 344-1033.



photo by JOHN HEIDER Katy Swartz, 8, tells Santa what she'd like for Christmas during last Friday's Northville Mothers' Club tree lighting at the Northville bandshell.

LETTERS

What's the benefit of starting school later?

Most high school students hate getting up in the morning no matter what time they go to bed. It would be nice to get up later every morning to start school at 8:30 a.m., but I feel that the objectives overshadow the bene-

The obvious benefits include getting up late and maybe, do better in school. So the students at Northville High School who receive 4.0's every quarter will now be getting 4.2's because they got up a half-hour earlier? Get real: Students who do bad or good in school will always follow that pattern. Terrible and excellent grades aren't earned by what time the student goes to bed or wakes up, but rather how much effort they put into school. If the student never cared about school, they are not going to start caring because the school board made school start an hour later.

If school starts at 8:30, there will be more problems. Grades won't drastically go up. We will get out 10 minutes after the middle schools so no high school students will be able to pick up their middle school grade over. Sports will become an issue. After school practice will be over later in the night. Technically, if the student does after school activities or sports, they will probably have less time to do their homework. Thus maybe worse grades. Wasn't that what we were trying to avoid by starting school at 8:30?

I like the stand that hopefully Mr. Colligan and the board of education will stick to, students should be first. Mr. Johnson, your stakeholders are the students of Northville. You need to hear our feedback.

One more thing I would like to say. Edina High School's superintendent mentioned that their high school was the first in the nation to make this change. Do they not realize that this could be a clue that maybe every high school in the nation disagrees with them? Who ended up making the decision to start school at 8:30 in Edina? The students who actually go to school everyday or the parents and school board who feel they know what's best. Nice student representative they bring with them. I'm sure a student who disagreed with the time change was unavailable to attend their propaganda. I hope Northville makes the right decision, I hope they really sleep on it.

Newcomers enjoyed day of shopping, helping

On the evening of Dec. 5, 50 women from Northville Newcomers were put into the holiday spirit by socializing, nibbling on appetizers, and shopping in a winter wonderland at downtown Gardenviews. The Newcomers passed along their holiday spirit by contributing monetary donations to Northylle Civic Concern, a local emergency relief

Northville Newcomers is a local organization whose membership has grown to nearly 200 and includes both long-term neighbors and new from the metro Detroit area. Newcomers offers interest group activities appealing to everyone from euchre, bowling and skiing to wine tasting, moms and tots, and book reviewing (to name a few).

For more information, contact membership chair Kris Brownfield, (248) 347-2191.

Judy O'Hara

Record should print letters of local interest

The Northville Record should only print individual's comments in the "Letters" opinion section of the paper that cover issues relating to our community. It should not serve as a forum that promotes an individual's political beliefs on national issues. There are radio talk shows and publications such as the Detroit News or Free Press that welcome an individual's politcal thoughts.

We subscribe to the Northville Record to read about whats happening in the community not someones national political agenda.

> Richard Munerance Northville

Kevin Kay

ing. How can anyone be detained without the resort to profiling? If the federal government detains 1,000 men, choosing them at random, it has committed one huge profiling faux pas. The government passed on detaining any

But the liberal might say that women are not terrorists. You've got it. Detain those who might be more likely to fit the profile of a terrorist. Detain Arabs and Muslims?

The liberal wants Ashcroft to forget profil-

Yesterday, the government interdicted at locations where Islamic groups in several states had office locations to gather and accept charitable contributions for the mur-derous thugs in the East. Profiling is proper and it has worked. How better to seek out those who are dangerous to Americans' wellbeing? Profile away.

Neil Goodbred

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Profiling opposition

is classic liberal line

If the system isn't broke, don't fix it

Two weeks ago. I ventured out to Walled Lake Central High School to hear a group of educators from Minnesota pitch the idea to

Jennifer Norris

times at the high school level to severiocal school districts. Representing the Edina Public the School dis-

delay start

trict Edina, Minn., three

school officials and a high school senior offered

their comments on why other districts should consider rolling back the start time for high school an hour or so. According to the district's superintendent Kenneth Dragseth, this policy has not only been more attune to teenager's sleep patterns but has been advantageous for students academically. Northville Public Schools officials had their

ears open to this proposal, but a long ways from changing their current policy, if at all. Sitting in that high school's auditorium, I found myself wondering about why this policy seemed to be gaining popularity now and not 15 years ago. While I'm not quite old enough to bore people with "When-I-was-your-age" stories, I am young enough to remember high

clock blaring at 5:30 a.m. Too early? Well, my parents were firm believers in eating breakfast, which meant ris-

school started at 7:25 a.m. and my alarm

ing early enough to eat a balanced meal. And breakfast did not just consist of a bagel and juice. No, my mother would get up, make her way into the kitchen and prepare our first meal of the day. Breakfast foods around our house would usually alternate between oatmeal, pancakes, grits (which I hated) or French toast. Sausage or bacon was always a breakfast staple.

School start times haven't changed much over the years, but why is it that there seems

to be rumblings to change it now? Nobody ! seemed to challenge high school starting between the hours of 7 a.m. and 8 a.m. 10

That was just the way it was and our society accepted it as such-in much the same way that we just accept the fact that when the traffic light is red, we have to stop.

In my opinion, the current system doesn't appear to be broken. After four years of getting up early and sitting through hundreds of first hour classes, I think I turned out all right. I don't think I was sleep deprived, my name was always on the school's honor roll list and I

graduated with a 3.5 grade point average. I was involved in after school activities a couple times a week and managed to get my homework done and be in bed by around 9 p.m. or 9:30 p.m. (My mother was very good

at seeing I went to bed on time.) My brother, who is currently a senior in high school, also doesn't seem to be suffering from the existing starting schedule. Like myself, he also is consistently on the honor roll

and finds time for his flight lessons. Continued on 17

Is the government going too far?

Last week marked the 60th anniversary of letter; my stomach isn't churning as I drive the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. The national mood of outrage led to the triumphant American entry into World War II. It also led to the shameful internment of hundreds of thousands of Japanese-Americans.

And last week FBI agents began to inter-



Phil Power

view 560 people who are 18 to 33 years old, from Middle Eastern or Islamic countries, who are living in southeastern

Michigan on nonimmigrant tourist, student or business visas. The interviews are part of a nationwide effort to contact more than 5,000 people to determine if they have

been recruited by or have information about Osama bin Laden's terrorist

organization, al-Qaeda. To his credit, U.S. Attorney for southeastern Michigan Jeffrey Collins has said the interviews should be conducted in the Teast intrusive manner possible," that those interviewed could be accompanied by a lawyer and should be advised that none are suspected of terrorism. But I've heard a lot of stories about the fear and alarm experienced by people who got the government letter inviting them to be interviewed.

Sure, it's easy to say that if they're innocent and want to cooperate, they have nothing to be worried about. But I didn't get the by the police station on my way to work.

Nationwide, 1,200 people were detained shortly after the terrorist attack on the World Trade Center. Of the 600 or so still in custody, around a dozen are being held as material witnesses to the outrage, 60 or so are being charged with lying to federal agents and the rest are being held for unspecified violations, presumably of immigration laws. Most of their names are still being kept secret; some have lawyers, some do not.

The bedrock legal doctrine of hebeas corpus (literally, from Latin, "we have the body") is intended to make sure the government does not arbitrarily and in secrecy throw somebody in the slammer for an indefinite period without being charged in a public proceeding with a specific crime. Attorney General John Ashcroft first said that names of those detained were being kept secret to preserve their privacy. He then argued that to release the names would advertise to al-Qaeda who we had picked up.

In his forceful testimony last week before the Senate Judiciary Committee, the Attorney General reasoned that the country is at war and therefore winning the war against terrorism and keeping Americans safe from terrorists justifies what in normal times would be regarded as excessive measures by the government. The response from civil libertarians and some senatorial critics is that it's especially important at moments of crisis to hold fast to the principles that define and guarantee just why we are in the right in the war against terrorism.

I admire people who are blessed at all times with the ability quite clearly to distinguish right from wrong. Whether they're best described as "true believers" or "terrible simplifiers," they have the advantage in crisis times like this. The effectiveness of their certainty is that they need not concern themselves over shades of gray. Things are either black or white, and that's that.

Well, things in the real world are rarely that simple.

Interning Japanese-Americans after Pearl Harbor seemed like the right thing to do at the time. But in wartime back then there wasn't much public

debate or discussion. And the verdict of history now is that the episode is among the most shameful in American history.

The contending views are powerful. On the one side, "the Constitution is not a suicide pact," as Robert Justice Jackson argued 60

years ago. On the other side, our government should be of laws, not of men or of particular circumstances, as John Adams pointed out during the debate over the adoption of the Constitution.

That's why a robust public debate about whether the government is going too far, too fast in the war against terrorism is so important, whether it's the U.S. Senate or the Detroit chapter of the ACLU raising the questions. Attacking those questions and that debate as unpatriotic is to miss the point

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Kids' money IQ is severely lacking

Most students in Michigan know next to dents across the country did no better. The years about the need for financial literacy nothing about money or how to handle it when they graduate from high school.

But I'm not picking on the youngsters. Members of my generation were no better educated overall about financial matters. When I received my diploma a few years back. I had never had someone show my how to balance a checkbook. I learned later ... the hard way. Isn't it interest-

The evidence comes from a recent survey

conducted by the National Institute of

Consumer Education, located at Eastern

Michigan University. The institute gave a

30-question test earlier this year to 362

high school seniors about money matters

in order to gauge their knowledge of topics

like earning, spending, credit, saving and

right, the average score was a flunking

grade. In fact, 62 percent failed. Only 13

The National Survey of Financial

Literacy conducted similar tests nationally

in 1997 and 2000, and found that stu-

percent scored a C or better.

The average score was 49 percent. That's

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money once they have it.

standing of saving. investing and — here's the scary part - "how effectively to use

Michael Bishop (R-Rochester) because these days virtually every college student This might not gets a credit card application during their be a sexy issue. It freshman year. Exactly why card companies are extend-

ing credit to youngsters with no real income isn't clear and it is probably something the regulators should crack down on, Bishop contended.

many students have with credit may be when they get themselves into trouble with those first cards, he said.

The representative has introduced legislation in Lansing, House Bill 5327, instructing the state Department of of those areas. Education to develop a model curriculum for teaching personal money management in K-12 public schools.

Adding the course work would be strictly voluntary for individual school districts. They would not be mandated to include them in their class lists. But the model would give educators guidance in how to develop financial literacy programs, if they decide to add them, instructing kids on how and why to save, spending wisely,

The Department of Education supports the bill, as does the Michigan Credit Union League, the Michigan Banks Association, the Michigan Federation of Teachers and School-Related Personnel and the Michigan JumpStart Coalition for Personal

Tve been beating a drum for several

programs in the schools." Bishop said. And it wouldn't be that hard to get them started. Officials from banks and credit unions that he has talked to about it say they would eager to work with school districts to develop such programs. They would in fact be willing to come in to the schools and make presentations directly to the students, Bishop said.

isn't likely to create a lot of controversy, so you are a lot less likely to read about it on the front page of the daily papers. And it may command less attention of state law-

makers But it also one overlooked in the

past, where we could definitely make improvements to our students' education.

Let's not overlook an opportunity to give them information they'll definitely make use of later in life.

For further information about financial literacy programs, visit the websites of the National Institute for Consumer Education at www.nice.emich.edu; Technology Integration Group Services, Inc. at www.tigs.com/main/htm; and the National Endowment for Financial Education at www.nefe.org/pages/history.html.

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average score was 52 percent, and 59 percent failed. Only 7 percent got a C or bet-Students were weakest in their under-

That's scary, according to State Rep.

But as things stand, the first lesson

proper use of credit and smart investing.

Financial Literacy.

Students were weakest in their understanding of saving, investing and how to use credit...scary!

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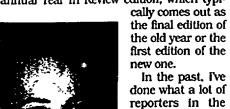




HOMETOWN NEWS SERVICE LANSING BUREAU

Wait to see what this year was about

Working in the Record office in mid-December is one of the most frantic, and at the same time, satisfying times of the year. It's mostly due to the fact that staff members are compiling information for our annual Year in Review edition, which typi-



office are doing

right now: scram-

through back copies of the newspapers and extracting nuggets information from this place Chris C. Davis and the next, trying to assemble a

chronology of all that's occurred over the last 50 or so weeks. In 2001, I did something different. I decid-

ed to make the project an incremental one, where I'd write a chunk of information each week and spread out the workload over the course of the months, rather than trying to do it all in a span of four or five days.

Both methods have their ups and downs, but I'm convinced that the bit-at-a-time approach has paid the greater dividend. And here's the reason why: I've been able to spend time reviewing and reflecting on the news of the year at a time when I'd normally be hunting it down. In other words, it's provided me more time to sluff off than I would in other circumstances.

(NOTE TO PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT: I'm just kidding about that last part. Really.)

Seriously, though. Pulling out the top stories of an entire year's worth of news and then condensing it down is no small task. At the same time, it's a real trip down Not-So-Distant-Memory Lane when you review what's happened in your community and your world during the last 12 months.

The Record won't be the first news outlet in the area to put out a retrospective-type issue. You're sure to be swamped with the Top This And That lists of 2001 over the next few weeks. They're going to generate a lot of talk among your friends and family.

As you review other parts of where we've been as a world, a nation and a state this year, I hope you take the time to review where we've been as a community, as well. I've often said that local news may not have the pizzazz that smartbomb videos do, but I can assure you that timely trash pickup will probably have a lot more impact on your day-to-day living than would, say, a decision on campaign finance reform.

Some of what we're compiling isn't necessarily good news. Other parts of what we're compiling is good news. But goodness or badness notwithstanding, these were the

events that shaped Northville throughout the last 360-odd days.

The staff here at the Record is enjoying putting together the Year In Review edition. As for me, well...since I'm done with my work, I can kick back and review the material more closely. This is advantageous because it affords me more time to be an editor, but

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also because I'm constantly surprised by the number of times I read a passage and find myself saying. "Oh, veah!

remember that Historians

like to say that it's impossible to know where you're headed if you don't know where you've been. It's our aim to help you, the readers, figure that out. You might be surprised about some of the territory we covered this year.

task.

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Jennifer Norris (cont'd)

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While I'm not a doctor nor an expert on sleep patterns of children, I am a product of starting school at 7:25 a.m. and leaving school at 2:10 p.m. I don't feel like I'm in a minority when I say that this current structurewhich has been in place for quite some time-seems to be working just

Besides, if students are allowed one extra hour of sleep, I think more than a few students will just postpone their bedtime by an hour or so. The sleep problem just wouldn't be

I do understand that sometimes a better idea comes along and its wiser to follow through with that new proposal. That's the whole idea of progress. And if it weren't for someone thinking that there was a better transportation method out there, we'd still be hitching up our horses to our wooden wagons.

But whether the idea to postpone the start time of high school is a wise idea is vet to be seen.

I say leave the alarm clocks set at their current time. The system in place isn't broke. Don't fix it.



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News Briefs

Northville City News

GIVE ME A SIGN: The Northville city council approved contracts with Callender and Dombos, Inc. of Charlotte as well as with Unistrut Detroit Services for the replacement of all city street signs, except for those found in Northville Estates, Pheasant Hills and Abbey Knoll subdivisions. The signs and posts will be green with white capitalized lettering. In addition, they will have the city's logo on the top

and bottom signs.
Funding of the signs will be aided by the Leo E. and Ann June Manville Fund, which was distributed to the city by the Community Foundation for Southeastern Michigan in the amount of \$17,000. \$5,000 of the fund was for Allen Terrace and the rest for city improvement, which includes new street signs.

GIVE ME A LIFT: The city council approved \$10.800 for the purchase and installation of a handicap lift for Mill Race Village and with the approval the New School Church at Mill Race will be barrier free and handicap accessible. The bid approval was granted to Accessibility Lifts. Inc. of Canton. Other barrier-free work completed at the New School Church includes construction of an accessible brick pathway to the rear of the building and the framing that houses the wheelchair lift.

EASE-Y DOES IT: A parking easement was approved by the city for the use of the on-street parking spaces along Church Street as public parking. The easement agreement is between the city and the Cady Church Development team, which is currently working on its project the New Victorian. The easement was needed because half of the spaces were located on private property. The development team agreed to build 17 on-street parking spaces at its own expense. The city has agreed to properly maintain the spaces.

Township, county differ on **Beck fate**

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possibly constructing the boulevard, such as the placement of utility lines. Weaver said initially the boulevard design would have a 20 foot wide grass median with two lanes in each direction. He said the plan had been pushed aside in the past because the earlier boulevard plan would have the eastern curb extending over a water main and relocation of the water main would cost at least \$550,000.

Weaver said the county's boulevard plan had the median being 39 feet wide while the township proposed a 20-foot wide median. However, Weaver said the boulevard plan is back on the table.

"We don't want to see Beck Road turned into another Haggerty, Weaver said in regard to Beck being another of the township's main entry ways. *Beck primarily serves residential, not business [interests], and we would like to have a softer approach with a nicer appearance into the township."

Roach said the county plans on bidding the widening project this spring and begin work in the sum-nier of 2002.

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Folino drops out of 20th State House race

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support behind Jonathan Grant of Plymouth for state House Representative. She said she believed in Grant and that his views mirrored her own.

"Jonathan Grant is a viable and credible candidate to represent the 20th District.* Folmo said. "He is an excellent contrast to our current house representa-

John Stewart. R-Plymouth. currently serves as state House Representative for the 20th District. The district includes the communities of the Wayne

County portion of the city of Northville, Northville Township, Plymouth. Plymouth Township. Canton and Wayne.

Stewart beat out Folino for the Republican nomination a year ago. In a precursor to the presidential soap opera, the Folino-Stewart voting tallies needed extra verification by the board of canvassers before Stewart got the go-ahead to run in the November general election. A mere 77 votes separated Folino and Stewart.

Folmo said the "basic issues" are relevant today and would be relevant by the 2003 November election. The issue stances she

"I truly want to serve as a public servant...now is just not the time."

Teresa Folino

believed were important for the Republican candidate to possess included pro-life, pro-Second Amendment and pro-school reform.

Folino had announced in mid-

November that she was going to make another run for the position, but she was offered the job last week and it came time to make a tough decision.

'I truly want to serve as a public servant, but with this opportunity now is just not the time. Folino said. By taking this job offer I would not have the time to dedicate myself fully and truly."

Folino sald she was looking forward to starting her job. which entails reviewing and assessing ongoing training needs of auto claims employees as well as training new, incoming claims employees. She will be traveling extensively through Michigan and to Chicago and Milwaukee.

A lifetime resident of Northville. Folino is involved in the community in such groups as the historical society. Northyille Republicans, the Northyille Chamber of Commerce and the Jaycees. She is currently the vice-chairperson for the 13th District's Congressional Republican Committee.

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New ideas are strength of Jasmine's Is your business a survivor?

By Annette Jaworski SPECIAL WRITER

You might say it's fine Chinese with a new twist. Jasmine's of Northville serves up traditional cuisine along with tasty new dishes in an upscale atmosphere.

With these types of dishes and atmosphere we want something that's unique," said Fang Tan. coowner of Jasmine's along with husband Dave Chou. We're open to try new ideas, she adds.

Like the General's chicken, a typical Chinese dish, (quick fried chicken with chili peppers) is different than anyone else's. You'll find non-traditional dishes like honey walnut chicken and fish with black bean sauce. This presentation of red snapper is especially attractive, she notes. The sauce is served in a hollowed out

JASMINE'S OF NORTHVILLE

Carry out and catering is available here, too. Jasmine's is located at 146 Mary Alexander Court in Northville. Call (248) 465-9393 or 9394.

Hours are Monday through Thursday 11 a.m. to 9:30 p.m., Friday and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. and Sunday noon until 8 p.m.

green pepper for dipping.

A favorite of Tan's is the House
Special Basil Chicken. She says the double sizzling delight, a combination of shrimp and scallops, is also popular.

When you serve it, it sizzles on the platter," she said.

There's also a variety of vegetar-



Alexander Court in Northville.

ian offerings on the menu from Szechuan style long green beans. eggplant with spicy ginger and

garlic sauce to soy bean curd with spicy ginger and garlic sauce. And you'll even find a fresh raw juice bar serving carrot, strawberry and honey, and banana and milk to name a few.

The appetizers are just as unique. For example, the seafood spring roll sticks are filled with shrimp, red snapper, bay scallops and scallions served with a citrus dipping sauce for a unique flavor. The Dan Dan Noodles are a traditional Chinese dish using spaghetti noodles served with spicy soy sauce and garnished with bean sprouts and scallions.

To discover this tasty spot, take a stroll down the quiet street of Mary Alexander Court. Tan admits it's kind of hidden, but that's also part of the charm. That includes the tastefully decorated interior and the beautiful view overlooking Northville. She calls it contemporary with oriental motif.

Their specialty is Sze-chuan cuisine, which is very spicy. It comes from the Southwestern part of China.

However, they're happy to tone down the spices on any of their dishes per their customer's

In addition to the house specialties and dinner menu, a sampling of many of these dishes are available as lunch specials from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Monday through Saturday. A wine list is

available here as well as cocktails. lt's been only four months since the teacher turned restaurateur opened in downtown Northville. In that short time it's become a favorite with many area residents.

"A lot of our customers love Asian food and this is their favorite. Some come back twice a week," she said.

Tan's credits her husband for the great cuisine. He worked as a chef in his parent's restaurant for retired, the couple looked to open their own place when the opportunity arose in Northville.

Jasmine's is currently taking reservations for New Year's Eve. There's limited space, so call soon, she reminds. Guests can select from the menu and champagne and fine wine will be served.

NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY

By Tim Kissman

SBAM DIRECTOR OF PUBLICATIONS

In a deserted boardroom, surrounded by neon Post-It notes, glowing power buttons on PC's deep in sleep mode and a dim fluorescent light bulb that flickered to the beat of the office loudspeaker's crackled rendition of Captain and Tennille's Love Will Keep Us Together, a small business office tribe gathered to determine the fate of its employees.

Readers beware: This is no ordinary office, nor are these ordinary times. Experts declared a

recession recently, forcing these small business owners. wearing expensive silk ties as headbands and shoe polish as war paint, to vote someone out of the office. Otherwise, the business may not survive. The business gods cringe as the final name is tossed into

the OUT basket on the table. As the boss of the small business gets ready to count the votes an employee bursts through the door. She flicks on the lights, causing the executives to hiss and scurry to the shadows, like vampires on a sunny morning.

"I have the answer," she exclaims, holding her laptop high above her head. She sees the boss in the corner and whispers the last part of her sentence, remembering her place on the corporate ladder, "uh, sir."

The small business executives emerge from the walls, haggard and jittery, but willing to listen. For their breed is strong, survival instincts run deep. Any chance to avoid a layoff is vital. No one likes to fire an employee.

What it is?" the boss barks.

"It's Tim Kissman's 'No Experience Necessary'," she says, putting her new iBook on the table. If having the Mac in a PC office wasn't enough of a shock, the next words sent, waves of hope through the office. "His tips can save us!"

Yes, they can

The executives crowd the tiny laptop and read the words that would change their small business lives:

 Cut-back. Cut back on everything. Don't buy as many supplies, turn off the lights sooner than normal, cut back on hours and if you have to, cut back on pay. Start with yourself and the managers, then cut the employees' checks. If employees see that management is taking a cut, they'remore apt to do it, too. Let them know it isn't permanent, too. When the good times roll again, so will the checks.

• Dial up. Use the Internet to help stem some of the costs. If you're a business that depends on training, use Internet. courses. They re cheaper and you won't have to pay mileage. air fare or for hotel rooms. If you like to surf the Web, you can also find other deals for office equipment, staffing solutions and even conduct business via the Internet, saving; postage costs.

• Join up. If you really want to stretch your budget, join. business buying groups. There are associations, like the Small Business Association of Michigan, and chambers across the state that exist to help small businesses save money. Join one and find out how to stretch your dollar on . everything from health insurance to office products.

"He's right!" the boss said. Standing up, no one has the seven years. After his parent's heart to tell him he is wearing a brown belt with black shoes. This is no time for fashion faux pas, and he quickly unravels his expensive tie from his forehead. "Print this out., And guess what else, Marge."

"What's that sir?" Marge asks, picking up her laptop. "You're not fired." The boss holds up her name from the

Everyone laughs.

Everyone, that is, except Marge.

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Business in Brief Waltonwood celebrates two years Get caught in the web and families, participants in community outreach at local health fairs and serves as a library liaison. · Waltonwood at Twelve Oaks is celebrating its . The play "Charlotte's Web" will be on stage at "I became a hospice volunteer because I have second anniversary on Dec. 20. Waltonwood is an the Marquis Theatre on various dates between lost several family members to cancer over the independent and assisted living retirement comnow and Jan. 20. Tickets to the performances are years. I know HOM would have made a difference munity for active adults age 55 and over. Free \$7.50, and special group rates and school reserin their lives," JoAnn Says. "I find hospice voluncarriage will be offered beginning at 3 p.m. Coffee vations can be made. Shows are not open to chil-

Stambersky Hospice volunteer of year

and dessert will be available for Waltonwood resi-

For more information and to RSVP, call (248)

Alterra Wynwood of Northville will be operat-

ing as a drop-off site for the U.S. Marine Corps'

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all ages are welcome, but guns, knives or toys

ty is located at 40405 Six Mile Road. For more

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dents, friends and families.

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735-1000.

Fang Tan, of Northville's Jasmine's restaurant, displays two of their specialty dishes, basil chick-

en, left, and honey-walnut chicken. The restaurant is located at 146 Mary Alexander Court.

Highland resident JoAnn Stambersky was recently named Volunteer of the Year by Hospice of Michigan's Milford Team. The award was presented at the Michigan Hospice and Palliative Care Organization's 2001 Volunteer Symposium held at Boyne Highlands.

dren under age three. Most showtimes are at 2:30

p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. For more infor-

mation, call (248) 349-8110.

A Hospice of Michigan Volunteer since Nov. 2000, JoAnn assists with clerical work, provides companionship and caregiver relief to patients

teering to be very rewarding. I feel I'm very lucky and have a good life. It's time to give back."

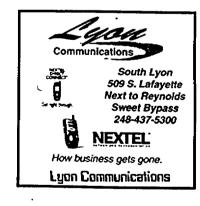
Legion collecting winter goods

The American Legion Post 216 is collecting winter goods for the Veterans Administration Hospital in Ann Arbor.

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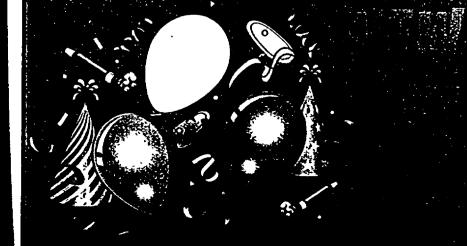


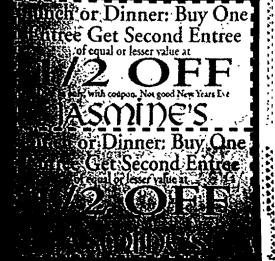
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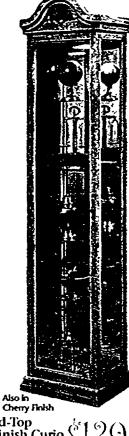








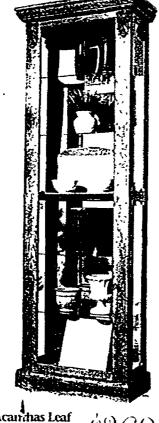
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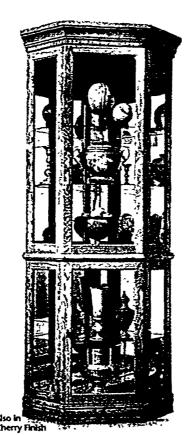
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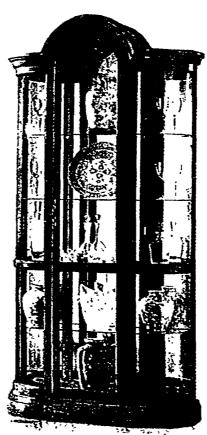
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Northville Mustang cager Drew Herpich, right, finds his shot blocked by Franklin's Tyrone Matthews while on the way to the hoop during last Friday's home game. The Mustangs went on to win the game 74-38. The contest marked Herpich's return to the hardwood after a brief time away.

'Stangs are going wild

Adam Konst leads Northville to pair of victories in basketball

By Sam Eggleston SPORTS WRITER

Thank you, Adam Konst.

The Northville Mustangs boys' basketball team notched a winover the South Lyon Lions 81-63 Dec. 4 on the sure shot of Konst before pummeling Livonia Franklin 74-38 just two days

"It took us a while to get rolling," first-year head coach Darrel Schumacher said of the Mustangs. "We need to come out of the shoot a little harder. We have some guys that are shooting well, like Adam, and are getting some nice sparks off the bench with Roger Garfield and Dave Oljace."

I thought our defense was much improved [from Tuesday]," Schumacher said. We had much better weak-side help and forced a lot of turnovers. Not as many as we would have liked to have. Thomas Knapp changed the game inside and [Robbie] Harmer did a nice job outside. Tim Ferng always plays nice defense."

Going into the contest, the Mustangs and their coaching staff were expecting nothing less than a very tough game against

of hard-core, hard-working kids.

Franklin. *We were expecting a knockdrag-out down. fight," Schumacher said. They are full

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Schumacher noted there was still a lot of competition on the team with different players vying for a starting job on the Mustang

"We still have a lot of competi-tion," he said. "I think that is the best thing we could have. I don't think there is any spot that is totally secure. Competition makes a team better. We get to see what we have and put things together

to see what happens. The Mustangs were led in scoring by Konst with 21 points while Knapp added 15 and Drew Herpich's return to the hardwood found him collecting 12 points on

The Mustangs will have returned to action against crosstown rival Novi Tuesday (after the Northville Record went to print) before taking a week to practice and visiting Hartland Dec. 18.

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The Mustangs knew going into their contest against the Lions of South Lyon that there was going to be no easy win.

With the help of Konst, who scored 35 points on the night, and the ability to create offense off of the Lions pressure defense, the Mustangs collected a victory in

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Tankers get ready to roll

By Sam Eggleston

The Northville Mustangs boys' swim team will be looking to contend in the Western Lakes Activities Association this season. but it isn't going to be easy, especially with the likes

Preview

Plymouth and Salem

Plymouth

Canton lurking in the waters. "It is always tough to say (who is going to be among the top teams]." third-year Northville swim coach Rich Bennetts said. "This year is a lot different than most years, with the exception of Salem. Salem is the class-act of the Western Lakes. They have eight championships in a row and there is no reason to believe they won't win their ninth." Bennetts also noted the competi-

tion Canton will bring to the pool. Canton is going to be a tough team this season." he said. "I imagine the league is going to be Salem

and Canton at one and two." But after that, Bennetts said not to count Northville out.

"It is going to be a dog-fight for third," he said. "North Farmington. Stevenson, Churchill and us are probably the four teams that are going to be really competing for

third place at the end of the year." The Mustangs will be looking for depth from their roster to help

them repeat in the third-place position in the WLAA. Bennetts estimated that nearly 70 percent of the league points the Mustangs scored last season left

with the graduation of 2000-2001 senior class, but the four seniors stepping up to take their places are quality for sure. Captains John Moors and Ben Maxim will be joined by fellow sen-

iors Derrick Malizia and Justin Wright as the leaders by example in and out of the pool this season while junior captain Joe Lunn will look to lead the rest of the juniors. Joining Lunn is Tyler Carter. Mike Handley, twins Billy and Brad

McIntosh, Mike Yutzy and divers Jason Albosta and John Campbell. Sophomores on the Mustang swim squad include Aaron Flohr. Harry Moroz and Rob Steiner while the freshman portion of the team is

comprised of Jake Clements, Joe Hogan and diver Dan Talke. My top guns are obviously going to be my captains," Bennetts said. Jason Albosta is one of the best divers in the state. He was second in the league last year and just

missed qualifying for the top-12

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Hockey falls to ranked Spartans

B Sam Eggleston SPORTS WRITER

Winning is never a sure thing especially when you play one of the

The Northvillé Mustangs-hockey team were reminded of that when they took on top-rated Livonia Stevenson in a Western Lakes Activities Association contest Dec. 5. The Stangs fell to the Spartans 5-1.

The Mustangs, who collected their only goal in the second period. seemed to take an early lead in the match up late in the first period with a slap shot over the Spartan goalies' right shoulder, but the goal was nullified with a call from the referees stating the puck had been advanced with a high stick. The call was enough to put the Mustangs on ice. Stevenson put the first point on the against Farmington Dec. 15 at 6:30 board shortly after and never looked

back. The second period found the Spartans carving out three goals including a short-handed goal - as well as another score in the third period to seal the win.

Ryan Hohl, who has been a valuable asset for the Mustangs this season, notched Northville's only score of the game mid-way through the second period. The Mustangs, who had the advantage of a 5-on-3 powerplay, circled the puck around the Livonia defenders with patience and determination. Adam Zoble and Adam Dilley combined on a passing play to open up some space and get the puck to Hohl at the blue line. Hohl's shot from the right point found its way through traffic and into the net - capping the scoring for the Northville icers.

The Mustangs will hit the ice p.m. at the Novi Ice Arena.

Area girls' cross country selected

Heather Moehle Northville Junior

Moehle was definitely one of the best runners in the Western Lakes Activities Association and it showed from the start. Running a 19:23 at her home course of Cass Benton, Moehle captured the Mustang record time there - a record that was in place since

Strutting her abilities was no problem for the talented harrier, she medaled at every invitational this season and was the Champion at both the Corunna Invite and the South Lyon Invite. Take that and combine it with a second-place fin-

ish in the WLAA Conference meet and sixth at the Holly regional and you have a dangerous mixture of talent and determination. Moehle finished 36th at the state finals meet with 19:36.

Devon Rupley Northville sophomore

Rupley was a surprise this season. A good 400-meter runner in track as a freshman, Rupley had never taken to the task of running cross country before this season the Mustangs are sure glad she did. Showing her pure talent at the

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Small team can beat Farmington

By Sam Eggleston

I am calling a Northville victory for this one.

The Northville Mustangs boys swim team may not boast large numbers, but what they lack in size, they make up for in muster.

The Stangs, who are led by helmsman Rich Bennetts. will have the chore of hosting Western Lakes Activities Association Farmington today at 7 p.m. at

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Pom pon happy to perform for Northville

By Sam Eggleston SPORTS WRITER

Not bad...not bad at all.

The Northville High School pom pon squad notched a fourth-place finish in the Mid-American Kick Competition in November and are looking forward to showing their stuff in the regional competition come February — not to mention showcasing their skills at the home games of the varsity basketball team at half-

The main point to our season, first and foremost, is to support our school," Northville pom pon coach Melissa Millgard said. 'Our competitions are just an addition.

(Performing at school events) is the girls' favorite part of the season."

And what a season it is. The squad, which starts practicing in May, will only have a short break after the basketball season to catch their breath before diving into it all over again.

"We start practicing in May,"
Millgard said. Then we go to camp in
the summer, that is kind of a competition in itself, before the fall season

And during the 10 or so years Millgard has been involved with the Mustangs pom team, she thinks this might be one of the best teams she has been around.

This is probably the best that

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The Northville High School Mustangs varsity pom pon squad smiles for the camera in the halls of their school. These girls are happy to be of service to Northville and all of its fans.

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Northville has done, she said. Probably the best season they have

had in a long time. When asked which members of the team showcased the most talent, Millgard said that no one stood out above the rest.

There are 27 members of this team," she said. "Each member of the team has their own contributions to the season and each one is the rea-,son we are successful."

Last year's team placed eighth in the Kick Competition before this season went and took fourth out of some of the best Class A teams in the state.

"It pretty much means we are fourth in the state," Millgard said. Competition at this level is very tough. These are some of the best teams in the state of Michigan."

As of now, the squad's goals are to qualify for the Division I state competition - until then, they will be more than happy to keep the crowds entertained at halftime of the basketball

The girls enjoy it," Millgard said. "It gives them a chance to perform in front of an audience as well as support their school."

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"Up front we are pretty strong." Bennetts said. "We do not have a

fill in the holes."

The Mustangs will have hit the water for their first dual meet of the season Tuesday when they faced off against South Lyon (after the Northville Record went to print) and will host Farmington today at 7 p.m. in their first WLAA match up. The Northville tankers will compete in the Western Lakes Relays Saturday at Plymouth

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Soccer team has plenty of stars

The U10 Boys Novi Jaguars Green team came in first place to win the regional championship in the Total Soccer National Indoor Soccer Tournament on Dec. 1 and 2. They were undefeated in all four games of the tournament as Paul Tinnion, head coach and Dave York, assistant coach led the boys to victory. They will go on to compete in February in the national championship tournament in Columbus, Ohio. Back Row: Dave York, assistant coach and Paul Tinnion, head coach. Middle Row: Cole Borland, Alex Bernstein, Anthony Capatina, Ricky Enright, Nick Bowser, Jordan Jabbori, Brandon Cameron, Kevin Zak, and Andrew Lumley. Front Row: Ricky McCarthy, Doug McGinn, Jimmy Pitcher, Chris Slack, and Anui Rama.

Next Level Athletes

Next Level Athletes is a section dedicated to the athletes of our local high schools and from our area that have taken the next step in the sports they dedicate their time and their hearts to - we applaud their abilities and their dedication:

Joshua Ott, senior, Louisiana State University — Joshua Ott, a 1998 graduate of Northville High School, will compete in January in Orlando at the UCA National Cheerleading Competition. Ott was a member of the 1998 NHS cheer team that competed at the high school level, which took ninth in the nation with Ott only cheering for three months before the first win. This inspired Ott to tryout at the college level, and made the Western Michigan University team. After two years at WMU, Ott decided to try out for the competitive LSU team and made it before transferring there in 2000. Last year LSU placed seventh in the nation and hopes are high with the LSU squad that they will defeat the current champions at the University of Kentucky - who have been the National Champions for the last eight years.

Emily Carbott, Freshman, Michigan State University -Emily Carbott, a 2001 graduate of Northville High School, is a member of the Spartans women's soccer program. Carbott started in all of MSU's 20 contests this season. She plays defense for the Spartans.

Colleen Lewis, Sophomore, Siena Heights University — Colleen Lewis, a 2000 graduate of Novi High School, is a 5-foot-10 small forward and guard for the Lady Saints basketball team at Siena Heights University in Adrian, Mich. Not only does Lewis excel on the hardwood, she is also a Presidential Scholar and a National Academic Scholar.

Next Level Athletes includes former athletes from the readership area of the Northville Record, Novi News and the Lake Area Times. The Next Level Athletes are individuals who have taken the next step beyond high school athletics to the next level — including college, semi-professional, minor league and professional athletics. Anyone who would like to submit information about an athlete can do so via email at seggleston@ht.homecomm.net.

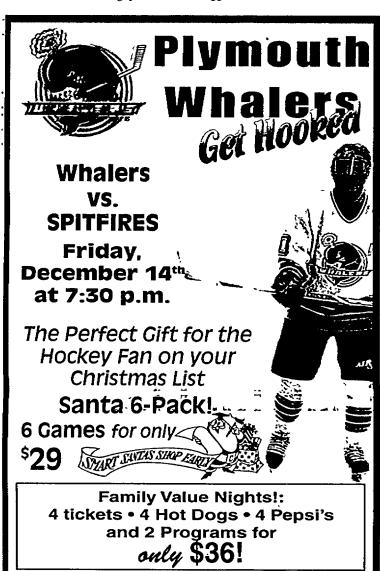
Swim season starts

that go to the state meet. He has added some new dives and will be right up there for states this year. I think Jason is going to be a contender for states with John.

Ben and Joe too." The Mustangs look to be strong in the top of their lineup.

lot of numbers so we are searching for depth. We are depending on a lot of our juniors to step up. We only have three sophomores and they are going to have to step up, too. The second tier guys need to

Salem at noon. Sam Eggleston is the sports writer for the Northville Record. He can be reached at (248) 349-1700.



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Gymnastics falls in season opener

Defending champs look to rebound

By Sam Eggleston SPORTS WRITER

This wasn't the way they wanted to start the season.

The Novi/Northville Wild'Stangs gymnastics team fell to the Hartland co-op team —comprised of members from Hartland, Milford and Lakeland - 134.45-133.25 Dec. 6.

"It was the first meet," coach Lindsay Schultz said of the loss. "A lot of things always go wrong in the first meet.

graduation of much of their team from last season — a team which captured the state title - there is a lot of work to be done throughout the remainder of the rest of the season.

"We lost a lot of girls from last year." Schultz said. "We didn't come out with a great start, but our season isn't over. We are not going to just call it quits. There is a lot of season left and a lot of things to work on before region-

And from what Schultz has heard, there is going to be plenty of competition along the way.

*Farmington is going to have a great team this year," she said. "I am not sure about Brighton, but they always come out strong. I have heard that Salem has a great team this year too, but that is just what I heard."

The Wild Stangs will follow the lead of the squad's best performSeniors Lindsey Carlson and Andrea Ledbetter will lead the way as captains and the only two seniors on the team while juniors Jennifer Sturgis — who won't be able to compete until January and Sara Wilchowski are looking to lead their fellow classmates with great seasons.

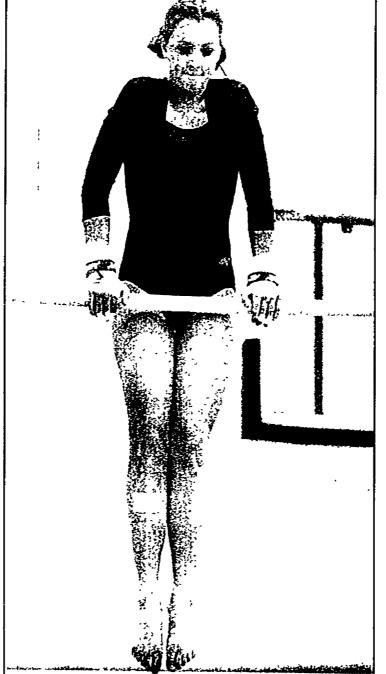
They are all coming back from last year," Schultz said. They remember how we were last season and they are ready to work at getting us ready this season.

As of right now, the Wild Stangs Schultz noted that with the are - according to Schultz going to "try to survive the December meets." But there are plenty of goals for the team to strive for as well. As a team they hope to do well at the regional meet and to qualify for the state meet - and, of course, to win as many meets during the regular season as they can.

"It's okay if we don't win everything," Schultz said. "Our goal is to do the best we can and to have a lot of fun doing it this year."

The Wild 'Stangs will have their hands full in the beginning of the season. After losing to Hartland. the squad gets to look forward to taking on Farmington and Brighton in their next two meets.

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Wild Stang gymnast Amanda Crawford competes on the bars.

Swim team looking strong for Falcons

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Northville High School.

I am figuring that the combined experience of Ben Maxim. Joe Lunn and John Moors along with top-notch diver Jason Albosta is going to be enough to rile their teammates into a frenzy when they take on the Falcons today.

The Mustangs will rely heavily on their upper classmen to lead the way, but will need the younger members of the squad to step up and fill some gaps if they are hoping to swim away with this win. I am going to go out on a limb and say - I am not going to even finch when I say it though - Northville is going to take this one, hands

I am figuring with the excitement of the beginning of the season, the experience of the team captains and the advantage of being in their home pool will be enough to overcome any inexperience the Mustangs will have to struggle with.

I am looking for seniors Derrick Malizia and Justin Wright to lead by example with the captains as well as Tyler Carter, Mike Handley. twins Billy and Brad McIntosh, Mike Yutzy and diver John Campbell to step up for the juniors. It will be a little tougher, but l also expect someone from the sophomores on the Mustang swim squad - which include Aaron Fiohr, Harry Moroz and Rob Steiner - as well as from the freshman portion of the team - comprised of Jake Clements, Joe Hogan and diver Dan Talke - to step up and do something good for

the 'Stangs. Remember, Mustangs to win this one - check it out at the Northville pool today at 7 p.m.

Club News

The Northville High School Club Hockey team played the Milford Redskins Dec. 8 at Lakeland Arena in Waterford and came up on the losing end for the second straight

The contest was filled with penalties and Northville found themselves playing short throughout much of the game.

The Milford team jumped out to a quick two goal lead in the first

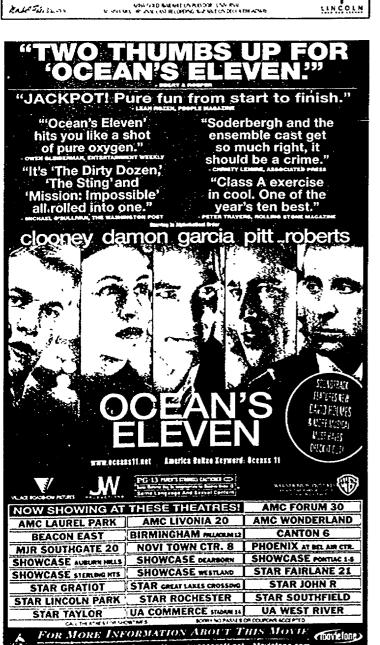
minute of play. Later, Don McKinnan got Northville on the board by stuffing in a rebound after some very nice passing by Andy Minielly and Graham Appleford. However. Milford responded with the next

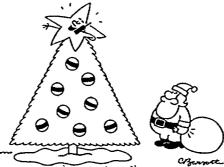
two goals to make it 4-1.

Northville closed the score to 4-2 with seven seconds left in the first period when Kris Kojian broke in on goal and slipped a shot through the 5-hole of the Milford goaltender. Milford came back with three unanswered goals in the second period to extend their lead to 7-2. With 6:08 left in the final period. Northville pulled their goalie and scored on a 6 on 4 situation with Milford a man short. Don McKinnan scored his second goal of the game on a backhander from the left slot to make it 7-3. Milford responded with two more goals to ice the game at 9-3.

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Cagers get pair of victories

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their season opener.

They can shoot. Schumacher said. "We were concerned about their ability to shoot.

The Lions should have probably been more worried about Konst's ability to shoot instead.

Konst, who hit 7-of-15 from beyond the three-point arch and 1of-3 from the floor, was the secret weapon the Mustangs were building in the pre-season.

It was like he hardly missed any threes," Schumacher said of Konst. He has been shooting very well and surprised South Lyon. That could change real quick as people get to know he is around."

The Mustangs have plenty of other weapons to turn to if and when Konst becomes the shooter every team keys on this season.

"Garfield came off the bench and gave us a definite lift in the South Lyon game,* Schumacher said. He did some real nice things. Garsield is the prototype sixthman. You can insert him into the lineup at any given time and he will improve the play of everybody

on the court." On the defensive end of the court, the Mustangs were glad to have Ferng and Harmer on their side. Harmer, who was assigned to slow down stellar shooter Jamie Gasperella, did exactly what was

asked of him. *Harmer came in and did some nice things in the first half." Schumacher said. "In the second half he did some outstanding things on defense.

"Gasperella has a lot of quickness and speed. He led South Lyon. I think last year, in scoring. We were concerned about him having a good night and we put Harmer on him. It worked really

The Mustangs were led in scoring by Konst with 35 points while Knapp added 11 and Harmer collected 10 points on the night.

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Moehle, Rupley named to All-Area team Northville runners notch place with area's finest harriers

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beginning of the season when she collected the 11th-place of the South Lyon Invitational - the team's first run of the season. Rupley went on to medal at every invitational in which she ran, including a first-place in the John Glenn Invite with a time of 19.32

Rupley was the Wayne County runner-up as well as the regional champ with a time of 19.13. Her season came to an impressive firstyear end with a 13th-place in the state finals with 19.02.

Nina Schmitt^{*} Novi junior

Schmitt was a consistent and steady bright spot for the Wildcats this season. On a team that had to challenge themselves in order to be competitive. Schmitt was the model that all Wildcats looked to set themselves by. Her running captured her first-place title on more than one occasion, including impressive running at the Holly Regional and the MHSAA state finals meet.

Schmitt was looked to by much of her team as the shining example of how a cross country runner should be. Her steady pace and her determination, dedication and competitive nature made her a tough foe to run against in the Kensington Valley Conference. Schmitt's running ability and her dedication makes HomeTown East

the Year.

Bethany Kittle Novi Senior

Kittle may have been the number two runner on the Novi Wildcats squad, but her abilities and her dedication made her a top-notch harner in the KVC. Kittle showed through consistent running and usual strong performances that she was a runner to contend with.

A major factor in the Wildcats' ability to collect wins this season. Kittle showed her teammates the dedication and concentration it took to be successful. An everimproving runner, Kittle battled in each and every run she participated in with hopes of placing high for herself and, more importantly, for

Lisa Canty Milford sophomore

This year she didn't take anyone by surprise, but Canty still wouldn't be denied. She made all-state for the second time in as many tries, finishing eighth in Division 1 (18:56). Canty was second at both the regional (19:28) and KVC (20.01) meets. She was sixth in Oakland County (20.06).

Colleen Johnson Milford senior

The lone senior among the Redskins' top seven. Johnson set the tone for a squad which couldn't

proud to present her as Runner of do it with numbers so won on guts. She placed third at the regional (19:39) to help Milford defend its title. Johnson was fourth at the KVC meet (20:29) - one of three Redskins to make first-team allconference - 13th at Oakland County (20:36) and 33rd at the state final (19:34).

Kristin Granroth

Milford sophomore responsibilities Granroth's increased considerably from her freshman season, when her remarkable improvement in the post-season simply made a strong team stronger. This time around the Redskins couldn't win without her, Johnson and Canty bringing it every time out. So she did. Granroth finished 10th at the state meet (18:58), fifth at the regional (19:47), fifth at the KVC (20 33) and 16th at Oakland County

Katie Kelel Lakeland senior

Kelel's return to the sport was a fortuitous one for the Eagles as she was Lakeland's number one all season. She was 17th at the KVC meet (21:27), 27th at Oakland County (21:11) and 21st at the Jackson Invitational (20:44). Kelel rose to the competition as evidenced by her time of 20:24 in the Brighton dual meet.

Alysia Mauney

South Lyon sophomore

A first-year runner who was a major reason behind South Lyon's improvement, helping the Lions to a fourth-place standing at the conclusion of the KVC dual meet season. She was 25th at the league meet (22:09), 35th at Oakland County (21.28) and third at the Gladwin Invitational (20 36)

Shannon DeRusha Milford freshman

In August she was an unproven ninth-grader, by the end of October she was helping the Redskins to another regional championship and top 10 state finish, where she was 131st with a time of 2045. She was 28th at the regional and 19th at the KVC (21:31).

Elizabeth Darga Milford sophomore

As with DeRusha, Darga stepped into the void to make Milford a particularly dangerous team late m the season. She set a PR - 20.36 - in the South Lyon dual meet and that was the turning point Darga placed 131st at the state meet (20.44). 24th at the regional (20:52) and 20th at the KVC (21:41).

Tiffany Kaid/Katie Kramer Milford sophomore/junior

They were both all-state in 2000 but hardly ran this season because of injuries. But when they did run it was in vital meets - the KVC

regional and state. The league meet was their first race of the year and Kind placed 23rd Kramer 31st. Kran cr hinshed 18th (20-47) at the regional to help the Redskins defend their tile

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Judy Dietrich makes a wreath at Beaty's Florist and Greenhouse in Hartland. The store carries a range of evergreen wreaths, roping and other holiday treatments.

Evergreens

Beaty's Florist and Greenhouse explains wreaths and roping

By Annette Jaworski SPECIAL WRITER

Nothing conjures up the memories and emotions of the holidays like the beauty and fragrance of evergreens.

From wreaths to roping, evergreen clippings are an important part of holiday decor, according to Harmon Beaty of Beaty's Florist and Greenhouse in Hartland.

Indoor vs. outdoor

If you plan to use evergreens indoors, wait until the week before Christmas to put them up so they don't get dry, Beaty said. Consider using cedar clippings, which Beaty says is best for indoor use.

"All the greens last pretty good," Beaty says, but make sure you get fresh greens.

To prolong the freshness of evergreen clippings. Beaty's recommends using Wilt-Pruf, a spray that is applied to the needles. Beaty's Florist and Greenhouse carries the spray for \$7.49.

Use common sense when placing evergreens in the home, Beaty says. For example, never use a live wreath over a fireplace if you plan to build a fire.

Also, consider the aroma when choosing evergreens for indoor use. Most smell wonderful, but certain varieties are quite pungent.

Beaty doesn't recommend using spruce indoors because of its strong smell. Blueberry juniper also has a pungent aroma.

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- Beaty's Florist and Greenhouse is located on M-59 next to Hartland Meadows, a manufactured home park, in Hartland. ■ The store is open 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday,
- 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday. ■ For more information call (248) 887-1411.

Wonderful wreaths

Wreaths are more than round nowadays. People are experimenting with new shapes, including candy canes,

trees, hearts and crosses Wreaths make dramatic statements when hung over a mantle. on a door or even on a house's exterior focal point, like an arched

roof or garage door. Wreaths are most often placed on a door or window, but they can also be used as a centerpiece for a table. Beaty likes to mix several types

of evergreens in his wreaths for texture. He uses balsam as the base and adds some variety with cedar and

white pine. All the wreaths at Beaty's Florist and Greenhouse are made on-site to ensure freshness.

The greens are clamped into place, not wrapped, to make them lush and thick, Beaty said.

He adds ribbons, pine cones and

berries for a festive look. Snow spray, which looks a bit like frosting on a cake, completes the look.

Ravishing roping

Evergreen roping can be used everywhere, from porches and pillars to light posts and picket fences. Beaty's Florist and Greenhouse even carries a mailbox hugger, which displays greens on either side of a mailbox.

According to Beaty, roping comes in several combinations. The most popular combination includes white pine, scotch and cedar or white pine, hemlock and cedar. Sometimes the hemlock roping has pine cones, he added.

Regardless of the type of roping you purchase, a range of decorating options are available.

Some people put lights in the roping." Beaty said. "With a little imagination, you can do a lot of decorating.

Festive flowers

Poinsettias are a way to add floral beauty, according to Beaty. These winter bloomers can be • small table-toppers or large plants. At Beaty's Florist and Greenhouse. a three-foot-tall poinsettia plant makes a dramatic statement.

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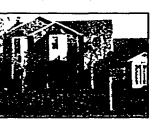


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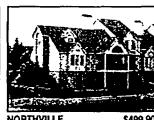
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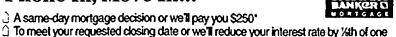


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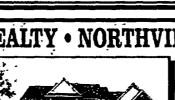
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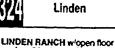
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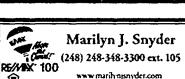
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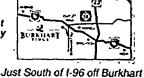
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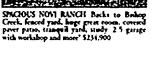
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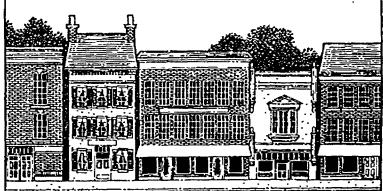
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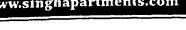
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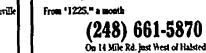
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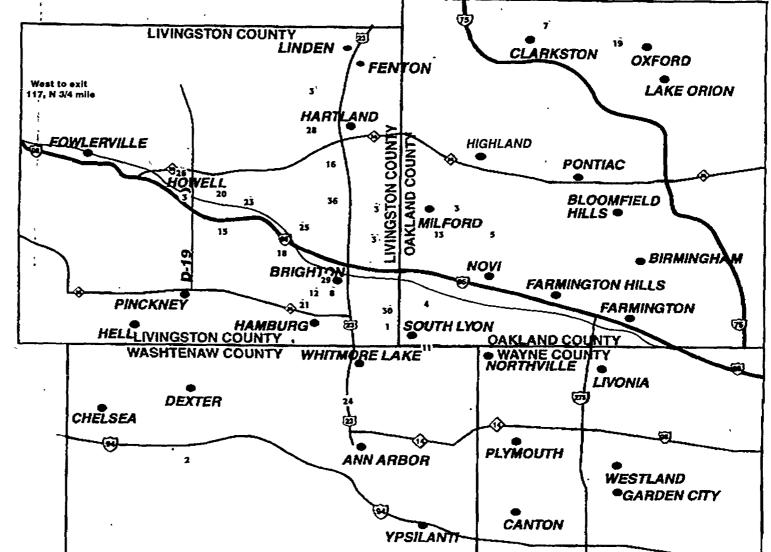
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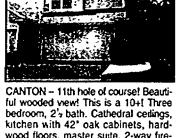
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WESTLAND - Great home & area! All SUMPTER - Country Colonial! This home sits on 2.8 wooded acres. Four brick Ranch with finished basement & 2 car garage. Kitchen with updated cerambedroom, 2 bath, spacious family room, ic floors & counters - opening to a gen-erous family room with fireplace. Two undated kitchen, newer furnace & central air Second floor laundry & 2 car additional bedrooms in finished base garage! New carpet & paint being done ment. \$168,500 (28HAM) 73-455-5600 Seller offering \$2,000 at close!



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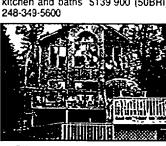


LIVONIA - Three bedroom, 2'2 bath brick ranch. Full finished basement with gas fireplace. Large kitchen with lots of storage, formal dining room, coved ceilings, hardwood under carpets. Newer hot water heater, ceramic baths & 2 car attached garage. \$189,900 (45ACA)



GARDEN CITY - Great starter home. Three bedroom, 2 bath Bungalow with awesome master with sky lights, fireplace and loads of storage. Finished lower level with separate office and full bath. Loads of updates including kitchen and baths \$139 900 (50BRI)





HARTLAND - Lakefront home, Three bedroom, 3 bath Lake Tyrone beauty with gorgeous view. Too much to list. Skylights, first floor laundry, great finished walk-out with family room, first floor laundry, 4 car garage with unfinished loft. 2x6 construction. \$349,900 (60BUL) 248-349-5600



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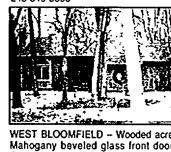
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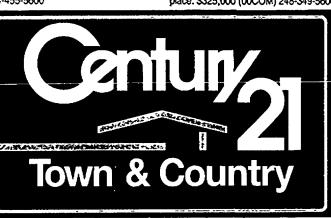


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SOUTH LYON - Large brick Colonial.

This newer 4 bedroom home is located

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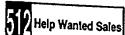
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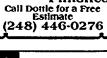
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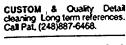
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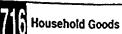
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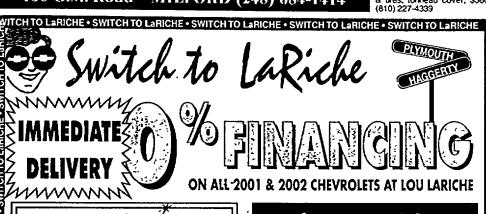
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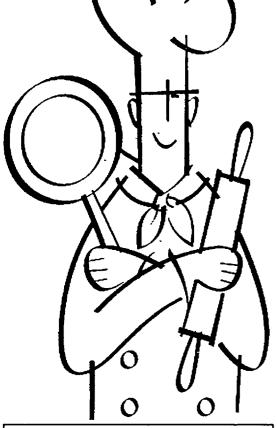
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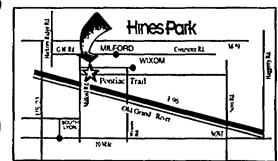
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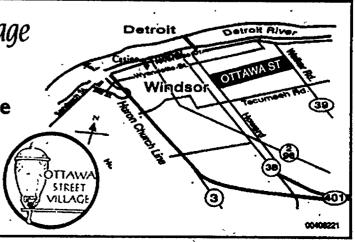
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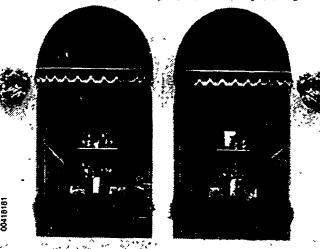
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After September 11th many things changed — but maintaining a healthy "business as usual" attitude strengthens our North American economy and sends a positive message to the world

The Windsor & District Chamber of Commerce wants U.S. visitors to know that 'Operation Back to Business' is in effect across the border.

The Chamber announced Oct. 22 it is leading a task force of stakeholders "with the sole message to our American friends that 'Windsor is open for business'.

The strategy was one of several "shortterm solutions" offered by the chamber in the wake of the economic fallout after the Sept. 11 terrorism attacks. The chamber also:

• strongly urged all levels of government in Canada to support the efforts of the Detroit Regional Chamber of Commerce in its efforts to offer short-term solutions to expedite the backlog of traffic on the U.S. side

• requested the federal Canadian government provide the City of Windsor with

emergency assistance to help with the heavy costs incurred by police and emergency services after Sept. 11

• urged both federal and provincial governments to provide immediate funding to revitalize the tourism industry in the border communities that have been hit hardest by the attacks.

Long-term solutions include:

• supporting efforts to improve communication and cooperation among federal government agencies to address border crossing issues

• increase staff at border crossings on both sides of the border, especially during peak travel hours

• supporting additional funding to continue research and development of technology to expedite the flow of goods and people across the border

• support for pro-

grams to expedite low-risk, pre-approved cross-border travelers like PORTPASS AND CANPASS, and pre-clearance for daily, routine cross-border shipments by the automotive industry

• continued funding support to maintain and improve both Canadian and U.S. international trade corridors that carry increasing volumes of trade and traffic to border crossings. The chamber also wants to make it a priority to work with provincial governments to provide necessary road and other infrastructure improvements at border crossings

• seek the advice and expertise of the business community in the larger debate on the overall Canada-U.S. relationship.

"The Windsor & District Chamber of Commerce has long recognized the importance of our shared border with the United States, and its impact on econom-

ic development, trade and tourism in Windsor/Essex County," the chamber said in a release.

"Given our proximity to the United States, Canadian border crossing issues have been a top priority for this Chamber for some time."

The Chamber said it recognizes that despite progress on these issues nationally, border crossings "have always been plagued with problems of inadequate staffing, poor border management practices, and lack of funding for research and development of technology to expedite the flow of goods and people across the border." The Sept. 11 attack on New York and Washington "further exacerbated" those problems, the Chamber said.

Detroit Chamber efforts recognized

The efforts of the Detroit Regional
Chamber of Commerce to offer short-term
solutions to help border traffic move along
was applicated by the Windsor and
District Chamber of Commerce.
The Windsor Chamber, in urging
Canadian governments to adopt its 'shortterm solution' to support the Detroit
Chamber's initiatives, asked the following:

 enlist the support and cooperation of U.S. federal agencies, the Michigan Congressional Delegation, located elected officials and key border stakeholders and service providers to help address immediate congestion problems and border delays

the operations of U.S. Customs and immigration officials. The Windsor Chamber says additional staff is needed to handle the volume of traffic

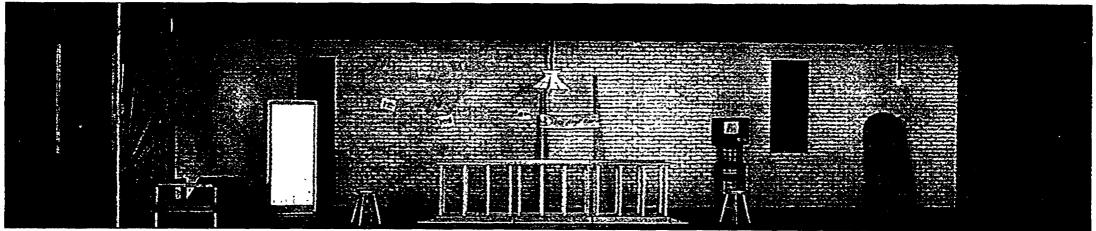
• provide priority status for certain cross-border freight such as perishable goods and 'just-in-time' freight shipments. The trucks can be tagged and escorted to dedicated truck lanes

the U.S. Congress provide appropriate and pass special emergency supplemental funding to provide necessary staffing and other resources at northern border crossings during the crisis.



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Something for everyone Art Gallery of Windsor offers mixed bag of exhibits



ly's Night, Edn's Days 1978 is a scale model of the performance space constructed by Boon Chuah, Jim Ruxton and Veronica Verkley, with videography by Peter Siroishka. It's part of the Rae Davis: Unfoldings exhibit.

Exhibits as diverse as an 'architectural 'narrative' inspired by the city of Rome and a Canadian pioneer of modern art are among the offerings at the Art Gallery of Windsor.

The gallery, which opened a new state-ofthe-art facility in downtown Windsor early this year, is showcasing more of its Permanent Collection as well as numerous other exhibits.

They include:

Karl: An architectural narrative

Toronto architect Peter Yeadon presents computer-generated tion. drawings, fictions and sketchbooks. His work

is often called visionary and his drawings for structures are often end products.

The exhibit continues through to Jan. 5.

Rae Davis: Unfoldings

A pioneer of performance and computer art, Davis's work builds on the idea that what we perceive as reality is

constantly unfolding situation based on previous experience and memories and perceptual materials available at any given moment.

The gallery's exhibition is a retrospective of the Toronto artist's work. It represents various performance pieces through animated models, slide installations, an installation of photographs with

an audio component and documentary materials.

It continues to Feb. 17.

Marian Dale Scott, 1906-1993: Pioneer of Modern Art

This Montreal-born artist explored a variety of themes in modern art. During the 1930s and 40s, her work involved geometric shapes influenced by Cubism and stylized organic forms, an interest shared by artists such as Georgia O'Keefe.

During the 50s, she adopted a more gestural approach in her non-representational paintings and in the 60s included more hard-edged, curvilinear and geometric shapes. Abstraction continued to inspire her for the rest of her life.

The AGW's Dec. 8-Feb. 3 exhibit is the first large-scale retrospective of her career. Curator Dr. Esther Trépanier, art history professor at the University of Quebec, will lead a walk-through of the exhibit Dec. 9 at 2 p.m.

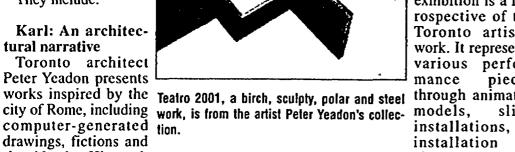
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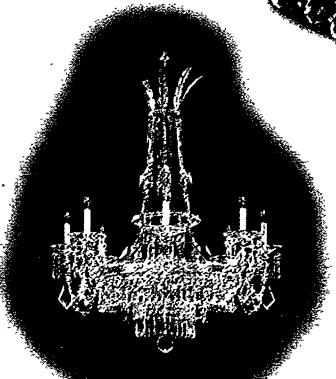
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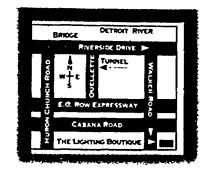
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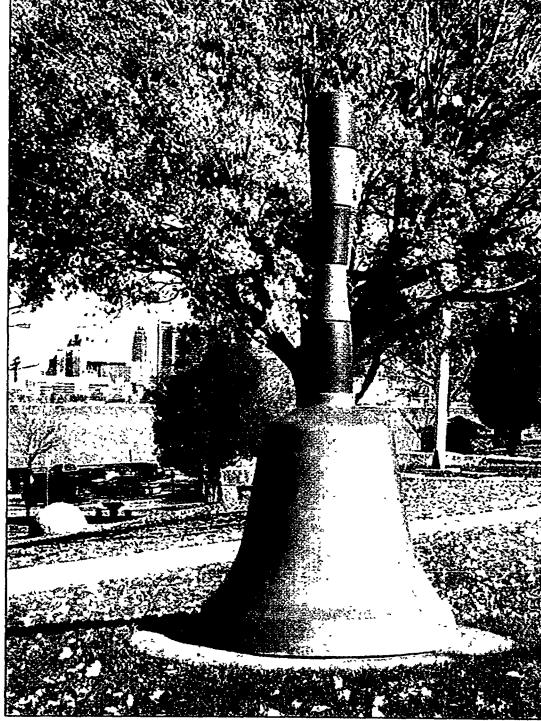
The official name of the display is the Odette Sculpture Park and it's been described as a "museum without walls." It was made possible by the generosity of local philanthropists Mr. and Mrs. Louis Odette and is maintained by the Department of Parks & Recreation.

It is located along the riverfront at Ambassador and Centennial Parks.

The park showcases large-scale, internationally recognized contemporary sculpture by world renowned artists. Windsor Parks and Rec, on its website (www.city.windsor.on.ca/parkrec/), says Odette Sculpture Park "is about convergence and divergence, differences and similarities. The garden is about connections."

The park is open year round, free of charge.

Shop Windsor & Essex County is profiling the individual works of the artists to help visitors know the story behind the sculptures:



Bell Measure — This bronze 7. 2-foot by 18-foot high sculpture by Stephen Cruise conjures memories of the ringing of bells in the community.

Natalia Woods

Bell Measure

Stephen Cruise's Bell Measure is actually two pieces combined into one.

The Bell of the title recalls the importance of many different kinds of bells that once rang out over our communities, each one with its own kind of calling.

The ringing of church bells recorded the passing of time for generations of people. The same sound also marked significant community events. Church bells rang for religious ceremonies and for important town meetings, for family gatherings, even for emergency fire alarms.

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The ringing of a dinner bell meant it was time to put down work and return home for a meal. In a very intimate way these bells "measured" out the regular span of a life and marked its major events.

Cruise's work takes the bell out of the belfry and puts it on display. It asks us to take a closer look at an art form of the everyday.

His work invites the viewer to appreciate the precision, balance and craftsmanship of these ordinary masterpieces that were never really seen by the pub-

The Measure of Cruise's title applies to the long wooden handle of the piece and references the image of a bar measure, a very tall calibrated ruler used by archaeologists to take measurements of depth and range. The bar measure is a kind of historical marker.

In an excavated site it negotiates between the present and the past; it stands between the buried culture and the researchers who attempt to unearth it. The bar measure provides archaeologists with a sense of scale.

Cruise has produced a work that balances its interest in community and archaeology. Like a time capsule his Bell Measure gives us a history of our present

As a true sign of its time, the date of the work's installation is stamped in roman numerals on the bottom rim of the bell: MCMXCIX. Cruise's massive and silent Bell Measure marks its territory on the old side of our shifting millennium, before the take over of streamlining abbreviations like "Y2K"

or the ominous sounding Roman Numeral: MM.

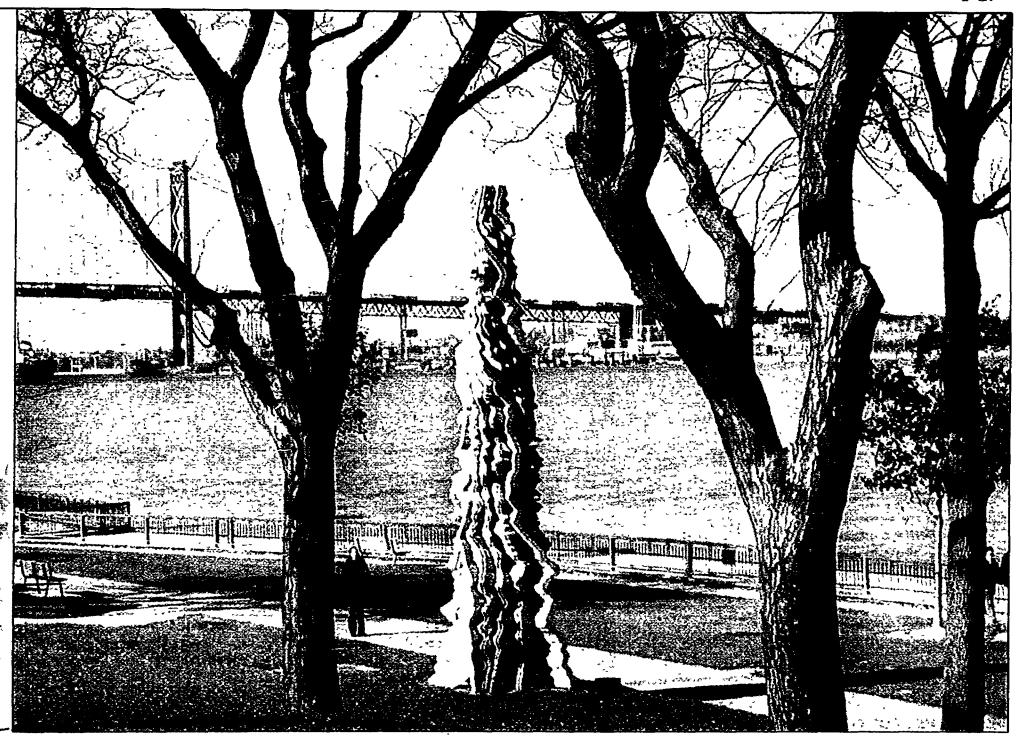
Cruise was born in Montreal in 1949. He has traveled around the world and lived for extended periods of time in Seoul, South Korea and Tokyo, Japan.

His sculpture has been exhibited across North America and featured in many international shows, including three recent appearances in the Bienal Barro de Americo in Caracas, Venezuela.

Cruise has won several important commissions for public art in the Metropolitan Toronto area. The six pieces of his Spadina Ave series Places in a Book reinforce his interest in ideas of localized history.

Ćruise's work has been recognized with grants and awards from the Canada Council and the Ontario Arts Council. His sculpture is featured in the collections of the National Gallery, The Art Gallery of Ontario and the Canada Council Art Bank.

Cruise is also an accomplished martial artist, with a 4th degree black belt in Began Kendo, (Japanese sword fencing) and a 5th degree black belt in Began Iaido (Japanese sword draw).



Ted Bieler's Tower Song is a 25-foot tall cast aluminum sculpture on Windsor's waterfront.

- Aaron Gillis

Tower Song

Shapes that embody the gesture of a line drawn freehand in space oscillate between the walls of a spiraling cruciform obelisk.

Interest in the interplay of formal and random elements in nature is reflected in this sculpture by Ted Bieler. The spiral of life, found in plant, mineral and animal life, twists its way up Tower Song, suggesting potentially infinite progressions of form ascending upward, descending into the ground below or branching out from it.

The sculptor's fascination with ancient monuments, those of the Maya and the Incas in particular, highlights the art of marking a place by delineating a point of view, a view that here embraces the free flow of a river at the crossing between two metropolises.

Bieler, sculptor and professor of fine art at York University, is the creator of many privately owned and public sculptures. They include Triad on Front Street in Toronto, Canyons at the TTC Wilson Station, Toronto, Tetra in Portsmouth Harbour, Kingston and Wave Breaking at the Canadian Embassy in Tokyo, Japan.

Born in Kingston, Ontario in 1938, he studied art at Cranbrook Academy of Art, and has been teaching, exhibiting, and making public sculpture since graduating. His interest in metal casting processes has led him to experiment with new technologies in his own sculpture and to work with Mr. L.L. Odette in establishing a foundry in the Odette Centre for Sculpture at York University.

Turkey-day turns out totally terrific

U.S. shoppers were gobbling up the deals in Windsor and Essex County during Thanksgiving weekend, according to local retailers.

According to a Nov. 26 Windsor Star report, the best indication of the numbers of U.S. customer traffic over that weekend was to count the cars returning over the border.

"If you can count that high."

A half-hour after malls closed on Sunday night, the Star reported, traffic was gridlocked for blocks around both the Ambassador Bridge and Windsor-Detroit Tunnel. It was so bad, Windsor police units were standing by to keep the traffic inching along smoothly.

"There was no emergency," Staff Sgt. Don Sampson said. "It was just when the malls got out, everyone was trying to get

back home at the same time."

Two days earlier, the Star reported thousands of Americans made a run for the border as local retailers tried to keep up with the high volume of buyers.

The major attraction, according to the report:

It's the dollar," deadpanned Steve Nolan of Rochester Hills, who was shopping with wife Stephanie at Devonshire Mall. They had just spent \$250 Cdn in two hours at Gap, Le Chateau and other clothing stores.

Ilona Schentag, director of marketing at Windsor Crossing Outlet Mall, estimated U.S. customers made up close to 40 per cent of traffic at the mall, up from about 25 to 30 per cent.

"They're here and we're happy to have them," Schentag told the Star. "This morning, it seemed like every other plate was from the U.S."

Another visitor, Wally Naoum from Long Island, New York who was in Windsor visiting family, also said the dollar was the major draw. "It is cheaper," he said. "We always go shopping here when we come. We buy clothing, shoes."

One retailer, Rachel Pate, manager of the Club Monaco store at Devonshire Mall, said her trendy clothing store was desperately trying to keep up with dozens of shoppers because of a special 50 per cent off sale which had customers lined up waiting from 20 minutes to half hour to get in.

"It's a lot better for their dollar," she said. "It's funny because they want you to figure it out right at the teller and they want you to tell them exactly the difference. It's a great deal for them."

U.S. shoppers also saw firsthand that rumours of endless border delays were just that - rumours. Kevin Herron of Huntington Woods, Mich, who was in Windsor with sister Erika and friend Si Mah from Royal Oak, spent \$400 during their trip.

Mah said the group was initially concerned about rumours of delays at the border "but last week we came over and it seemed alright so we didn't worry about it today."



At Devonshire Mall, Club Monaco store manager Rachel Pate was all smiles as her staff struggled to cope with large crowds the day after the U.S. Thanksgiving. With the Canadian dollar at near-record lows and Friday an American holiday, U.S. licence plates made up at least 10 per cent of the traffic at the mall.

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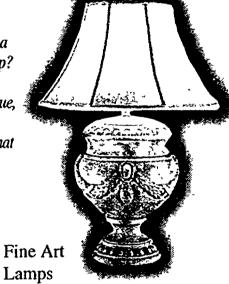
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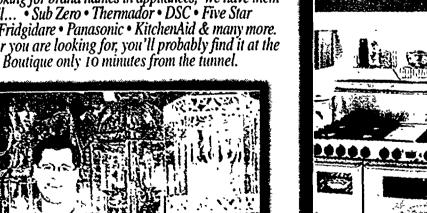
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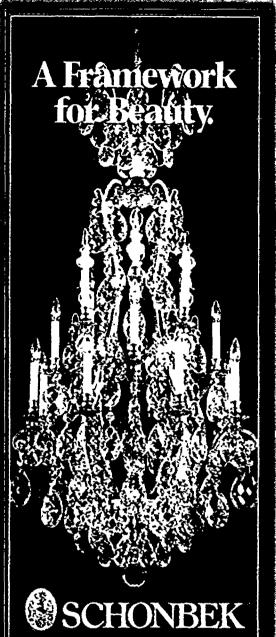


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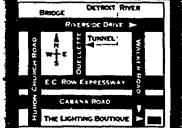
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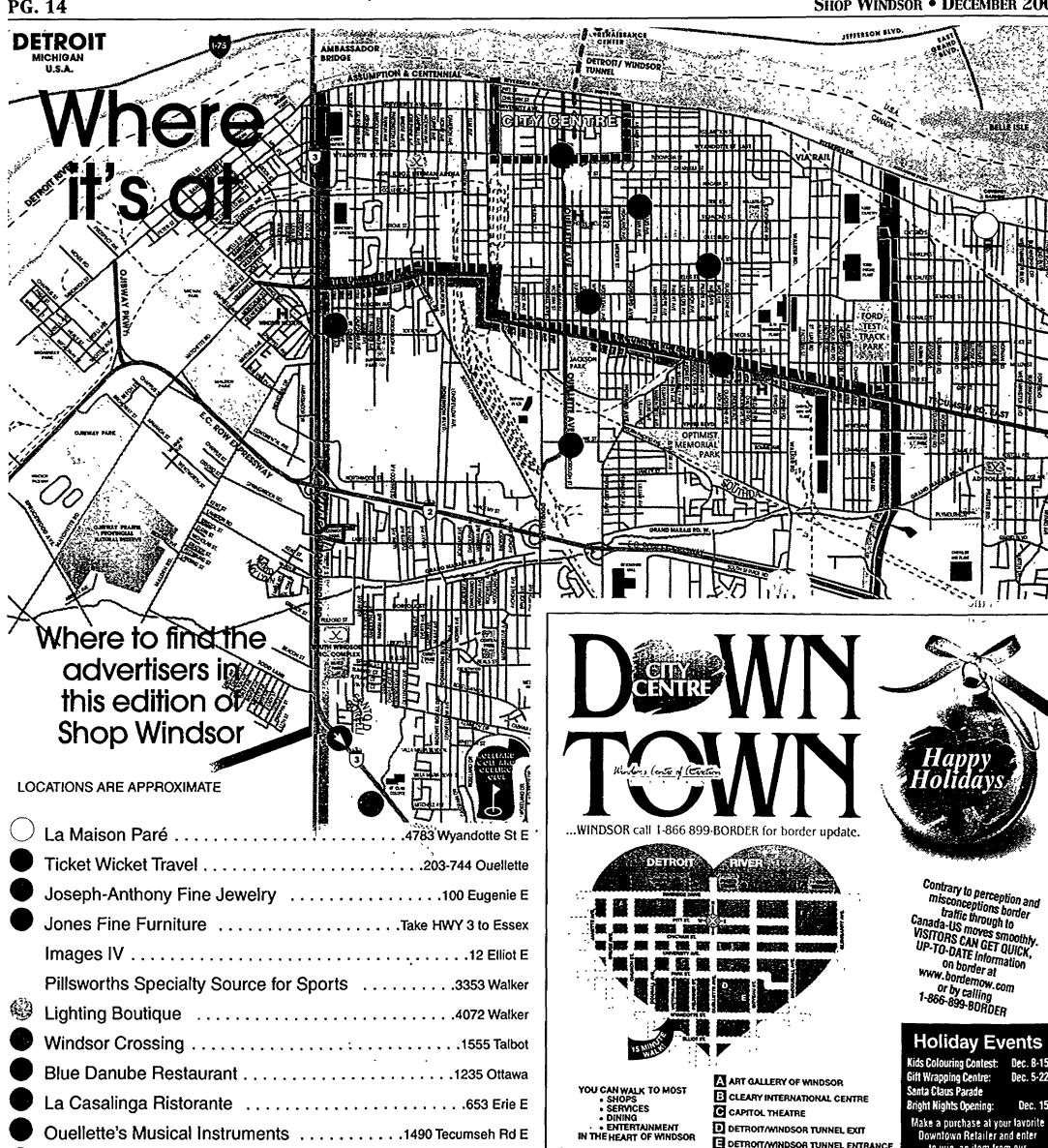




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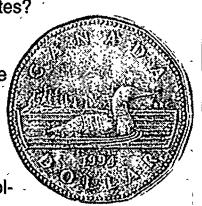
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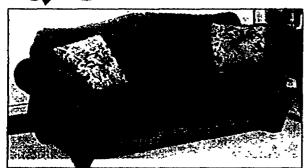


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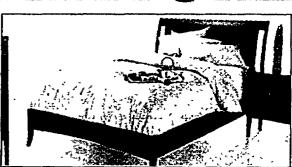




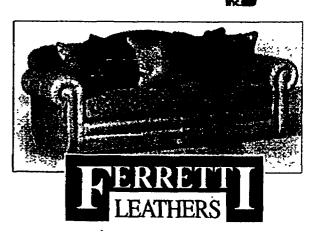
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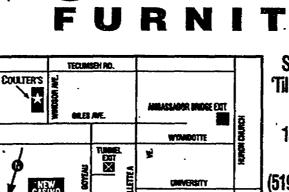
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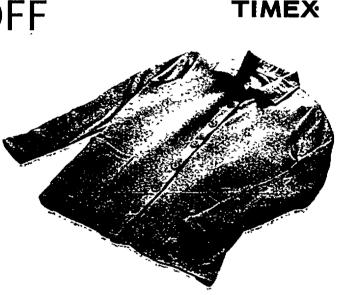
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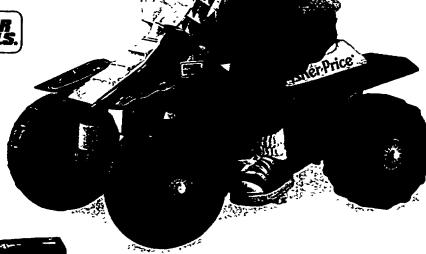




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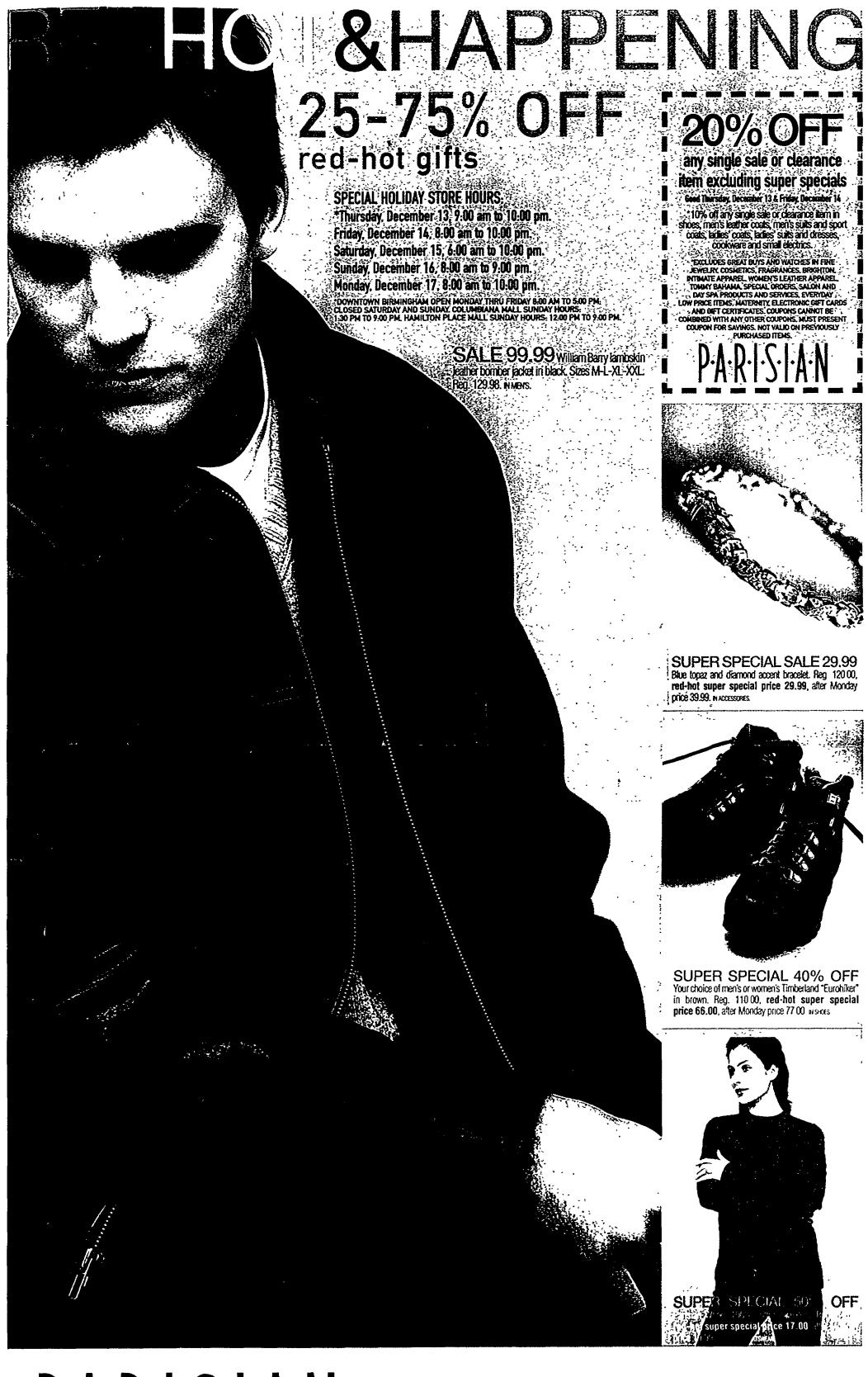


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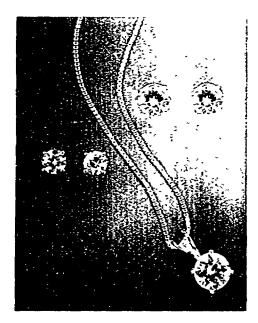
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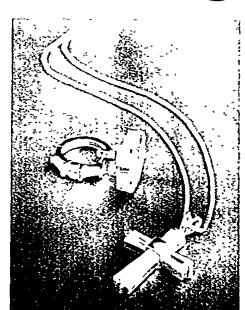
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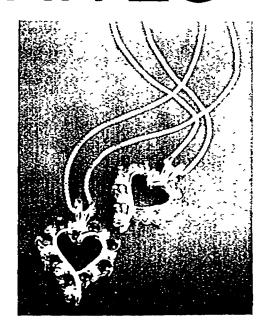
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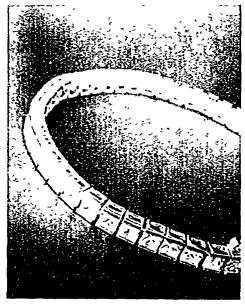
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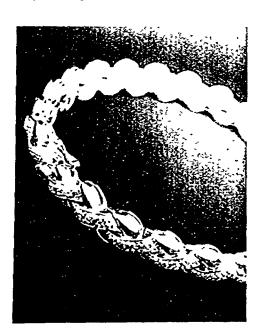
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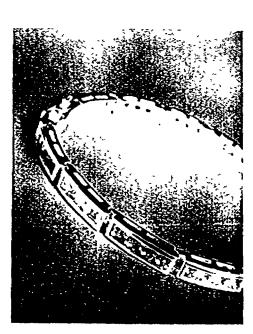
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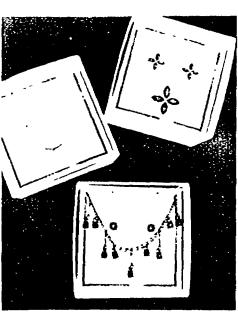
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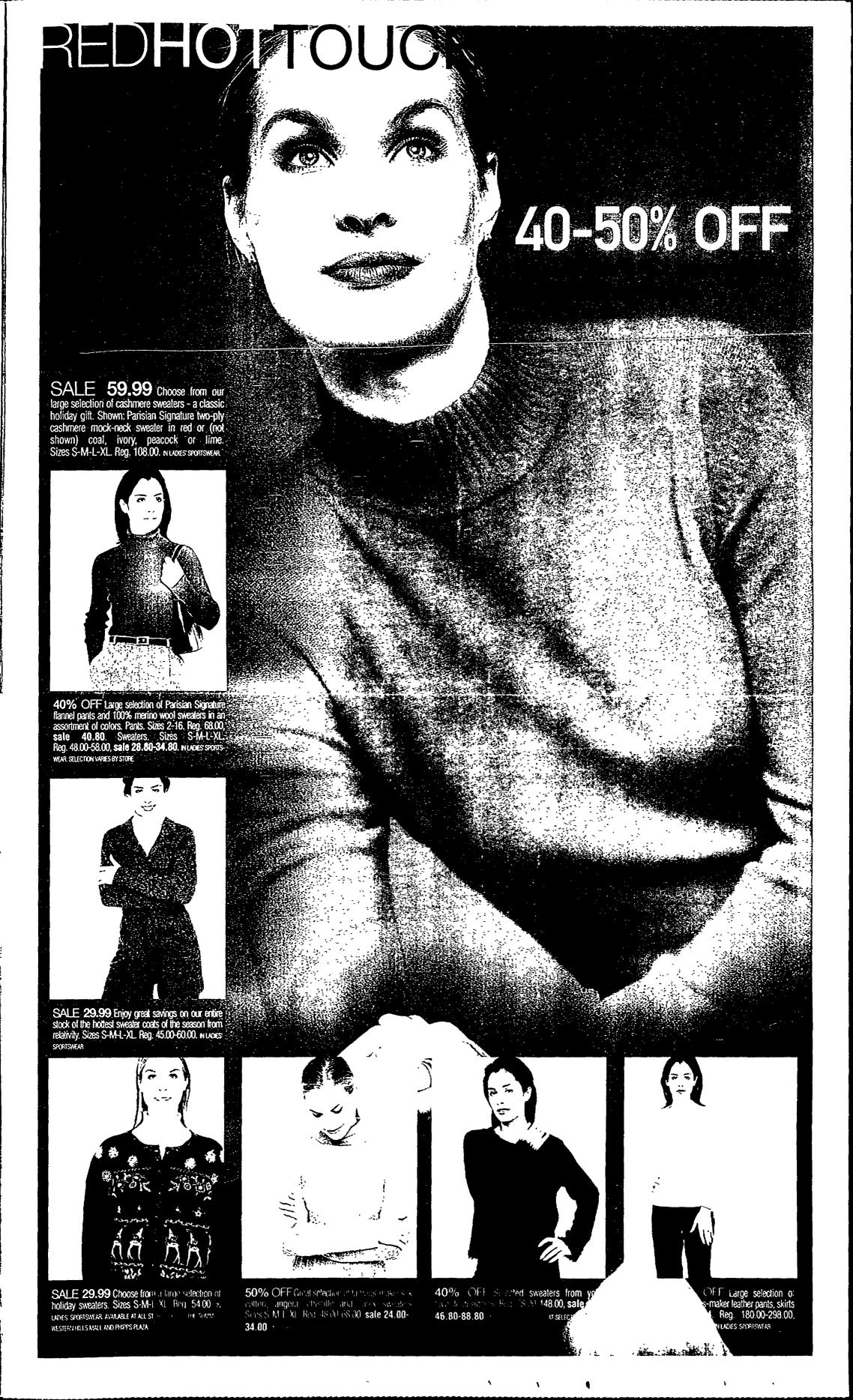
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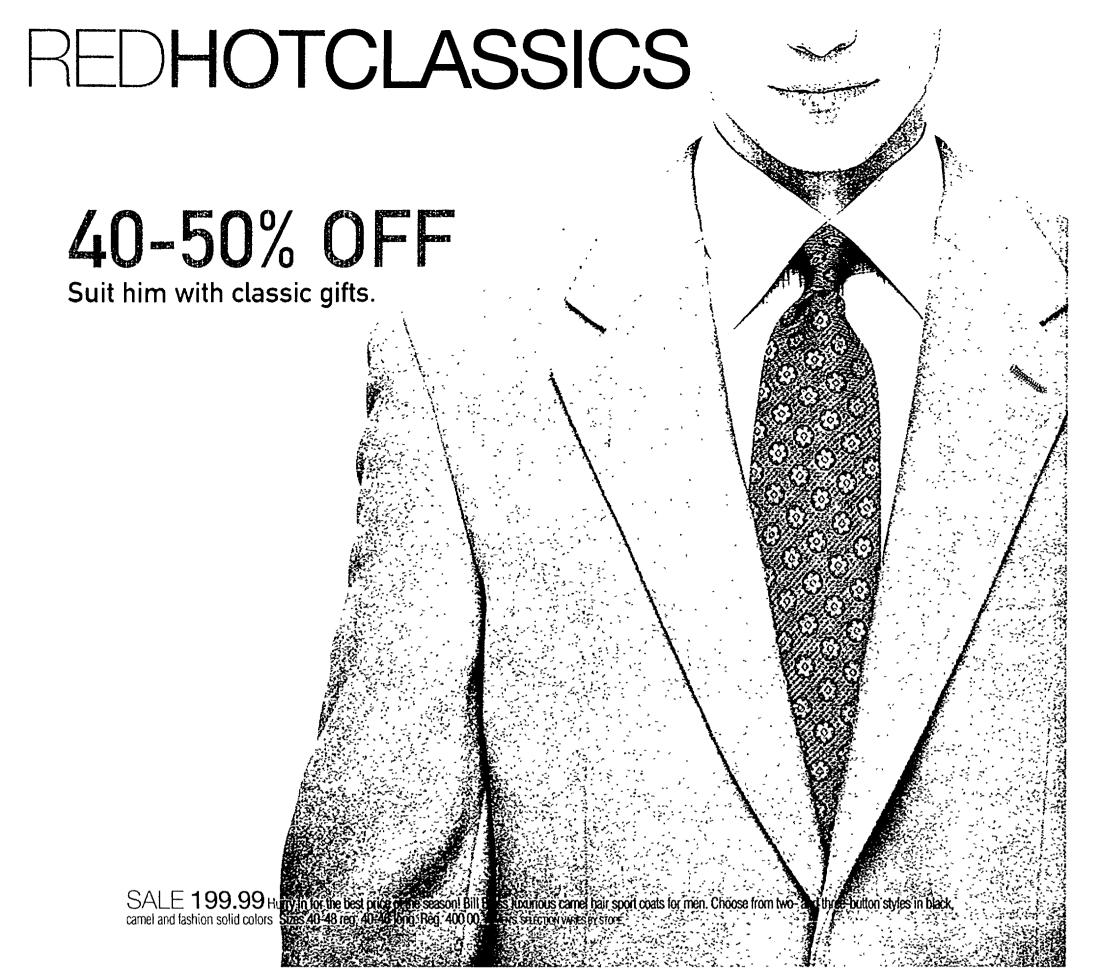


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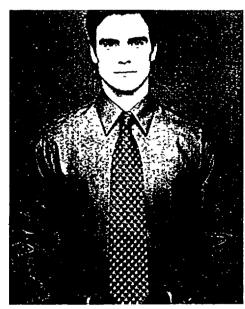
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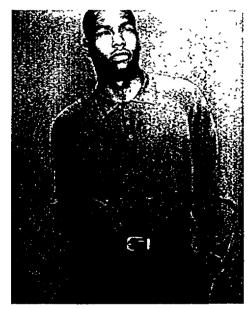
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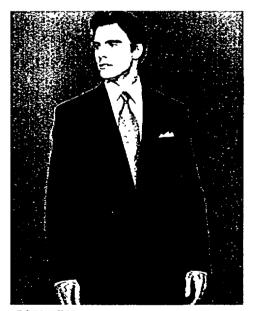
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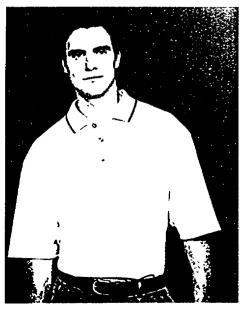
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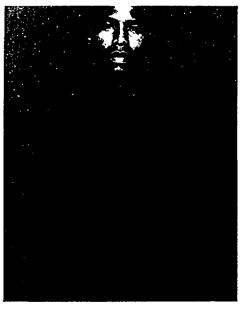
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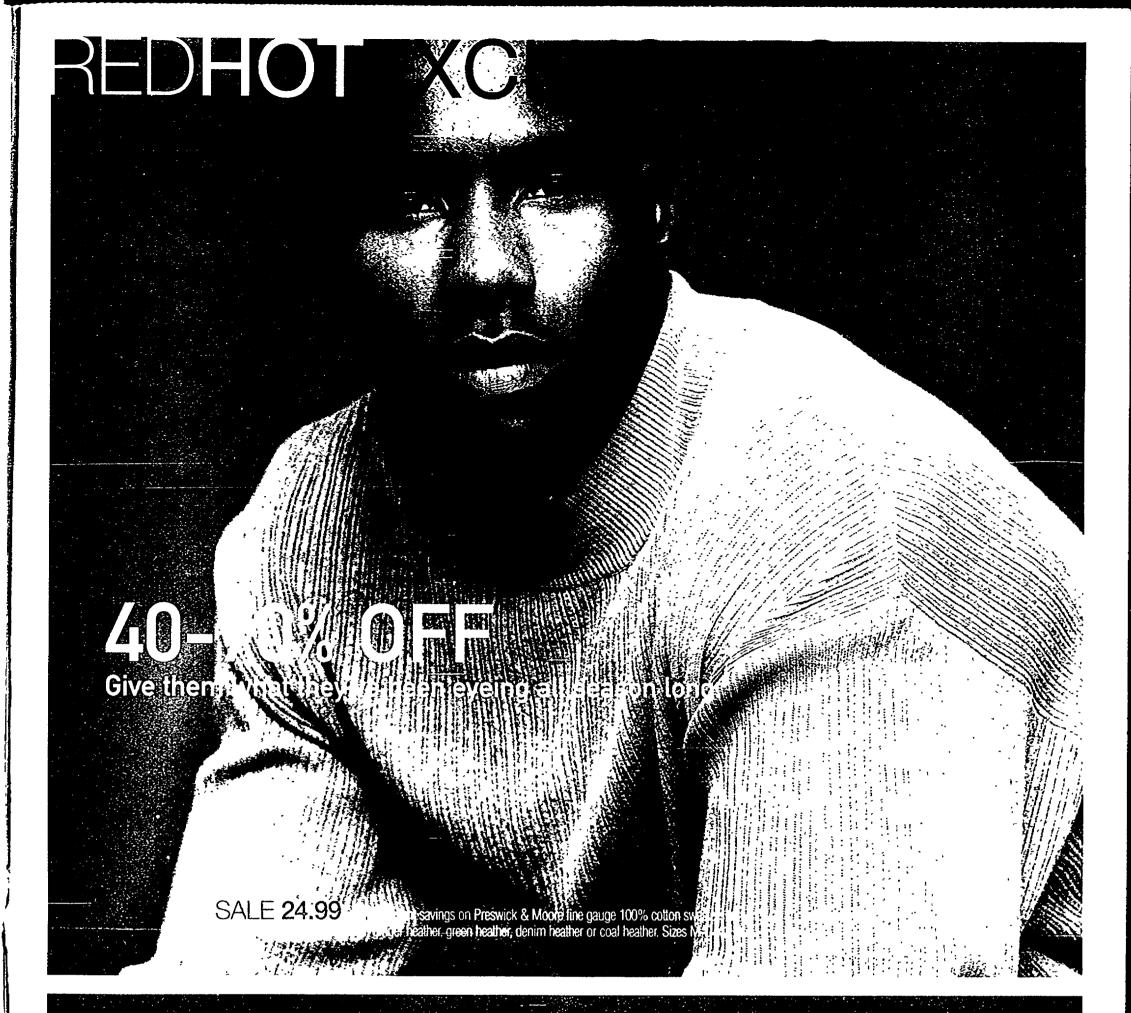
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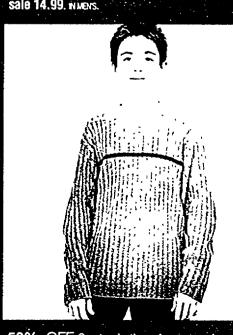
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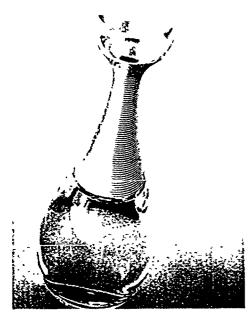


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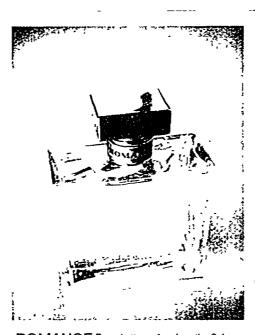
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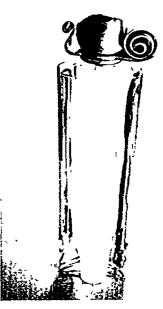
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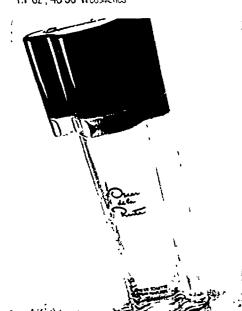
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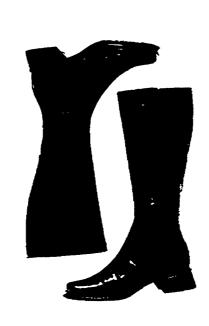
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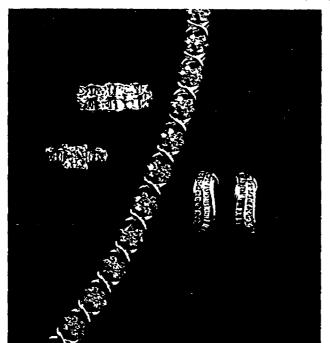
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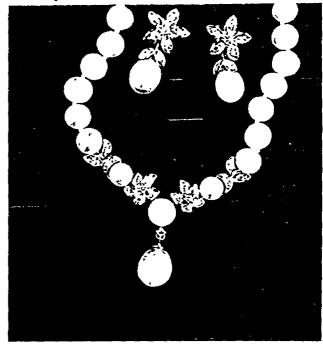
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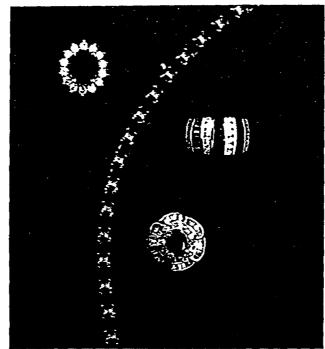
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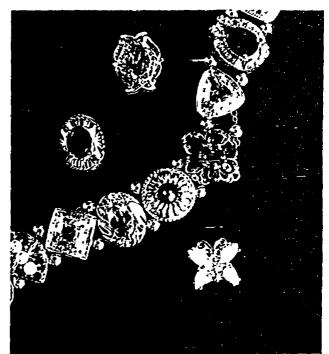
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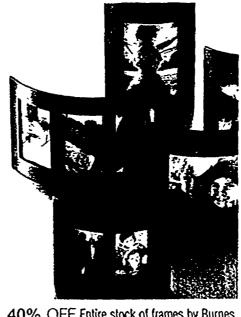
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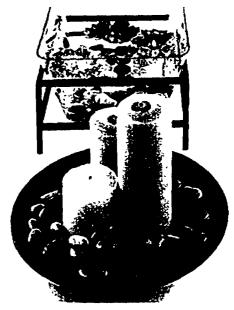
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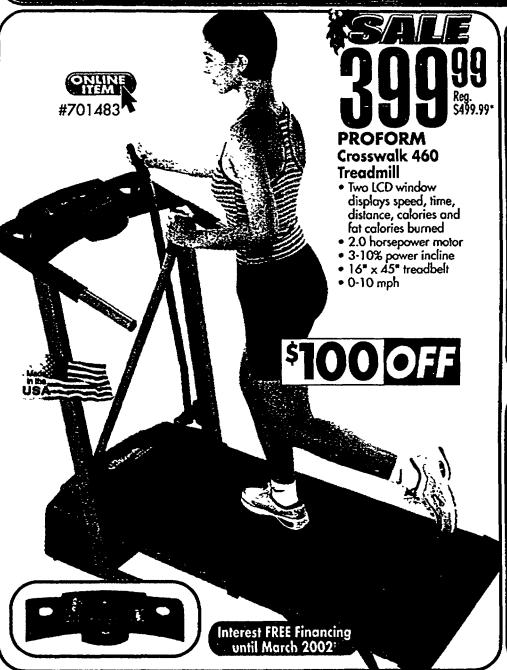
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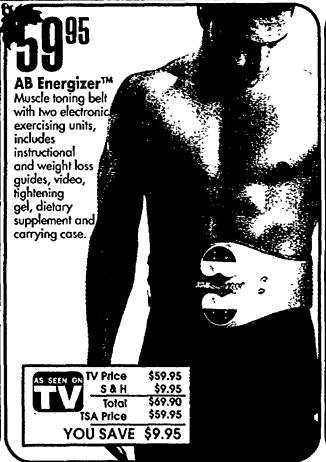


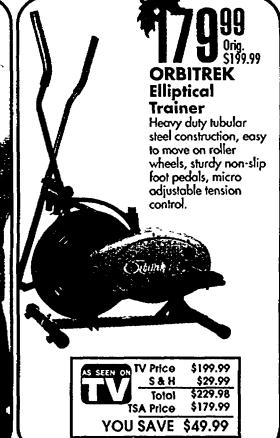




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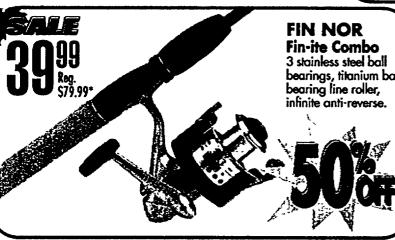


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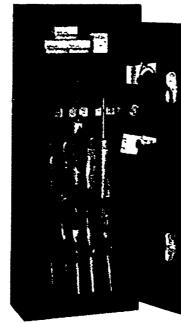
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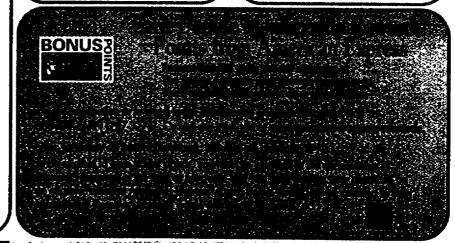


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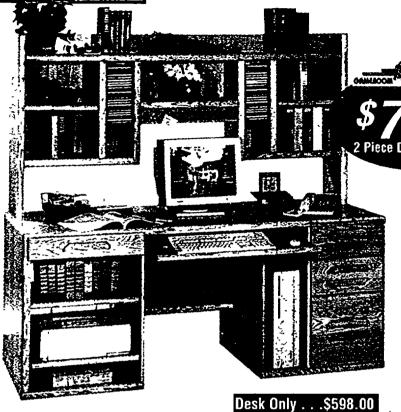
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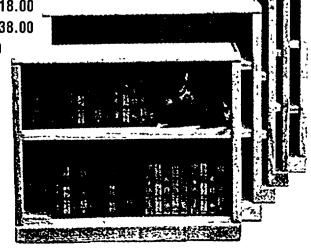
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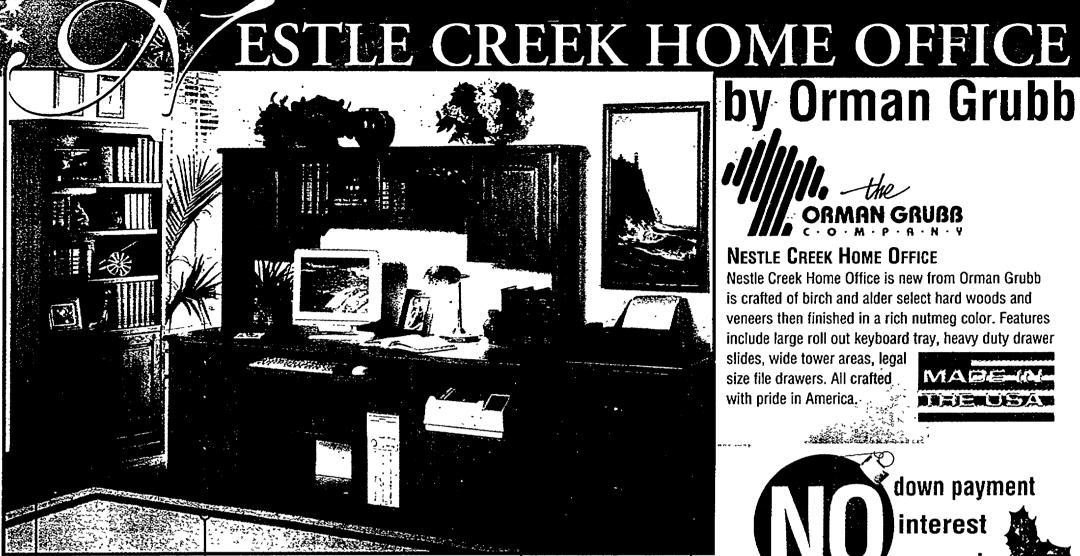




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Nestle Creek Home Office is new from Orman Grubb is crafted of birch and alder select hard woods and veneers then finished in a rich nutmeg color. Features include large roll out keyboard tray, heavy duty drawer

slides, wide tower areas, legal size file drawers. All crafted with pride in America.

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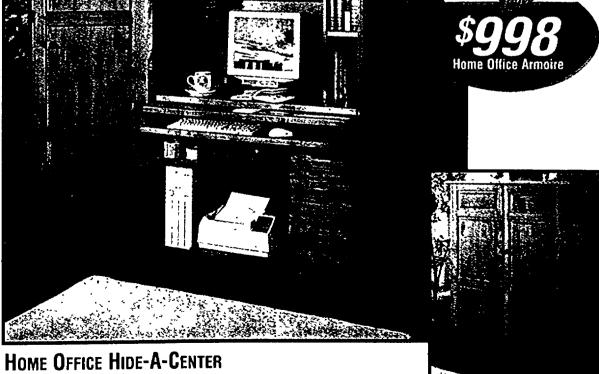
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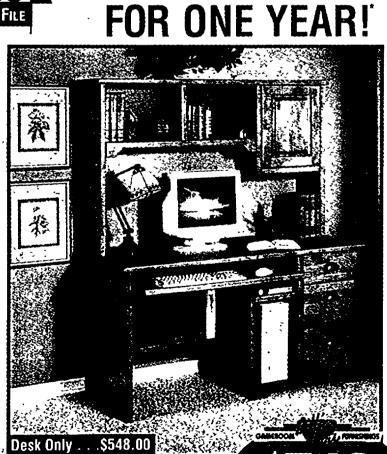
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\$798 DESK ONLY

\$298 2 DRAWER FILE







56" Desk & Hutch



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TRADITIONAL OAK SIX PIECE CORNER GROUP

Billy Bob's went to Golden Oak Manufacturing Co. in San Diego, California and asked them to build a home office corner group. The result was the group shown here at \$898.00, about half the price you would expect to pay. Crafted of oak solids and northern red oak select veneers.

All for \$898.00!

FEATURES:

- •Legal size file drawer
- •Two letter drawers
- Pencil drawer
- •Roll out keyboard with separate mouse trav
- Huge tower storage
- Disk storage
- Documentation storage shelves
- •Room for the largest of monitors.
- •Quantities are limited





DESK FEATURES

- 74" wide 2 legal file drawers
- •2 utility file drawers
- Sliding printer tray
- •Extra-wide 36" keyboard
- extension tray
- •Extra-wide CPU compartment

DESK FEATURES

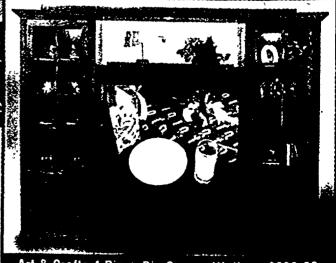
- •50" wide
- •Legal/letter file drawer
- •Sliding printer tray
 •Bookshelf
- •Extra-wide 28" keyboard extension tray

rts & Crafts Mission Chojeas ARTS & CRAFTS/MISSION CHOICES A very special collection of Mission styled Arts & Crafts

designed and built for Billy Bob's in Southern California using the best fabric construction and oak lumber. Available all at a very special pricing for the **Grand Opening Event!**

Mission Sofa								.\$798.00
Mission Loveseat								.\$748.00

Mission Ottoman	 .\$298.00
Mission Chair	
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Mission cocktail table	
Mission Lamp Table	
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Art & Crafts 4 Piece Big Screen Wall. . . \$898.00

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ARTS & CRAFTS BIG SCREEN WALL

- Spice correct for time finished oak
- Lighted display areas
- •Expands to hold big screen
- from 40" to 60" wide
- •Removable speaker panels
- ·Beveled glass doors
- Central lighting control
- •Tape storage libraries hold 120 VHS tapes or 240 CDs
- •Extra deep audio pier to
- accommodate large components
- •Authentic pewter finished hardware
- •Made in the U.S.A.





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CORRECT FOR TIME CLASSIC LEATHER CHAIRS

Crafted in top grain leather in your choice of cognac leather or chestnut leather. We've seen chairs like this at the "Barrel place" for well over a thousand dollars. Now during our grand opening add these chairs to your den or home office for your choice of \$698.00.



Add outside corner units for. \$218.00 ea.



BIG SCREEN entertainment for

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TRADITIONAL OAK BIG SCREEN WALL

- •Rich medium oak finish •Lighted display areas with
- dimmer control
 •Solid oak raised panel doors
- •Fits all big screens up to 60' wide
- Removable speaker inserts
 Surround sound ready
- Vertical tape drawers holds
 222 CDs or 90 VHS tapes
 (includes Disney)

\$1798 As Shown

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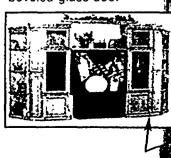
Corner units available at . . . \$168.00 ea.

 Light curio area with beveled glass door 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

Distinctive solid oak crown molding



Extra deep piers
to accommodate
larger components
All doors have
European self-closing
hidden hinges

NEW CENTURY HOME THEATER

Gather the family around our "New Century" Home Theater Wall!
The beautiful styling, massive size and unique features bring home entertainment more 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!

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Add beautiful accent corner wedges for \$248.00 each.

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Hampton Court

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HAMPTON COURT HOME THEATER WALL BY ORMAN GRUBB

New introduction from Orman Grubb exclusive to Billy Bob's. The Hampton Court Home Theater Wall is crafted of birch and alder solids and select veneers, then finished in a nutmeg color. Features include 24" deep audio storage piers to hold all your components, framed doors to keep the dust out, VCR tape and CD/DVD storage, roll outs, lighted display areas, expands to hold Big Screen TVs up to 60" wide.

Special Introduction Pricing.





Add display end units for \$348.00 each.



Corner shelves shown are available for \$218.00 each.

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Palladia Wall

PALLADIA HOME THEATER BIG SCREEN WALL

Orman Grubb's newest contemporary big screen wall is crafted of oak solids and select veneers in a stunning natural finish perfect for today's lifestyles. Features include full expandable light bridge and TV shelf to accommodate big screens from 40" to 60" wide, lighted display areas, beveled glass doors, removable speaker panels and tape storage for 60 VHS tapes or 120 CDs.

NO down payment

NO payments

for ONE YEAR!

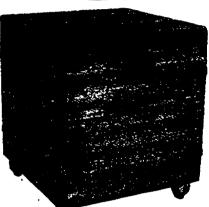


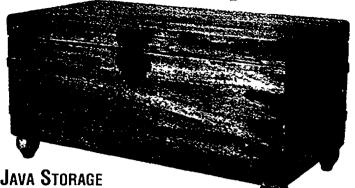
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TRUNK TABLES

End table 21'W x 21'D x 24'H square. Cocktail table 36'W x 36'D x 18'H. What a great gift!





•Rich golden oak finish

36" MONITOR SIZE ENTERTAINMENT CENTER

 Crafted with solid oak and select oak veneers •Accommodates 35* monitors Beveled brass and glass doors Twin vertical tape libraries VCR storage

•61'W x 21"D x 61'H





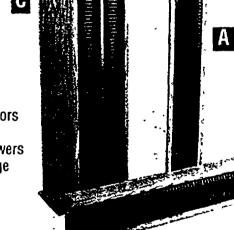
•Rich golden oak finish Crafted with solid oak and select oak veneers

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

•Extra deep 24°



OAK CD ORGANIZERS

A. Vertical organizer holds 68 CDs. . .\$78.00 ea.

B. Horizontal organizer holds 68 CDs . . .\$78.00 ea.

C. Oak revolving CD tower accommodates 235 CDs . . . \$218.00 ea.





·Lighted display storage

•Twin vertical tape drawers

Brass and glass audio door

VCR storage

•Holds 36" big screen

•Made in the U.S.A









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DOUBLE BUBBLE CLOCKS

Each clock is an exact replica of the 1940's through 1960's "Double bubble" glass advertising clock. A beautiful electric clock which illuminates from the rear. The first glass bubble displays the logo of the company with the hands of the clock sandwiched between a second glass bubble displaying the numbers on the clock. 14 1/2" diameter glass and metal.

truck. Heavy gauge steel body and

under gear with wooden ladders.



body and under gear. Available in grey. Heavily trimmed in chrome. <

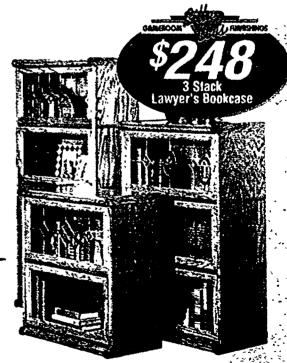
MISSION LAWYER'S BOOKCASES Crafted of oak

solids and select oak veneers. Features beveled glass doors and correct for time hardware.

• 3 Stack Mission Lawyer's Bookcase (30" x 50" x 13")\$248.00

• 4 Stack Mission Lawyer's Bookcase (30" x 63" x 13")\$298.00

• 5 Stack Mission Lawyer's Bookcase (30" x 76" x 13")



Traditional Lawyer's Bookcases

Crafted of oak solids and oak veneers. featuring brass and glass top doors.

•3 Stack Bookcase Unit \$248.00 •4 Stack Bookcase Unit \$298.00 \$ Stack Bookease Unit \$318.00

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PICNIC COOLERS

Each cooler is an exact replica of the

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Rite or Acton picnic coolers. This is

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This Estate Wagon was inspired by the 1949 sad face pedal station wagon or ranch wagon. All steel. Available in green.



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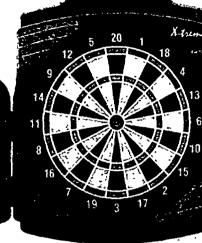
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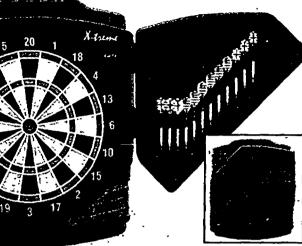
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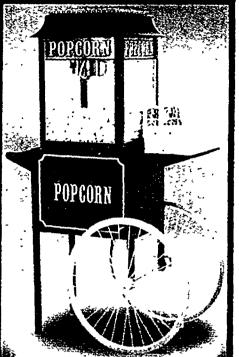
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TURN-OF-THE-CENTURY CHARM ON WHEELS POPCORN CART

Here's a great way to add some razzmatazz to a rec room, along with the aroma of theater-quality popcorn. This authentic 1911 street vendor cart is a fully functional popcorn machine. Wheel it out for movies. It's a blockbuster hit!

THE X-TREMETM DARTBOARD
Plays 38 games/166 options/16 play cricket LED display includes six sets of darts and game manual. Wood doors conceal game when not in use.



- •48" x 84"
- •High pressure laminated playing surface
- •Even air distribution
- •Two turbo fans
- Leg levelers
- Extruded aluminum handrails
- •Includes pucks and paddles





FOR THE Holidays





GRANITE PRO TABLE SOCCER

- •16" cabinet with heavy support
- •4 3/4' heavy duty postlegs
 •Rubber grip handles
 •Solid wood handles

- ·Side ball return
- •Wood scoring beads
- •Two drink holders
- ·Balanced playing men





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Neon clocks that recreate 🤝 the 50's look. 18'diameter: crafted with steel. Glass. enclosed neon.



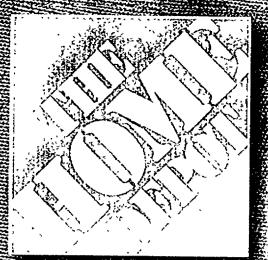
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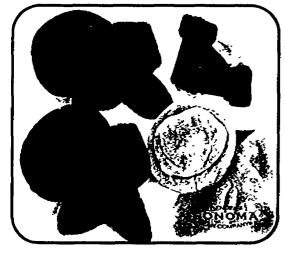
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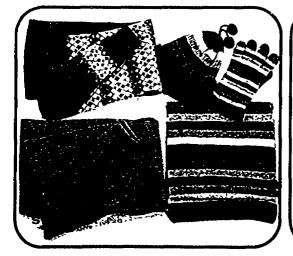
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boots for women 40-50% off cold weather boots for women.

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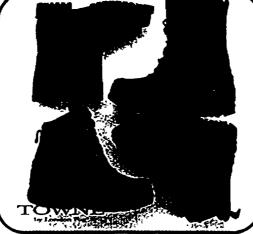
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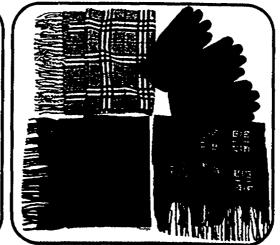
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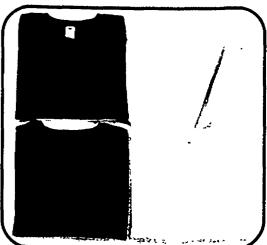




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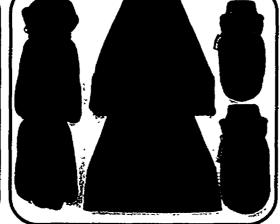
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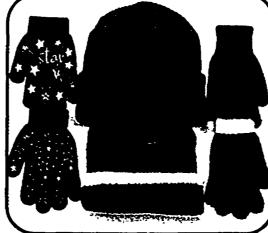
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Winter robes, sleepwear and loungewear for her.

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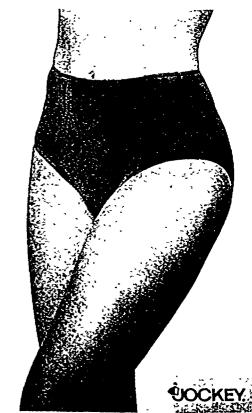




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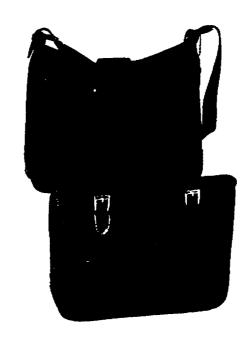
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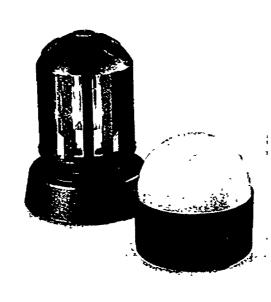
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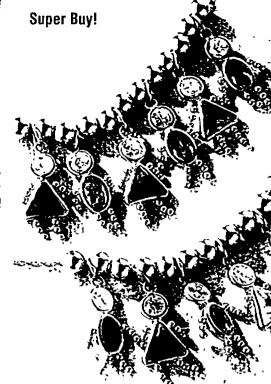


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89.99 Final Price
14k Duragold 20" 3mm
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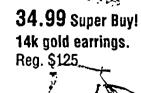
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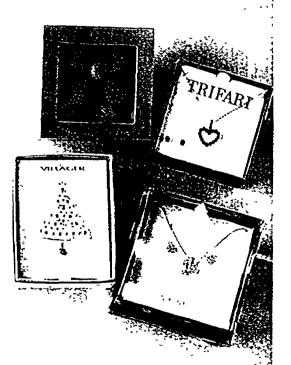






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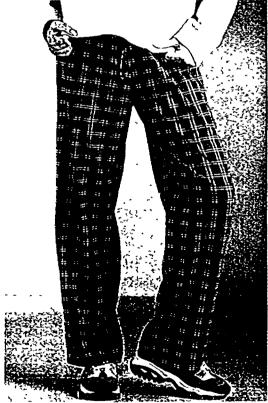




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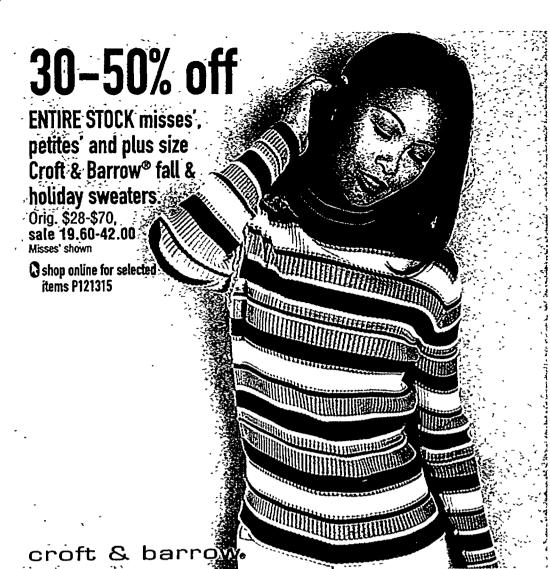
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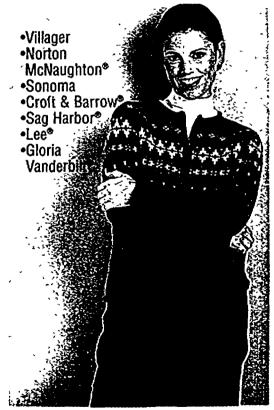
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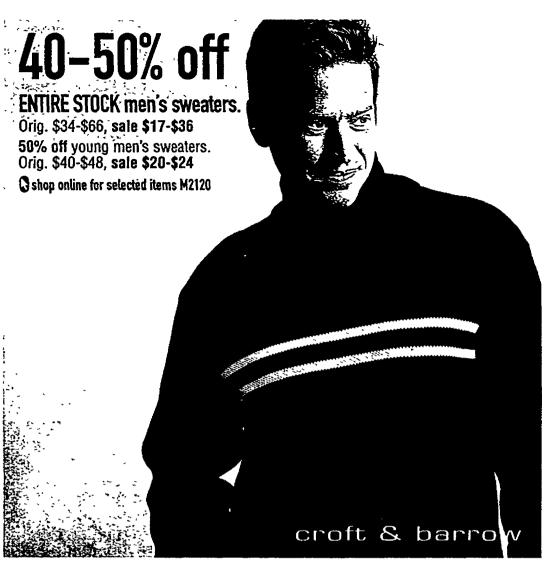
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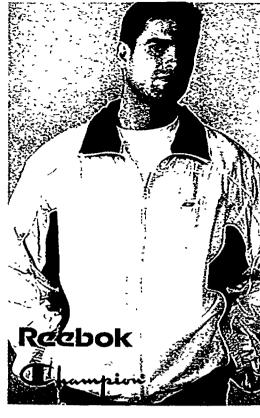
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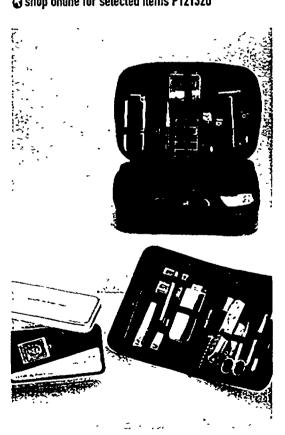
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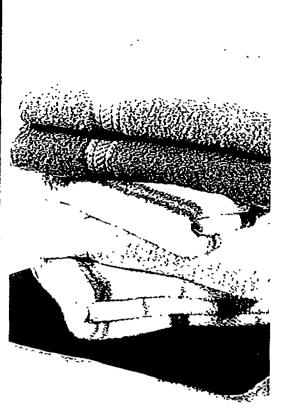
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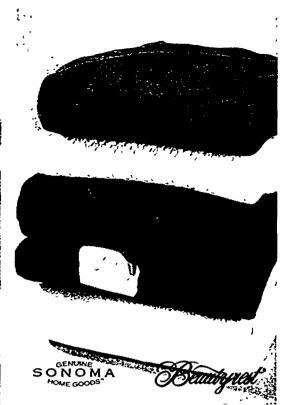
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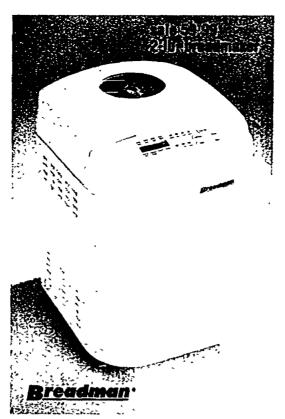




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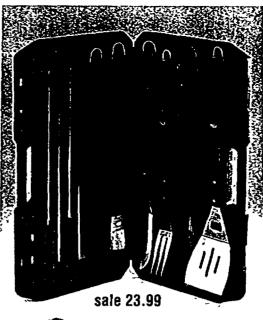
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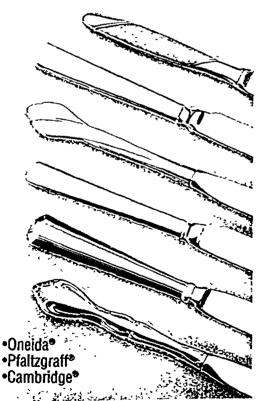




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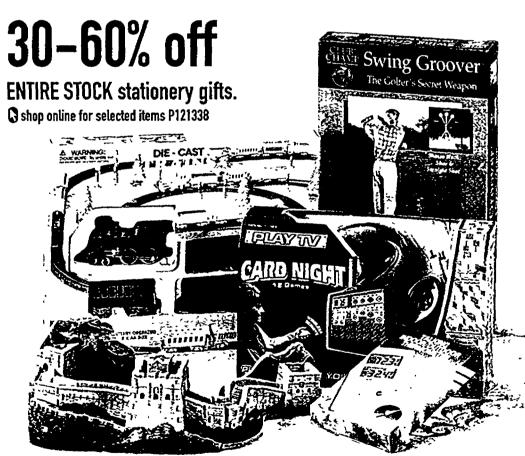
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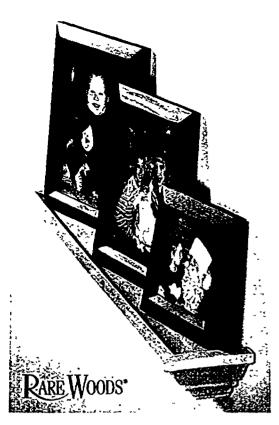
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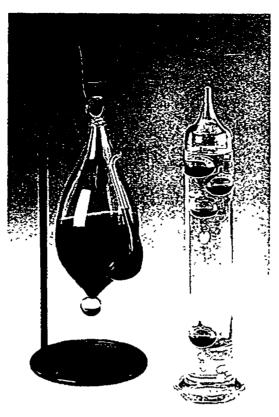
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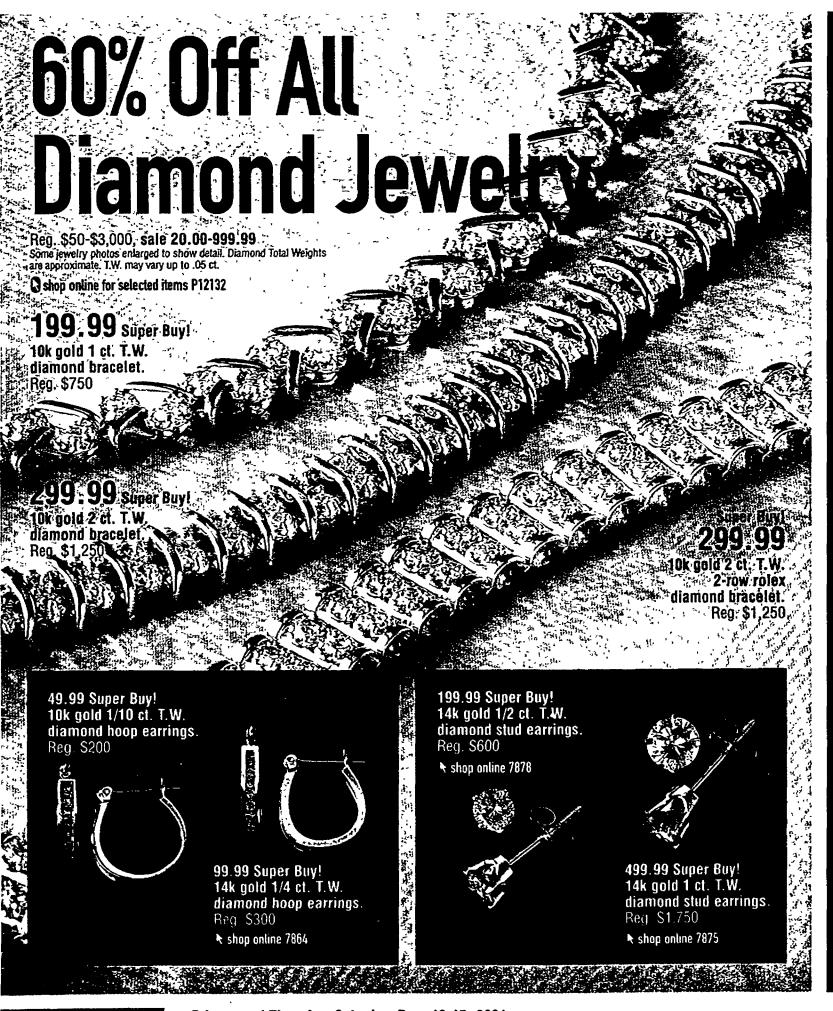
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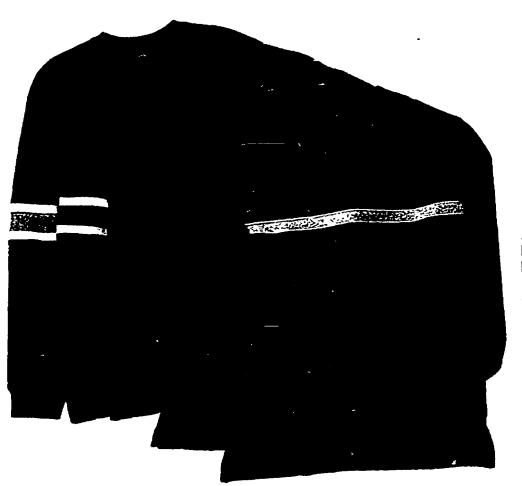




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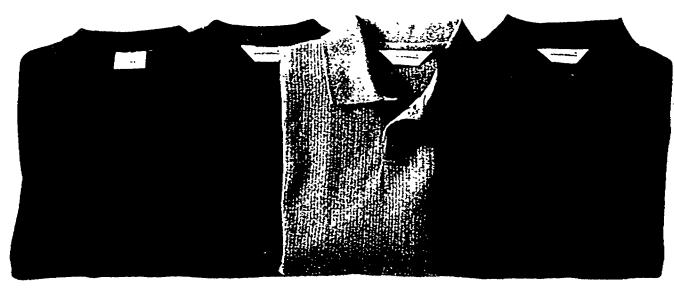
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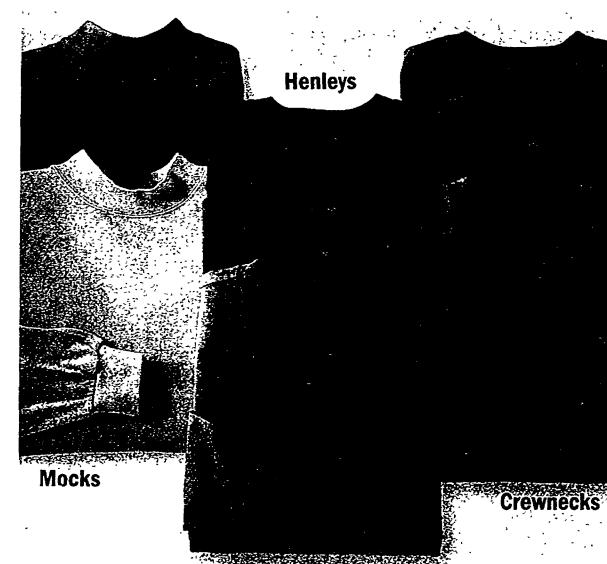
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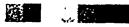


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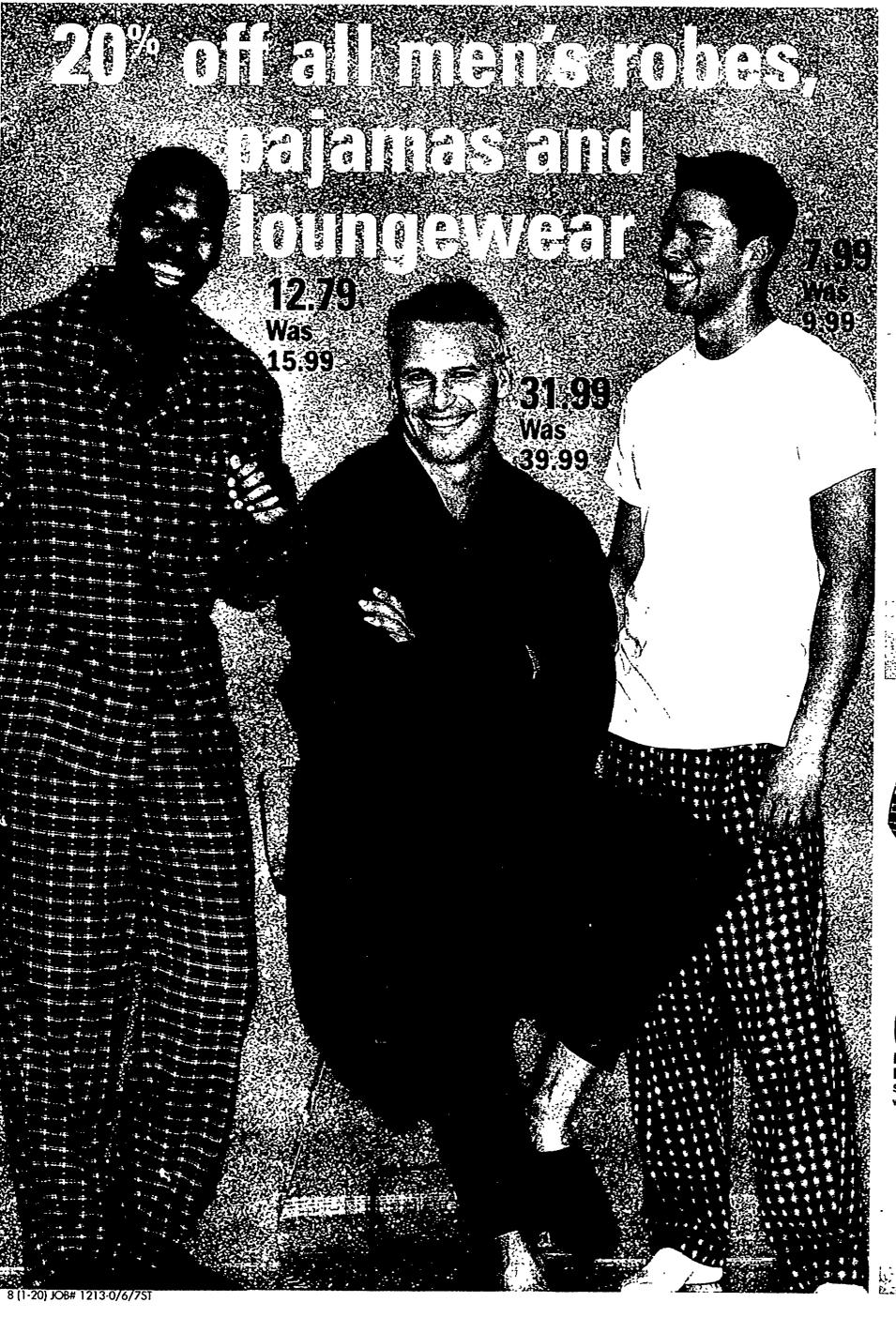














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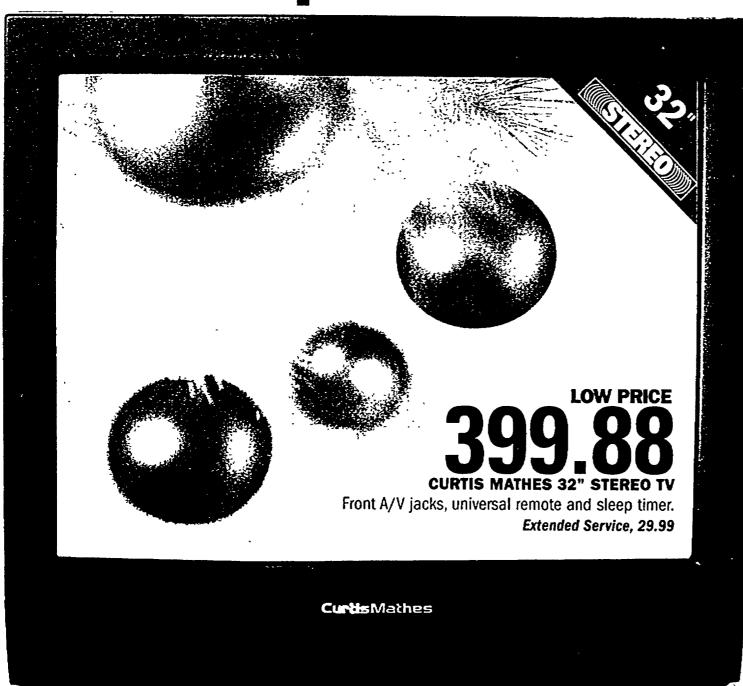
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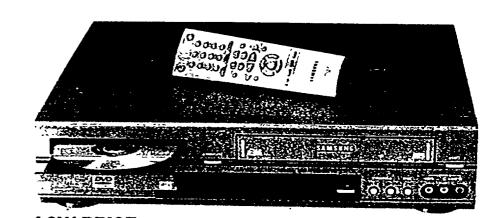






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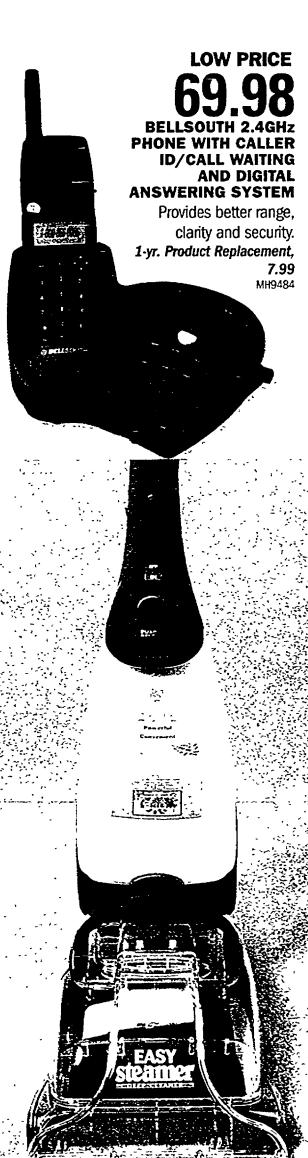
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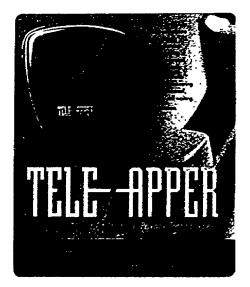




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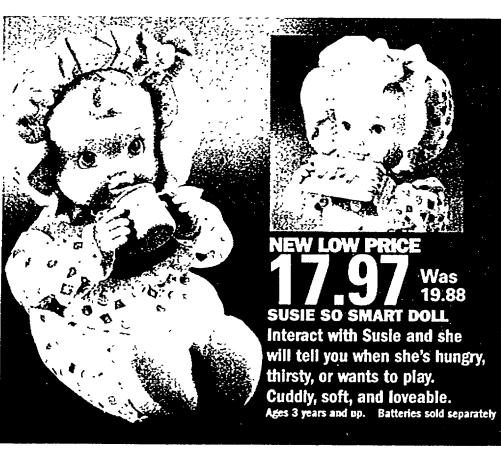
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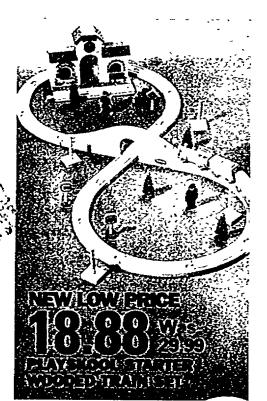
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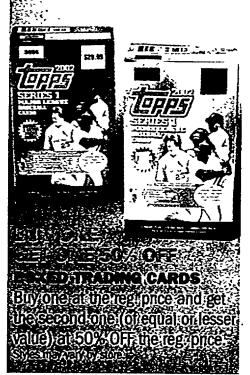


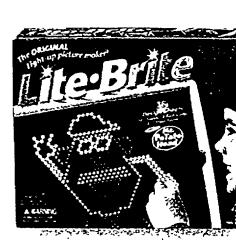
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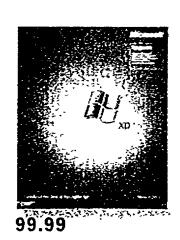


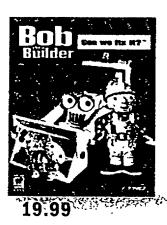












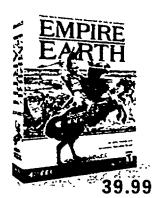




















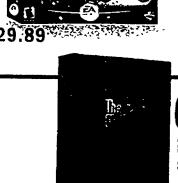
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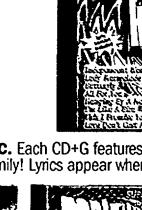


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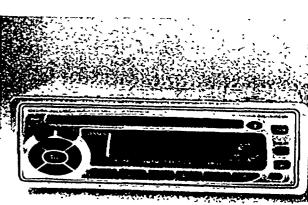












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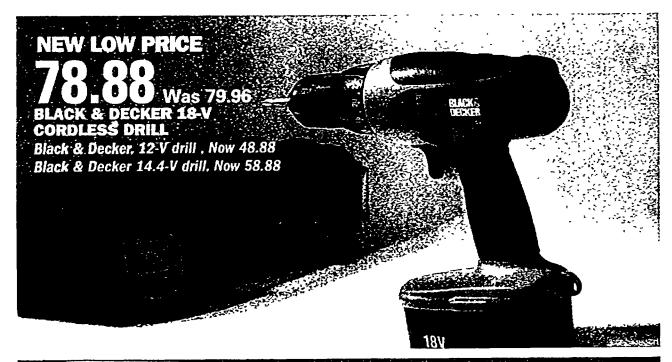


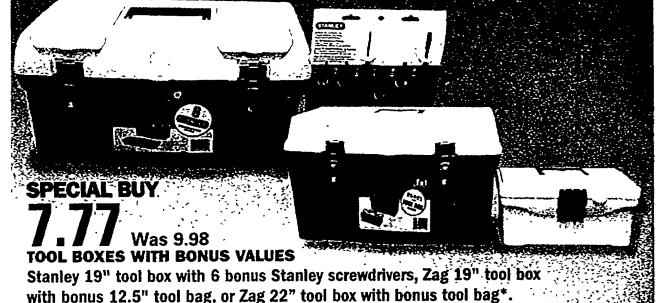
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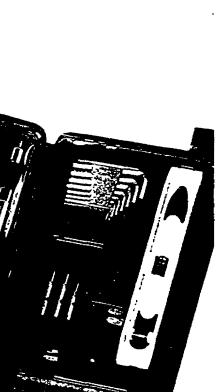
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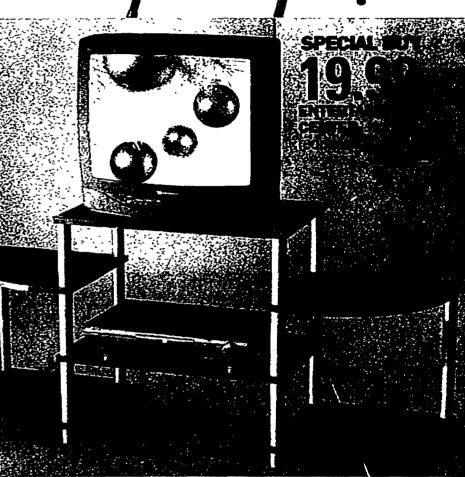


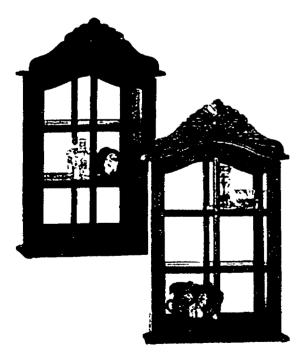
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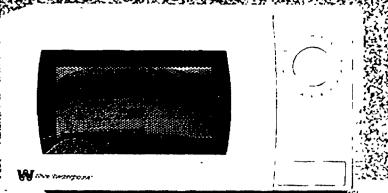
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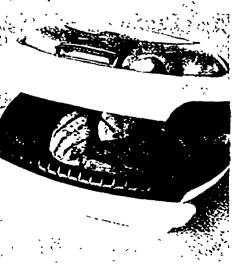
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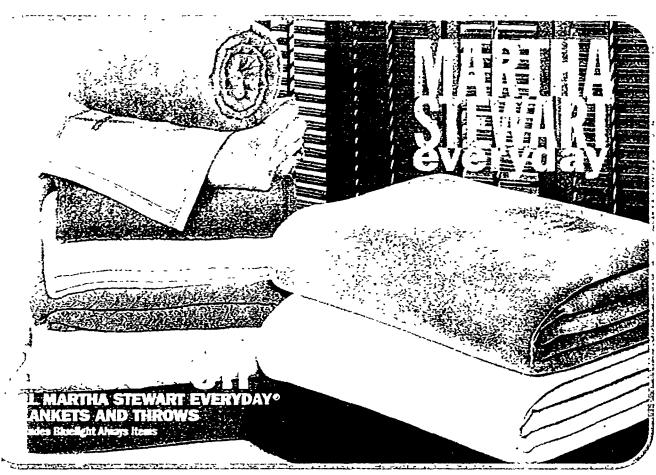
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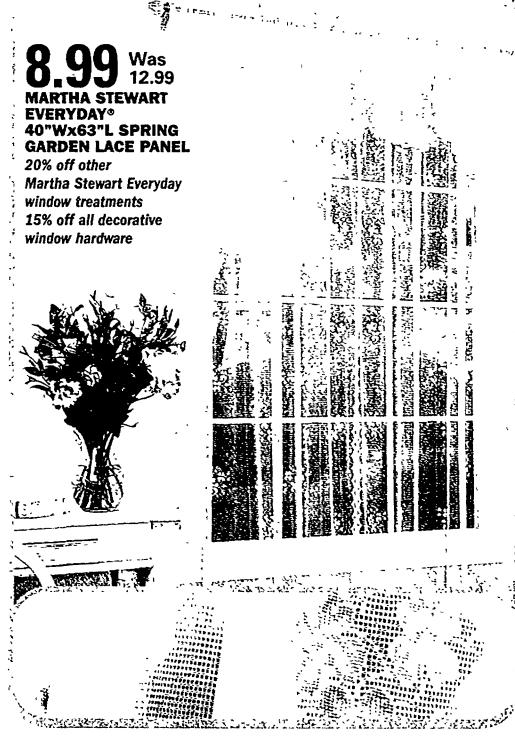




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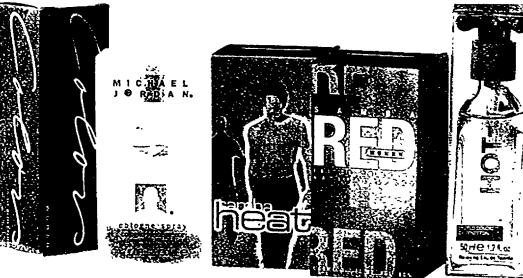


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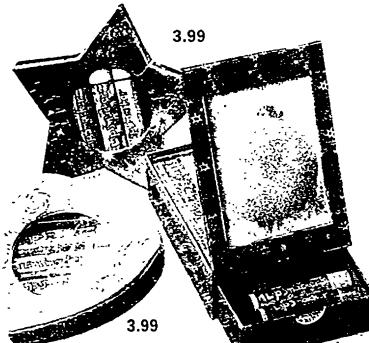






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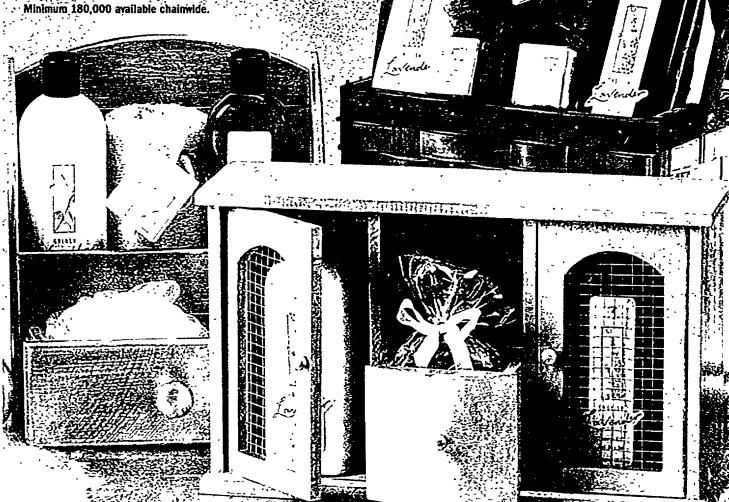
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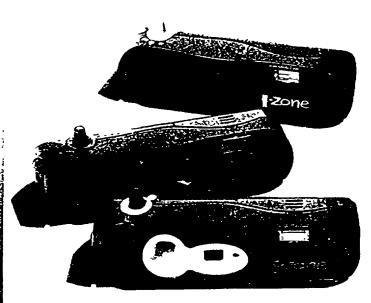
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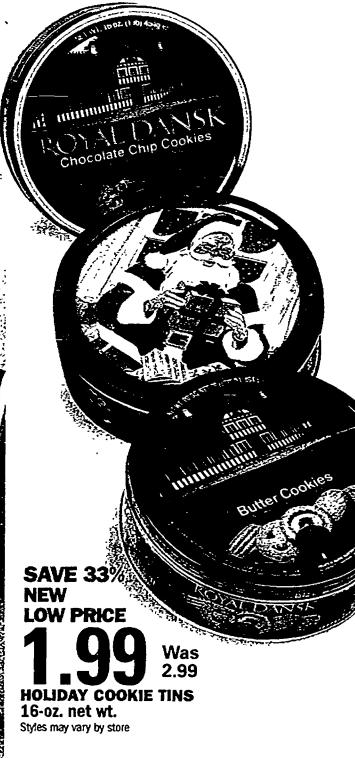
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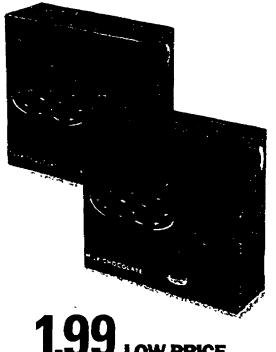
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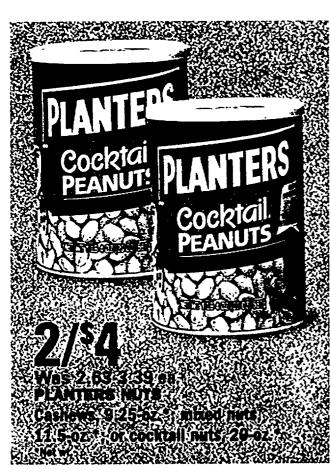
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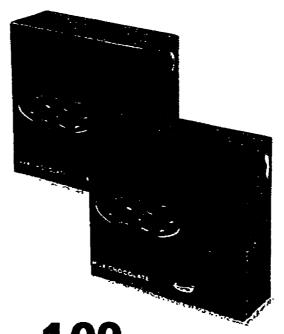
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