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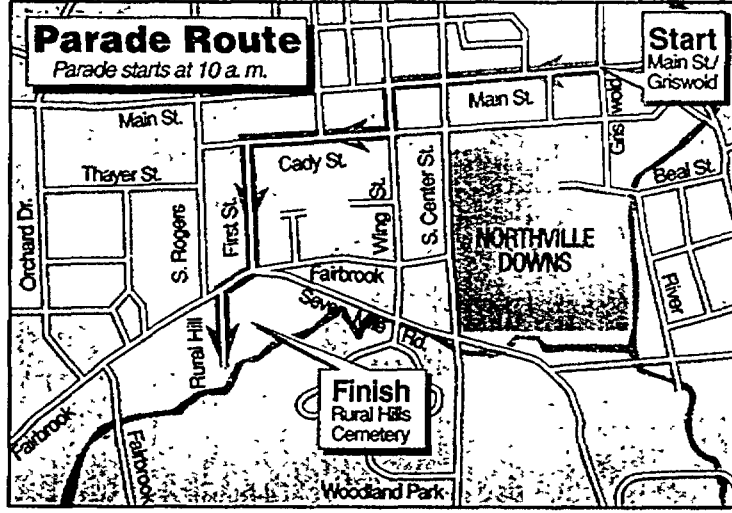
In memory of those who served

Memorial Day parade pays tribute to Northville's veterans, past and present



By Pauline Campos
STAFF WRITER

If there's something to be said for tradition, honor, and memories, there is most definitely something to be said for the Northville's annual Memorial Day Parade. "Northville has the best, most traditional Memorial Day Parade in the state. Let us honor those who have given us our freedom and remember those who are protecting us today," said parade committee chairman Dana Manuel. John McGuire, former owner of



SOURCE: Northville Memorial Day Parade Committee

Guernsey Farms Dairy, said he is "honored" to have been selected as this year's parade grand marshal. He will be transported by a horse drawn carriage provided by Northville Carriage Company. Traditionally organized by the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 4012 and the American Legion Post No. 147, both of Northville.

For a list of parade participants please turn to page 17A.

the parade will begin at 10 a.m. on Memorial Day at the corner of Main and Griswold. The parade will march through downtown Northville and end at Veteran's Memorial in Rural Hills Cemetery where a service will be held to honor the memories of service men and women who have given their lives for freedom. Rev. Gordon Nusz of First United Methodist Church of Northville will be offering the invocation and benediction during the ceremony.

According to Manuel, the ceremony will include the placing of wreath on the grave of Lloyd H. Green, the only Northville soldier killed during World War I. Poppy bouquets will also be placed on all

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John McGuire tapped for parade grand marshal

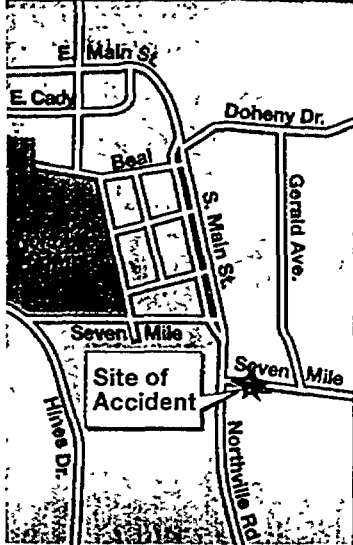
By Pauline Campos
STAFF WRITER

John McGuire has been selected to be the grand marshal for this year's Northville Memorial Day Parade. McGuire, former owner of Guernsey Farms Dairy located on Novi Road, said he was honored to have been chosen.

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Township woman dies in car crash

Fatal Accident.



SOURCE: Northville Township Police & Fire

By Pauline Campos
STAFF WRITER

A 79-year-old Northville Township woman was pronounced dead upon arrival Friday at Saint Mary's Hospital in Livonia after having been involved in a collision with another vehicle. The accident occurred near Seven Mile and Innsbrook Drive at approximately 11 a.m. Sergeant Chris Madzik and the township fire department were the first to arrive upon the scene. Investigations revealed that the woman had been traveling westbound on Seven Mile when her vehicle crossed the center line

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Kitchen science



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Christine Bezak, left, helps student Kristen Engstrom monitor the temperature of their peanut butter brittle concoction during chemistry experiment at Hillside.

Allen Terrace slated for substantial upgrades

By Pauline Campos
STAFF WRITER

Proposed improvements to Allen Terrace totaling approximately \$1.7 million were discussed at special meeting of the city council on May 13. A 20-year projection was presented to the council which included a 3 percent annual increase in rent for the residents of the senior housing community. Having been built in 1978, improvements have been made to Allen Terrace on an "as need" basis but according to the Housing Commission, all major systems have surpassed their useful life. The hope is to do renovations to update the senior housing complex from a physical standpoint in order to make it more attractive to current and prospective residents. City manager Gary Word said that the issues appear to be the scope of the project, examining alternative financing options, and timing involved. "This would be a good time to move forward rather than wait," he said, referring to the current competitive construction costs. But waiting is the council decided upon. "Council directed at the end of the meeting that we look at alternative financing and conduct a survey of the residents to see what their priorities might be," he said. Word continued to explain that any new debt payment obligations will not begin until the existing bonds

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The Force is with Obi-Ross

By Jennifer Norris
STAFF WRITER

Five-year-old Ross Beason probably can't even remember when "Star Wars: Episode I — The Phantom Menace" debuted in theaters three years ago. But that didn't stop the tyke from paying homage to the "Star Wars" phenomenon that's sweeping American now. Ross Beason's mother, Ann Beason, said approximately \$2,500 was spent to hire an artist to paint a "Star Wars"

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Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Ross Beason, left, playfully has a lightsaber battle with artist Jennifer Haver-Gushen in his Northville Township bedroom. Haver-Gushen painted the Star Wars themes that surround Beason's room.

Beautification for city entrance gets conceptual nod

By Pauline Campos
STAFF WRITER

A plan to improve the entrance park area north of Eight Mile and east of Novi Road was recently presented to city council. The proposal provides for a new entrance sign, sidewalk improvements, and tree and garden enhancements for an estimated \$30,000 not included in the city's budget. According to city manager Gary Word, the proposal is a scaled down version of a \$100,000 plan present-

ed to city council last year. He explained that council requested that the planning commission redesign the plan to reduce costs while still enhancing the entrance to the city. "Council reacted favorably to the revised proposal but did not give authorization to move forward until funding sources are secured," said Word. Although referred to in the conceptual plan as a park, the area is

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Police Reports

City Police Briefs:

OUIL/UBAL: Officers initiated a traffic stop on May 15, pulling over a 24-year-old Plymouth woman who was observed swerving in and out of traffic on Seven Mile in front of McDonald Ford. Upon making contact with the driver officers observed a strong odor of intoxicants and asked the driver how much she had had to drink that night. She replied that she had only had one beer. She was asked to step out of the car and perform field sobriety tests and then read her PBT rights. Officers obtained a reading of 0.143 percent BAC. The woman was placed under arrest and assigned a court date of May 22.

UNDERAGE CONSUMPTION: A 19-year-old Northville resident was arrested on May 18 at approximately 1:30 A.M. after officers observed his 2003 red Pontiac Grand Am drive through the flashing red light from north-

bound Center and Eight Mile. As the traffic stop was initiated and the vehicle pulled over into a parking lot, officers observed the front seat passenger sit up.

The driver explained to officers that the vehicle belonged to the underage passenger, who only made grunting sounds when questioned by officers. The passenger was asked to step out of the vehicle and was observed having trouble waling in a straight line. As officers could not initially obtain a response from the passenger as to how much he had to drink that night, they questioned the driver who responded that he had seen the passenger drink "a little bit of something" at the party they had been at. The passenger then stated that he had had a few shots of Jack Daniels at the party. The passenger was read his PBT rights and gave a breath sample with a reading of 0.065 percent BAC. He was placed under arrest for underage consumption of

alcohol. Officers spoke with the driver once more but found no evidence that he had been drinking. At the passenger's request, the vehicle was turned over to the driver.

OUIL: A 43-year-old Northville woman was pulled over on May 16 at approximately 11:45 P.M. after a witness phoned in on his cell phone describing "an extremely intoxicated" female had struck a curb and flattened a tire while driving her red late model Pontiac Grand Prix. The witness, who was following the woman, stated that the woman then pulled into the lot of Emily's Restaurant on North Center, got out of her car and began to kick her vehicle. She then got back into the car as if she intended to drive away. Officers reached the scene and observed both the suspect's vehicle and the witness' vehicle.

As officers began to approach the suspect's vehicle, she exited

her vehicle and approached the officer. When asked how much she had had to drink that night she began to examine her flat tire. She was asked again and stated that she had had two drinks and was one her way home from work when she struck a curb and flattened her tire.

Officers initiated the field sobriety tests. When the woman attempted to perform the heel to toe walk she stopped after two unsteady steps and said, "I drank way too much!" before she began to cry that she "knew it was wrong to drink." Officers told her that it was not illegal to drink but that it was illegal to drink and drive. After consuming two white Russians while stopping by the preschool where she is employed as a teacher, the woman stated she had gotten in her car and struck the curb on the way home. She was read her PBT right and tested with a result of 0.195 percent BAC and arrested for OUIL.



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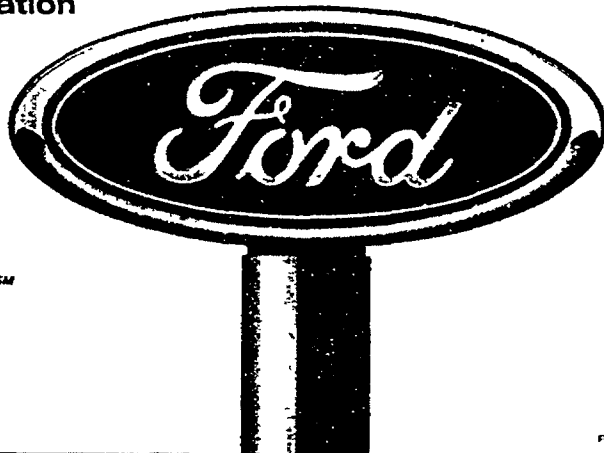
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Northville Area Briefs

NORTHVILLE CITY BRIEFS

REFUSE INCREASE: The 6 percent increase in the residential refuse and recycling bill was approved by city council at the May 13 meeting after hearing no comments during the public hearing portion of the meeting. Council member Jerry Mittman agreed with the council's recommendation of \$12.72 for residential solid waste collection but asked that the \$21.20 cost of freon removal be reduced to exactly \$21 to "make it easier on the public." The increased bill works out to be an additional 72 cents per customer and, according to city council, will not be increased again until after 2006.

JERSEYS FOR AFRICA: Congregational members from the Oak Point Church mission group will once again be collecting used youth soccer jerseys for the orphans in Zambia, Africa. The group collected over 250 jerseys during last year's event. Congregation members will be at the Northville Community Center on June 9 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. and on June 15 from 9 a.m. to

noon in order to collect used soccer jerseys from the community. The mission trip is scheduled for sometime in the end of June or beginning of July.

OLD TIMERS LUNCHEON: An "old timers" luncheon is being planned for June 4 between 11:30 and noon for what is being described as a "get together" at Genitt's. The group of approximately 35 men, some in their 90's, has been meeting for the past few years to discuss their ties to old Northville. There is no formal agenda for the meeting but reservations are due by May 30 and the cost is \$12.50. For more information or to sign up for the luncheon, please contact Hal Wright at (248) 349-1276 or Dick Ambler at (248) 349-1814.

At the May 20 city council meeting, council members:

- Awarded a contract to Advanced Fuel Systems, Inc. of Wayne in the amount of \$31,000 for the installation of a new electronic fuel management system. Since 1991 the DPW has used an electronic fuel management at the city yards. The system allows for

coded access to the department's underground fuel that is used by the DPW, police, and fire departments, as well as the parks and recreation department. The existing computer system is over ten years old. The fuel pumps and card/code readers, which are exposed to the weather, also need to be replaced. As stated in council communications, repair activities are becoming more frequent and parts are less available. The installation of the equipment is expected to be done during the month of June and should take no more than a week to complete.

- Approved director of public works James Gallogly's request to purchase 200 American flags to be placed on poles connecting them to the decorative streetlights in the downtown area for the Memorial Day and Fourth of July holidays. The flags will be purchased from Action Flag Company for an approximate cost of \$5,000 and the purchase will be funded by the Downtown Development Authority.

TOWNSHIP BRIEFS

PROPOSED BECK ROAD CONSTRUCTION: Wayne County's department of public services, along with the townships of Plymouth and Northville, will be hosting a public information meeting for the reconstruction and widening of Beck Road. Residents will be provided with information concerning the preliminary project schedule, an overview of the right-of-way acquisition process. Residents will also be able to offer input on the project and get answers to questions and concerns. The meeting is scheduled for June 5 at 6:30 p.m. at the Northville Township Civic Center, located at 41600 West Six Mile Road.

FRIENDS: The Friends of Northville Parks and Recreation recently held its 10th annual dinner auction at Laurel Manor on April 27. According to township trustee Marv Gans, the dinner auction raised between \$60,000 and \$70,000 after expenses.

At the May 16 township board meeting, trustees:

- Approved a \$5,000 donation to the Northville Community Foundation in support of the Fourth of July Parade at their May 16 meeting. The Foundation's theme for the upcoming parade is "Proud to be an American."

- Reaffirmed interest in continuing participation in Wayne County's Community Block Development Program by adopting a resolution at their May 16 meeting. Communities with populations of 50,000 or less are required to reaffirm interest in the program. By remaining in the program, the township also has the opportunity to participate in the County-run HOME program but is ineligible to apply for grants under the HUD-administered Small Cities or State Community Programs while part of the urban county.

- Approved a resolution in appreciation for the Johnson Creek Protection Group's services in preserving the Johnson Creek. As is stated in the new resolution, "The Charter Township of Northville recognizes and appreciates the Johnson Creek Protection Group's services and will communicate plans for development that may impact the creek and solicit comments from the Johnson Creek Protection Group."

Adopted a resolution proclaiming the week of May 12-18 as Senior Housing Awareness Week.

- Approved a resolution to support considering P.F. Chang's China Bistro, Inc. for a Class C liquor license. With two licenses available under the quota that may be issued by the township, the corporation's attorney's requested that board members approve its request for a new license "above all others." The resolution will now be sent to the Michigan Liquor Control Commission before any background checks can be initiated.

P.F. Chang's will be located in the Northville Village Center Phase II located on Haggerty Road. The restaurant, recognized for the distinctive horses at its entrance, is scheduled to open for business in March.

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OVS struts its stuff in grant display

By Jennifer Norris
STAFF WRITER

On May 14, Northville Public Schools officials and community members browsed through a large showing of innovative grant displays in the Old Village School gymnasium.

According to school officials, the event was designed to highlight the various school projects that have received funding through innovative grants. Colorful tri-fold display boards gave spectators an account of the project and explained its purpose and outcome.

Assistant superintendent Linda Pallas said in order to receive an innovative grant, teachers undergo an application process and are required to describe the project in

a proposal.

"The projects are funded based on the level of innovation and relation to the curriculum," said Pallas. "It needs to support the curriculum."

She said the district awarded 30 grants this year.

Pallas said the event offered a unique opportunity to see a wrap up of what took place.

"It's good for me to see at the end of the project cycle what they've done," she said. "I've read the initial proposals."

She said a committee made the decisions on which proposals would receive funding.

Debbie Galloway, a speech therapist at Moraine Elementary, was among the Northville staff members that received an innovative grant.

Galloway, along with Moraine teachers Amy Devlin and Karen Stuard, teamed together for the project entitled, "Teachers as Reflective Practitioners."

The trio said that the aim of the project was to help teachers teach

more efficiently by collaboratively working and thinking together.

"I think what's nice is that our school board supports the teachers and their innovative ideas," said Devlin, a second grade teacher at Moraine. "They support teachers in the new innovative things they want to do."

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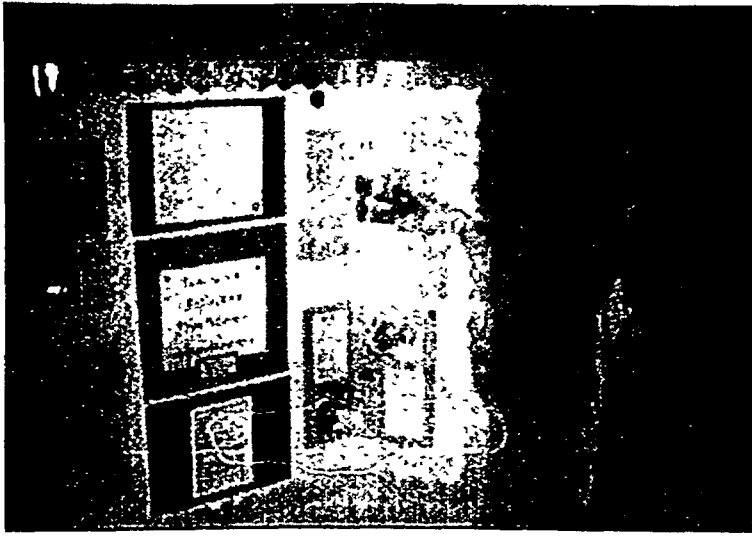


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Debbie Galloway, a speech therapist at Moraine Elementary School, points out an element of her innovative grant display board project at Old Village School May 14. Approximately 30 display boards were set up at OVS and highlighted the various school projects funded through the district's innovative grants.

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Kitchen chemistry yields sweet result

By Jennifer Norris
STAFF WRITER

Students at Hillside Middle School were literally eating up the results of their chemistry lab May 6.

Eighth grade students in Roy Hall's classroom were treated to a special lab activity entitled "The Thermal Degradation of Saccharides with Protein Inclusions."

The end result? Tasty, crunchy peanut brittle.

Hall, an eighth grade physical science and chemistry teacher at Hillside Middle School, said the lab activity was meant to be a reward for an in-depth project that students are currently working on and will complete later this month.

Hall said the efforts of many individuals made such a science activity possible. He said materials for the project were provided by the Northville Mother's Club, the Hillside PTSA organization, parent volunteers and grants through the Northville Board of Education. Approximately 20-25 parents brought in enough ingredients for over 100 students to participate in the activity, he said.

"For one lab, it's worth it," said Hall. "Kids get a good experience out of this. They get to review the material learned previously during the

PEANUT BRITTLE RECIPE

- 2 cups sugar
- 1 cup light corn syrup
- 2 cups raw Spanish peanuts
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1 Tbsp. butter
- 1 tsp. baking soda

Heat and stir sugar, syrup and water in a heavy 3-quart saucepan until the sugar dissolves. Cook over medium heat to soft ball stage (234 degrees). Add nuts and salt. Cook to hard crack stage (305 degrees), stirring often. Remove from heat.

Quickly, stir in butter and soda. Pour at once onto 2 well-buttered 15-1/2 x 10-1/2 inch pans, spreading with spatula. If desired, cool slightly and pull with forks to stretch thin. Break up when cold.

Yield: About 1 1/2 pounds of peanut brittle

school year [and] review lab/safety procedures."

Several parent volunteers were also on hand for the May 6 session and provided adult supervision as the students prepared the peanut brittle mixture.

Hall said he was pleased to see such a high level of parent involvement.

"I don't think we have enough activities like this to get them in," he said. "Not often do we get the parents into the classroom on a regular school day. It's kind of neat."

Hall said once he informed parents of the project, plenty of support followed.

"I didn't have one parent who responded they would help, not follow through," he said. "That says a lot."

"If it weren't for the fact that I had things like the Mother's Club, the PTSA, parents making donations of their time...without that, this lab wouldn't have happened."

Hall said the students are currently working on a lengthy project in which the students select a job, scholarship, or a volunteer program that they can apply for in the next year based on their age. With that in mind, he said, the students are to create a job portfolio and include an application, resume, cover letter, three letters of recommendation and a personal essay. The students will then undergo a mock interview with various professionals and community members to further familiarize them with the employment process.

The peanut brittle activity, Hall said, is in recognition of the student's extensive preparation.

"This is to reward them for the time and effort creating their job portfolio," said Hall.

He said four sessions of the lab were arranged and consisted of 24 lab groups.

"I had a parent for every group," he said. "It's a lot of teamwork. It takes a lot of time and energy, but to me it's well worth it."

Hillside students said they enjoyed the opportunity to try their hand at cooking using chemistry.

"You're still doing science, but you're having fun and you can eat the end result," said eighth grade student Megan Sledz. "We studied chemistry in the beginning of the year. This is kind of like a review. I've never made peanut brittle before. I've had it before and I think it's good."

Lindsay Williams agreed. "It's pretty fun so far," said Williams, an eighth grade student. "It's different than the other science experiments we've done. I've never really had it before, but I think it's interesting."

Williams also said she is anticipating the upcoming in-depth project.

"I'm looking forward to the interview project because I'll benefit from it," she said. "This ties in pretty well because it's something fun before we have to work hard."

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Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Hillside Middle School students Megan Sledz, left, and Megan Monticiccolo stir and keep an eye on their solidified mixed esters, sucrose, NaCl, and (4-hydroxy-3-methoxy-benzaldehyde) during Monday's chemistry-meets-cuisine class.

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The bride, given in marriage by her father, is the daughter of Robert and Suzanne Nix of Northville. She is a 1999 graduate of Michigan State University and is employed by The Yeoman group as an environmental engineer. The groom is the son of John and Cheryl Korth of Troy. He is a 1998 graduate of MSU and is employed as an English teacher at Lansing Sexton High School.

The maid of honor was Melissa Hayes. Bridesmaids were Dana Debel and Robin Nix. The best man was Joseph Korth. Groomsmen were Stacey Spence and Christian Nix. The bride's grandmother, Jeannette Turner, served as a reader.

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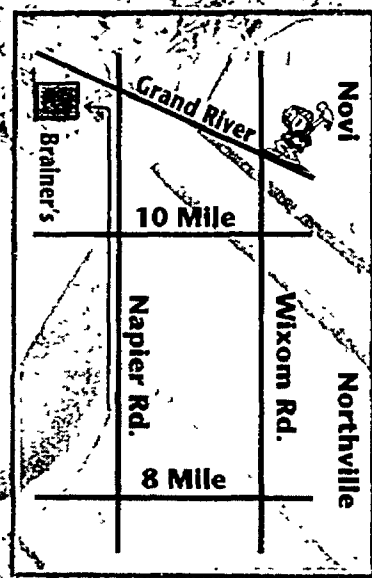
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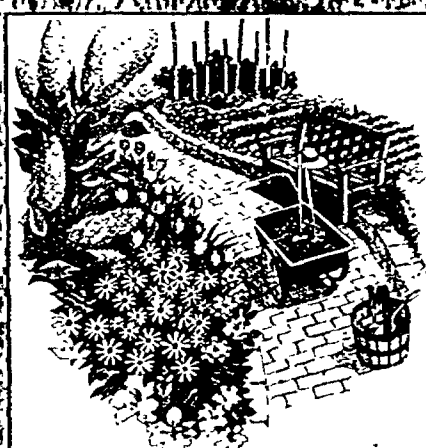
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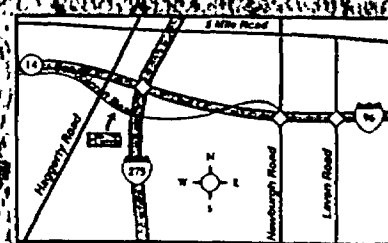
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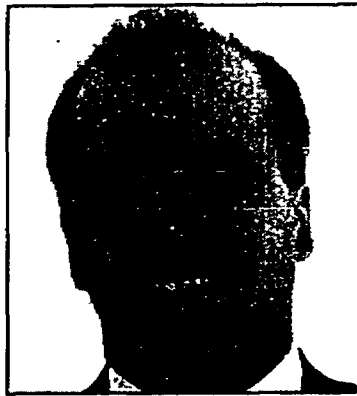
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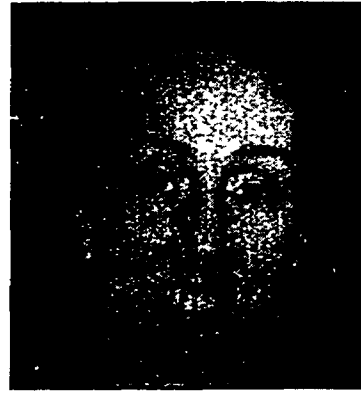
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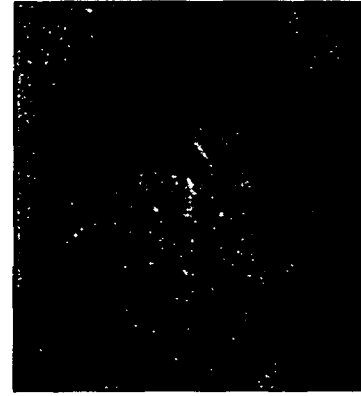
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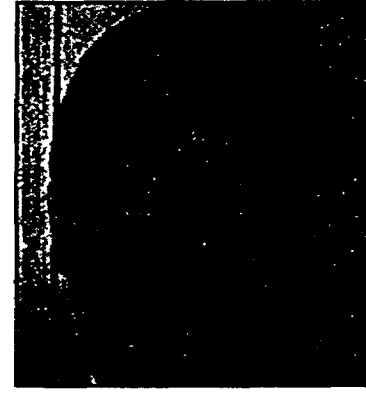
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Ken Roth

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Previous educational experience / School-related work

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Holds bachelor of science in elementary education

Certified teacher; have taught preschool-3rd grade; served as president of Michigan Association for the Education of Young Children.

Northville school board candidate, 2000; served on Committee for Continuing Excellence for Northville's Children

Family

Married; three children attending Northville schools

• Husband: Michael
 • Children: daughter (7) and two sons (5, 3)

• Husband: (Michael)
 • Children: Clark (11th grade, Northville High School), Clay (8th grade, Hillside Middle School)

• Wife: Dr. Amy Kostrzewa

The Queries

Available land in the Northville school district is quickly disappearing, and that which remains is quite expensive. When additional space is needed in Northville's schools, what do you believe is the best way for the district to acquire the land it needs?

• Research our needs beyond the five-year requirement while maintaining current 24:1 student-teacher ratios;
 • Consider expanding buildings on current property.
 If we need more land, then:
 • Investigate adding land adjacent to current property
 • Consider investing in property before property values rise higher;
 • If future enrollment does not support keeping property, it can be sold for a profit.

Northville school district officials have listened to a presentation from a Minnesota school district regarding pushing back the start time for high school students. Where do you stand on the late-start issue?

Medical research shows there may be benefits, but I would seek answers to:
 • Why have other school districts not adopted this program?
 • Will athletics / extra-curricular activities be affected if other schools do not adopt late start?
 • Is there an expense for more buses, or changing bus schedules?
 • What are parents' options?
 Then, we can make an informed decision.

To what extent does scholastic testing administered by the state of Michigan tell you about Northville students' academic standing?

Standardized scholastic testing is only one indicator of Northville students' academic standing. However, a more accurate indicator is how prepared our students are when they graduate. Over 90 percent of our graduates go on to college or universities. This shows the parental commitment and support for quality education and the commitment and hard work of our students and teachers.

What are your feelings regarding testing for Northville teachers?

We should ask — is testing necessary? Prior to becoming a certified teacher, our teachers take and pass state and national teachers' exams. Our district's personnel office carefully scrutinizes candidates' grades, qualifications and credentials before hiring. The quality of our students, their performance on standardized tests, and the high percentage of students going on to college show we have quality teachers?

The best way to acquire new land would be to assess our current budget and make necessary adjustments. Line items that aren't necessary to our core curriculum could be earmarked for land acquisition. Individual and corporate donations should be pursued. Cutting back on after-school programs and proposing a millage vote should be our last resort.

It seems to be a good idea, since the current data shows that adolescents perform better academically later in the morning. However, what effects would a change in start time have on K-8 students? Would this be in their best interest, as well? Would this impact our transportation department? The effects on the entire district need to be addressed.

Our students have a reputation of performing well academically. Many families move to and stay in our school district based on results of state-administered tests. Although not perfect, these tests lay a foundation on which to assess how well a district is meeting the needs of their students as compared with other districts.

I'm open to testing teachers, but how would you test them? Subject competence is clearly important. But so is a teacher's ability to present subject matter in an interesting way, to be enthusiastic, to be a source of support. Tests can assess a teacher's knowledge of a subject, but they cannot assess how well he or she relays that knowledge to students.

I would suggest developers and builders be strongly encouraged to set aside land for schools, parks and recreation. Developers have a vested interest in a community, and the quality of our schools is the key reason for the desirability of Northville as a community of choice. A strong partnership between the community and school is vital.

I am familiar with the research on the issue and would first encourage parents to help their children develop healthy lifestyle habits which foster sleep at night and alertness during the day. Exercise, good nutrition, the elimination of after-school naps and a bedtime routine can be implemented as first steps to addressing the issue.

Northville students consistently score high on the Michigan Educational Assessment Program tests. Standard and Poor's rates Northville students as exceptionally above-average in the MEAP composite pass rate. The MEAP scores indicate areas for improvement, as well as our many strengths. School improvement committees use the scores to develop school-wide goals for the future.

Teachers in Michigan area already required to pass state-mandated tests in the areas in which they teach. A more important issue is what mentoring and continuing education opportunities are available to keep teachers at the top of their field? Access to professional development and ongoing collegial support is critical for teachers at all levels.

Agreements like the one with Grand Sakwa Properties, which allowed construction of a school with zero property expense, must be pursued. Large development should include set-asides for school purposes.

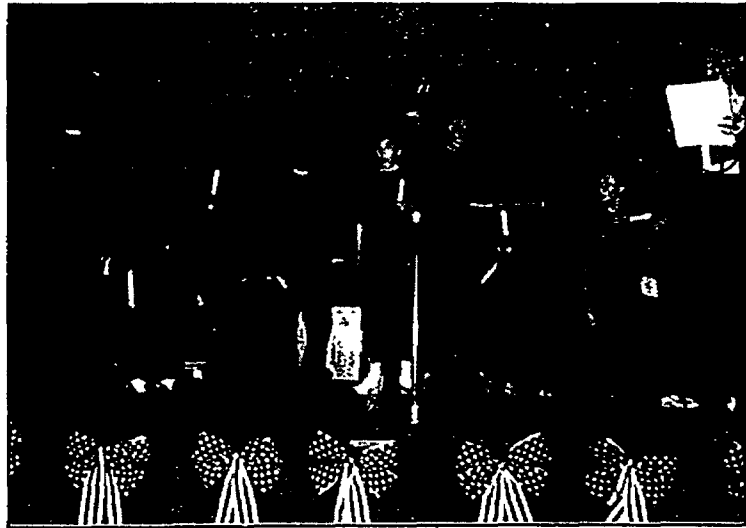
The district holds undeveloped land on Eight Mile Road. This should be retained for future use as a potential site, or to be exchanged for other property.

The proposal has an extremely broad impact; those advocating it should have a heavy burden of persuasion. It impacts all aspects of services — transportation, after-school events, and home life. There must be significant and demonstrable benefits to justify the disruption to the district, and any additional transportation expenses. The review committee report will be critical.

It says a great deal, but not everything. The district's students routinely perform at the top of state tests. The district spends less money per student than many other top districts that match its performance, such as Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills. It indicates that money spent on small class size is having a positive effect.

There is currently no state plan for testing. I support the current certification process. All teachers should be qualified in their areas. If testing is fairly and accurately administered, and honestly reflects teachers' competence, then I have no objection. Most of the district's teachers are certified in their field and continue their professional education.

OVS students chime in on music at Livonia Mall



submitted photo
Old Village School students Ray Jones, Chris Nicholson, Alex Herrera, Isaac Brazill, Sean Palnau, Gabby Gartrell, David Smith, Jake Miller, Quincy Threat and music therapist Haley Johnson perform at the Livonia Mall.

By Jennifer Norris
STAFF WRITER

The hand-chime choir from Old Village School recently performed as part of the Very Special Arts of Michigan Southeast Region festival in Livonia.

The group displayed their talents in the Sears Court of the Livonia Mall located at Seven Mile and Middlebelt Road.

According to OVS principal, Art Fischer, the students were under the direction of Haley Johnson, a

music therapist at the school.

"She leads the hand-chime choir," said Fischer. "We've started to perform in a number of different places in the Northville area."

Approximately 12 students participated in the event.

Fischer said it was necessary to apply in order to be selected to perform.

"We weren't sure whether they'd take our school group or not," he said. "This is something new this year that Hayley and myself have coordinated. This is an activity that

[allows] our special needs students to give something back to the community and also to recognize the Very Special Arts program and their involvement with special needs kids. It's a nice opportunity."

He said the group has just begun to perform this year. This event marked their third performance.

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Area architects recognized by state

By Pauline Campos
STAFF WRITER

A local company recently received honors in the American Institute of Architects Michigan design contest. Husband and wife Gina and Kenneth VanTine and Michael Guthrie of VanTine Guthrie Studio of Architecture in Northville designed one of the ten projects chosen in the state wide contest.

The award winning interior "museum like" atmosphere was created for Farmington Hills-based Sterling Millwork to allow for the company to showcase its products.

"They are an up and coming firm that has been winning awards for the past two years," said Lynne Merrill Francis, referring to VanTine Guthrie.

Francis, who works in commu-

nications for AIA Michigan, said that the competition began in the early 1960's. Since its start, Francis explained, it has always been judged "blind" by architects from another state to ensure the decisions are not influenced by company names. This year's contest was judged by a group from Denver.

The projects were judged by how well they met the needs of the client, Francis explained.

"Portfolios are put together containing photographs and drawings as well as a narrative description," she said, adding that the narrative carried extra importance due to the necessity of describing how the designs did in fact meet the client's needs.

VanTine Guthrie's design for Sterling Millwork, described as "unconventional in its form" by Gina VanTine, met those qualifica-

tions. "They took a chance on us and allowed us to come in and experiment. And it's worked out very well," she said.

As described by Guthrie's narrative of the design, it was conceived as a museum of millwork.

"The interior forms within the office space are presented as artistic sculptures that are visually independent but collectively define space," Guthrie stated in

the narrative. VanTine Guthrie has been located in Northville for two years. This is the second award VanTine Guthrie has received for the project. They also received AIA Detroit chapter honor award last November.

Pauline Campos is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 109, or at pcampos@ht.homecomm.net.

Honored



submitted photo

Angela Hospice president Sister Mary Giovanni, volunteer Barbara Whell and Hospice volunteer services manager Donna Kolodtsick were honored at the facility's April 22 recognition dinner.

Births

Clay Christopher Wissman was born March 28 at 5 a.m. at Providence Hospital in Southfield to Christine and Michael Wissman of Northville.

Clay weighed 7 pounds, 3 ounces and measured 20 1/2 inches at birth.

Clay is the brother of Cole Michael Wissman. He is the grandson of Robert Wissman of Northville, Jeffrey and Marilyn Montgomery of Plymouth and Ned and Carol Burdick of North Muskegon. He is the great-grandson of Marie Tubergen of Fremont.

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May 24	9:15 a.m. 4:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	School tour Rehearsal Rehearsal Rehearsal	School Church Church Church
May 25	Noon 2:30 p.m. 5 p.m.	Wedding Wedding Wedding	Church Church Church
May 26	10 a.m. 2 p.m.	Mill Creek Community Church Eagle Scout ceremony	Church Church
May 27	Memorial Day		
May 28	9 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 6 p.m.	Stone Gang School tour Scout bridging	Cady Inn School Bridge / Cady
May 29	9:30 a.m. 6 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	School tour Scout bridging Mill Creek Community Church prayer service	School Bridge / Cady Inn Church

As you start your spring cleaning, we would like you to keep Mill Race Village in mind. At our annual Fourth of July festivities we are planning to hold our auction. If you come across items you would be willing to donate to the Northville Historical Society for the auction, we will be happy to accept them. If you have any questions call the office at (248) 348-1845 between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. The docent luncheon will be held

June 1 at 11:30 a.m. at Cady Inn. All interested in becoming docents (tour guide and hosts at our various buildings) are welcome to attend. Call the office for information and to RSVP. All of our buildings will be open to the public on Sundays from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. beginning June 9. All are welcome. This year was our best plant swap yet. Thanks to great weather and help from many volunteers: Denish Nash,

Barb Davies and MailBoxes, Etc. for publicity, Linda Lestock and Mike Conrad for plants; Denise, Barb and Sonia Swigart for cookies, Paul Vertrees and the department of public works for delivering compost; Pat Schimmer at Mill Race for answering telephone inquiries and Sandy Basse for including the date in the quarterly. Thank you to all for creating a wonderful day.

NHS seniors' artwork takes stage at library

By Jennifer Norris
STAFF WRITER

Move over, Monet. Here comes the art of Northville High School seniors. The Student Fine Art Show will be highlighted between May 22-29 at the Northville District Library. According to cultural arts specialist for the Northville Arts Commission Kathleen Tabaczynski, the juried show will feature work by Northville High School's senior class in the categories of metals, ceramics, photography, two dimensional art, graphics/mixed media and sculpture. The event is sponsored by the Northville Arts Commission in cooperation with Northville Parks and Recreation, the Northville District Library, First Presbyterian Church of Northville and Northville High School. "The artwork is actually voted on," said Tabaczynski. "This is the third year that we've had the student art show." She said the work will be con-

"I think it's to celebrate the talent of the youth in the community."

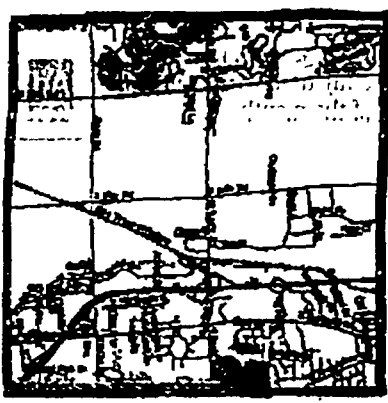
Kathleen Tabaczynski
Northville Arts Commission

tributed by members of the class of 2002. Tabaczynski said in the past the event was open to elementary through high school age students. However, this year the fine art show is limited to high school seniors due to space restrictions. She said the event was moved from Northville First Presbyterian Church to the library because of ongoing construction work at the church.

"It will resume at the church next year," she said. Tabaczynski said this event offers an ideal way to highlight the artistic endeavors of local students. "I think there's some really great talent," she said. "I think it's to celebrate the talent of the youth in the community." Tabaczynski said approximately 60 to 100 pieces of artwork will be displayed, however the amount of artwork will depend on the quantity submitted. The event, which is free of charge to attend, will be hosted at the Northville District Library during its normal business hours. For more information on this event or the Northville Arts Commission, call (248) 449-9950. Jennifer Norris is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700 ext. 107 or by e-mail at jnorris@ht.homecom.net.

WAYNE COUNTY'S DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICES IN COOPERATION WITH THE TOWNSHIPS OF NORTHVILLE AND PLYMOUTH ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION AND WIDENING OF BECK ROAD (M-14 TO SIX MILE ROAD)

June 5, 2002
6:30 PM
Township of Northville, Township Hall
41600 West Six Mile Road



- Project overview.
- Preliminary project schedule: Tentative construction start date April 2003.
- Overview of the right-of-way acquisition process.
- Tentative acquisition schedule June 2002 through August 2002.
- Your opportunity to offer input on the project.
- Your opportunity to get answers to your questions and concerns.

For further information please contact Michael Darga at (313) 224-7693 or Curtis Brochue (313) 224-7759 or Sandra Rutkowski (313) 224-7772

(5-23-02 NR 1110027)

NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE OFFICE CLOSING

The following Charter Township of Northville Administrative Offices will be closed on Monday, May 27, 2002 in observance of Memorial Day.

Township Civic Center	41600 W. Six Mile Road
Township Financial Center	41660 W. Six Mile Road
Township Public Services/Water & Sewer	16225 Beck Road

The Department of Public Safety and the Fire Department will remain open. The office will re-open on Tuesday, May 28, 2002 at 8:00 a.m. (5-16 & 5-23-02 NR 1109642) SUE A. HILLEBRAND, CLERK

CITY OF NORTHVILLE PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

A Public Hearing will be held on Monday, June 3, 2002 at 7:30 p.m. at the Northville City Hall Council Chambers located at 215 W. Main Street to receive public comments on a proposed Water and Sewer Rate Schedule as follows:

Rate Type	Current Rate	Proposed Rate	Adjustment %
Water (per unit)	3.82	4.19	9.7% Increase
Sewer (per unit)	3.50	3.78	8.0% Increase
Combined (per unit)	7.32	7.97	8.9% Increase
Service Charge (bi-monthly)	4.92	4.92	No Change
Sewer - Dual Meter (per unit)	1.34	1.46	9% Increase

(NOTE: one unit - 1,000 gallons)
Persons wanting to comment on the proposed water and sewer rate adjustments are invited to attend this meeting.
(5-23-02 NR 1110901) DIANNE MASSA, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NOVI VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO SERVE ON CITY BOARDS & COMMISSIONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Novi City Council will be interviewing applicants for appointment to the Beautification Commission, Construction Board of Appeals, Historical Commission, Housing & Community Development Advisory Committee, Library Board, Parks, Recreation & Forestry Commission, Planning Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals on Monday, June 10, 2002 beginning at 7:30 P.M. If you are a qualified voter in the City of Novi and interested in volunteering to serve on a City board or commission, applications are available in the office of the City Clerk, 45175 W. Ten Mile, or by calling (248) 347-0456 to receive an application by mail or fax, or log onto the City Web Site at www.ci.novi.mi.us to print out an application. Please submit your application by Wednesday, June 5, 2002 to allow time for scheduling appointments. Interviews are 15 minutes each; all City Council meetings are televised. (5-29/16/23/30-02 NR/NN 1106623) MARYANNE CORNELIUS, CITY CLERK

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT PHEASANT HILLS SUBDIVISION HOMEOWNERS

A Public Hearing will be held on Monday, June 3, 2002 at 7:30 p.m. at the Northville City Hall Council Chambers located at 215 W. Main Street to receive public comments on a proposed special assessment district in the Pheasant Hills Subdivision. A petition has been placed before the Northville City Council by the residents of the Pheasant Hills Subdivision requesting the establishment of a special assessment district for the purpose of financing the replacement of existing street lighting with gas lighting. The total cost of the project is approximately \$90,000. This cost is to be paid entirely by the homeowners of the Pheasant Hills Subdivision. The City of Northville would contract to remove existing lighting and install the new lighting. The City of Northville would maintain these lights and pay all monthly energy costs for their operation. This notice is required by the Northville Code of Ordinances to inform you of the public hearing to be held for City Council to meet and hear any person to be affected by the proposed public improvement. Additionally, it is required that you be informed that: "appearance and protest at the hearing in the special assessment proceedings is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the state tax tribunal, and that an owner or party in interest, or his agent, may appear in person at the hearing to protest the special assessment or may file his appearance or protest by letter and his personal appearance shall not be required." Also, "the owner or any party having an interest in the real property may file a written appeal of the special assessment with the state tax tribunal within 30 days after the confirmation of the special assessment roll if that special assessment was protested at the hearing held for the purpose of confirming the roll." You are invited to attend the hearing or submit comments in writing to: Office of the City Clerk, City of Northville, 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167. (5-23-02 NR 1110727)

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING SYNOPSIS

Date: May 16, 2002
Time: 7:30 PM Regular Meeting
Place: 41600 West Six Mile Road
Call to Order: The Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Abbo at 7:30 p.m.
Roll Call: Mark Abbo, Sue Hillebrand, Richard Henningsen, Marjorie Banner (excused absence), Marv Gans, Shirley Klokenga, Brad Werner (excused absence).

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:
1. Agendas: Mobon to approve the consent agenda and the regular agenda approved: 5-0
2. Appointments, Petitions, Resolutions & Announcements:
A. Senior Housing Awareness Week May 12 through May 18, 2002 Resolution approved: 5-0
B. Municipal Finance Qualifying Statement Resolution approved: 5-0
C. Presentation by Mindy Carr, representing the Johnson Creek Protection Group, recognizing the efforts and support of the Township of Northville in the preservation of the Johnson Creek.
D. Johnson Creek Protection Group Resolution approved: 5-0
3. Public Hearings:
A. Public Hearing for Parklane Paving SAD held and Resolution #1 to proceed with the next step in developing the SAD District approved: 5-0
4. Brief Public Comments and Questions: Residents of Woodland South Condominiums asked the Board of Trustees to consider changing the street name Gibson Ct.
5. New Business:
A. Northville Hills Golf Club Subdivision 4 Final Plat approved: 5-0
B. 2001 Year End Audit approved: 5-0
C. Notice of Intent to Issue Bonds approved: 5-0
D. P.F. Chang China Bistro, Inc. Liquor License Resolution to the State approved: 5-0
E. Donation in the amount of \$5,000.00 to the Northville Development Block Grant Program approved: 5-0
F. Participation in Wayne County's Community Development Block Grant Program approved: 5-0
G. Haggerty Road Pathway Easements approved: 5-0
H. Stonewater Subdivision #5 Sanitary Sewer Easements approved: 5-0
I. Haggerty Road Pathway Payment #4 to O'Laughlin Construction Company in the amount of \$23,023.57 approved: 5-0
J. Quail Ridge Drain Improvements Construction Contract awarded to Jack Angin Civil Constructors, Inc. in the amount of \$435,225.00 approved: 5-0
6. Unfinished Business: None.
7. Ordinances: None
8. Bills Payable:
A. Bills Payable in the amount of \$1,036,421.43 approved: 5-0
9. Board Communications: Monthly reports from: Mark Abbo, Sue Hillebrand, Richard Henningsen, Marv Gans, Shirley Klokenga, Chip Snider
10. Any Other Business that may properly be brought before the Board of Trustees:
11. Meeting was adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

SUE A. HILLEBRAND, CLERK
MARK ABBO, SUPERVISOR
(5-23-02 NR 1110283)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS WINCHESTER ELEMENTARY ADDITIONS AND RENOVATIONS

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Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9601
Telephone: 248-737-5800
Facsimile: 248-737-5801

Northville Public Schools invites qualified contractors, including MBE/WBE/SBE firms, to submit proposals/bids for the above-referenced project for the following Bid Categories:

1A	Asphalt Paving
1B	Flat Work
1C	Masonry
1D	Carpentry
1E	Roofing & Sheet Metal
1F	Caulking
1G	Hollow Metal Doors, Wood Doors, Frames and Hardware
1H	Glass & Aluminum
1I	Steel Studs, Drywall, EIFS and Acoustical Ceilings
1J	VCT & Carpet
1K	Paint & Wall Covering
1L	Visual Display Boards
1M	Toilet Partitions & Accessories
1N	Casework
1O	Plumbing
1P	HVAC
1Q	Electrical

BIDS ARE DUE at 2:00 p.m. local time on Wednesday, June 5, 2002. On behalf of Northville Public Schools, Etkin Skanska, Inc. will receive sealed proposals for the above project at Northville Public Schools, 501 W. Main, Northville, MI 48167. Attention: Dave Borfido, until the stipulated bid opening date and time. Bids received after the stipulated date and time will not be considered and will be returned unopened. Bids will be opened at a public meeting to be convened at 3:00 p.m. on June 5, 2002, at Northville Public Schools Board Room, located next door at 505 W. Main, Northville, MI 48167. Bids must be clearly marked with the project name and bid category(ies). All interested bidders may obtain copies of the drawings and specifications from Etkin Skanska Inc. upon request and upon providing a bid deposit of \$50,000, made payable to Northville Public Schools. Etkin Skanska Inc. will return all bid deposits to contractor(s) after bid date and when bid documents are returned to Etkin Skanska Inc. in good condition. A minimum of 5% bid security, either in the form of a Bid Bond or Cashier's Check payable to Northville Public Schools, must accompany each bid. In accordance with Michigan Compiled Laws Section 129.201, successful contractor(s) must obtain Performance and Payment Bonds shall be in an amount equal to the contract amount. The Performance and Payment Bonds shall be solely for the protection of Northville Public Schools and Etkin Skanska Inc. as dual obligees. The Performance and Payment Bonds shall be executed by a surety company authorized to do business in the State of Michigan and be listed in the Federal Register or have an AM Best Rating of B+ or better. Northville Public Schools and Etkin Skanska Inc. reserve the right to reject any or all bids and to waive irregularities in bids. AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER (5-23-02 NR 1110031)

REGULAR SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE OF REGULAR ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF NOVI COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD JUNE 10, 2002

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:
Please Take Notice that the regular election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 10, 2002.
THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING AND CLOSE AT 8 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.
At the regular school election there will be elected one (1) member to the board of education of the district for a full term of four (4) years ending in 2006.
THE FOLLOWING PERSON HAS BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCY:
George F. Kortlandt
Write-in candidates must file a Declaration of Intent on or before 4 p.m. Friday, June 7, 2002.

OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE REGULAR BIENNIAL ELECTION

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Regular Biennial Election of Oakland Community College, Michigan, will be held at the same time and at the same voting places as the regular school election on Monday, June 10, 2002, and will be conducted by the same school officials for those electors of the Community College District residing in this school district.
ONLY REGISTERED SCHOOL ELECTORS RESIDING IN THE OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE AREA OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE REGULAR BIENNIAL ELECTION OF THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE.
At the Regular Biennial Election there will be elected two (2) members for the office of Community College District Trustee for full terms of six (6) years ending June 30, 2008.
THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

Philip J. Abraham	Sandra L. Ritter
Rose Couture	Jeanne Towar
Michael L. McGuinness	Sandra Tyndell

Write-in candidates must file a Declaration of Intent on or before 4 p.m. Friday, June 7, 2002.

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

PRECINCT NO. 1
Voting Place: Instructional Technology Center, 25425 Taft Road, Novi, Michigan.

PRECINCT NO. 2
Voting Place: Orchard Hills Elementary School, 41900 Quince, Novi, Michigan.

PRECINCT NO. 3
Voting Place: Village Oaks Elementary School, 23333 Willowbrook, Novi, Michigan.

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election. This Notice is given by order of the board of education.
(5-23-02 NR,NN 1110029) JOHN STREIT, SECRETARY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Rebecca's On Center honored by Record readers

By Pauline Campos
STAFF WRITER

and maybe because of that, there is a comforting sense of being home.

Take a breath, look around, and smile. You are in Rebecca's on Center St. And it's easy to see why her establishment was voted the best for family dining in Northville.

The only sure thing in the restaurant industry is opening time, and for Rebecca's staff that's 8 a.m. seven days a week. Monday through Friday the doors close when the line for ice-cream stops. The same rules apply Saturday and Sunday but the grill closes at 4 p.m. so the staff can concentrate on making Sanders hot fudge cream puffs, Boston coolers, and kiddie cones.

Rebecca Good loves what she does. And her customers love her.

Brian Van Ripper, a Northville resident and regular customer, believes it's the service that makes Rebecca's stand out. He likes the fact that both

Rebecca and her staff remember their customer's names.

"It's a nice little place. And it's the service that makes you feel comfortable just walking in the door," he said.

His daughters might like the service, but Logan, 7, and Quinn, 4, are in it for the great food and ice-cream.

"Rebecca's so nice and I love the ice-cream," said Logan. "And I love the mozzarella sticks."

"Me too," said Quinn, meaning the part about loving the ice-cream. Quinn's favorite meal is the kiddie hot dog with French fries.

"We have some really great customers," says Good. "Some of the regulars even chip in and roll silverware or clean tables when it's busier in here."

When both girls smile as a waitress sits down to talk with her two favorite customers, Good smiles too. Her staff has been an essential part of making

her four-and-a-half-year-old business a success. And they have helped her stay close to her goal of keeping the business "family friendly."

"They're the best in the world," she boasts.

Rebecca's customers may love the service with a smile, but that's not the only reason they line up out the door during the busy summer weekends. With a wide variety of menu items to choose from such as salads, sandwiches, home made soups and chili, Mexican dishes, a full breakfast menu and a ice cream treats to choose from, it's no wonder that people keep coming back to Rebecca's on Center.

Rebecca's is 134 N. Center St. Northville, MI 48167. The phone number is (248) 348-2660.

Pauline Campos is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 109, or at pcampos@ht.homecomm.net.

Obituaries

Fae E. Taylor

Fae Taylor, formerly of Northville, died April 27 at West Hickory Haven Nursing Home in Milford. She was 84.

Ms. Taylor was born Aug. 17, 1917 in Manistique to David and Estella (Augustine-Anderson) Seaman. She lived on a farm in the Manistique area. She married Frank Taylor in 1939 and relocated to the Detroit area. Ms. Taylor worked for the Honeywell Corporation as an executive secretary, retiring in 1982.

Ms. Taylor was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Northville and several community and civic groups.

Ms. Taylor is survived by her children, Barbara Taylor and David (Aleta) Taylor; her grandchildren, David, Melody and Dorothy Taylor; and great-grandson Ryan Orgel.

A memorial service was held at First

Presbyterian. Rev. Kent Clise officiated the service. Interment was at Glen Eden Cemetery in Livonia. Memorial contributions may be sent to the American Heart Association or the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

Linda K. Duguid

Linda Duguid of Redford died May 14 at Sinai-Grace Hospital in Detroit. She was 56.

Ms. Duguid was born May 17, 1945 in Northville to William Duguid and Lillian Heintz. Ms. Duguid lived most of her life in the Northville area. She worked as a telephone operator.

Ms. Duguid is survived by her brother, William Duguid of Marquette. She was preceded in death by her parents and her sister.

A memorial service for Ms. Duguid was held

May 18 at Casterline Funeral Home of Northville. Dr. Joseph Tabbi of Family Worship Center Assembly of God in South Lyon officiated the service. Interment will be at Rural Hill Cemetery in Northville.

Memorial contributions may be sent to the American Cancer Society, c/o Memorial Department, 18505 W. Twelve Mile Road, Southfield, Mich. 48076.

Frank J. Hojnacki

Frank Hojnacki of Northville and Delray Beach, Fla. died in Florida on April 22. He was 88.

Mr. Hojnacki was born in Detroit on Aug. 28, 1913 to Frank and Helene (Sobierajski) Hojnacki. Mr. Hojnacki was a businessman who owned the City Limits Bar and Sargent's

Bar in Detroit and Redford. He was also a member of the John W. Smith Oldtimers.

Mr. Hojnacki is survived by his wife, Ann; his children, Helene (Julius) Szlazinski of Florida and Gregory (Lynda) Hojnacki of Northville; seven grandchildren, five great-grandchildren; and his stepdaughter, Cecilia.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated May 25 at 11 a.m. at St. Bonaventure Monastery in Detroit. Burial will follow at Mt. Olivet Cemetery. Funeral arrangements were made by Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen.

Helen Jeanette Kierszkowski

Helen Jeanette Kierszkowski of Northville Township died May 14 at the Danto Health

Care Center in West Bloomfield. She was 80.

Ms. Kierszkowski was born Nov. 30, 1921 to Oscar R. and Charlotte B. (Hayett) Long in Hagerstown, Md. Ms. Kierszkowski was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and member of her church.

Ms. Kierszkowski is survived by her husband, Leonard; her son, Robert (Viola) Seck of Redford; his grandchildren; his sister, Kathleen Otto; and his stepson, Leonard J. Kierszkowski of Livonia.

A memorial service for Ms. Kierszkowski was held May 17 at Redford United Methodist Church. Rev. Bea Soots officiated. Interment was at Acacia Park Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be sent to Redford United Methodist. Funeral arrangements were made by Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home.

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LIBRARY HOURS

The Northville District Library is open Monday through Thursday, from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. The library will be closed Sunday May 26 and Monday May 27 for the Memorial Day holiday. Located at 212 W. Cady Street, near City Hall, with parking off Cady Street. For

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LIBRARY BOARD MEETING

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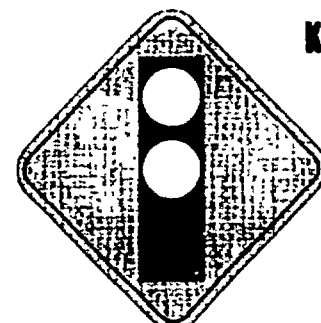
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McGuire named parade marshal Memorial Day parade returns

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"I'm happy to do it," he said. "I like to support the community." Supporting the community is something McGuire has been doing since he opened up shop on May 5, 1940 in the Northville community. And ever since the beginning McGuire, has been working with Casterline Funeral Home director Butch Casterline to bring the community together following the Memorial Day Parade by giving

away ice cream in the parking lot of the Casterline Funeral Home. "It's been kind of a tradition for 61 years," said the 93-year-old former business owner, adding that this is his first time as grand marshal. McGuire, who has sold Guernsey Farms Dairy to his four sons, is fond of Northville and appreciated the good times he has had in the community. He recalled how he only sold 40 quarts of milk at five cents a quart on his first day in

business. "I only made two dollars my first day. It wouldn't be much today, but that's how we got started," he said. "I have a lot of good memories in Northville. The community has been good to me." McGuire also believes that the parade is part of the community's history. "I think it means a lot. It kind of keeps the community together," he said. "We have to think of those who came before us and spent

their lives for us. We have reason to be thankful that they kept us safe and kept us free." McGuire will be transported by the Northville Carriage Company in a horse drawn carriage during the parade which is set to start at 10 a.m. at the corner of Main and Griswold.

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115 veteran's graves at the Memorial. Upon the conclusion of the ceremony, the community is invited to complimentary Guernsey Farms Dairy ice cream bars which will be served in the parking lot of Casterline Funeral Home on Dunlap Street. The ice cream, also a tradition that dates back to 1940, is provided by both Casterline Funeral Home and Guernsey Farms Dairy.

The parade will begin to assemble at 9:15 a.m. on E. Cady Street between Center and Griswold. Parking will be available in the Michigan Gift Mart public parking lot located off of Center Street. "If you've never been, come this year and see what you have been missing," said Manuel.

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Township woman dies in crash

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and struck a vehicle driven by a 17-year-old Livonia male, who was treated and released at the scene with minor injuries. According to Madzik, concerned residents, including an off-duty detective, observed the woman driving erratically in her black Grand Prix and began to follow her. She stopped at a red light at Seven and Northridge before continuing on, still driving on both sides of the road. "This is where she made contact with the black Taurus driven by the 17-year-old," he said. "Upon our arrival, we treated both victims involved. A Huron Valley Ambulance transported the

woman to Saint Mary's Hospital where she was pronounced dead." Madzik added that although the woman had received "substantial injuries" as a result of the collision, investigators would be awaiting the results of an autopsy to determine if there were any preceding causes to the accident. "We believe some unknown medical condition may have occurred," said police chief John Werth, adding that witness accounts describe the woman as "suffering some sort of distress" before the accident occurred. Werth also said that there was no indication of speed being a factor in the incident. "It appears that both vehicles were traveling the posted speed

limit," he said. Seven Mile Road remained closed until approximately 3 p.m. while police and fire officials completed their on-the-scene investigations. The name of the victim is being withheld pending notification of

next of kin. *Pauline Campos is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 109, or at pcampos@ht.homecomm.net.*




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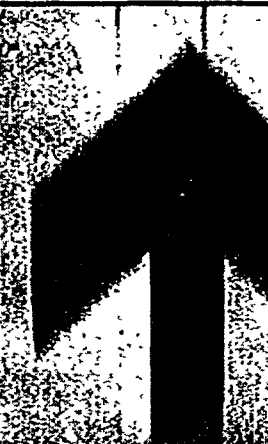
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NHS students have the heart n' sole (race)

On Campus

By Jennifer Norris
STAFF WRITER

On May 18, students from Northville High School's Rotary Interact Club and community members rallied together as they participated in the third annual Heart 'n' Sole race.

"We tried to get a lot of sponsors this year," said Krista Olson, a senior at Northville High School and co-president of the school's Rotary Interact Club. She said Jerome Austin PC in Northville was a major race sponsor.

Rotary Interact members said children in several nations will benefit from the recent race.

Sophomore and Rotary Interact member Shiyant Agrawal said the money raised will aid Children International.

"It really helps them," said Agrawal. "Even a small sum of money for us can do wonders for them."

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*Shiyant Agrawal
Northville Rotary Interact*

On that day, race participants laced their running shoes as they prepared for the 5K run, a one-mile walk and sprints. The event commenced at the track at Hillside Middle School, stretched throughout the town and ended at the school's track.

Runners received medals for their efforts, raffle prizes and refreshments.

Agrawal said she would like students at the middle school level to be aware of the race and become involved.

"We kind of want to target middle schoolers," she said. "I did it as a middle school [student] and that's how I found out about Rotary Interact."

Runners were not charged an entrance fee to participate.

Club members said in past years the event has raised approximately \$3,000.

Rotary Interact members also said it's not too early for race participants or business sponsors to begin thinking about becoming active in the Heart 'n' Sole race for 2003.

For more information on joining Rotary Interact or becoming a race sponsor, call (248) 349-8232.

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Northville residents **Laurel Rupley** and **Precious Shah** were named to the dean's list at **Northwestern University** for the winter quarter of the 2001-2002 academic year.

Northville residents **Angela Deboer**, **Jeffrey Moon** and **Maureen Robertson** were among the graduates for December 2001, April 2002 and June 2002 exercises at **Washtenaw Community College**. The graduates were hon-

ored collectively at a May 18 ceremony.

Northville residents **Jay Balko** and **Erik Lattimore** were announced as having earned academic excellence at **Washtenaw Community College** for the autumn 2001, spring 2002 or spring 2002 semester.

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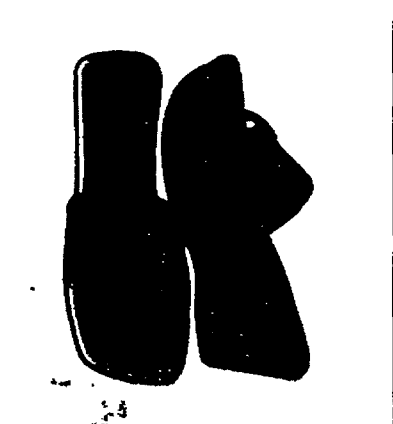
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Memorial Day 2002: a day to remember

Maybe the phrase "Happy Memorial Day" isn't the right one to use.

This Monday, of course, is the day set aside when we honor those who have died in service to America and the ideals this country has established for itself. It's a

tribute to those who have given their very lives so that we might live the ones we're now experiencing.

"Happy" probably isn't the best choice of words to announce the arrival of the last Monday in May, but it's the best one we have at the moment.

We can think of a few other words to describe the day — "solemn," "somber," "respectful" and "thankful" come to mind.

But "happy?" No, not really.

Perhaps what we mean when we say "Happy Memorial Day" is that we're relieved and appreciative to live in a country that values freedom and the rights of the individual. We cherish our diversity in landscape, in culture and in thought.

And we hold fast to the memory of those departed — the sons and daughters who took up arms at home and abroad in defense of our

hopes and dreams.

Hundreds of thousands of Americans have gone to their eternal rest after making the ultimate sacrifice. The debt we owe to them is almost suffocating and can never be repaid.

We can attempt, however, to show just a hint of the level of our appreciation this weekend at Northville's Memorial Day parade. Memorial Day weekend has marked the unofficial start to summer for a long time now. And with it, truly happy events — barbecues, trips to the cabin, etc. — come with it. We think taking just a few hours of this one day from the entire year to stand up, applaud and admire isn't a lot to ask.

In his inaugural address, President John F. Kennedy told Americans that they should ask what they could do for their country. Some have already heeded the call, and have done the unthinkable: they've died for it.

Now it's our turn. It's time to thank those who've served with bravery, honor and conviction. Our chance to do so is Monday morning.

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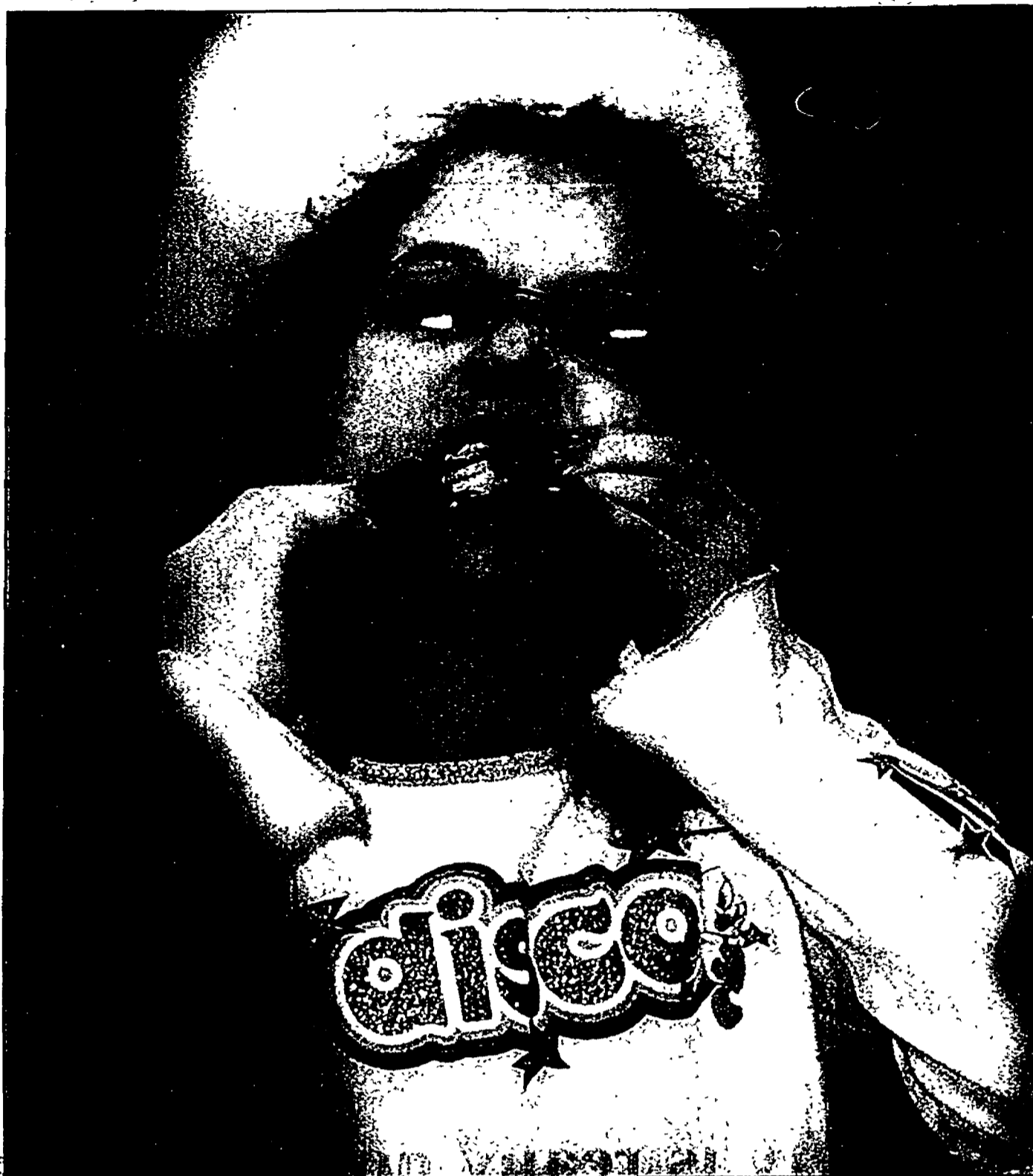


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Thorn Creek student Megan Dause enjoys some Thandori Chicken during Monday morning's "Foods Around the World". Students could sample Kourabiedes from Greece, Korean fried rice, Pierogies from Poland, Mexican cheese tamales, Gouda cheese from the Netherlands, Italian cookies, and Thandori Chicken from India.

LETTERS

Unprepared teachers shouldn't be teaching

A recent column in a Detroit daily reports that a few hundred administrative positions in the Detroit school system may be deemed unnecessary. At the same time, the hierarchy plans to enlist the aid of 300 or so coaches. The coaches would enable the classroom teachers to accomplish their mission for the day. Coaches for the teachers? Coaches?

The realization that many administrators are unnecessary and the elimination of the job slots is long overdue. They should not have been hired to begin with. Coaches are, or should be, unnecessary baggage, in addition. What will the coaches be asked to do—help the classroom teachers with discipline during the school day? Surely, coaches won't be available to take attendance. If it is planned that coaches help teachers with lesson plans, improve instruction, and leave the classrooms in able and accomplished hands, they ought not to be hired in the first place. A teacher seeking employment as a classroom instructor who is not fully prepared to get the job done ought not to be hired either.

There is no excuse for ill-prepared, unable teachers to be part of the educational program. They should seek employment in other fields of endeavor.

Neil Goodbred
Livonia

Postal carriers thank those who donated food

The National Association of Letter Carriers and the United States Postal Service has just completed the 10th annual Letter Carrier food drive. This year in Northville, thanks to all you community residents, postal employees along with their family members and other special volunteers collected 21,000 pounds of food to be used right here in the community through the Northville Civic Concern.

As this years drive comes to a close, I would like to extend a heartfelt Thank You to the following local area businesses that so generously give of themselves to ensure a successful drive for us. Genitti's Restaurant, Good Time Party Store and Hiller's market for the food and beverages that kept our volunteers going all day long. Also, Copy Boy Printer, Mailboxes Etc., Northville City Hall and the Northville Record for the printing and publicity that helped get the word out to the community.

Over the past ten years, the annual letter carrier food drive has grown and become more organized thanks to the commitment and compassion of local area volunteers. This drive is the largest one-

day food drive in the nation. The Northville community is very fortunate to be able to keep all the food collected locally, right here in the community. This is no small feat and it couldn't be pulled off without the time and dedication of our own communities Northville Civic Concern. The many volunteers there helped by driving and walking around on the more generous routes to help carriers, also to unload the postal vehicles, sort the food to check for out dated or opened containers then separate it all into categories and haul it up to their storage facility. This is all done on that second Saturday in May, Mother's Day weekend. That's 21,000 pounds this year! They are awesome.

Finally, I need to extend my sincere thanks to our own local postal employees. They go above and beyond what is normally expected of them on a regular days work to make this drive successful. We have employees that came in on their day off, stayed after work, brought in their family members, all to help wherever they were needed. They are wonderful people!

Betty Karsten
Food Drive Coordinator
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The great outdoors can be greater

Memorial Day weekend is coming up. It's the first spring holiday of the year, and for many families it's the first time to get out in our magnificent parks and recreation areas. If you're looking for good places to get out into nature over the weekend, I suggest three:



Phil Power

• **Bald Mountain Recreation Area**, near Lake Orion in Oakland County. The 4,637-acre area was originally acquired for public use with money from the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund.

Development is controlled, so folks can swim, hunt, fish and go boating. Hiking in the hills covered with early wildflowers is especially nice at this time of year.

• **Deerfield Hills Natural Area**, a spectacular 400-acre park in Deerfield Township, located in north central Livingston County. Visitors can enjoy nature trails abundant with wildlife in the rolling hills and fishing in the lake. The land was acquired for preservation and public use with \$2.8 million from the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund.

• **Near Lansing, the Lake Trusling Park** North contains more than 400 acres of natural, recreation area, including five miles of nature trails through mature oak and maple woodlands. The park was created largely with funds from the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund.

Attentive readers will have noticed one thing in common for each of these great places: The land was acquired for public use with money from the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund, one of Michigan's most vital devices for preserving our wild woods and waters. What's

most remarkable about the Fund is that it doesn't cost taxpayers a single cent!

Since its start back in 1976, the Fund has become Michigan's principal source of state funding for conservation and outdoor recreation projects. Revenue for the Fund comes from the sale of oil, gas and mineral leases and from royalties from oil, gas and minerals take from state-owned land. According to the state Constitution, the interest and earnings from the Trust Fund are to be used for "the acquisition of land or rights in land for recreational uses or protection of the land because of its environmental importance or its scenic beauty, (or) for the development of public recreation facilities."

The Fund is perhaps Michigan's most important conservation tool. Since its start, it has distributed more than \$537 million for 1,200 conservation and recreation projects touching every county in Michigan. Earlier this year, for example, \$12 million from the Fund helped the Michigan chapter of the Nature Conservancy buy and preserve for public use and enjoyment some 6,000 acres of unspoiled land at the tip of the Keweenaw Peninsula in the UP.

The Fund, however, urgently needs protection and improvement. So while you're driving north this Memorial Day weekend, I urge you to think kindly about the best way to do this. It's Proposal 2, an amendment to the state Constitution, which will appear on the ballot in the August 6 primary election. If passed, the Proposal would allow Trust Fund assets to be invested at a higher rate of return than possible now and raise the cap on funds from \$400 million to \$500 million.

Taken together, the value of Proposal 2 to conservation and outdoor recreation in Michigan would be more than \$500 million over the next 20 years - all without costing the taxpayer a single cent! This is a sensationally good deal, one that will strengthen the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund and assure that Michigan wild woods and waters are pre-

served and our state parks and recreation areas are strengthened and improved.

Because it's such a good deal, Proposal 2 is receiving support from an unprecedented range of constituencies and organizations, from the Michigan Chamber of Commerce on the right (good state parks and conserved wild lands make for good tourism) to the Michigan Environmental Council on the left (conservation is a holy grail of the environmental movement). Hunters and fisher folk are represented by support from the Michigan United Conservation Clubs, while even the Michigan Oil and Gas Association is greasing (ahem) the skids in support.

Proposal 2 and the vote in August won't make big news between now and the August primary election.

Everybody's for it; it's non-controversial; it makes incontrovertible sense; it costs the taxpayers nothing. But it is a vital tool in the effort to preserve forever Michigan's great places for public use and enjoyment... before it's too late. It deserves your support.

Phil Power is the Chairman of the Board of the company that owns this newspaper. An avid fly fisherman, hiker and conservationist, Power is also the Vice Chair of the Michigan Chapter of the Nature Conservancy. He would be pleased to get your reactions to this column either at (734) 953-2206 or at ppower@hocomm.net.

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GUEST COLUMN

Anxiety is really nothing to fear

By Paul Melrose

How often do we hear someone say, "I feel stressed?" How often do so many of us feel not just stressed but anxious? There are so many uncertainties that people experience, whether in a professional or personal life, that it is no wonder that people experience some form of stress or anxiety. And life itself has uncertainty about it, as we drive a car, walk down the road, go to bed at night. There are those who feel these uncertainties so deeply that never seem to stop feeling anxious.



Paul Melrose

I read one author who said, "anxiety is the emotional disorder of our time. Anxiety robs us of our peace." But here is where anxiety may be a source of help to us. Anxiety may be a signal that it is time to focus on what is important in one's life, whether it be one's personal goals, professional life, family, or one's faith. Anxiety is a common human experience. Anxiety can have different triggers for different people. But at its root anxiety, as the Dictionary of Pastoral Care and Counseling defines it, "signals the threat of a fundamental loss or separation."

When someone first feels anxiety they can become anxious about feeling anxious; they may even become scared or obsess about the causes of the anxiety and how to relieve it. Such a person is not able to see the healthy and helpful aspect of anxiety; anxiety is a clue to pay attention to one's self differently than one has. Anxiety is a signal to not only study one's life carefully to understand it but also to learn skills to manage it so that it does not take over and

become out of control. Normal anxiety is the kind of anxiety, which naturally accompanies the freedom and possibility present in life. Anxiety is present in our natural vulnerability to nature, sickness and death. Another form of anxiety is a part of the isolation and alienation from others that one can feel; it urges that person to seek relationship and communion with others.

Abnormal anxiety is a disproportionate reaction to a perceived threat. Abnormal anxiety occurs when one is not able to deal with anxious feelings as they arise. Abnormal anxiety occurs when one uses a variety of ways to deny those feelings or happenings that can and do stir up anxiety.

There are other ways in which a person can notice anxiety. If one is unsure of who one is or what one does one can be anxious. When one in middle age realizes that life will not go on forever one can feel anxious. One can be anxious about a certain event, or place, or have a very strong anxious feeling about something, such as flying; that is a phobia. In any of these situations the challenge for the person experiencing the anxiety is whether he/she will see it as a signal to respond to or something dangerous or scary to avoid.

An important characteristic of anxiety is that it is a response to an internal threat, not an external fear. By that I mean that it arises from an internal feeling which is often hard to identify and understand. Anxiety becomes a source of concern when a realistic anxiety about a job loss, a possible death of a loved one, or even a natural disaster can arouse anxiety which can be understood as a normal and appropriate response to specific events. The kind of anxiety, which arouses concern and may need particular attention, is the kind of anxiety, which broadly understood as neurotic anxiety. In this type of anxiety the reaction is not normal insofar as it is a chronic condition and that it arises from events which

one can normally handle with little or no difficulty.

Anxiety is common, not unlike depression. There is one estimate that about two to four percent of the population may have suffered from some type of anxiety disorder. The structure of a person's beliefs is key to coping with, understanding and the managing of anxiety. A person needs to develop a stronger sense of self than one may have at the moment which anxiety hits. Constructive responses must be developed to deal with the anxiety. Some of these responses arise from different approaches to handling anxiety. Dealing with anxiety may also include other or additional helping resources. One may need the aid and skill of a pastoral psychotherapist, who can help, or another mental health professional of one's choosing. Severe circumstances may require a medication evaluation. An anxiety management program can be a useful first step to get a handle on how to turn anxiety from a terror into a friend. There are several types of therapy used to treat anxiety. They are pharmacological therapies used by themselves but often in conjunction with some type of talk therapy. Psychoanalytic therapy seeks to understand and treat the underlying causes of anxiety. Behavior therapy and cognitive behavior therapy deal with negative thoughts and seek to develop behavioral responses to the anxiety producing stressor or situation. For phobias, specific fears, behavioral methods are often the treatment of choice.

While anxiety is not fun it can become an ally on the road to good mental health.

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- Fire chief Jim Allen
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- Northville Township police department
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SCHOOL BOARD CANDIDATE FORUM REBROADCAST

Northville school board candidates spoke on the issues Tuesday night, but it won't be the only opportunity residents of Northville and Novi will have to see the event. The debate will be aired in the communities at the following times:

NORTHVILLE: May 23 (3 p.m.); May 29 (9 p.m.); June 6 (6 p.m.)
NOVI: June 5 (10 p.m.); June 8 (4 p.m.)

Northville's local access channel is either 12 (Comcast) or 18 (Americast) while Novi's is 12 (Southwestern Oakridge Cable Commission.)

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 Imagine traveling to a place where you can wander from a tropical rainforest to a dense forest to an arid desert — just a few feet apart from one another.

Fourth and fifth grade students at Amerman Elementary will be transforming their school gymnasium into Biospheres USA on May 29 from 7 p.m. until 8 p.m.

Two Amerman teachers, Wendy LaVale and Robin Long, have guided students during the last few months in researching, analyzing and constructing a life-sized model of their chosen system. Ecosystems include Hawaii Volcanoes National Park, Isle Royale National Park, Death Valley in California and the Blue Ridge Mountains in North Carolina.

Visitors to Amerman will experience many attributes of each ecosystem, from the climate and wildlife to a sampling of food found in the environment.

KHRIS NEDAM HONORED

Khris Nedam, a third grade teacher at Amerman Elementary School, has recently received two awards as a result of her involvement with the Afghanistan school project.

Nedam was awarded the Governor's Award for Service Learning Educator on April 29 in Lansing. She also said she was awarded the 2002 Educational Excellence Award from the Michigan Association of School Boards on May 14 at John Glenn High School.

According to officials, Nedam

has worked with her students to coordinate the Afghan School project through a variety of service-learning activities and fundraising projects.

As a result, \$30,000 was raised and a school and clinic were constructed in Afghanistan. Nedam said there are 650 students enrolled in the school this year, of which 160 students are females.

STUDENT FINE ART SHOW

The Student Fine Art Show will be on display at the Northville District Library from May 22-29. This juried show features work by Northville High School's senior class in metals, photography, ceramics, two-dimensional art, graphics/mixed media and sculpture. The show is open during normal library hours and admission is free.

This event is sponsored by the Northville Arts Commission in cooperation with Northville High School, Northville District Library, First Presbyterian Church and Northville Parks and Recreation.

For more information on this event or the Northville Arts Commission, call (248) 449-9950.

CUSACK PRESENTS AT OLV

Tim Cusack will be presenting two assemblies of his show, "Talking Inside Out" to the students of Our Lady of Victory School on May 30. Cusack's interactive performances are delivered with humor and heartfelt stories that drive home themes of character building and learning to respect yourself and others. The 1:15 p.m. assembly is for kindergarten through fourth grade students and the 2:15 p.m. assembly is for fifth through eighth grade students. This program is funded in part by Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs and Michigan Humanities Council.

ATHLETIC PHYSICALS

The Northville High School Athletic Department will be offering sports physicals for the 2002-2003 school year. They will be held on June 6 in the high school gymnasium. Girls' physicals will begin at 3:30 p.m. and the boys' physicals will begin immediately following at approximately 5 p.m.

The cost of the physical will be \$15 per student. Checks are accepted and should be payable to Northville High School.

Forms are available at school or at the site and must be signed by a parent or guardian.

H.M.S. HONORS NIGHT

Hillside Middle School students will be formally recognized this year in grade level assemblies in the Hillside auditorium.

The sixth grade honors assembly will be June 10 at 9:30 a.m. The seventh grade honors assembly is scheduled for June 10 at 12:30 p.m. The eighth grade honors assembly is slated for June 11 at 8 a.m.

GIRLS EMPOWERED

The Girls Empowered program is designed for girls age 10 to 14 to encourage healthy living and personal empowerment in a day camp atmosphere which includes workshops on self-esteem, self-defense, body image, etiquette, nutrition, public speaking, and team building.

Northville Youth Assistance is sponsoring the program with a subsidy of more than 80 percent of the program fee. Participants will be charged \$20 for the two week, two hour per day program. Two sessions will be offered. Students can attend either July 8-19 or July 22-August 2 from 10 a.m. until noon.

Contact the Northville Youth Assistance office at (248) 344-1618 for more information.

MORaine FUN FAIR

The Fun Fair is scheduled for May 31 from 5:30 p.m. until 8 p.m. at Moraine Elementary.

Note the date on your calendar and consider volunteering to work a shift, or donating one or two of many needed items.

Along with the Fun Fair, there will be a silent auction and a raffle. All of the moneys raised from the auction will be donated to the Moraine PTA for the purchase of playground equipment.

Robin Ginnard will be chairing the event along with Fun Fair co-chairs Elizabeth Diminick and Celeste LeFort. They can be reached at (248) 347-1533 or (248) 374-0455.

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The bonds will bear interest from their date at a rate or rates not exceeding 8% per annum.

The bonds will be issued under and pursuant to the provisions of Act No. 34, Public Acts of Michigan, 2001, and the full faith and credit of the Charter Township of Northville will be pledged to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as the same shall become due. The Charter Township of Northville will be obligated, as a first budget obligation, to advance moneys from its general funds or to levy ad valorem taxes on all taxable property within its corporate boundaries to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as the same shall become due. Taxes levied by the Charter Township of Northville for the payment of such principal interest will be subject to applicable constitutional and statutory limitations.

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This notice is given, by order of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Northville, to and for the benefit of the electors of the Charter Township of Northville in order to inform them of their right to petition for a referendum upon the issuance of the aforesaid bonds. The bonds will be issued, without submitting such question to a vote of the electors, unless within 45 days after the date of publication of this notice a petition requesting a referendum upon such question, signed by not less than 10% or 15,000 of the registered electors residing within the Charter Township of Northville, whichever is the lesser, shall have been filed with the undersigned Township Clerk. In the event that such a petition is filed, the bonds will not be issued unless and until the issuance thereof shall have been approved by the vote of a majority of the electors of the Charter Township of Northville qualified to vote and voting thereon at a general election.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Further information relative to the issuance of said bonds and the subject matter of this notice may be secured at the office of the Township Clerk of the Charter Township of Northville, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167.

This notice is given pursuant to the provisions of Act 34, Public Acts of Michigan, 2001.

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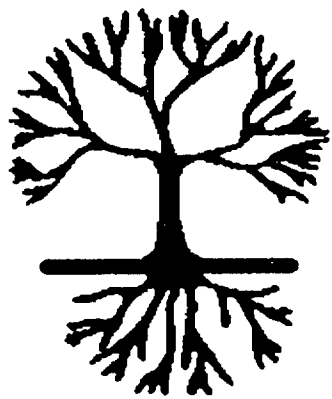
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Community Events

• THIS WEEK •

Northville Independence Day participation sign-up

DATE: Ongoing
LOCATION: Northville Community Foundation (321 N. Center, Ste. 130)
TIME: Call for info
DETAILS: Participants are being sought for the parade, slated for July 4 at 10 a.m. Bands, bicyclists, floats, military personnel, characters, pets, clowns, or owners of classic / vintage cars are eligible to participate. Elected officials may also march, but candidates may not.
PHONE: (248) 374-0200

Student Fine Art Show
DATE: May 23-29
LOCATION: Northville District Library (212 W. Cady Street)
TIME: Normal library hours

DETAILS: The free-of-charge juried show will feature a variety of artistic creations from Northville High School students. A special opening night reception will be held May 22 from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.
PHONE: (248) 449-9950

15th annual Northville Flower Sale

DATE: May 24 and 25
LOCATION: Downtown Northville
TIME: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
DETAILS: Main Street, between Hutton and Center Street, will be closed to cars to allow for shopping. More than 15 greenhouses will be represented at the sale.
PHONE: (248) 348-0488

Northville Memorial Day parade
DATE: May 27
LOCATION: Downtown Northville (runs primarily along Main Street,

ends at Rural Hill Cemetery)
TIME: 10 a.m.

DETAILS: Spectators are asked to wait until all marchers in the parade have passed before crossing the street. Spectators with dogs should clean up after them.
PHONE: (248) 349-7640

• LOOKING AHEAD •

Third annual Northville Senior Citizens Center garage "trunk" sale
DATE: May 31, June 1
LOCATION: Northville Senior Center (215 W. Cady Street)
TIME: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. (May 31); 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. (June 1)

DETAILS: Two ways to participate — either donate your items (no clothes, curtain rods or bowling balls) and proceeds will benefit the Senior Center, or rent a space in our parking lot for \$25 and sell items

from your car (bring a table). Donations will be accepted at the Center through May 30
PHONE: (248) 349-4140

Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church Single Point event: Detroit Tigers baseball game

DATE: May 31
LOCATION: Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church (40000 Six Mile Road)
TIME: Meet at 5:45 p.m. at church
DETAILS: The \$15 cost includes a ticket, transportation, a hot dog or slice of pizza and a soft drink. Space is limited
PHONE: (248) 374-5920

Beck Road reconstruction-expansion informational meeting
DATE: June 5
LOCATION: Northville Township

Civic Center (41600 Six Mile Road)
TIME: 6:30 p.m.

DETAILS: Residents will be provided with information concerning the preliminary project schedule, an overview of the right-of-way acquisition process. Residents will also be able to offer input on the project and get answers to questions and concerns.
PHONE: (248) 348-5800

Our Lady of Victory yard sale

DATE: June 8
LOCATION: Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church (770 Thayer)
TIME: 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
DETAILS: The event, held in the church parking lot, allows participants to rent a 20' x 20' space with a table for \$25. Crafters are welcome. All sale proceeds are the seller's to keep. Refreshments will be available for purchase at a central tent.

PHONE: (248) 348-1971

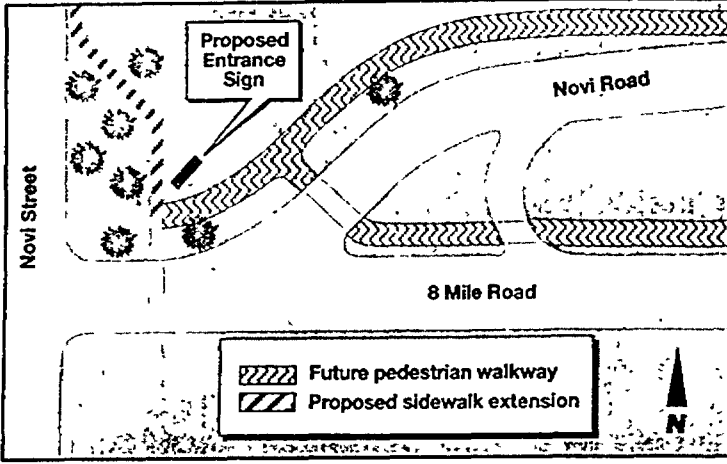
Baccalaureate Mass for 2002 high school and college graduates

DATE: June 9
LOCATION: Our Lady of Victory Church (770 Thayer)
TIME: 12:30 p.m.
DETAILS: Graduates from high school and college will be recognized. A reception will follow in the church's social hall.
PHONE: (248) 349-2621

14th annual Art In the Sun festival

DATE: June 15, 16
LOCATION: Downtown Northville
TIME: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
DETAILS: More than 130 art exhibitors will have their wares for display and sale in Northville in the juried art show.
PHONE: (248) 349-7640

Proposed New Northville Entrance



SOURCE: City of Northville

Novi / 8 enhancements explored

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actually a public right of way under the jurisdiction of Wayne and Oakland counties.

"But the goal is to make it a 'park-like' entrance focal point to the city. What we are proposing is a fairly economical approach to improve the area," said director of public works James Gallogly. "I'm encouraged that we can do something there before the construction year is out to dress up the area."

The plan calls for:
 • The construction of a sidewalk along the east side of Novi Street

"...the goal is to make it a 'park-like' entrance focal point to the city. What we are proposing is a fairly economical approach to improve the area."

Jim Gallogly

public works director, city of Northville

connecting the existing sidewalk on Novi Road to the pedestrian crossing at Eight Mile Road

• Replacing the existing entrance sign.
 • Placement of a small flower gar-

den
 • Placement of an irrigation system for the area near the new entrance sign
 • Planting of shade and flowering trees in the area
 • Enhancement of the existing wild flower garden
 Permits need to be granted by both Wayne and Oakland counties before the city is able to proceed with the proposed improvements.

Pauline Campos is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 109, or at pcampos@ht.homecomm.net.

IMPROVING EIGHT MILE AND NOVI ROAD

The proposed plan for improvements to the Eight Mile Road/Novi Road public right-of-way also anticipates:

- The construction of a pedestrian path from Eight Mile Road/Novi Road intersection east across the Eight Mile Road Bridge connecting with existing sidewalk on Eight Mile Road in the city of Novi.
- The construction of a pedestrian path from the Eight Mile Road/Novi Road intersection north through the city property along the Middle Rouge River to Novi Road and the Novi/Northville city limits.

According to city manager Gary Word, the anticipated project is being viewed as a potential link to the Novi walkway system to the east over the CSC railroad.

"Furthermore, we would also like to have a pedestrian walkway connection to the Northville/Novi Road corridor to connect the Novi/Northville city limits," said Word.

"It's been a goal of the city to accomplish this for the past 10 years and we are making progress," he said, referring to the current proposal. "But it doesn't happen overnight."

The estimated cost of \$700,000 could possibly be funded with future grants obtained from MDOT through the Michigan Transportation Enhancement Program.

Contract awarded for improvements to Quail Ridge drain

By Pauline Campos
 STAFF WRITER

The Northville Township board of trustees awarded the construction contract for improvements to Quail Ridge drain at their May 16 meeting. The contract, for an estimated \$435,000 was awarded to Jack Anglin Civil Constructors, Inc.

"It's been an ongoing issue for residents for many years," said public works director Don Weaver, adding that the erosion occurring in the stream has been caused by increased run off from the city of Novi. Weaver said the widening of Eight Mile road also contributed to the problem.

Due to difficulties encountered by the township when efforts were made to obtain assistance for improvements costs from the city of Novi, Weaver said that the township successfully petitioned to make Quail Ridge an inter-county drain.

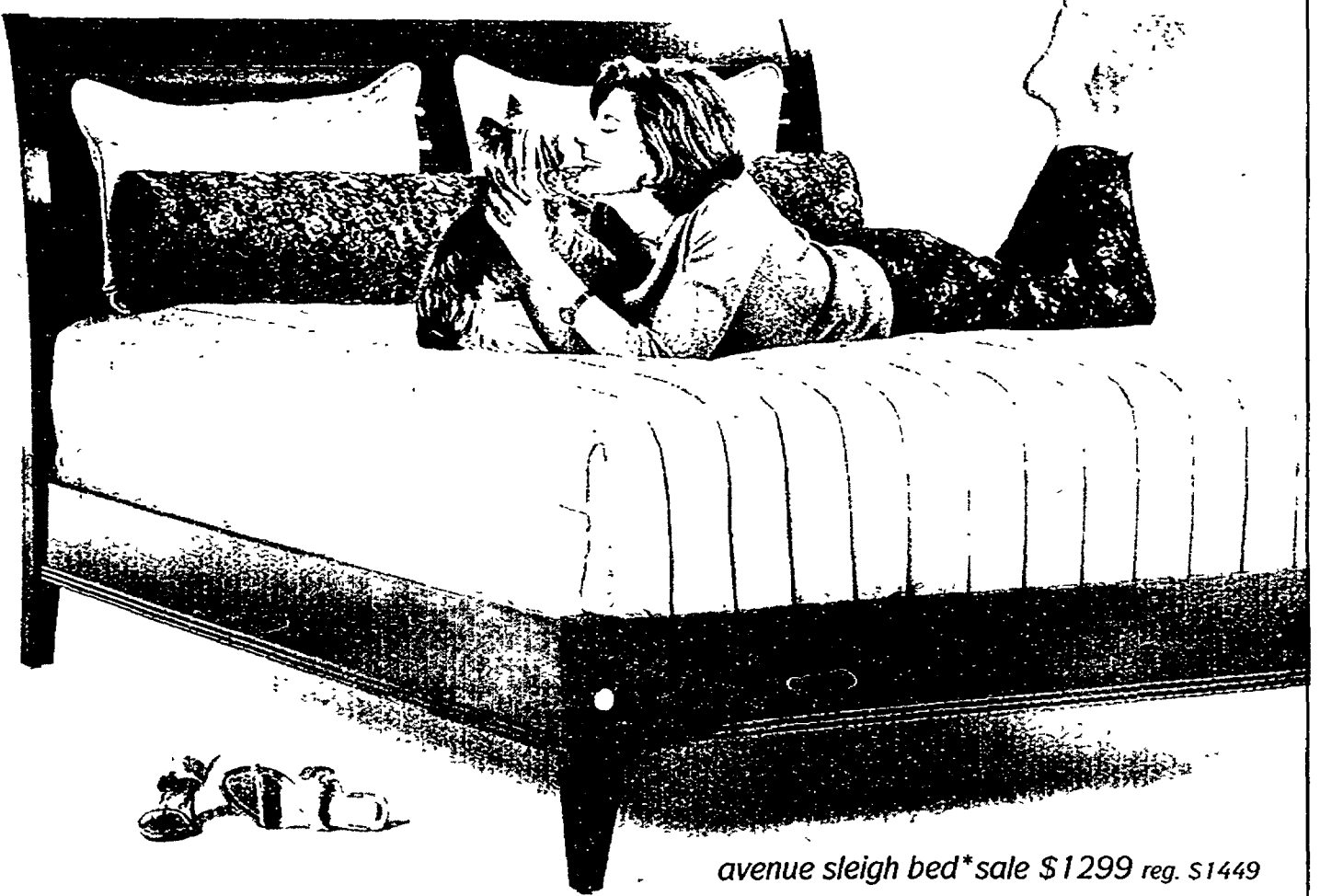
"This made it necessary for [Novi] to contribute to the project," said Weaver. "Novi agreed to pay for part of the design and grant application costs and the township was indeed successful in obtaining the funds."

According to Weaver, the grants received for the project provide for contingency and overage on the project.

"It's been a long time coming and it's been a little bit of a difficult situation since we were involved with two different municipal governments and two counties, but we have it under control now and I think we can get this thing resolved by the end of the summer," Weaver said.

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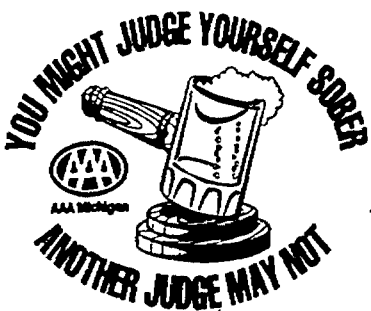
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 FRI-SAT 11:00

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 12:20, 12:30, 2:45, 5:00, 7:30, 9:50
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 9:30 FRI-SAT 12:00

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 FRI-SAT 11:55

• **SPYGLASS (PG-13)**
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 FRI-SAT 12:10

• **ABOUT A BOY (PG-13)**
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Allen Terrace rent hike part of improvement plan

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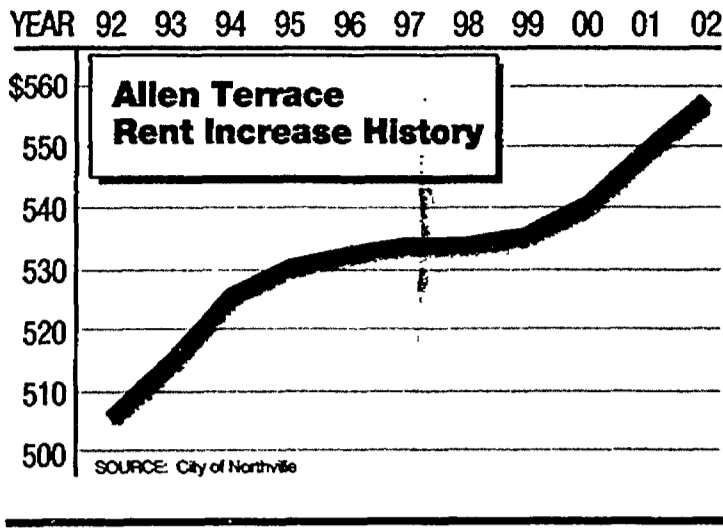
But for some residents of Allen Terrace, it would be more desirable to put off the improvements rather than incur more debt. Word said that one resident stood before council in opposition of the proposal due to concerns of future rent increases as a result of the bond issues for improvements.

"It's important to keep the rents as low as possible at Allen Terrace but when you look at other facilities our rents are substantially lower," said Joanne Ingles, director of the Northville Housing Commission. Ingles added that Allen Terrace is the only facility that includes utilities.

Assistant city manager and financial director Nicolette Bateson explained that the figures based on the 20 year projections are merely estimates.

"It's also important for people to know that the 3 percent increase in rent at Allen Terrace shown in the financial projection is not solely tied to the improvement projects, because all categories of expenses are likely to increase over time. And unfortunately that forces the housing commission to consider rent increases," she said.

Bateson also believes the resident survey will allow for prioritizing the improvements with the residents.



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Joanne Ingles
Northville Housing Commission

"That will help us to do further financial analysis to evaluate additional funding options."

According to Bateson, four funding options are being considered by the council.

Ingles was also pleased with the council's recommendation to perform a resident survey.

"This will allow for input from the residents. This is their home and we want to take that into consideration," Ingles said.

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By Annette Jaworski
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

When it comes to fixing your car, it's important to find someone you can trust. With more than 25 years in the Novi area, Novi-Motive is proud of the fine reputation they've established as a family business. As a GoodYear factory authorized outlet, their work is also backed by name brand recognition. Their affiliation with GoodYear, Gemini and Jasper is another assurance of top quality service.

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Novi-Motive has grown up side by side with the Novi community, beginning in 1970 at the I-96 and Novi Road interchange and moving into their current location in 1977. They started with nine bays at their current location at Novi Road between 8 and 9 Mile Roads, and have expanded to a total of 19 bays in 1986.

Finding a place where women feel comfortable is also important to the staff. Female Novi-Motive customers feel equally at ease here.

"In fact, over 60 percent of our customers are women," said Widak.

Women are found throughout the business from the front desk to owners. The company involves all of the members of his family, says Widak.

He and his wife, Bette serve as owners. Daughter, Mary Beth Widak is there six days a week and has a degree from

TIPS FROM REPAIR MAN

Although they agree, cars are better made and last longer without problems, a little attention can go a long way in keeping them problem free.

1.) The cheapest maintenance in the world is to change your oil, says the expert. By keeping up with regular oil changes, you can prevent the possibility of costly engine replacements. Novi-Motive offers a frequent oil changers club. You get a punch every visit and the seventh oil change is free.

2.) Rotate the tires for safety. People should think of rotating their tires, every other time they have an oil change, he recommends.

3.) Learn how to open the hood and check your fluid levels yourself. All the important things they want you to check, the manufacturer sets out there - so check it.

With the radiator, he cautions to only open the reservoir never into the radiator, which could cause severe burns.

4.) Read the owner's manual. Each one should have a regular maintenance schedule that should be followed to keep the car in top running condition.

5.) Keep a file on all the maintenance and repairs that you have done. It might be helpful if warranty work becomes necessary on your car.

6.) Turn on your AC every month, even in the winter to keep the system lubricated as well as to keep down odors in the springtime. The refrigerant oil keeps the gaskets and seals from drying out, as well as keep the springtime odors out of your air conditioning.

7.) When in doubt, call us, or stop in, said Widak. If it doesn't seem right, or sound right, trust your instincts and have it checked out.

Northwood University in automotive management. The other daughter, Sondra L. Tarp, takes care of the daily books.

Other employees have been there long enough to seem like part of the family, as well. Some have been with Novi-Motive from the beginning. "General Manager, James Passow has been with me 26 years, Thomas Trevarthen has 21 years," noted Widak. "And

all of our managers started out as techs, and they're all certified."

Not only has their facility grown through the years, they've grown in expertise also, keeping pace with today's technology. Service Technician, Dean Davidson explains that since today's cars are largely computerized, they have the capability to diagnose problems quickly. This not only finds problems that currently exist in the engine, it also lists a history of any previous problems as well.

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No Experience Necessary

You don't need a gym to lose weight, try the office

By Tim Kissman
SBAM DIRECTOR OF PUBLICATIONS

The only real sign that summer is around the corner, heaven knows Michigan weather is NOT an accurate barometer, is watching everyone in the office, myself included, try to increase our outdoor activities and eat better at lunch.

If there's a French fry sliver of truth in the corporate world it's that eating better at lunch always leads to weight loss. Right?

C'mon, cut me some slack. It's true I promise.

Activity and smart eating lead to thinner, stronger bodies, or so they say on all those infomercials, but what they don't tell you is how hard it is to stay active in the workplace and still do your job effectively.

A healthy body means less time out sick, so small business employers pay attention.

Now, before I go any further, I have to exclude those lunchtime runners, usually middle-aged or later males, who jog at lunch without their shirts through the throngs of business people trying to make it from office to office.

These guys found the time to exercise and can stop reading. They apparently stop worrying about what other people think, too, and wear runner's shorts, athletic gear made famous by Daisy Duke on the Dukes of Hazard. Except they're nylon and leave even less to the imagination.

For the rest of us blokes, who would have no place to shower or change if we decided to run at lunch, though the idea of running three-miles in a business suit is semi-appealing, even in this horrible weather, there are

alternatives. Cutting back on calories and increasing activity is the way to weight loss and healthy eating. If you're going to start a diet, consult your doctor or nutritionist. I'm no weight loss expert and don't pretend to be, but I can tell you what has worked for me.

Pull up a tray and write these tips down because all the gals from the administrative staff and I have this figured out, lock stock and barrel.

• Drink it up. Water and diet soda are the way to go. Neither has any calories and fills you up. While water is the ultimate weight loss helper, and should be a staple in any diet, healthy or otherwise, it does get bland after a while. That's when I switch to diet cola. I used to hate the taste, preferring original everything to the diet alternative. But ever since I started reading labels and finding out how many calories exist in a can of soda, I changed my tune.

• Walk instead of ride. Among the over-the-hill joggers are the office folk who don white gym shoes and truck around the city blocks for the duration of the lunch hour, trying to get that brisk walk. To them I say great! If I could fit in a jog, walk or swim during lunch I'd do it. Keep it up and don't forget to increase the frequency and pace and you'll be fit for summer in no time. Take the stairs instead of the elevator, and instead of shipping that overnight package to the office a few blocks down the street, walk and deliver it yourself.

• Have fun with it. Join an office club, or take bets with co-workers, challenging each other to drop some weight, or just eat better. It's always easier to be active when you have someone by your side, in front of you, or just behind you, prodding you to take a few more steps.

Tim Kissman is the Director of Publications for the Small Business Association of Michigan.



Tim Kissman



Novi Motive Service Advisor Tom Trevarthen, right, runs a computer analysis of a GM car with the assistance of Dean Davidson.

Business in Brief

Dunphy hired as executive coach by Barton Group

Livonia-based The Barton Group has brought to its staff Northville resident Bill Dunphy as an executive coach.



Bill Dunphy

Dunphy coaches managers and executives related to their interpersonal skills, work habits and time management issues. Dunphy was the former director of organization development at Michigan Blue Cross / Blue Shield.

Points, Rineman installed by NALS

Beverly L. Points and Roberta A. Rineman were recently installed into office at the 41st annual meeting and educational conference of NALS of Michigan.

Points was installed as immediate past president of NALS and is a legal assistant at Miller, Kehoe & Associates in Howell.

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Move over, Luke Skywalker — there's a new Jedi master

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motif along his bedroom walls and ceiling. The project was finished about three weeks ago, she said.

She said a Canton artist, Jennifer Gushen, was hired to transform the bedroom with a bit of paint and artistic brushstrokes.

Beason said Gushen had previously painted the bedroom to portray a

safari/jungle theme, complete with a large cheetah in a tree, giraffes, monkeys and a panda bear positioned in a tree.

Beason said her son was having a difficult time sleeping in his bedroom at night. She said her son disliked sleeping in his own room so much that he would venture out into the hallway to sleep.

"We tried everything," said Beason. "He never liked sleeping in the room

with the animals. It was all made for him. I guess he just didn't feel safe."

Beason said the family even bought a dog to help their son, but even that didn't have the result they hoped for.

The decision was later made to repaint the room.

Beason said she first considered a blend of a Star Wars and safari theme, but then decided to redo the entire room.

"As much as I loved the room as it was with all the safari [animals], I knew it was better for Ross to continue and do the whole Star Wars theme," she said. "He kept on telling me 'could the animals please leave?'"

"Some people would see this as absurd, but we tried all the conventional methods of having a child be comfortable in their room but nothing worked." Beason said her son picked out the

theme about five months ago.

"He really got into whole Star Wars kick," she said. "He just really wanted everything to be Star Wars."

Beason said her son picked out the Star Wars characters he wanted on the wall.

"Darth Vader takes up one wall," said Beason. "He's basically one whole wall with his cape flowing. He is actually having a lightsaber fight with Luke

Skywalker. Luke is on the left side of Ross' bed so he's actually protecting Ross from Darth Vader."

"You can't walk into it now and not go wow," she said.

Beason said since the room has been repainted, her son no longer has difficulty sleeping.

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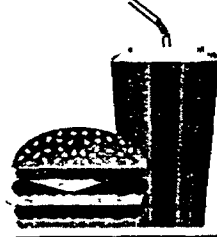
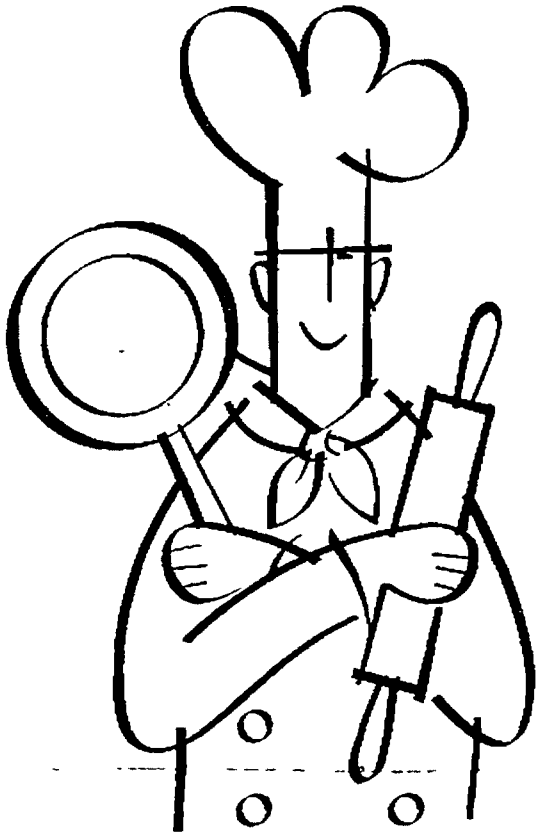
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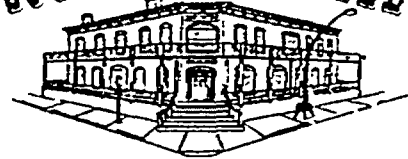
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Golf stays undefeated in regular season

By Sam Eggleston
SPORTS WRITER

The Northville Mustangs girls' golf team headed into the Regional tournament Monday with a lot of positive momentum helping push them toward victory.

The Mustangs, led by Trish Murray, gained that momentum by earning win after win after win with the latest casualty in their season being Walled Lake Central, which the Mustangs cast aside with a 185-238 stomp-

ing.

"It was nice to close the season with a win," Murray said. "We opened with a win and closed it with a win and won everything in between."

The Mustangs followed the lead of Kate McDonald, who was the meet medalist, with 39 while Layne Scherer recorded a 46, Shannon Lewicki hit a 48 and Lauren Farris and Kelly Harrison shot 52s.

The JV program also ended their season on a high note after losing only one match this year.

They topped the Central Vikings 209-227 as Lauren Grisby shot a 48, Allison Grant hit a 50, Lauren Longton shot a 55 and Andrea Gorecki recorded a 56 in the winning effort.

Renee Christopher, a freshman that was making noise early in the season, is nursing an injury and has not been able to compete in the past few weeks.

If the JV season is any indication of years to come, the varsity is going to be sitting pretty — but the elder Mustangs still have plenty of playing to do

There are a few more nerves going into this (the Regional) than, say, going into the Hartland Bestball that we won," Murray said. "I tell them all the time to just go out there and play the golf they have been playing all year long. Of course, there is a little bit of a bigger carrot at the end of this tournament."

The Mustangs have plenty of competition to look at when they play the Regional (which was played after the *Northville Record's* deadline). They will face teams like Brighton, Ann Arbor

Pioneer, Salem and Monroe.

"You don't dare turn your back on any of these teams," Murray said. "The first year we qualified (for the state tournament) people just laughed at us in the Regional because we were a first-year team. We have to just go out there and play the course."

The Mustangs, who ended their regular season schedule undefeated in dual meets with an 11-0 mark, will be looking to continue their top-flight play.

"We haven't been winning by getting lucky," Murray said.

"We've been playing well. We've had a good round at that course when we shot a 350 at the Brighton Invitational. We might go out and shoot that again and not qualify. We have to go out and play well and if we qualify, then great. If not, we have to go out and play the best we can and they will be happy."

One of the things that has contributed to the Mustangs success is their amazing amount of talent.

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Double Trouble

Moehle, Rupley make state cuts, win Region

By Sam Eggleston
SPORTS WRITER

One might begin to wonder what would happen if the Northville Mustangs girls' track and field team was awarded with good conditions for running in.

The 'Stangs managed their way through yet another cold and miserable track and field day as Devon Rupley and Heather Moehle earned spots in the Lower Peninsula Track finals May 16 after blasting Livonia Franklin in the final dual meet of the season 84-53 May 14.

"Northville walked away with some impressive showings despite the cold conditions again," Northville coach Nancy Smith said. "We had two regional champions at the meet. Devon Rupley won the 800 in a season best time of 2:19. Heather Moehle also was a regional champion, capturing the two mile in 11:34."

The Mustangs were close in other events as well. The 3200 meter relay team of Moehle, Katy Miller, Lisa Bowen and Rupley ran an impressive time of 9:57, just missing the extra qualifier for the state meet by 1.1 seconds.

"This is the best I have seen these girls run this season," Smith said. "They gave it all in a very competitive field."

The time of 9:57 shatters the Northville High School record, which was previously 10:05.

Rupley went on to win the 800-meter run in 2:19, her season best, and also qualified for the state meet in the 400 meter dash with a 59.2, placing third in the event.

"Devon ran some amazing races today," Smith said. "She truly dominated on the track in two of the hardest races."

Moehle's two mile time of 11:34 earned her a trip to Rockford as well.

"Heather looked great today, she led from the start of the race," Smith said. "She went out strong and finished strong, a good 10 meters ahead of Rachel Bauman of Brighton. She upheld as Regional champion, which she won last year."

Moehle set the school record in the two mile last year with a time of 11:41 and broke it yet again this time.

Both Moehle and Rupley will go to Rockford June 1 to compete in the LP State Finals.

Another Mustang who showed what Northville athletics stands for is Emily Ott. The senior suffered a severe sprain May 14 against Franklin but came out to compete in the Regional anyway.

"She showed her determination and courage by attempting to high jump at the meet," Smith said.

"Emily came to the meet on crutches and attempted to high jump, despite the severe pain she was in. This is one athlete that gave her all, we're very proud and (yet we are) saddened that this happened to such an amazingly talented athlete."

The Mustangs finished up their regular season Tuesday (after the *Northville Record* went to print) at the Conference meet.

Northville 84, Franklin 53

The Mustangs ended their regular season in style as they waltzed past the Franklin Patriots in a Western Lakes Activities Association contest May 14. The victory put the Mustangs at 4-1 in the WLAA and 5-1 overall.

Ott won the high jump with a leap of 5-foot-0 while Genevieve Belangero was third with 4-10.

The long jump found Maggie Ossola winning with a 15-1 jump while Amber Selle notched a third-place finish with a leap of 14-1. Katie Hanley continued the Mustang domination of the field events with a third in the pole vault at 7-0 while Erica Johnson took second in the shot put with a 30-9 throw.

On the track side of the meet, the 3200-meter relay team of Bowen, Kelly Hardenbergh, Shannon Hogan and Katie Miller won with a time of 10:45.

Ott won the 100 hurdles, but paid in dividends as she sprained her ankle over the last hurdle.

"This was a devastating injury for Emily and a real heart-breaker for the team," Smith said. "Emily has worked so hard this season and for her to get injured is a real loss for the team."

Belangero was second in the 100 hurdles while Ossola continued to excel in the 100 dash with a first-place finish while Audrie Lin took second.

Kate McClymont had an impressive day for the Mustangs as she won the mile in 5:50 before coming back and showcasing her stamina with a second-place, 13:30 finish in the two-mile event.

"Kate has really come on strong during the last half of the season," Smith said. "She is a real competitor and strives at working hard at practice and it continues to pay off for her."

The 400-dash found the Mustangs taking a broom and sweeping the event with Rupley winning it in 1:02, Hogan taking second with a 1:05 and Taylor Anusbegian taking third in 1:08.

Bowen and Miller worked together in the 800, capturing first and second respectively with times of 2:35 and 2:37.

The Mustangs swept the 200 with Rupley in first with 27.7 seconds, Hogan in second with a 28.6 and Erica Dobson taking third with a 20.1.

"I am real pleased with the team throughout the entire season," Smith said.

"This group worked well together and despite the terrible weather all season, they continued to improve. Their determination paid off, finishing the season on a good note and a great record."

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Photo by John Heider

Heather Moehle runs in the 4x800 meter in a home track meet. Both Moehle and her teammate Devon Rupley will be heading to Rockford June 1 to compete in the Lower Peninsula State Finals Track and Field meet. Moehle and Rupley won their regional flights and will be looking to make an impact at the state level when they represent Northville.

District could be a blast

The Northville Mustangs girls' soccer team is going to be heading into the District Tournament and facing off against one of their old foes right off the bat.

The Mustangs, coached by Ron Meteyer, will be taking on Western Lakes Activities foe Plymouth Canton right out of the gates May 28 at Canton with the start of the game scheduled for 7 p.m.

The 'Stangs have been more than acquainted with the Canton Chiefs as the two have squared off already this season as well as a decisive match in the post season last year that found the Mustangs heading for home after.

One of the things the Mustangs have going in to this game is a raw talent that is more than capable of taking on many of their opponents and beating them. The seniors alone are enough to pack most starting line ups across the state as captains Lindsay Dunmead, Maggie Ossola and Larissa Fill lead the way on the field of play with Kelly Anderson, Cassie Earel, Jenna Slack, Lindsay Kozub and Nicole Oshanski taking up supportive roles as experienced leaders.

The Mustangs will be looking to take it to the much larger Chiefs in a game that will find one of the best teams in the state of Michigan heading home afterwards. One of these teams will look back at this game as the one that ended their season, so both will be looking to kick a little tail before folding.

The Chiefs are a talented team that is no doubt going to give the Northville kickers a run for their money — just as they did in the regular season. They are a team with a lot of size and plenty of talent. The Mustangs, on the other hand, have all the talent they need to win their games, but lack the size to match up with the Plymouth squad.

I don't think that it will end up mattering in the end. The Mustangs are going to be prepped and ready thanks to the coaching abilities of Meteyer and the leadership abilities of his

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GAME OF THE WEEK



Northville Mustangs

Soccer
in District Tourney
Tuesday, May 28
at Canton
7:00 p.m.

Northville-Novu Knights fail to make state playoffs

Fall to St. Joseph's in Eastern semi-finals

By Sam Eggleston
SPORTS WRITER

For the first time in the club team's five years of existence, the Northville-Novu Knights failed to make the state championship tournament — but, hey, there is always next year.

The Knights, who are made up of Novi and Northville players, fell to St. Joseph's 8-0 in the semi-final round of the Eastern Division playoffs May 11 after stomping Livonia 20-0 the game prior. The Knights were also able to trounce Berkley 56-3 May 8.

"We were kind of set back there," Knights coach Ron Cornell said of the St. Joseph's contest. "St. Joe's was much more faster and more disciplined than the first time we played them, when we barely beat them."

St. Joseph's was able to score a penalty kick early in the contest before taking advantage of a broken play and getting the ball on the ground in the try zone for the score and the 10-0 victory.

"We pretty much dominated the game for the first 10 or 15 minutes," Cornell said. "We just couldn't put the ball in."

One of the things that the St. Joseph's team was doing so well was kicking the ball out of their zone.

"Their fly half had an exceptional foot," Cornell said. "If we would pin them or if we gave up a turnover they would kick it out or they would kick it deep enough that the fullback and the wingers had difficult fielding it."

It was much like a one-step forward, two-steps back dance for the Knights. When they would get the ball, they would march it 15 meters up the field before giving it up. Then the St. Joe's squad would kick it away again, sometimes 50 meters back the way the Knights had just come.

"They deserved to win," Cornell said. "They were the better team. We couldn't get any offense going and it killed us."

The Knights ended the season 7-3-1, counting the Michigan Cup and the tournament, and Cornell said he is looking forward to next season.

"The good news is, we have a

Brighton goes on to win first state championship

You don't have to convince the Brighton rugby team that defense wins championships.

They lived that experience Saturday afternoon.

The Bulldogs, in only their fifth year of existence and in only their second varsity season, defeated four-time defending state champion Grand Rapids Catholic Central 10-3 to win the Michigan Youth Rugby League championship.

Brighton's defense was the difference. The Bulldogs had a five-minute goal line stand and never allowed Central to score a touch that could have given the defending champs a chance to tie the game.

Four times Central crossed the goal line but was unable to place the ball on the ground for the touch, worth five points.

The final time Central crossed the goal line, a player attempted a touch but a Brighton defender dove between the player and the ground not allowing Central to get the touch.

A scrum followed and Brighton won it, allowing Eric Maust to punt the ball out of danger.

Brighton trailed early in the first half after a Central penalty kick made it 3-0. However, on the final play of first half Garan Geist, who was named the tournament's most valuable player, stole the ball from Central and scored a touch, making it 5-3 at halftime.

Geist started the second half the same way he ended the first, with another steal and touch, putting Brighton up 10-3. From there the defense took over.

Brighton opened the tourney by beating Grand Rapids Forest Hills 15-7. Brighton got touches from Aaron Kamman, Mike Perkaj and Caleb Bowersox.

The Bulldogs won a traveling trophy presented to the annual state champion.

This was the third time Brighton competed in the four-team state tourney. The Bulldogs have taken a second and two thirds. Brighton did not qualify in the event last year.

very young team," he said. "I'm very excited about next year. We had a winning season and a winning record this year and played some good rugby. Next year, we already have 16 players that look like they will return and we figured that we will be able to put together a team with just them. There is enough talent in enough areas that we can spread them out and make a good team."

Northville 20, Livonia 0

The Knights went into the Eastern Division tournament looking to earn victories and they managed to get one right off the bat.

Senior Billy Adkins took the ball in three times against the Livonia team in the tournament opener.

"Once he broke into the open field, he wasn't even touched," Cornell said. "His open-field running ability is incredible. He is so

elusive that once he was past the front line, no one could catch him or track him down."

This season also marks a first for the Rugby Union as the teams across the state were allowed to select three of their top players for the other teams to vote on for the first-ever All-Star team.

The Knights nominated Adkins, Ryan Sturing and Joe Petrous.

"All three are seniors and all three had exceptional seasons, both from the leadership standpoint and in their playing," Cornell said. "Each of the three players we nominated brought something unique to this team and helped make this season a success."

Northville 56, Berkley 3

There was little in the way of a contest when the Knights took on Berkley May 8.

"They lost every game they



Photo by Todd VanSickle

Mike Perkaj is tackled by Knight rugger Nick Cain in the regular season game that found Brighton earning the victory.

played this year," Cornell said. "Everyone got in on the scoring in this one."

Adkins led the punishing assault as he carried the ball into the try zone and set it down four times throughout the day. Newcomer Ben Mason found the ground in the zone for a score as well, showing senior newcomer Adam Dilley how it was done before Dilley

scored one of his own. "Dilley just came on with a couple of games left in the season," Cornell said. "He showed a lot of running ability and a lot of talent. He picked up on the game really fast. We could have used him throughout the season."

Besides Adkins, Mason and Dilley, the Knights looked to Brett TerBeek, Matt Haggerty, Sturing

and Petrous to score additional tries to seal the blasting victory. "We trounced them fairly easily," Cornell said.

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Next Level Athletes

By Sam Eggleston
SPORTS WRITER

The Next Level Athletes portion of the sports section is dedicated to the men and women of Northville, Novi and Walled Lake that have taken the next step in their athletic careers to participate in college and beyond. It is here we are able to applaud them for their efforts and their abilities.

Hillary McCrumb, freshman, Adrian College — will be pounding the pavement of Adrian College's track this season as she paces herself in the long distance events for the women's track and field program. McCrumb, a freshman for the Adrian squad, is a graduate of Northville High School.

Mike Wadowski, freshman, Volunteer State Junior College — a graduate of Detroit Catholic Central, he recently completed his first baseball season at Volunteer State Junior College in Tennessee. Wadowski is the

Pioneers' starting first baseman with a .360 batting average while notching six home runs and 30 RBIs this season. He had a .984 fielding percentage at first base. In the post-season, where the Pioneers fell just short of the College World Series, Wadowski had a tournament leading .600 batting average as he went nine-for-15 with four doubles, four singles and three homers while collecting eight RBIs.

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 or mail information to The Northville Record, 104 W. Main Street, Northville, MI, 48167.

Baseball team earns come-from-behind victories against WLAA foes

By Sam Eggleston
SPORTS WRITER

The Northville baseball team took quite a beating against two tough teams, but also managed to pull out two last-minute victories last week.

The Mustangs fell to a very powerful Farmington Harrison team 13-2 in five innings May 13 before beating Salem 6-5 May 14. The squad then found themselves on the wrong end of a beating when they were shelled by Farmington 13-2 in five innings May 15 before beating Churchill 4-3 in 10 innings May 17 and falling in a double header against a very tough Novi team May 18.

"It was the kind of a day that no one was going to blow anyone

out in," Northville helmsman Mickey Newman said of the Novi double header, which found the Wildcats winning the opener 4-1 and the closer 5-1. "It was a tough day for hitters. About 40 degrees and howling winds."

The opener found Roger Garfield going all six innings, but giving up eight hits. "We played very good defense behind him," Newman said. "But we just couldn't get anything going offensively."

Jimmy Wolbers was the only producer on the offensive end, collecting two hits and two stolen bases.

The second game found Wolbers scoring the only run as he hit a single, stole second and third, before being knocked in on a double by Tyler Carter.

Drew Herpich started the game, going four innings and giving up four runs, before sophomore Brian Tellish came in for two innings of relief, giving up one unearned run.

"Tellish has been doing a great job for us," Newman said. "He is pitching very well. He is getting good experience in pressure situations."

Tellish's final out was a whiff against batting powerhouse Adam Haberman in the bottom of the sixth.

"It was very impressive," Newman said.

The Mustangs collected six hits in the contest. Matt Williams, Jimmy Riehl, Herpich, Wolbers, Carter and Matt Sebastian all collected a hit in the game.

Northville 4, Churchill 3 in 10 innings

The Mustangs did what they had to do to earn a victory over the Churchill Chargers May 17 after trailing 3-1 heading into the bottom of the seventh inning.

"Our only run at that point had come off of three consecutive Churchill errors," Newman said.

The seventh inning found the Mustangs surging. Williams smacked a base hit and was advanced to third on a single by Herpich before Herpich stole second base.

Carter stepped up to the plate and blasted Williams home before Scott McNeish hit a sacrifice fly to score Herpich and to tie the game. Three innings later,

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Soccer still undefeated

By Brian Doyle
SPECIAL WRITER

The Northville girls soccer team continued their undefeated season last week with wins over Dearborn with a 6-2 final after topping North Farmington and cross-district rival Plymouth Canton in what turned out to be a prelude to this year's Conference championship.

In a rematch of last year's regional game, Northville defeated Dearborn soundly by a four-goal margin.

"They scored on a penalty kick and a breakaway."

Northville coach Ron Meteyer said. Other than those two goals, all the scoring was by the Mustangs.

Northville opened up with a goal by Dunmead who was assisted by Whitney Gunther. Tai Scelfo scored the second goal of the game after pressuring the Dearborn goalkeeper. Nicole Cauzillo rounded out the scoring in the first half.

In the second half, Whitney Gunther connected with Lindsey Miglio to score the fourth goal for Northville. Guenther continued to be busy, as she passed it to Dunmead for her second goal of the game, and the second Guenther-Dunmead combination on the day. Miglio scored the final goal with the assist coming from Dunmead.

Northville scored three goals in this game off of corner kicks in that game.

"That's been our bread and butter lately," Meteyer said.

Dearborn has had a tough time all season due to injuries. They have had players in and out of their line up all season long who are still not at full strength.

"They've lost seven players due to injuries," Meteyer said.

Northville 3, North Farmington 1

The Mustangs scored three quick goals in the first half to take, and keep the lead.

"We did pretty well that game," Meteyer said.

North Farmington's only goal came from their only shot on goal, which was on a penalty kick after Northville was up 3-0.

Cauzillo drew out two defenders and passed to Dunmead who got

Northville on the board early. Larissa Fill got her own rebound and knocked in the second goal for Northville to take a 2-0 lead. For the final goal, Maggie Ossola played the ball from a deflection from one of the defenders to score.

Northville did well and had nine shots on goals. They also had four corner kicks and didn't allow North Farmington to have any.

Northville 4, Livonia Stevenson 2

Both teams came into this game with excellent records. Northville had no losses and Stevenson had only three, all to top ranked schools.

"We came in with only one tie blemishing our record," Meteyer said.

The game was very important because it was the same match-up that butted heads yesterday (after the Northville Record deadline).

"This one was key," Meteyer said.

The game was close during the entire first half and Northville ended up being down by one at the end of the half. Northville came out in the second half very strong and ready to take back the game.

"We came out and we were fired up pretty hard," Meteyer said.

Northville scored all four of their goals in this game off of headers. Miglio scored the first goal and tied up the game just over a minute into the second half.

Dunmead knocked in the second goal to take a temporary lead but Stevenson quickly tied it up. Later, Dunmead and Miglio scored the final two goals of the game to give the Mustangs the victory.

Northville lead Stevenson in most statistical categories. The ball was in Stevenson's zone for most of the game. The Mustangs had 12 shots on goals to their six. They forced 19 goal kicks, while Stevenson only caused five.

"The stats show the story," Meteyer said.

Tonight, the Mustangs will go up against Howell and it will be senior night for the Mustangs.

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Photo by John Heider

Northville's Layne Scherer uses a club to get herself out of the middle of the fairway while on the first hole at Pebble Creek. Scherer and the Mustangs had meet against the Novi Wildcats this day.

Golfers undefeated in regular season

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"Depth," Murray said. "That is what I have been hearing all year long. People are always telling me how much depth we have. When it comes down to (picking line ups for) big matches like the Conference and Regionals, it's not cut and dry as it has been in years past when I automatically knew who I was going to pick."

This season, according to Murray, she has to consider everyone for the starting positions — especially when the Mustangs have freshmen shooting in the 40s.

"There are kids on the JV team that would easily play varsity for other teams," Murray said. "They are just not experienced enough

"There are kids on the JV team that would easily play varsity for other teams. They are just not experienced enough to play varsity here yet."

Trish Murray
Northville Girls Golf Coach

to play varsity here yet." The Mustangs also reached a milestone — besides setting the school record for low game for the team and the first-ever hole-in-one which was shot by Kelly Harrison. The Mustangs went undefeated for the first time in

the girls' program.

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Districts are here

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seniors.

With talent that seems to ebb from all direction, the Mustangs are going to be bringing every weapon they have onto the field in hopes of gaining an early lead over the Chiefs and holding on to it until the time runs out of the second half.

"Just like in every other sport on the planet, every game is a big question mark in soccer. The Mustangs could fall behind and end up taking a big bite out of a loss — but I just don't see it happening."

I am picking the Mustangs to earn the victory over the relentless Chiefs and am hoping that they make their way past Salem and the Novi/Ann Arbor Huron winner as well to earn a District Tournament title on their way to making their mark in the state

Northville has a tough road ahead of them, having to take on Canton and then Salem if they want a shot at the District title.

playoffs.

Northville 5, Canton 3.

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Northville's Robbie Harmer steps to the plate during a mid-May away game. Harmer will be out for an unknown amount of time due to a back injury that has been bothering him all season long.

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Baseball team wins big games Squad loses Harmer, Richard to injuries

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Roger Garfield got a one out walk and stole second base before he scored on a single by Sebastian to win the game.

"We did what we could with our rare home advantage," Newman said. "We really took advantage of our last at bats."

Tellish started the game on the mound and went 4 and 2/3 innings before being relieved by Riehl, who got the Mustangs out of a bases-loaded jam and went 3 and 1/3 innings before being relieved by Herpich, who earned the win with two scoreless innings.

Farmington 13, Northville 2 in five innings

The Northville Mustangs felt the misery of being on the wrong end of a mercy May 15 as Garfield hit a solo homerun and Wolbers hit a sacrifice fly to score Carter for the only two runs of the game.

"Farmington is full of big, physical men that take good hacks when they are up at the plate," Newman said. "They are a heck of the ball club. It is fun to watch a good team hit the baseball like that and believe me, they just pounded the ball."

Four Mustang hurlers got up to the plate — Carter, Bret Malkowski, Riehl and Joe Zumstein.

Northville 6, Salem 5 in eight innings

The Mustangs took advantage of a home game as they earned a victory over Plymouth Salem May 14. The 'Stangs found themselves down 5-3 in the bottom of the seventh but scored two runs as Wolbers knocked an RBI single to score Carter to tie the game before Williams singled in the eighth to score Tellish for the game winner.

Garfield started on the mound

and went six innings before being relieved by Riehl, who fanned five. Garfield failed to strike out any batters in his six innings, but didn't walk any either.

Williams went 2-for-3 with two walks to get on base four times, while McNeish and Sebastian went 2-for-3 in the contest.

Harrison 13, Northville 2 in five innings

The Harrison Hawks, aided by the strong arm of Drew Stanton, blasted the Mustangs in a WLLA Western Division match up May 13.

The Hawks followed the lead of Stanton, who went five innings, whiffed 10, walked one and gave up four hits and two earned runs in the contest — all while in front of professional ball club scouts.

"He was gunned throwing 94 (miles per hour)," Newman said of Stanton. "He averaged 92, but he threw 94 at times."

Herpich started on the mound, but gave up 11 hits and nine runs before being replaced by Ben Sherman, who threw two and 1/3 scoreless innings of relief before Malkowski finished the game with one inning on the mound.

Williams earned a single, stole second and scored off a single by McNeish to give the Mustangs a 1-0 lead in the first before Garfield hit a solo homer in the second. The only other hit came as Riehl hit a double later in the game.

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Youth Soccer Results

The Northville Rockers earned a close win over Baysa 4-3 as they rallied from a 3-1 half-time deficit to overcome a tough group from Ann Arbor. The game-winning goal was scored by Eric Ripper, who was cleanly set up by Brendan Burdette's excellent feed across the crease. Nick Lattanzi got the Rockers on the board with the first goal, which was assisted by David Mertz. Kevin Courtney also scored a goal, unassisted, as he stole the ball from a Baysa player and found the back of the net. Russ Rushing also found a way around the goalie with Ripper providing the assist. Brady Tyburski played tough defense to earn recognition as the team's outstanding player along with Burdette, who earned the nod with his performance on offense.

The U-12 girls' Northville Storm squad squeaked by a fearsome Northville Hot Spurs team with a final of 1-0. The only goal in the fast-paced, defensive battle came off the foot of Sarah Kempa. The game's Most Valuable Players were Karina Puskorius and Rachel Englert.

The Northville Cosmos earned a tough win over Farmington 3-2 as Nicco Buffone found the back of the net with the game-winning score. Alex Zimmer and Michael Scorzo scored goals in the contest. The game MVPs were Danny Ritenour and Bobby Taepke.

The Northville Express earned a tight victory over Novi II 4-3 as

Stephen Grimmer, Jake Robideau, Matt Lypka and Jordan Selva all found the back of the net to contribute goals in the win. Peter Boylan and Stephen Sweeney were named the game MVPs.

The U-9 Northville Boys' Cosmos continued to earn victories as they traveled to Livonia and earned a 1-0 shutout. It was a back-and-forth battle with neither team mounting momentum in the first half or threatening to score. Midway through the second half of the tight contest, Ryan Owen pushed the ball up the right side of the field and centered a pass that was headed into the net by Victor Bodrie. Sterling Knolton preserved the victory for the Cosmos as he made stellar saves in between the posts. The game MVPs were

Knolton and Graham Smith.

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Northville Sports Schedule

Baseball

Head Coach: Mickey Newman

Date	Opponent	Time	Place
May 28	District	TBA	A
June 1	District	TBA	A

Softball

Head Coach: Kelly DeWitt

Date	Opponent	Time	Place
May 28	District	TBA	A
June 1	District	TBA	A

Soccer

Head Coach: Ron Meteyer

Date	Opponent	Time	Place
May 23	Howell	7 p.m.	A
May 28	District	TBA	A

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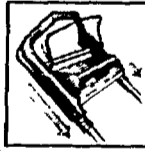
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Kniceley headed for Eastern Michigan University

By Sara-Beth O'Connor
SPECIAL WRITER

Northville High School senior Ashley Kniceley set a goal for herself as a freshman — a very reachable one at that.

"My goal was to play softball and to have fun," said Kniceley. She accomplished this and is the varsity softball captain.

Kniceley started playing 12 years ago on a T-ball team. She now plays third base for the Mustangs and loves to have fun while playing the game.

But softball isn't the only sport Kniceley participates in. She plays basketball on a Northville rec team and enjoys swimming. "She's the best swimmer in the

world," said boyfriend Garrett Marshall.

When the two decided to have a race in the lake one day, Kniceley showed Marshall how good of a swimmer she really is.

"I was cocky and she beat me," said Marshall.

Kniceley will have plenty of time to swim this summer when she takes a road trip to Virginia Beach. She will be driving down with fellow seniors Jackie Daignault, Shauna Wainel, Cherish Lacy and Jessica Bechtel.

"We're taking Cherish's suburban," said Kniceley.

"We just wanted to go to a beach and we figured it was the closest one."

The first thing the girls will do when they arrive at Virginia Beach is get a hotel and then they'll have some fun on the beach.

Kniceley has been having a lot of fun already during the last part of her senior year. Her favorite high school memory is this year's prom.

A week before the dance Marshall decided to do something special for Kniceley.

"I drove to the high school to leave flowers on her car," said Marshall.

"But, someone moved them before she saw them."

The flowers and card were moved from Kniceley's silver Mercury Tracer to someone else's

car. She has reason to believe he put them on the wrong vehicle.

"I'm 99-percent sure I put them on her car," said Marshall.

But, it was the thought that counted and Kniceley had a great time at the prom.

"It summed up the year," said Kniceley. "It was a good way to end it."

She wore a beaded white spaghetti strapped dress. Her favorite song was "These are the Moments" by Edwin McCain.

Kniceley will always remember the moments because she always has a camera with her.

"I like to take pictures," said Kniceley.

She has a creative side which she wouldn't admit to. Marshall

said that Kniceley has many pleature albums and makes hemp necklaces in her free time.

Kniceley also watches her favorite movie, "Can't Hardly Wait" when she has the night off. When she wants to hang out with her friends, she usually goes to their houses' or goes to her local Starbucks. Her favorite drink is a chocolate brownie frappe chino.

With friends or at school Kniceley has the attitude that "your true friends accept you for who you are."

This is why she often wears sweatpants, t-shirts and a ponytail in her hair to school. She doesn't care what people think about the way she dresses. It is what is on the inside that

counts for Kniceley.

This way of thinking will go with her to college next year where she will be meeting all sorts of different people.

"I'm going to Eastern and majoring in secondary education," said Kniceley.

She likes kids and can't wait to work with them.

"In ten years I see her living in Philadelphia, teaching little kids and living in a condo," said Marshall.

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Tennis takes second in WLAA, bow's out in Regional

By Sam Eggleston
SPORTS WRITER

The Northville Mustangs tennis team notched a second-place finish in the Western Lakes Activities Association before getting bumped from the Regional by some very talented programs.

The Mustangs, led by coach Doug Button, took second place in the WLAA behind an incredibly tough North Farmington team and also secured the Western Division title with their play this year. The team continued on into the

Regional where they were ousted by some of the best competition in the state, including Ann Arbor Huron and Ann Arbor Pioneer.

"I don't mind having one of the Ann Arbor schools in the Regional," Button said.

"With one everyone might stand a chance to win, but with both it really doesn't matter what we bring."

Huron and Pioneer walked away with the top two spots with Saline finishing third and Northville

fourth in the Regional tournament.

"John Lee really had an outstanding performance in four singles," Button said. "He upset the kid from Ann Arbor Huron in the semi-finals and made the finals where he ended up losing to the kid from Ann Arbor Pioneer."

Adam O'Donnell made it to the semi-finals in three singles, but bowed out against his Huron opponent while the three doubles team of Matt Lewicki and Chris Irvine also made it to the semis where they lost in three sets.

The conference meet found

North Farmington earning the victory while the Mustangs took a second place. The one doubles team of Nathan Mehill and Jackson Knoll won their flight as did Lewicki and Irvine in three doubles.

O'Donnell made a good run at his flight, finally falling in the finals to Dan Carlson of North Farmington. Lee also made it to the finals in the fourth singles flight, but couldn't compete due to severe cramping.

"This had been a problem for him for the past couple of years," Button said. "We actually though

he was over it, but in the semi-finals match against Stevenson he started cramping in the third set at 3-2."

Lee went on to win the set and the match, but couldn't compete in the finals, thus dropping it and recording a "walk-over" stating he could not make it to the court to play the match.

Kyle Dehne ended up losing to Jerry Murray of Churchill in the second round of the tournament while Jason Spruit lost in the semi-finals to Stevenson.

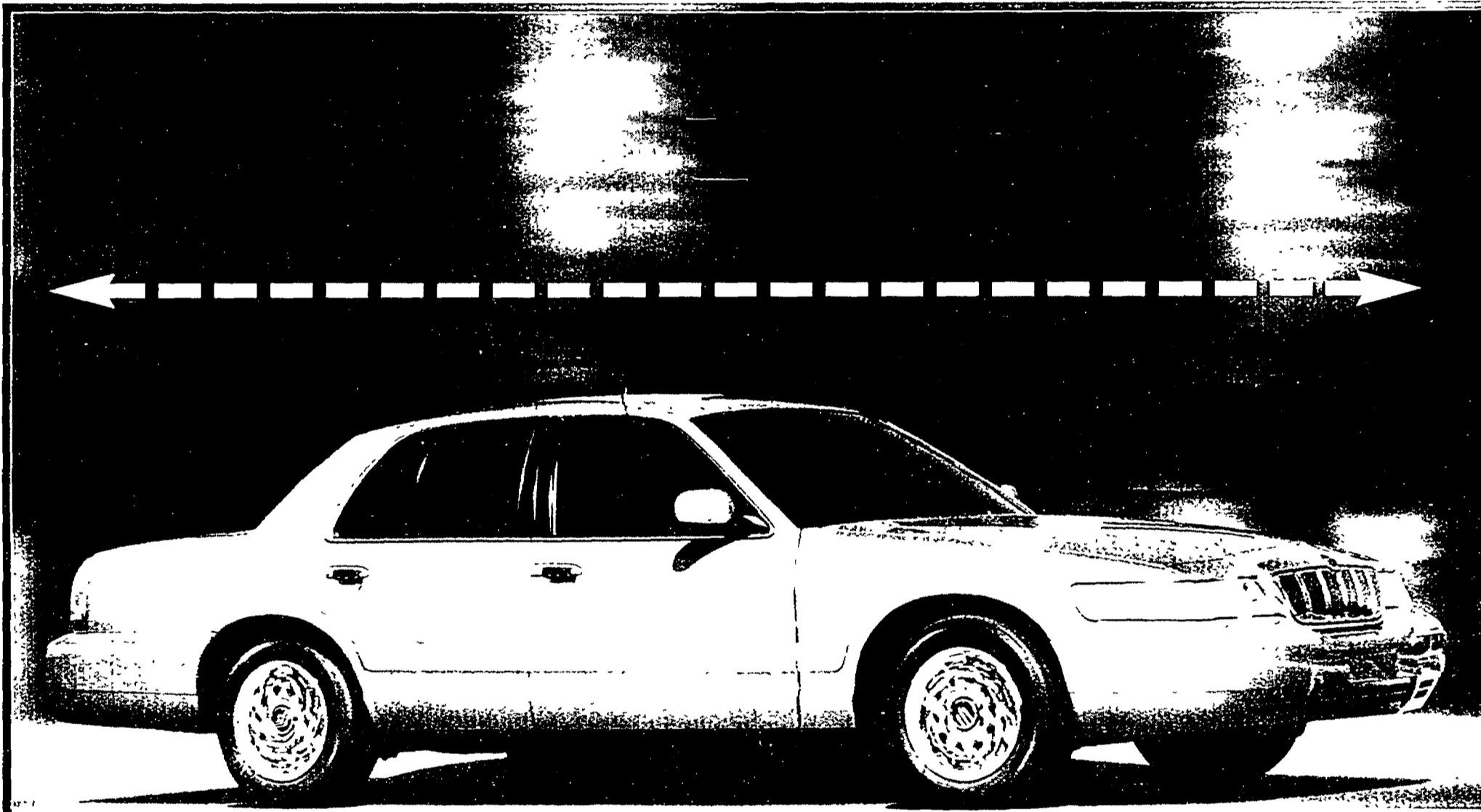
"He did beat the number two guy from Franklin in a three set

match," Button said. "It was a very emotionally complicated match which was more mental than anything else. After Jason beat him, he was too tired to really go on."

The two doubles team of Brian Bensette and Tom Gain fell in the semis to North Farmington, as did Lance Dehne and Jeremy Reisman in fourth doubles.

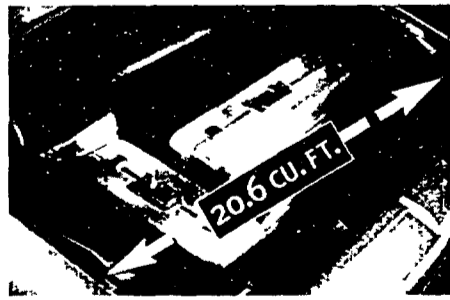
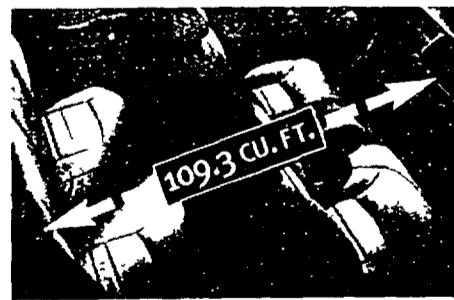
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Softball seeing better results

By Sam Eggleston
SPORTS WRITER

The Northville softball team notched two victories over the weekend to boost morale as well as to make a statement on how far they have come this season as they took second place in the Novi Invitational Softball Tournament May 18.

The Mustangs, coached by Kelly DeWitt, went into the contest looking to show marked improvement from the beginning of the year and did just that. They fell to Farmington in the opening game 5-3 before topping Farmington Hills Harrison 5-4 in the second game. The third game found the Mustangs earning a victory over cross-town rival Novi 10-6 before falling in the title game to Farmington 12-2.

"We really played aggressive softball," DeWitt said of the tournament. "We are only two pitchers for them, but our defense really minimized on the errors. I was really happy to see a couple of wins."

The Mustangs once again followed the lead of their only two pitcher, Carrie Banner, a sophomore, and Jane Kruszewski, a freshman, but also found a new leadership springing onto the offensive end of the ball game.

Any Prentiss stepped up in the tournament and gathered 10 hits in four games for the Mustangs to lead the to the two victories. Prentiss, the team catcher, notched four RBIs in the tournament as well.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Mustang right-fielder Samantha Cooke rifles a basehit back into the infield during last week's home game on Wednesday afternoon.

"She really hit the ball," DeWitt said. "She stepped up for us and I was really happy with her and her performance."

Senior Ashley Kniceley also connected more than once through the tournament, showing that the Mustangs do have more than just a couple of bats on their team.

"We really held it together in that tournament," DeWitt said. "I know it is difficult for this team to get it in gear because they are competing against girls that have a year or more of development at the varsity level. With only two seniors on the team, it is difficult to find that experience that we need."

The Mustangs also took on Canton May 20 and fell 4-2 after holding on to the tie until the top of the seventh inning.

"It will take a while for these girls to get experience," DeWitt said. "They have been making advances since the beginning of the season and are working really hard. As a

coach, that is all I could possibly ask of them."

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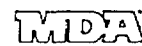
The Northville Tigers and the Northville Athletics t-ball baseball teams played an exciting game to finish May 10, 2002. Gabbie Guilford played excellent defense, making an unassisted triple play in the contest while Ashley Robinson added four hits on the offensive end and has two unassisted put outs in the contest. Both teams showed outstanding sportsmanship throughout the game.

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It's by design...

Milford room designer helps keep memories alive with creative touches

By Annette Jaworski
SPECIAL WRITER

It's hard to fit a lifetime of possessions under one roof — and even more of a challenge to combine two.

But that's what Lorrie Lafferty, Ph.D., accomplished with the help of room designer and Milford resident Mary Lee Fergin, a member of the Interior Arrangement and Design Association.

Lorrie and her late husband, Clay Lafferty, enjoyed 10 happy years together in the home patterned after a Frank Lloyd Wright creation.

However, life goes on. Lorrie was ready to make some changes as well as preparing to host a wedding for her daughter, Renee. The last thing she wanted to do was to box up the memories of her life with Clay.

Room designer Mary Lee Fergin agreed that these things should be cherished. She came to the rescue with a plan that enhanced the current home décor, while treasuring past memories. An additional goal was to improve the traffic flow between the rooms prior to the wedding.

"What I saw was a lifetime of collections for two people whose taste was compatible, but good and different enough to be interesting," Fergin said. "Here's a couple who traveled together and loved music, art and nature."

It's a kind of magic the room stylist creates, using a client's current furniture and decorative accents in a whole new way. She calls it "romancing the room."

"I make a home romantic," Fergin said. "That doesn't have to

mean candles and so on. It means to play up your best features. Like putting your best foot forward."

To accomplish this, the designer envisions the home with her client's interests in mind. In this case, she wanted to be considerate of Lorrie's late husband, as well. And she's also careful to ask what's important to them — exactly what pieces they would not be willing to part with.

Fergin pointed out that Lorrie Lafferty was one of the few clients who really had everything she needed, without looking to purchase any new pieces. She adds that once she's completed a project, the homeowner has a clear picture of exactly what they're missing.

One of the favorite pieces that the homeowner absolutely wanted to keep prominent was a hand-painted portrait of the couple. Instead of the foyer, where it was originally, she hung the picture among the windows, facing the outdoor view. This way, the couple is surrounded by nature, she pointed out.

Another portrait of Clay is highlighted in the circular stairway. Clay Lafferty was an artist and much of his art reflected his love of nature. His pieces were used throughout the home to bring a taste of the outdoors in.

An off white sectional sofa overlooks the tremendous view of the outdoors. To bring in some color, an Oriental-style rug in deep maroon, cream and navy was used in the living area.

The focal point is an impressive crystal chandelier.

Several other seating areas complete the living room, making a

larger space seem more intimate. By breaking up the large spaces, she created smaller conversational areas.

Against one wall, Fergin switched a set of chairs with those found in the entry foyer, noting that their new spot was in better proportion. Another seating area contains a leather sofa and a safari look with a unique tasseled footstool.

This was an unusual arrangement, because here the family room was actually an extension of the living room.

An impressive Remington horse sculpture was also moved from the foyer into a more focal point in the family room and strategically placed under a recessed light so that it reflected the sculpture.

Another favorite trick of the room designer is to create vignettes with the homeowner's favorite belongings. In the library, for example, she displayed Clay's pipe collection along with a picture of the couple, and a sculpture given to them by the children.

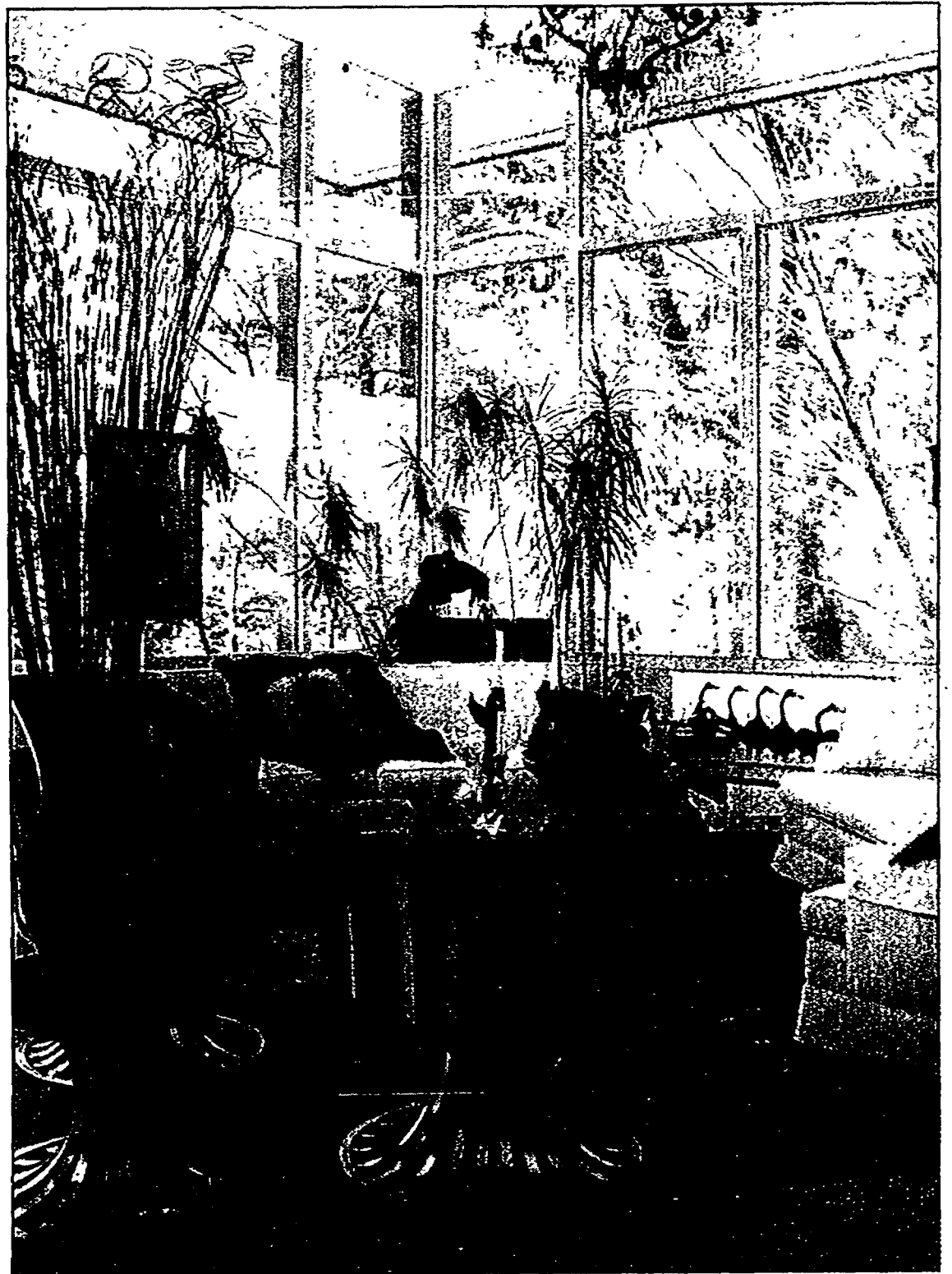
Although the home was attractive before the arrangement, Lafferty was thrilled when the project was complete.

"When I come in, it's like an entirely new space. It's given a new lease on the house, and what value can you put on that," said Lafferty, who plans to continue living in the home that she and her late husband shared together.

"People die, but love doesn't," agreed Fergin.

The room designer from Milford has been featured in numerous publications as well as on HGTV.

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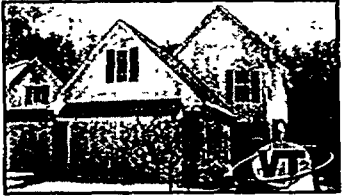
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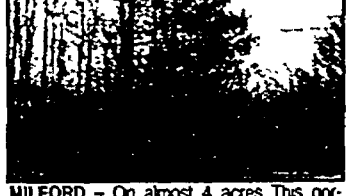
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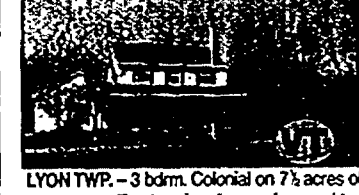
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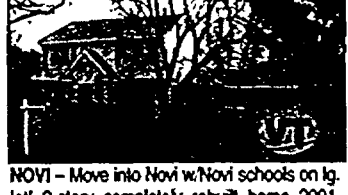
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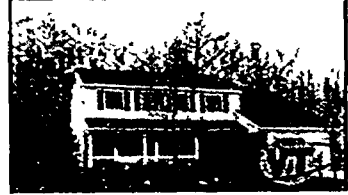
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By Candy Parent
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Matt and Tracy Craig want to restore their house to its original glory — as soon as they figure out what that is.

The c. 1870 cruciform house — looks like a cross from sky — was gutted in the 1970s and the Craigs aren't sure what changes were made then. Some, like the fireplace and the new kitchen are obvious. Others, like the central stairway have been modified, but the couple can't figure out how it originally was.

The Craigs purchased the house in North Piety Hill — city of Howell north of Grand River Avenue and east of Michigan Avenue — with the intention of restoring the home.

"We have an obligation to this older house to take care of it," said Matt.

"We're trying to keep it as architecturally true to the date of the house as we possible can," added Tracy.

But, despite hours of research, the couple has found nothing but dead ends. They've looked through all of the local history books, visited the courthouse and the Howell Area Archives and have talked to their neighbors, but they haven't solved some of the house's mysteries.

Matt and Tracy are now asking the community to assist them in their quest.

Even the smallest details are unknown. For example, Tracy believes the house once had some sort of decorative trim on the outside, but she isn't positive.

"If we could just get a picture ..." requests Tracy.

"We would take any information," adds Matt.

The Craigs were able to find their house on the bird's eye view drawing of 1877 by D. D. Morse, but the image doesn't show the front of the house.

Matt and Tracy found the house for sale by owner after months of searching unsuccessfully for a historic home in downtown Howell.



Tracy and Matt Craig

On a trip to Cleary's Pub, they noticed a sign and immediately called the homeowner. Their offer was accepted within 24 hours of the house being placed on the market. Matt was later told 30 people submitted offers for the home in that short period of time.

The Craigs hope a historic district soon will be created in downtown Howell. The couple hopes as additional young couples who are concerned with preserving history continue to move into the area, they'll see the benefits of a historic district and work to create one.

For now, however, the Craigs are worried about making sure their house contributes to the neighborhood.

"This is our little plea," said Tracy.

In fact, the couple is willing to even accept details "anonymously" in order to find out more about their house.

So far, they've repaired the chimney, foundation and roof on the house. Everything else has been strictly cosmetic.

"This is a great house," said Tracy. "We just want to do it right."



Photos by TODD VANSICKLE

The Craigs' historic home is in Howell's Piety Hill neighborhood.

Home Builders Association offers project management course

The Home Builders Association of Livingston County (HBALC) will offer a Project Management course from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. June 4. This full-day course will be held at the new Livingston Regional M-TEC Center located at M-59 and I-96 in the TransWest Industrial Park in Howell.

"This course focuses on the skills

for successful management of a project at the job site. Three phases of project management are reviewed: the plan to implement a completed job file for the project; the step required to move the project forward; and the evaluation of the completed project.

Topics include: site conditions and layouts, effective office and

client communications and relations, quality control standards, scheduling, and reporting and documenting for record keeping and control purposes. Participants are encouraged to bring samples of policies, procedures and customer relations forms for review and comment by the instructor and fellow participants.

The instructor will be Chuck Breidenstein of the Builders Professional Services Group. This course is also approved for credit toward earning certain professional designations.

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Most old-time furniture designs are still popular today

Most of the furniture designs that were popular in the United States in the 18th and 19th centuries are well-known today. The designs include Queen Anne, Chippendale, Sheraton, Federal and Victorian.

Many collectors and decorators are unfamiliar with some of the lesser-known styles that were popular just after the Centennial Exposition of 1876. Furniture and decorative pieces from countries all over the world were exhibited at the well-attended event in Philadelphia.

One of the most important new decorating ideas was discovered at the Chinese and Japanese exhibits. These countries and their cultures were almost unknown here at that time.

Also, elaborate Victorian furniture was popular in America, but the French Art Nouveau styles, influential in Europe, were almost unnoticed by furniture makers here.

In the United States, the glass of Tiffany, the silver of Gorham and thousands of imported bentwood

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pieces were the main examples of Art Nouveau in America. Besides French Art Nouveau and adaptations of Asian furniture, two other styles were soon popular in America: simple, sturdy Arts & Crafts and Colonial Revival. Painted and inlaid furniture, pieces made of bamboo or rattan, Windsor chairs and even rustic chairs made from twigs — bark and all — were also popular.

My mother-in-law's beaded evening bag has fringe on the bottom and a chain handle. The small, colored beads seem to be made of metal, not glass or stone. They form a picture on the front and back. The picture shows a windmill along a stream with trees and grass. Can you tell me anything about it?

The beads decorating your mother-in-law's bag are probably made of cut steel. By the mid-19th century, cut-steel beads were used in both Europe and the United

States. French beadworkers colored the beads using an electroplating process. These colored beads could be sewn together to create designs or scenes, like the one you describe. Purses like your mother-in-law's sell for prices ranging from about \$100 to \$500, depending on condition and workmanship.

My antique farm tool has a seat and pedals, but it doesn't move. A bin sits on the front, and the machinery inside slices something that slides out chutes on both sides. The bin is embossed "Bucher and Gibbs Plow Co., Canton, O." Can you tell me what this contraption is and what it's worth?

Your farm tool was made about 100 years ago. It was used to cut seed potatoes into pieces before planting.

Farmers now use more sophisticated potato cutters. The newest kind is laser-operated. Your antique potato cutter is valued at more than \$4,000 if it is in good condition.

When I was born in 1957, I received a sterling silver spoon that can also be used as a straw. The handle is hollow. The only mark on it is "Sterling." Can you give me any information on this hybrid kind of spoon?

Your spoon is usually called a "straw spoon." The spoon's bowl can be used to stir a drink, and the handle serves as a straw for drinking. These spoons were meant to be used, not displayed.

Straw spoons date back to 18th-century Holland, where they were used with brandy or punch. Gorham Silver Co. has made these spoons, advertising that they can be used for iced tea, iced coffee or lemonade.

We recently bought a 63-piece set of Limoges dinnerware. The plates are white with a scalloped edge, a gold border and a starburst center pattern. The plates are identical, but the marks on the backs vary. All of the plates are marked with a black or dark-green seven-pointed star. Inside the star, the word "Limoges" surrounds a small

circle. "Limoges" is also printed above the star, and "France" below it. In addition to that mark, some plates have a green logo that reads "Blake & Henderson, Limoges, France." Other plates are stamped with a green double circle enclosing the mark "LS & S, Limoges." Why are there different marks? How old is the set?

The star mark was used by the Coiffe factory of Limoges after 1891 until 1914. Coiffe worked from the 1870s to the mid-1920s. The firm produced large quantities of high-quality china. Much of it was exported to the United States by other companies, including the two whose marks are on your plates.

The first mark is actually "Blakeman & Henderson," a French exporting company that purchased dishes from Coiffe. The "LS & S" mark was used by Lewis Straus & Sons, an exporter based in New York.

Some dishes made by Coiffe were decorated by other Limoges firms or were shipped blank to the United States and decorated here. Dishes with both the Coiffe mark and the mark of an exporter were probably decorated by artists at the Coiffe factory.

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BEAUTIFUL BRICK RANCH - 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath ranch in Windsor Sub. 1st floor laundry + master bedroom has jacuzzi & much more.

LYON TWP. - 60641 Sue St. Sayre Sub. 3 bedrooms, new windows, roof, vinyl siding, clean, quiet. Open House Sun, May 26, 1-4pm.

OPEN SUN, 1-4, 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, c.a., central vac, interior, spacious corner lot w/ paver patio.

OPEN SUN, 1-4pm, 3 bedroom, 1200sq ft. ranch. Completely remodeled. Must see. Walking distance to Downtown & Park.

OPEN SUN, 1-5, Contemporary here 1998, 4 bedroom colonial w/in-ground pool, brick patio, Pergola, premium fenced lot.

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GREEN OAK TWP. - 2 Bedroom home on all sports Sever Lake. 9027 Shiverside. \$189,900. And Contract Terms. Open Sun, 5/26, 12-3.

HOWELL 3 bedroom ranch home on beautiful Thompson Lake. \$300,019. (517) 548-3296.

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HOWELL 1600sq ft. 3 bedroom, 2 bath in newer Burkhardt Ridge. Fireplace, walk-in closets, shed, C/A, close to I-96/M-59.

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BRIGHTON - 16x80 3 bedroom, new carpet, newly decorated, large lot

BRIGHTON - on Woodland Lake. Furnished, awning, 2 storage sheds. \$7,000/best

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HOWELL - 3 Bedroom, 1 bath, hardwood floors, newer carpet, A/C. Must see. \$9,500. (517) 545-9453

HOWELL. By owner. 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, fireplace, all appliances including microwave & dishwasher. New carpet. Must see. Best offer. Call Rusty, (517) 545-9283

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PINCKNEY. Large doublewide, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, jacuzzi, on 2.5 acre lot. Partry, 2 large decks, a/c, all appliances stay, large barn, 2 ponds, fully landscaped. New fence around property. \$130,000 (734) 498-8061

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379 Northern Property

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BRIGHTON - 1.3 Acres plus post sep. wooded. Appraised \$115,000. \$93,900/best offer (810) 227-3924

BRIGHTON - 4.7 acres wooded & rolling, lake, privileges. \$149,900. (810) 227-3924

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HARTLAND - 2.9 acres w/mature woods, near US-23, \$69,900. Terms Magic Realty, (810) 231-6009.

HARTLAND - Beautiful Wooded rolling lot near schools & x-ways, perked \$73,500. (810) 632-5243

HARTLAND - WATERFRONT 1.8 acre walkout site, \$99,900 Terms. Magic Realty, (810) 231-6009.

HARTLAND. BEAUTIFUL 5 acre parcel, wooded, large trees, walkout site, overlooking wetland w/creek of private road. \$105,500 (810) 629-1036.

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385 Mortgage/ Land Contracts

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386 Money to Loan-Borrow

READERS: Since many ads are from outside the local area, please know what you are buying before sending money.

387 Real Estate Wanted

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388 Commercial/Industrial/Vacant Property

Brighton - 5 acres, B-4 commercial & office, 700 frontage. Sewers. House/oudbing. Will split \$850,000. Kensington & I-96 - 3 acres, general industrial, pond facing. Outside storage. \$395,000. O'Connell & Associates (810) 229-4090, (810) 850-8390

389 Commercial/Industrial Sale or Lease

BRIGHTON TWP. Commercial 2+ acres at high traffic intersection on Old US23 Days. (810) 227-4488, (810) 227-4566 Eves

390 Business Opportunities

ABOUT TO buy \$150,000 house for \$94,000. Need one lender now (810) 231-8126.

391 Investment Property

3.8 ACRES MILFORD/WARDLOW ROAD ZONED DB Parcel #1: 111x118 ft. \$150,000 Parcel #2: 141x118 ft. \$150,000 Parcel #3: 222x322 ft. (corner lot) \$225,000 153X185 Ft. M-59, White Lake Zoned C3 - \$195,000 M-59/TIPSCO LAKE RD. ZONED MSC Parcel #1: 120x220 ft. \$225,000 Parcel #2: 200x220 ft. (corner lot) \$325,000 SHJ INC. PROPERTIES (248) 421-6895

392 Commercial/Retail Sale/Lease

HOWELL. 1800sq. Ft. building for lease. W. Grand River access. (989) 544-2033.

393 Office Bus. Space Sale/Lease

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397 Investment Property

FOWLERVILLE - 2-4,000sq. ft. apt. buildings - 4 units per building 15 acres of multiple residential property with each. \$300,000 each or both for \$580,000 (810) 333-8001.

398 Commercial/Industrial Sale or Lease

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399 Apartments-Unfurnished

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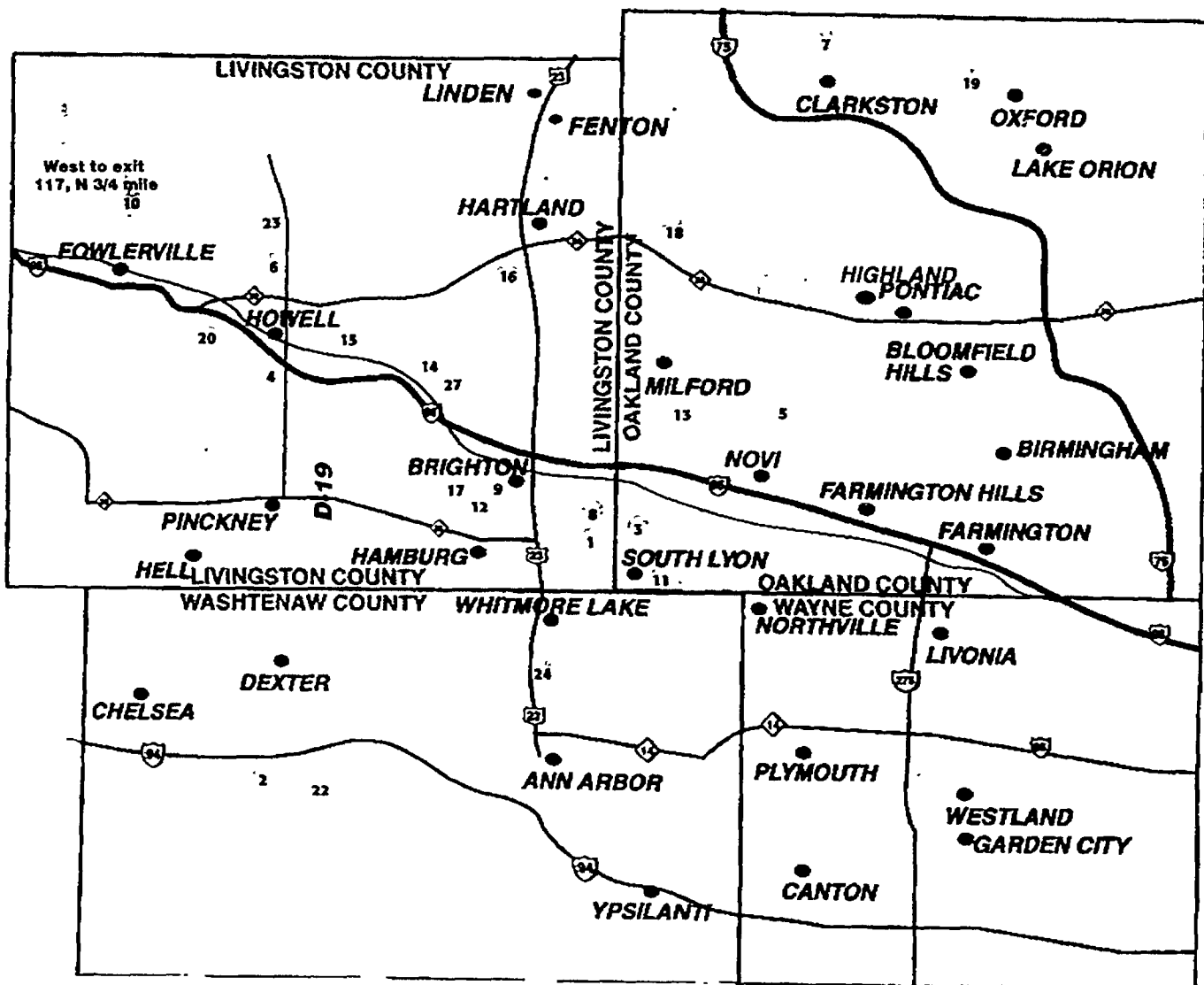
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Fabulous new floor plan features 2 grt. rooms & 2 FP. Kitchen w/nook, 1st flr mstr w/delux jacuzzi. Bonus 4th bedroom. MLS# 21087453.



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HOWELL AREA \$189,899
Full w/out bsmt, open great room and large kitchen w/pantry. 2 acres, vinyl sided. Natural gas paid. MLS# 21094241.



FOWLERVILLE AREA \$178,800
Master BR has vaulted ceiling. Marble flr in main bath, oak cabinets in kit & large w/in pantry, spacious living room. MLS# 21098283.



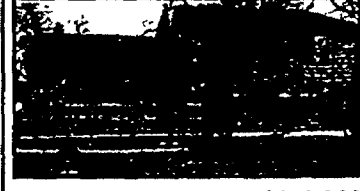
BRIGHTON AREA \$499,625
Cathedral ceiling plus stone FP. 1st flr mstr offers impressive private bath w/whirlpool. 4 car garage. lots of upgrades. MLS# 21100592.



HOWELL AREA \$264,900
10' ceiling in liv rm, deluxe mstr suite w/glamour bath and whirlpool tub. Extensive hrdwd flrs. Pond, woods & much more. MLS# 21032743.



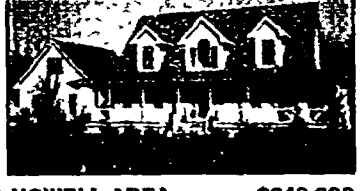
HOWELL AREA \$284,900
Offers park, walking trails, sidewalks. Quality built offers huge family room, ceramic tile baths w/jacuzzi tub. MLS# 22006292.



BRIGHTON AREA \$169,921
Well maintained Tri-level offers ceramic full bath, medium oak cabinets in kit, large deck off dining room. Lrg laundry. MLS# 22025546.



EATON RAPIDS \$256,460
8.13 acres set up for horses, 15 stall barn, 60x99 indoor arena, fenced pasture, stocked pond, 40x45 & 30x50 buildings. MLS# 22034621.



HOWELL AREA \$349,900
4072 total sq. ft. finished w/o LL done in stone & pine, bath prepped. Oversized 2 1/2 car garage w/550 SF hobby room. MLS# 22030244.



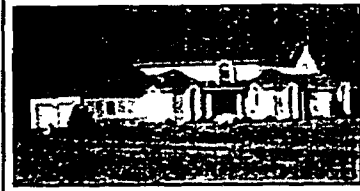
FOWLERVILLE AREA \$199,500
Walk to shopping, schools, park and churches. Home features 4 BR, updated kit & baths, newer roof and home warranty. MLS# 21100541.



HOWELL AREA \$199,900
This cozy 2 bedroom sits on 98 ft. of all sports lake front. Furniture included. 2 car attached garage. MLS# 22034395



BRIGHTON AREA \$513,900
Wonderful 4 BR offers 1st flr mstr, paver patios off both kit & mstr suite. Central vacuum, wooded lot for privacy. MLS# 21057096.



WHITMORE LAKE \$720,000
2 story Contemporary on 15 acres. Oak trim, 9' ceilings in din. & lib. Granite slab FP, glass block shower. School of choice. MLS# 22019982.



PINCKNEY AREA \$1,500,000
Stunning wtrfront log estate on Portage chain. Gourmet kit, built-in butler pantry, warm breakfast/sun porch w/akeview. MLS# 22008626



PINCKNEY AREA \$208,900
Children's Paradise in great family sub featuring wood play set, in-ground trampoline, tree fort, small pond & more. MLS# 21066654.



HOWELL AREA \$214,900
Gas FP in liv room, huge kit, 1st flr laundry, great master suite, finished bonus room above garage for a 4th BR. MLS# 22029174.



WALLED LAKE AREA \$179,900
If you like water this is for you! Private lake access w/boat launch, dockage & beach. Root beer Stand across the street. MLS# 22031340.



HOWELL AREA \$209,900
4 BR, 2 1/2 baths, formal dining room, beautiful FP, 1st floor laundry, bay window in breakfast nook, underground sprinklers MLS# 22006640.



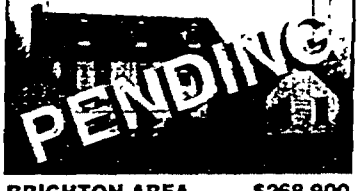
SOUTH LYON AREA \$167,500
Great income potential in-law quarters upstairs, new roof on home and garage, new carpeting and much more. MLS# 22007466



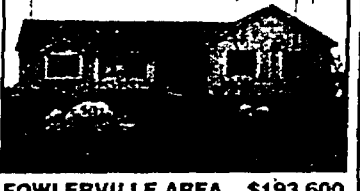
PINCKNEY AREA \$229,999
Updated kitchen w/oak cabinets. Mud room can be converted to 1st floor laundry. Lots of room for growing family. MLS# 21080420.



STOCKBRIDGE AREA \$119,000
1 1/2 story Bungalow on approx. 1/2 acre. Newer well and furnace, updated kitchen, natural FP in family room and more. MLS# 21076971.



BRIGHTON AREA \$268,900
One owner home with private setting. Country oak kitchen, bay windows at eating area that opens to huge liv. room. MLS# 22008672.



FOWLERVILLE AREA \$193,600
Country ranch on 2 acres featuring oak Memlit kit cabs w/snack bar, mstr bth w/double sinks. LL w/o w/rock retaining wall. MLS# 21093591.



BRIGHTON AREA \$248,900
Enjoy wildlife in a wooded setting w/mature hrdwd trees and pines. Take pleasure in the array of Perennials. MLS# 22028913



HARTLAND AREA \$216,900
Beautiful home on wooded lot. Updated including newly remodeled bathrooms, fin w/out lower level w/natural brick FP. MLS# 22014646.



HOWELL AREA \$299,895
Custom brick end courtyard w/fountain pond, 2 story foyer, hrdwd flrs lead to den. 1st flr mstr w/jacuzzi tub, screened porch. MLS# 22022801.



PINCKNEY AREA \$1,799,000
Overlooks private all sports lk. Fin bsmt incl 1/2 size b-ball crt/gym w/22' ceilings, hot tub & bar, horse barn. Agent owned. MLS# 21042873.



HOWELL AREA \$195,000
New White ceramic kit w/oak cabs, tiled entrance, mstr bth has private door leading to main bth, invisible fencing MLS# 22028325.



BRIGHTON AREA \$194,965
Brick FP, finished bsmt w/rec rm. 12x24 enclosed porch overlooks scenic yard. Circle drive, recent updates and more. MLS# 21087329.



BRIGHTON AREA \$429,900
Breathtaking scenic views! Mstr suite has tray ceiling, sitting rm, jacuzzi tub, 9' ceiling Daylight windows in bsmt. MLS# 21058688.



PINCKNEY AREA \$269,899
Two story great room, dramatic entry, hrdwd floors, central air, full w/out bsmt, brick and vinyl exterior. Mature trees. MLS# 21077079.



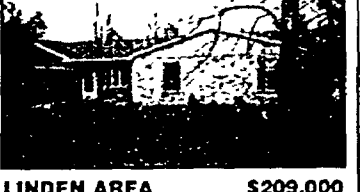
BRIGHTON AREA \$243,900
New large deck w/hot tub. Pergo floor in grt & din room. New flooring in kit, den can be 4th BR and much more. MLS# 22034561.



PINCKNEY AREA \$333,500
Colonial on tree lot w/ huge oak kt w/ prep isle. Marble/oak FP, vaulted mstr retreat w/jacuzzi and separate shower. MLS# 22028410.



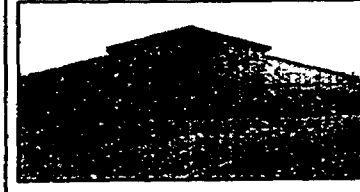
BRIGHTON AREA \$215,000
Oversized garage w/work benches. Updates incl floor in kit, breakfast rm, main bath & 1/2 bath, new carpet in mstr. MLS# 22028275.



LINDEN AREA \$209,000
Large ranch on private site. Huge kit w/ ceramic & oak, mstr BR w/ double closets. Privacy deck. Part fin LL w/rec area. MLS# 22018705



BRIGHTON AREA \$185,000
End unit ranch condo, vaulted ceiling w/ natural or gas FP. Fantastic sun room & large deck overlooking wooded area. MLS# 21015280.



LOWELL AREA \$638,470
Equine training facility. Private home attached to 30 stall barn & 60x130 indoor arena. Additional 8 acres fenced pasture. MLS# 22033683.



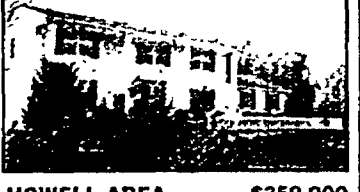
BRIGHTON AREA \$469,900
Custom built estate on 5+ acres. Stocked pond, circle drive, all ceramic in kit & baths. Doorwalls lead to 3 separate balconies. MLS# 22033437.



HOWELL AREA \$147,500
Cover story for interior design magazine! Custom wood trim, new kit countertops, cabs, light fixtures, fresh paint and more. MLS# 22014082.



BRIGHTON AREA LEASE \$1,800
800 sq. ft. of new office space w/ 1200 sq. ft. of heated warehouse w/ 16' ceilings add'l 2nd floor storage. MLS# 21067477.



HOWELL AREA \$359,900
10 acres, 30x40 horse barn, tennis court, b-ball court, pool, multi decks w/ hot tub. Huge Florida room and much more. MLS# 21047595



HARTLAND AREA \$254,900
New 3 bedroom ranch on beautiful lot, full daylight basement. 2 car attached garage. On almost 1 acre. MLS# 21062841.



HOWELL AREA \$179,900
Zoned B-1, updated and fantastic free. 4 BR, 2 story, central air. Fantastic opportunity to own real estate in Howell. MLS# 20085136.



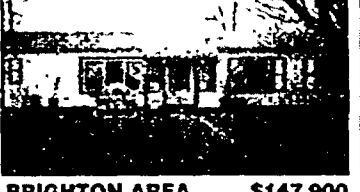
GRAND BLANC \$187,900
Maple cab in updated kit, large fam room w/ brick wall FP, hrdwd flrs in liv, din, halls, foyer & BR's. Par fin basement. MLS# 22022597.



HOWELL AREA \$329,900
Kitchen has bay doorwall, oak cab w/ countertops trimmed in oak & walk-in pantry. Mstr has bath w/whirlpool tub. MLS# 21051760.



HOWELL AREA \$339,899
All custom built. Hardwood floors, ceramic baths & showers, jacuzzi, formal dining makes a great den. Wood siding & more. MLS# 21094187.



BRIGHTON AREA \$147,900
Great starter home for growing family. Many interior/exterior features of home have been updated incl 4th bedroom. MLS# 22005577



HOWELL AREA \$495,000
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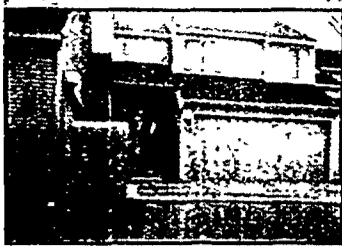
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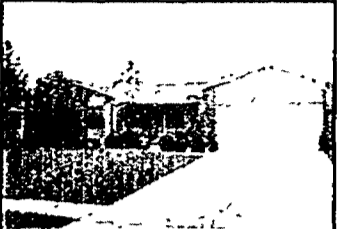
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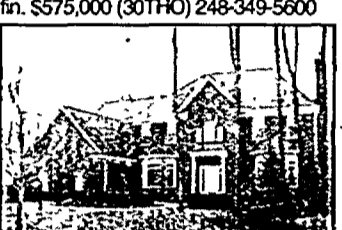
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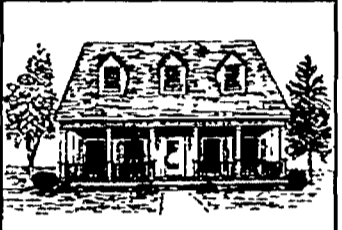
CANTON BEAUTIFUL COLONIAL! 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths with approx. 2720 sq. ft. Updates include: kitchen, bath, windows. Home warranty offered. Home shows wonderfully! Decorated thru-out in neutral. You must see this! \$289,950 (28CHA) 734-455-5600



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LOCATION! LOCATION! LOCATION! This very well maintained 3 bedroom Colonial has it all. Sprinkler system. Oak kitchen opens to dining room. Large living room. Home is neutral with newer carpet and floor. \$224,900 (80EAG) 248-349-5600



PRESTIGIOUS GOLF COMMUNITY. 4 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath masterpiece home is still in the process of being custom designed. There is still time for your design input. \$699,900 (13STA) 248-349-5600



SPRINGBROOK FARM HOUSE! 4 spacious bedrooms, 1 1/2 remodeled baths, plaster walls, hardwood floors, lots of windows! Natural fireplace. 2 story building could be guest house. Prime land with stream next door to park! \$249,000 (00DRA) 734-455-5600



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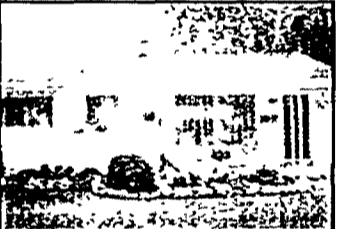
THE PERFECT HOME. Large new custom kitchen with oak Memlat cabinets with pullouts. Granite island, GE profile micro and dishwasher. Ceramic floors. Anderson windows, formal dining room with oak floors. Full 2nd kitchen. \$225,900 (87SEN) 734-455-5600



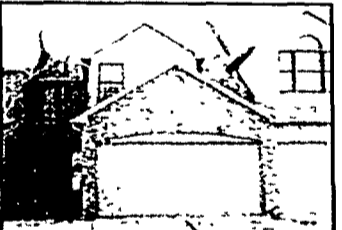
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STOPI! UPDATES GALORE! 3 bedrooms, 2 bath brick Ranch with mechanics dream garage. 12 ft. gazebo w/ attached deck, wallside windows, newer tile, Berber carpet & finished basement w/4th bedroom/den. Kitchen with half wall oak trim. \$164,900 (80STJ) 734-455-5600



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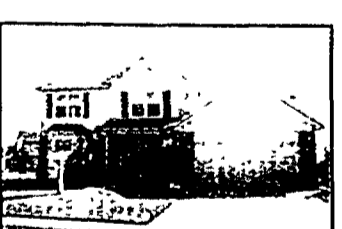
MOVE TO THE COUNTRY. 4 bedroom, 2 bath farmhouse on approximately 40 acres. Included is pole barn, 2 storage sheds, chicken coop & barn with Grainery & horse stalls. The acreage includes hay to harvest and woods. Property is splittable. \$320,000 (22OAK) 248-349-5600



THIS COULD BE IT. Spacious 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath Colonial on private setting. Built in 1996. hardwood floors, dual staircase. Large kitchen w/maple cabinets & walk-in pantry. There are many, many upgrades. Home warranty included. \$519,900 (21HIL) 248-349-5600



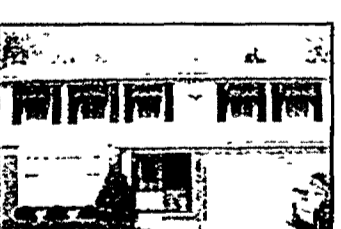
ABSOLUTELY BRILLIANT! 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath 1996 built brick Colonial offers warm & cozy floor plan, bright modern kitchen, 2 car attached garage, master suite with bath & walk-in closet & 1st floor library. Living room with fireplace, bsmt & new siding (04-02) \$179,900 (11LAN) 734-455-5600



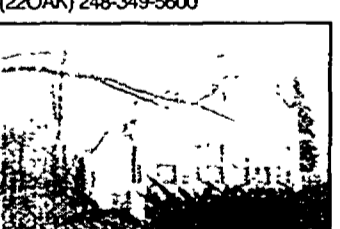
BETTER THAN NEW! Built in 2000 & backs to open park area! Hardwood foyer, bay window in living room & formal dining room. Kitchen with oak cabinets, pantry & appliances. Break-fast nook with deck to doorwall. Family room with vaulted ceilings. \$224,900 (19OAK) 734-455-5600



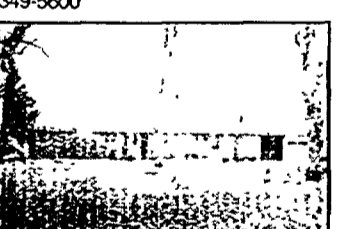
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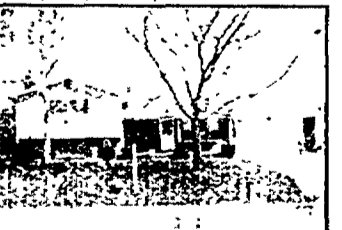
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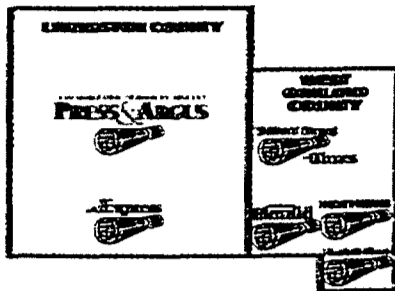
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NORVILLE - Bookshelves, air conditioners, toys, desks, furniture. Priced LOW to go! May 25, 9am-6pm. 617 Taylor, N. of 7 Mile, W. of Sheldon.

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SOUTH LYON - 56800 8 Mile Rd., 2 miles E. of Pontiac Trail. May 23-25, 9am. Furniture, antiques, Coca Cola, metal cars, tools, fishing & hunting stuff, old clocks.

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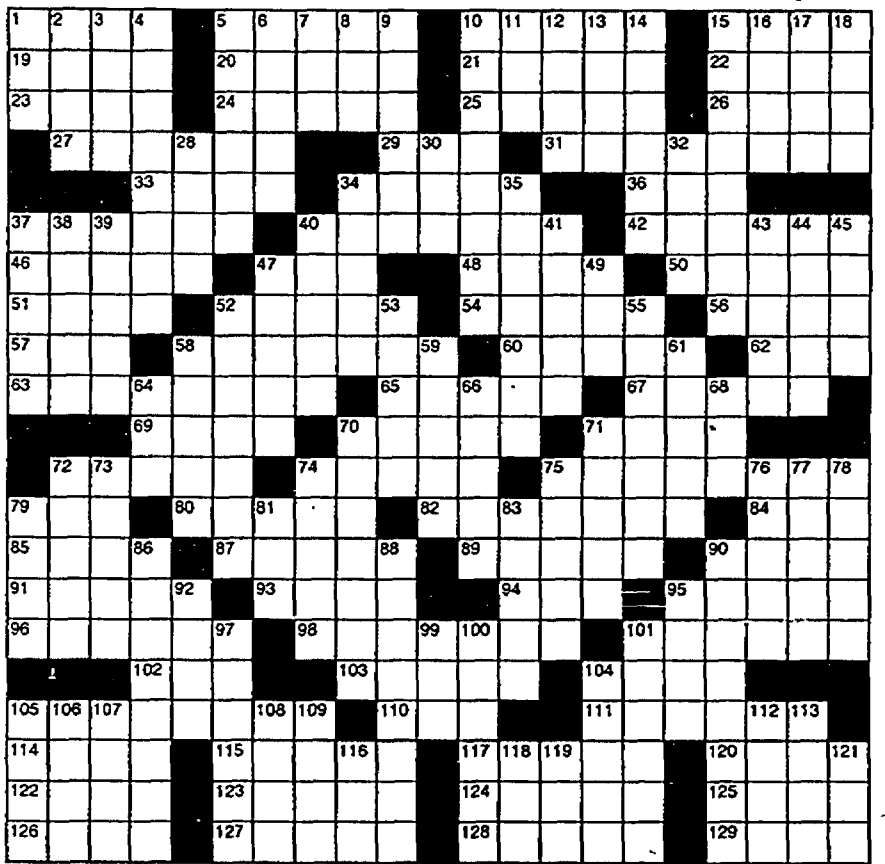
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 - 5 In fact
 - 10 Vance or McCormick
 - 15 Cañon's county
 - 19 Frodo's proposition
 - 20 Rona of "Big Trouble"
 - 21 Annual award?
 - 22 Authentic?
 - 23 "My —" (65 hit)
 - 24 Romance
 - 25 Host a roast
 - 26 Forearm bone
 - 27 Monoclony
 - 29 States
 - 31 Hit man
 - 33 Actress
 - 34 Touches
 - 36 Peas'
 - 37 Clark of "Finnian's Rainbow"
 - 40 Usually
 - 42 Considers carefully
 - 46 Bouquet
 - 47 Green and Gore
 - 48 Interstate
 - 50 Cowboy star Lash
 - 51 Young boxers
 - 52 Navigation hazards
 - 54 Fireplace fragment
 - 56 Valueless
 - 57 Zoo
 - 58 Greeted the general
 - 60 Jason's wife
 - 62 Flam's remark
 - 63 Acted like a peacock
 - 65 Scooped?
 - 67 Orchestra
 - 69 Neighbor of Nev.
 - 70 Keep an eye on
 - 71 Destroy
 - 72 Show
 - 74 Model
 - 75 "Wall Street Week"
 - 79 Mauna —
 - 80 Michelangelo work
 - 82 Potsdam
 - 84 Lily of pharma-
 - 85 Not give — (8)
 - 87 Actress
 - 88 Adjusted an Amati
 - 90 "Educating —" (83 film)
 - 91 Certain sharks
 - 93 Actress
 - 94 — de-lance
 - 95 Jabber away
 - 96 Impacts
 - 98 — oxide
 - 101 Dentistry material
 - 102 Use a phaser
 - 103 Standards
 - 104 Iran's Aboihassan
 - 105 Swedish turnip
 - 110 Trams
 - 111 Like
 - 114 Turgenev's birthplace
 - 115 Plot
 - 117 Pianist
 - 120 Got off
 - 122 "Zip —"
 - 123 Uneven
 - 124 It comes from the heart
 - 125 Eye drop?
 - 126 Tambyn or Westover
 - 127 Celtic custis
 - 128 Pancake topping
 - 129 Stocking shade
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 - 2 Element
 - 3 Raison d'—
 - 4 Stagnant state
 - 5 Shock
 - 6 Card game
 - 7 Troop grp.
 - 8 Shreveport coll.
 - 9 Nigerian native
 - 10 Animal
 - 11 Root vegetable
 - 12 Costa —
 - 13 Manipulates
 - 14 It has its ups and downs
 - 15 Franco —
 - 16 Elver's folks
 - 17 Rampur
 - 18 — Bator
 - 28 Kansas city
 - 30 Big —, CA
 - 32 Explorer
 - 34 Tasman
 - 34 Desirable quality
 - 35 Shut force-fully
 - 37 Irene of "Zorba the Greek"
 - 38 Let out the lava
 - 39 Sot
 - 40 Viva voce
 - 41 Inlay
 - 43 Baby beetles
 - 44 Sinuous dances
 - 45 Actress Ward
 - 47 "Gof" to Gounod
 - 49 Word form for "fool"
 - 52 Exhaustion
 - 53 Smooth transition
 - 55 Told off
 - 58 Play the mandolin
 - 59 Push-button's predecessor
 - 61 Sharon of Israel
 - 64 Mideast language
 - 66 "The Sun Also Rises" heroine
 - 68 Some
 - 70 Semisolid protein
 - 71 More uncouth
 - 72 To date
 - 73 Tense verse
 - 74 Heathen
 - 75 Ancient characters
 - 76 Nola
 - 78 Dame's river
 - 77 Singer
 - 78 Laughing
 - 79 It becomes ewe?
 - 81 Mil. group
 - 83 Sewell of "A Knight's Tale"
 - 86 Tennis great
 - 88 Updated the factory
 - 90 Ponder
 - 92 Use a portland
 - 95 Tahoe town
 - 97 Set apart
 - 99 Registered mail abbr.
 - 100 Zeno's zags
 - 101 Afternoon refresher
 - 104 Swahili, e.g.
 - 105 Serengeti sound
 - 106 Pakistani language
 - 107 Some shirts
 - 108 Teri of "Tootsie"
 - 109 Hunt's —
 - 112 Composer
 - 113 Inventive sort?
 - 116 "A Fool Such —" (59 hit)
 - 118 Powell co-star
 - 119 Muff
 - 121 Capote, on stage



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DOLLARS AND SENSE

by David Uffington

Here's the Deal on Credit Scores

Many borrowers have found that credit scores are making a substantial impact on their ability to borrow and take out insurance. Lenders routinely use them to determine rates, fees and other loan terms. Usually, the higher the score, the better the deal, which can mean lower monthly payments and other savings.

Since early 2001, consumers have been able to gain access to these credit scores, also called a FICO score. The score was developed by Fair, Isaac & Company, through an arrangement with Equifax, one of the major credit-reporting agencies, is provided as part of a credit profile package for \$12.95. (You can order it from www.myfico.com.)

Here's how the FICO score works. The data from a consumer's credit report is plugged into an undisclosed formula, resulting in a score of 300 to 850. (The median score is 720.)

While there are no guarantees, in most cases a good credit score should lead to lower interest rates or insurance premiums. So how can consumers raise their scores?

The first step is to ensure that your credit report is accurate. A 1998 study by the Public Interest Research Group, a consumer advocacy organization, found that about one in three reports had serious errors.

Consumers can buy their full reports for \$9 each from Equifax, TransUnion and Experian. (They are free to residents of six states, including New Jersey, and to people who have been denied credit.)

After correcting obvious mistakes, consumers may have trou-

ble improving a credit score, because the computations remain a tightly guarded secret.

Fair, Isaac does reveal that the most important factor in a credit score is the ability to make timely payments, which accounts for about 35 percent of the score, followed by total debt load, which accounts for about 30 percent.

But paying bills in full each month may not increase your score as much as you might think; information in the reports may not always be up to date because of quirks in the reporting system. Industry experts say that closing unused accounts will not help a credit score, and may even lower it. One factor in calculating a score is the ratio between total debt and available credit, they say, and closing accounts reduces your available credit, making your debt appear closer to the maximum allowed.

What is the ideal number of credit accounts, and how often should consumers use them? According to a Fair, Isaac spokesperson, it is important to keep credit-card account balances below 50 percent of the credit limit.

As financial decisions are increasingly being made online, credit scoring is a fast and cheap way of determining one's credit-worthiness. It isn't a great system — there are many situations that don't fit that grid — but it's here to stay. If you're finding it hard to get approved for a loan, your credit score will give you an indication of where you stand.

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INFOLINK By Bob Vogel

Music Swapping: The Great Equalizer?

By now, everyone has heard of or tried swapping, sampling or downloading music from the Internet. Of course, the music industry has better words for it — stealing, pirating, ripping off — since they feel they're the ones that are getting the short end of the stick.

I've come to believe that music swapping had a positive effect on music purchases. I've watched my own music spending habits and have concluded that my downloads have influenced the purchases I've made. Downloading music, to me, didn't hurt anyone; it may have been a cause, but what it caused were additional CD purchases.

The San Francisco Chronicle tells of a study from the University of Connecticut and the state University of New York at Buffalo.

It claims that Internet music swapping benefits newer or unknown artists, while it has little or no effect on well-established acts.

The researchers analyzed weekly Billboard sales data, and found that the number of new artists hitting the sales charts each year from 1991 to 2000 grew by 31 percent. The biggest jump was from 1998 to 2000, the Internet hey-days.

They also tracked Internet usage and music spending habits of college students, finding that music swapping encouraged them to buy CDs of lesser-known artists. Music swapping gives would-be listeners a chance to hear a song before buying, which provides a bit more level playing field.

Personally, I'm not so eager to claim that the Internet is the great equalizer. I'm inclined to believe that the music industry doesn't

care to see big acts stay on top for long. Who wants to feed those big pop-star egos, anyway?

And I'm also inclined to believe that the attention span of the music-buying public is getting shorter and shorter as the target markets get younger and younger. What do kids care for the legacy an artist leaves behind? All they care about how artists shake their collective behind.

As for the spending habits of college students, interest in underground and alternative music did not begin with the Internet. It was around back in my day, as it always will be.

I mean music, not the Internet.

Comments? Questions? Contact InfoLink at robertvogel@earthlink.net.

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Test Drive By Greg Zyla

This week, we test drive Toyota's popular 2002 Tundra Limited full-size V-8 pickup, which debuted in 2000 and has been a popular choice for, non-heavy-duty truck consumers. Aimed at the American "Big Three" of Chevy/GMC, Ford and Dodge, Tundra can't be taken lightly, especially since both its highly technical engine and driving comfort either match or surpass the competition.

One of the truck's highlights is parked under the hood, where a 4.7-liter 32-valve 245-horsepower DOHC V-8 sits. Tundra offers tremendous low rpm power, as we easily lit the tires the first few times we drove it getting used to the 315-foot-pounds of torque. However, we were also surprised by Tundra's comfortable and quiet ride and the fact that V-8 engines with two cams and four valves per cylinder are usually utilized in luxury cars, not trucks.

Our Tundra came with four-wheel drive. This switchable 4-by-4 unit offers low and high ranges, and we tested the 4-by-4 abilities on some "off-road" excursions. Tundra, with its 11.6-inch ground clearance, did very well in both grade climbing and sloshing through mud holes. If you want a manual transmission, you'll have to order a V-6 since a reliable four-speed automatic is all that's available in the V-8 line.

Although few configurations are available when it comes to bed

dimensions, doors and rear seating. Tundra's extended cab (called "Access") comes in either 6.4- or 8.2-foot-long cargo beds. Our Access Cab's rear seat was upright, which is good for kids but tough on adults.

The optional Toyota Racing Development suspension blends progressive-rate springs with a double-wishbone front suspension and a solid rear. A \$95 optional "off-road" package then adds 16-inch B.F. Goodrich all-terrain tires, aluminum wheels, pressurized Bilstein shocks and a tuned suspension. The result is both a tough setup that assists in any off-road excursion AND, believe it or not, a very smooth ride.

The 1/2-ton Tundra can tow a 7,100-pound vehicle and, for 2002, an optional limited-slip differential (\$275) is available, which we recommend. The wheelbase is 128.3 inches and curb weight is 4,644 pounds. EPA numbers of 14 mpg city and 17 mpg highway make it comparable to the competition.

Tundra starts at only \$15,605 for a regular-cab base model with rear-wheel drive, V-6 engine and five-speed manual. At the other end of the spectrum, you'll find our Access Cab 4x4 Limited test vehicle, which has a base price of \$30,060. Add the options on our test vehicle and \$480 for destination, and you arrive at the \$31,760 bottom line. (Currently, there is a \$1,500 dealer incentive available).

Access Cabs and 4x4 versions with "SR5" dubbing offer standard equipment like air conditioning, cruise, AM/FM/cassette, tilt steering, tach, chrome bumpers and alloy wheels. The V-8 powered Tundra Limited models add ABS, daytime running lights, a CD player and keyless entry anti-theft system.

Access to the rear seat is easy, as rear doors swing outward to the rear. The pickup bed measured 6 feet, 4 inches on Access Cab models, unlike Dodge Ram, Ford F-150 or Chevrolet Silverado, which offer an 8-foot bed in extended cab models.

Inside, the front cloth captain chairs are very comfortable, instrumentation is easy to read, and all switches are in easy reach. The center console comes with a large storage box area and two cup holders. Toyota says the Tundra offers more front legroom than any of the domestic pickups.

As for safety, dual front airbags and side-impact beams protect during impacts, while the passenger-side airbag can be switched off when children occupy the front passenger seat.

Overall, Toyota Tundra is one well-built pickup for those shopping in the 1/2-ton class. It drives like a car, runs like a truck and offers that excellent Toyota reliability.

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STRANGE BUT TRUE By Samantha Weaver

For some reason, a diamond mined in Brazil is harder than one mined in Africa.

The phrase "Elementary, my dear Watson" never appears in the Sherlock Holmes stories. It was first used in a series of plays based on the stories, which contributed greatly to Holmes' popularity.

In 1933, the minimum wage in the United States was set at 40

cents an hour.

Ever wonder why Hershey's Kisses are so called? It's because the machine that makes them looks like it's kissing the conveyor belt.

Only 72 episodes were made of the original "Star Trek" TV series.

The first helicopter flight was in 1907 — the craft rose a grand total

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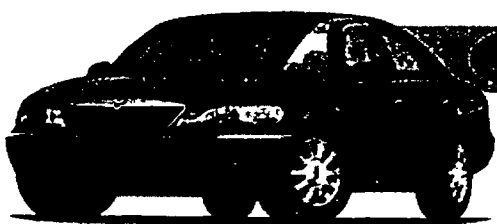
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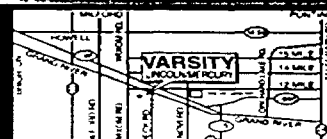
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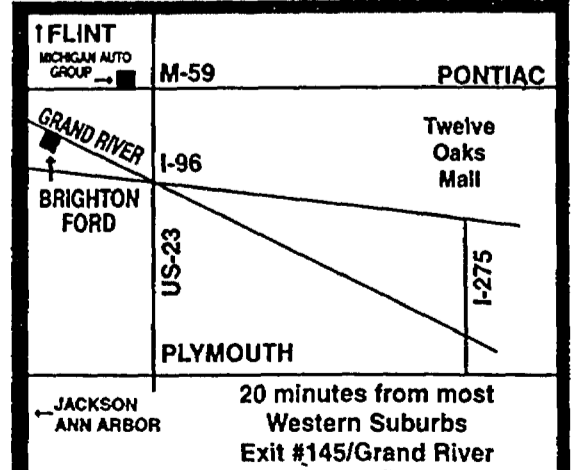
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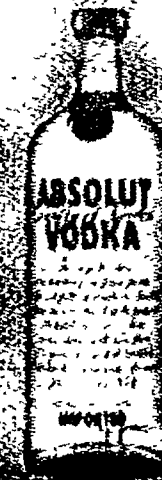
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More than 300 exhibitors from all over Ontario will display their work in booths set up around the 15 acres of grounds surrounding beautiful, historic Willistead Mansion in Windsor's Walkerville area.

The event was born 32 years ago when Kent Saltmarche, curator of Willistead Art Gallery, came up with an idea to present an opportunity for artisans of fine arts to display their works annually on the Willistead grounds.

The Art Gallery sponsored "Art in the Park" until 1977. It was intended to draw the general public to Willistead park and the Willistead Manor, which until 1975 was the site of the gallery.

Artists and craft persons cooperated by setting up their stalls in the park on a weekend early in June. Some exhibitors took advantage of the opportunity to either make or arrange for sales. For this privilege, they were charged a modest commission which assisted the Art Gallery in financing other parts of the program.

As demands for exhibition space, staffing, planning and administration grew, the gallery and City of Windsor sought out a more suitable means of managing the annual show.

Since 1978, the Windsor Rotary Club (1918) has managed and staffed Art in the Park.

Last year, an estimated 35,000 people visited Art in the Park despite rain. In 2000, an estimated 50,000 attended.

For more information visit www.rotary1918.com on the web.

TOMATO FESTIVAL JUNE 14-16

Leamington set to celebrate

Tomato Town is ready to celebrate again. The Leamington Fair is set for June 14-16. Highlights this year include a tractor pull, demolition derby, horse shows, goat shows, 4-H, poultry, and a rabbit show. Large school exhibits, culinary arts, homecrafts, quilts, outdoor vendors' alley are also on the bill.

Entertainment includes a midway by Carter Shows.

Friday's opening ceremony is at 6 p.m. Saturday hours run from 10 a.m. to midnight, Sunday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, call 519-326-8082.

Ethnic villages set the stage for Carrousel and Expo 2002

Windsor's multicultural community is celebrating next month and they want everyone to come to the party.

Expo 2002 and Carrousel of the Nations will be held again in locations throughout the city over three weekends starting June 7. Food, music, dancing and culture from 18 different ethnic communities will be served up.

Expo takes place at Riverfront Festival Plaza June 7-9. Food, fun and entertainment will be on the bill as Multicultural Youth in Action draws crowds in droves.

The festival opens Friday at 4 p.m. and runs until midnight. Opening ceremonies and a Parade of Nations kick off Saturday's activities at 11 a.m. Expo closes Sunday 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Carrousel of Nations bills itself a Celebration of Peace and Harmony. It will be held at various locations in Windsor over the June 14-16 and June 21-23 weekends.

For more information, call the Expo and Carrousel Hotline at (519) 255-1127 or visit the website www.themcc.com.

Celebrate Celtic Fest June 14-16

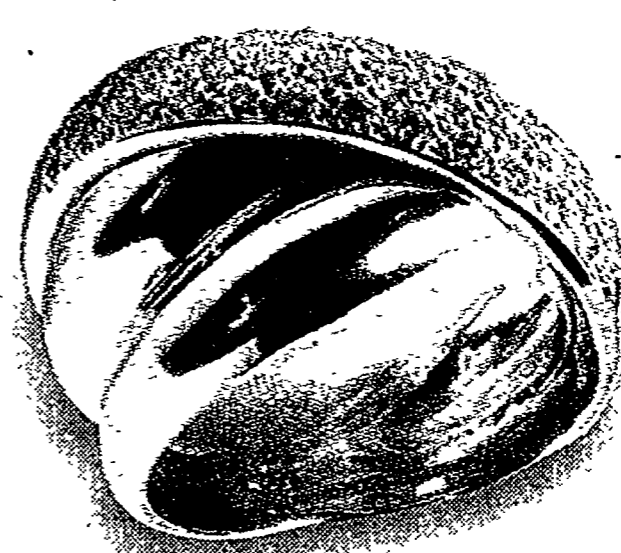
Visitors from as far away as Newfoundland, Labrador and Nova Scotia and as close as Michigan and Ohio will be in town June 14-16 for the fifth annual Windsor Celtic Festival.

The event, at Riverfront Festival Plaza and Civic Terrace, offers a broad range of Celtic music, dance, art, cuisine, sports, traditions and culture from all of Canada's Celtic regions.

This year's festival grounds have been expanded to offer increased access to artists and artistic experiences, retail booths and an exciting variety of Celtic-flavour attractions. International touring performers featured on the festival's three sound stages will be joined by the best Celtic musicians and performers Windsor and Essex County has to offer. Celtic dance competitions, pipe bands and a 3-on-3 soccer tournament will also be part of the festivities.

Hours are Friday, 6 p.m. to 1 a.m., Saturday, noon to 1 a.m. and Sunday, noon to 11 p.m. For more information visit www.capitol.on.ca/celticinfo.html on the web or call 519-253-7729.

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COVER STORY: Windsor and Essex County's new Ale, Wine & Spirits Trail brings the flavours of the area's master brewers, wine masters and distillers of the world's most popular whiskeys.

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The Eco Beat

Eco Beat, the second annual festival of music and the environment for youth at Mic Mac Park, is among the many events on the bill for the next month.



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Hospitality Hero

Windsor & Essex County's best-known recipe lady, Ruth Sharon, was honoured as 'Hospitality Hero' for her work in the local community



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Graceful form

Maryon Kantaroff's Cordella at Windsor's Sculpture Gardens shows the artist's fascination with the idea of origins and of paired shapes or matched dualities



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Amherstburg is in full bloom for the 17th annual Fort Malden Horticultural Society Garden Tour Weekend May 25-26. The tour through the historic town showcases the work of local gardeners and offers insight and inspiration to both novice and experienced gardeners.....Pg. 8

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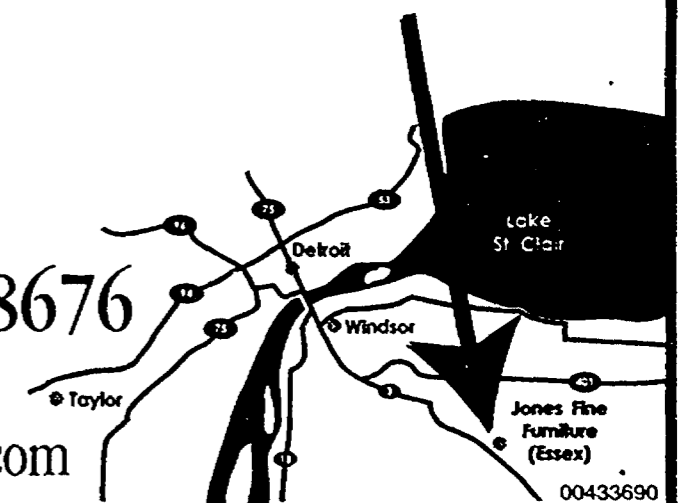
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Historic Walkerville

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A short walk away, the Walkerville Brewing Company serves a taste of fresh-brewed, world-class beer. The company was resurrected in an unused Hiram Walker warehouse, just blocks from its original location.

Follow the trail down Walker Road to the newly established Sanson Estate Winery. Open last month and situated among 35 acres of vineyard, Sanson will introduce visitors to the tastes of the newest winery in the group.



Local wine shelves are stocked with Essex County vintages.

Next, you will travel on to Amherstburg, where you will find D'Angelo Estate Winery. This winery is home to the 1999 Grape King of Ontario. Minutes from Walker Road you will see its 42-acre vineyard, and be able to sample award-winning wines.

From here, travel on to Harrow and arrive at Colio Estate Winery. Known as "The Pride of Lake Erie North Shore", this state-of-the-art facility brings a small but impressive retail boutique featuring award-winning wines and non-alcoholic beverages.

From here and only a short distance away you will come upon LeBlanc Estate Winery. This winery is rooted in the pastoral French-style of winemaking, and

housed in a quaint country out-building, complete with its wood-burning stove.

Kingsville and Pelee Island Winery are next on the trail. An informative tour of the winery and the process of winemaking is followed by product sampling in the European-style tasting room.

Continue on to Leamington and Grape Tree Estate Winery where old and new worlds meet in the arena of winemaking. Unique products and new, exciting grape varieties are offered here. Personalized tours and tasting impart the feeling of contemporary distinction.

Travel back to Windsor where you end the tour at the small but efficient site of Ambassador Brewing Co. Billing itself as "Your Neighbourhood brewery", Ambassador has seven different brews, made from all-natural products, to tantalize the tastebuds.

To follow the Ale, Wine & Spirits Trail and its key players, see pages 5, 10-12

MORE INFO

For more information on the Ale, Wine & Spirits Trail, contact the partners, visit www.awstrail.com on the web or call the Windsor and Essex County Visitors and Convention Bureau at 1-800-265-3633.

VISITOR INFO: GOODS

Rules regarding importing goods

If you want to bring goods into Canada, you should be aware of the rules for importing goods and the documents you'll need.

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Controlled goods require a permit. Some goods, such as beef and dairy products, are part of a tariff rate quota system which allows visitors to import these at low duty rates, as long as you have a permit from the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade.

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COVER STORY: ALE, WINE & SPIRITS TRAIL

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Open house May 25

Participants along the Ale, Wine & Spirits Trail will be holding open houses May 25. But you don't necessarily have to be of legal age to enjoy the tours, according to Ed Agnew, chairman of the committee organizing the event.

Agnew says although the "major thrust" of the committee is to get the message out to bus tours to "our neighbours to the north," especially from Michigan and Ohio, Windsor is such a short drive that individuals are more than welcome. And that includes families with children, he adds.

Just don't expect the little ones to sample the product. However, Agnew says families can take it all in with their eyes.

"It's a very interesting tour to see how things are made," he says.

Agnew says he hopes the trail will grow and become as popular as the Niagara region wine trail. "We are very excited about it. I think it'll have a significant impact on tourism in the community."

The committee is a partnership between the federal government's Human Resources Development Canada, the nine participating facilities and is approved by Windsor City Council.

VISITOR INFO: SMALL VESSEL LICENSING

It's necessary, but it's free

Visitors to Canada who want to use a boat, if its motor is 10 horsepower or bigger, are required to get a small vessel license.

The license is available from any customs office free of charge. Or apply for the license in person, by mail or by fax.

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BORDER BRIEFS: NEWS FROM WINDSOR & ESSEX COUNTY

Tourists to A'burg have two booths

Michigan visitors will get a double-dose of hospitality when they visit Amherstburg this summer, thanks to a spat between the town's council and chamber of commerce.

The two sides could not agree on who should operate a tourism booth, so each decided to open one.

The chamber's booth is located in a log cabin at the entrance to the urban area. The town's booth is located in Gibson Gallery.

"Twice the hospitality," Amherstburg Mayor Tony DiBartolomeo joked in the Windsor Star May 9.

Parks open for business

Ontario's provincial parks are open to the public again, following an eight-week civil servant strike that was settled earlier this month.

Although some parks were not expected to be open for the May 18-20 Victoria Day long weekend, Wheatley and

Rondeau provincial parks indicated they should be ready for day use and to accept campers.

For a list of parks, visit www.ontarioparks.com. Campers can call 1-888-668-7275 to make a reservation.

Windsor to host Games

Windsor will host hundreds of athletes from as many as 45 countries, including the United States and Canada, when it holds the 2005 Pan-American Junior Track and Field Championships.

An estimated 5,000 spectators are expected for each day of the three-day event, which is expected to generate millions of dollars in revenue for the city.

The University of Windsor's bid beat an application from Winnipeg, which hosted the event in 1993 as well as the Pan-American Games in 1999.

The winning bid was announced earlier this month.



About 1,000 people took advantage of Via Rail's open house April 11 to check out one of the new GE Genesis Series locomotives at its Walker Road station.

- Windsor Star file photo

Via train station spiffed up

Via Rail, Canada's passenger rail service, unveiled its renovated quarters in Windsor last month.

Improvements at the Walker Road station included a renovated waiting room, powerful new GE locomotive and refitted

Via 1 passenger cars. They were the result of a \$402 million federal investment, a solid business plan, increasing revenue and increasing ridership, according to Catherine Kaloutsky, senior public affairs officer with Via Rail.

- Windsor Star files

VISITOR INFO: EXCHANGE RATES

More bang for your buck

Knowing that the American dollar is worth more in Canada is one thing, but exchanging those greenbacks for Canada's more colourful currency is another matter.

In fact, the Convention and Visitors Bureau of Windsor, Essex County & Pelee Island urges American shoppers to consider using their credit cards first, followed by ATM cards, the border currency exchange sites or a bank, in order to receive the fairest exchange rates.

Definitely don't rely on retail establishments, says Elizabeth Hamel of the bureau. Retailers don't offer a guaranteed exchange rate, she adds. In fact, it is entirely legal, if short-sighted, for merchants to offer no exchange at all. Such instances are rare, but Hamel's advice helps customers to avoid the possibility. The bureau offers currency and other information on its website. Log on to www.city.windsor.on.ca/cvb.

WEB RATES

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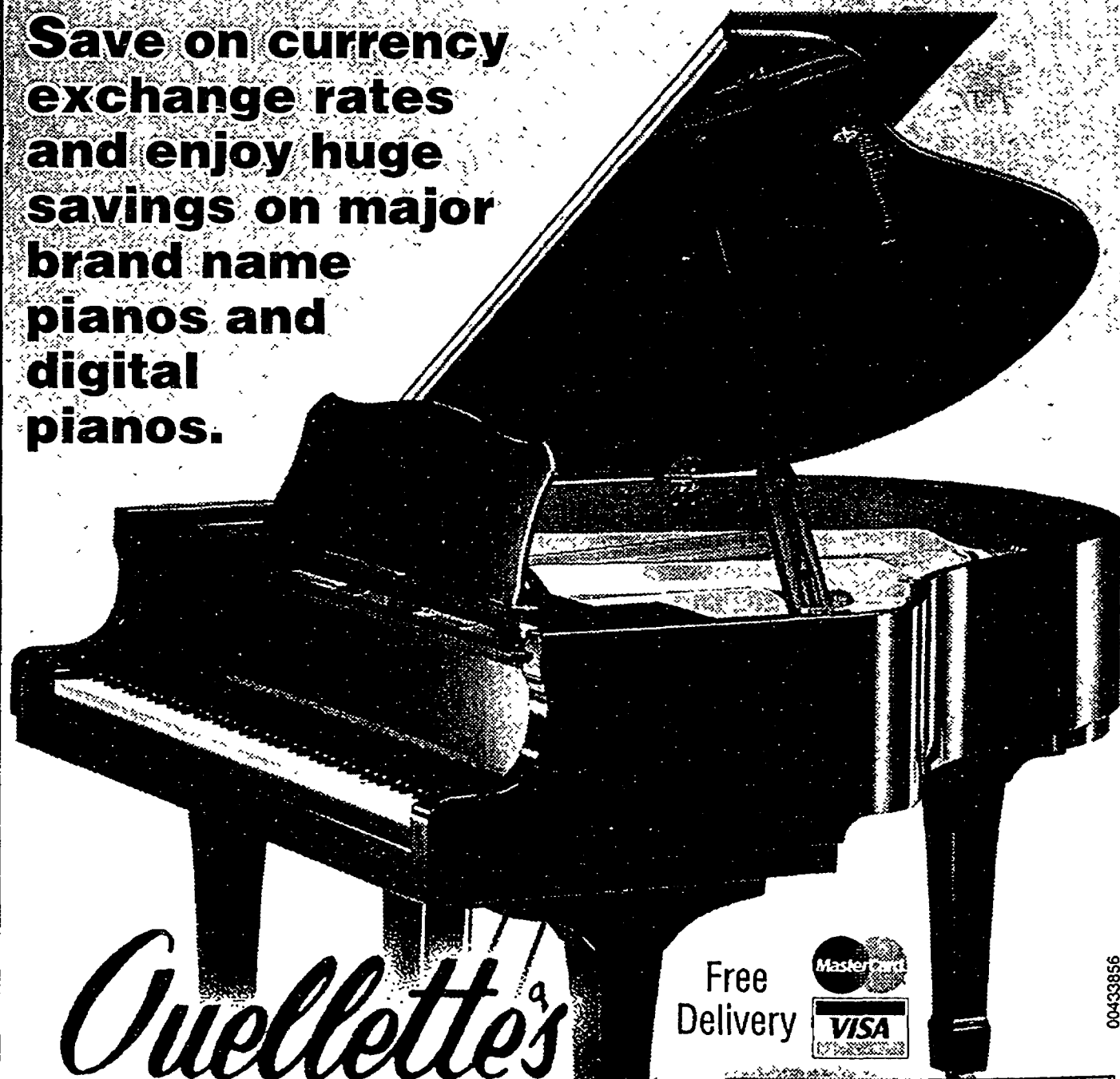
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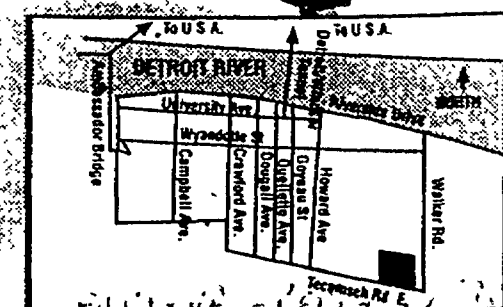
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HOME & GARDEN: GARDEN TOUR WEEKEND

Amherstburg in full bloom

As the dew softly burns off leaves, blossoms sway in the breeze and butterflies busy themselves fluttering about the garden, an annual rite of springtime gets underway in Amherstburg.

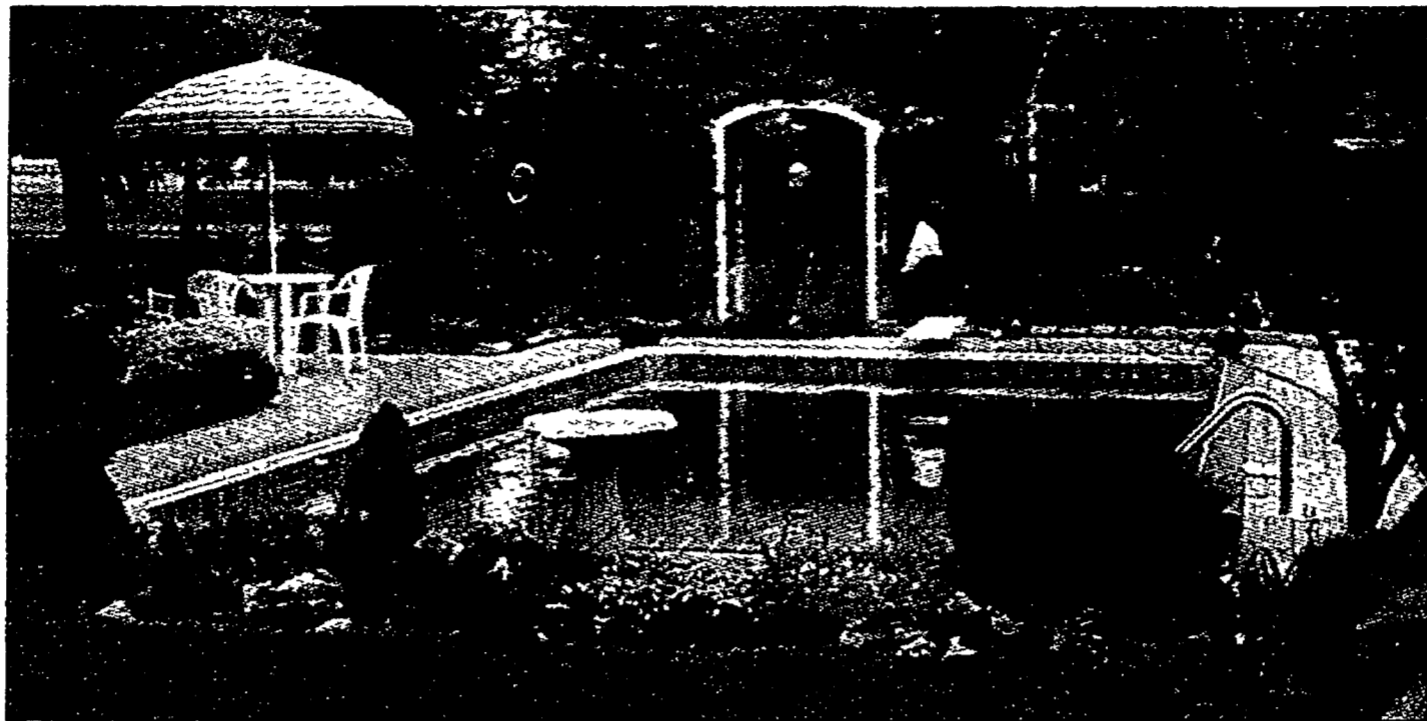
It's the 17th annual Fort Malden Horticultural Society Garden Tour Weekend, Saturday, May 25 and Sunday, May 26. The self-directed tour allows visitors a glimpse into a variety of private gardens in this historic town 20 minutes south of Windsor.

The tour showcases the work of local gardeners, offering insight and inspiration to both novice and experienced gardeners.

And new this year, an old-time garden fair has been added to the event. More than 50 vendors will display everything from landscape material and plants to garden statuary and crafts at the Amherstburg Arena, 209 Victoria St. S.

Informative speakers are scheduled throughout both days, including experts on perennials, daylilies, orchids, bonsai and organic gardening. Master gardeners will be on hand to answer gardening questions.

And kids haven't been forgotten. They have their very own Kids' Korner where



Last year's Garden Tour Weekend in Amherstburg attracted plenty of people of all ages.

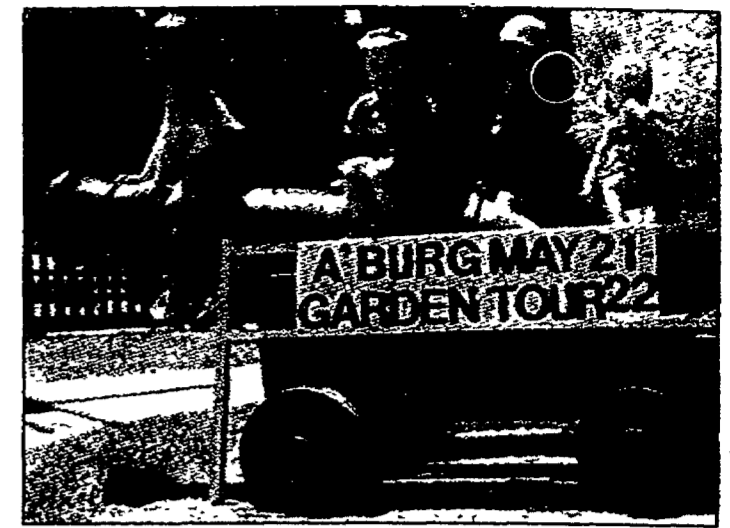
they can plant a tree to take home with them, create beautiful garden crafts and enjoy some games. Admission to the Kid's Korner is only \$1.

'Fantastic weekend'

"It should be a fantastic weekend," says Nancy Greenaway, chairperson of the garden fair committee. "The new garden

fair adds so much to an already amazing garden tour. "And since the Fort Malden Horticultural Society is a non-profit organization, the weekend helps to highlight some of the work of our society's members and also to raise money for the society's many projects."

Greenaway also suggests visitors check out the magnificent display of thousands of rhododendron and azalea blooms, in



what is commonly known as the Rhododendron Capital of Southwestern Ontario, while strolling through the town's award-winning King's Navy Yard and Seagram parks.

Historic Amherstburg was founded in 1796 with the establishment of Fort Malden. Today, Amherstburg maintains its small town charm and ambiance with its historic sites, museums, galleries, shops, restaurants, boutiques and bed and breakfast facilities, all situated along the beautiful Detroit River.

Admission to the Garden Tour and Fair is \$7. Admission to the fair only is \$3. Tour maps and tickets are available at the Navy Yard Park, Amherstburg Arena or at any of the private gardens on the tour. Just follow the posted signs.

For more information, call 519-736-4890, e-mail FMHS@sympatico.ca or visit www3.sympatico.ca/don.kat/ on the web.

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Rules govern movement

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Those importing a firearm into Canada must be at least 18 years old or have a certificate or a permit that allows the possession of that firearm in Canada.

There are generally three types of firearms and weapons.

Prohibited weapons and firearms have no legitimate recreational use and cannot be imported into Canada. Travellers can bring a non-restricted firearm, such as a sporting rifle or a shotgun, to Canada for hunting purposes, for use in competitions, as part of an in-transit movement through Canada, or for protection against wildlife in remote areas. No permit is required. Visitors can import a restricted firearm only to attend an approved shooting competition. A Permit to Carry is required.

Before trying to import a weapon, check carefully to make sure it's not prohibited. For more information, ask your local customs office for a copy of Revenue Canada's pamphlet "Importing a Firearm or Weapon into Canada."

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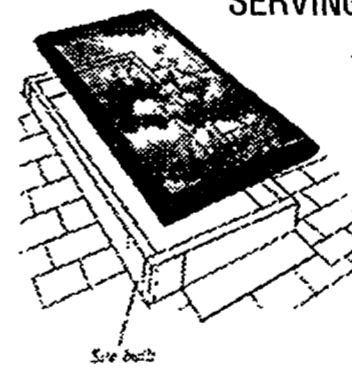
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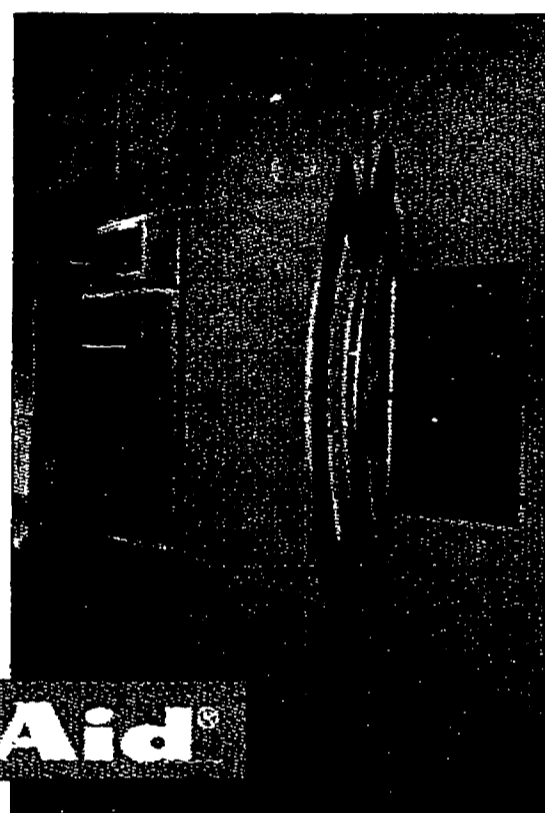
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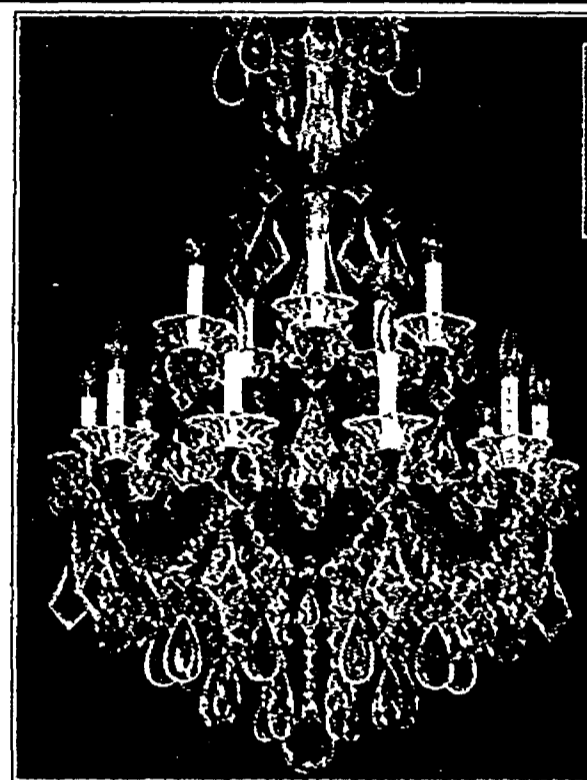
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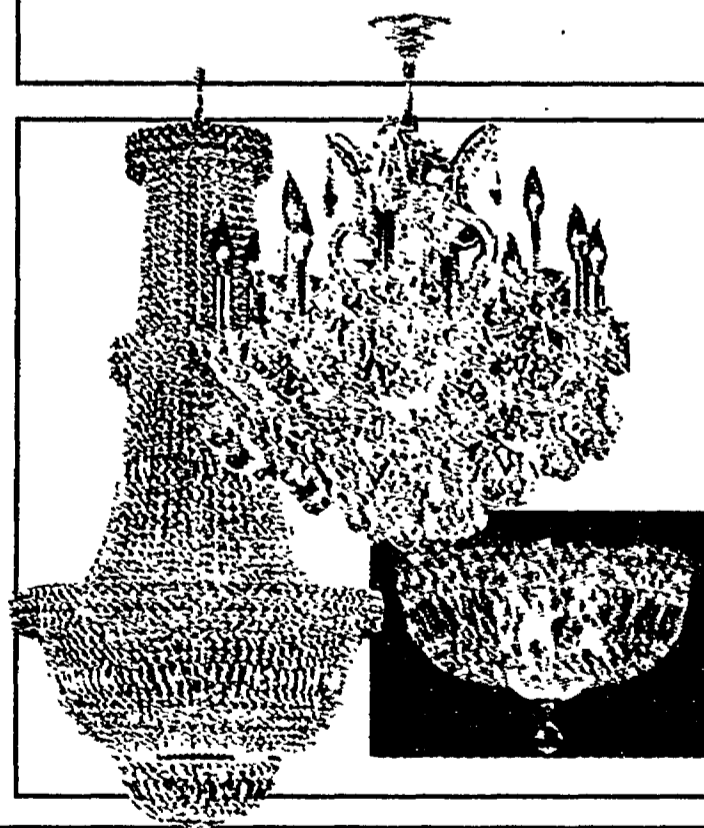
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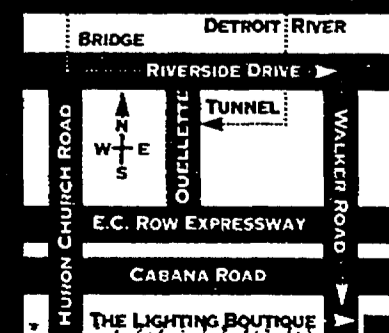
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COVER STORY: ALE, WINE & SPIRITS TRAIL

What are the main stops along the Ale, Wine & Spirits Trail?

They can be found in Windsor and in various locations throughout Essex County. Some have a rich historical tradition, others are new to the industry. Following is a brief description of each:

Ambassador Brewing Co., Windsor

The company was established in the spring of 1998 and continues to promote, sell and distribute its products throughout Windsor and Essex County.

Located in the heart of Windsor, the facility is made up of 3,300 square feet of manufacturing and retail space.

Referring to themselves as "Your neighbourhood brewery", Ambassador produces seven different beers, two of which at this time are seasonal.

- Shoreline Lager: A light bodied lager with a clean fresh finish. With more of a North American brewing style and taste. This is Ambassador's Number 1 seller.

- Oatmeal Stout: A fine blend of malts, barley and wheat with the finest of chocolate, roasted malt and oatmeal added at the precise time, makes this product unique and will even please the most critical beer drinker.

Other brews include: Irish Red Ale, Lemon Lager, Hemp Ale, Cherry Stout and Einkorn K. (Special Lite).

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Ambassador is located at 4045 Seminole in Windsor. For more information, call (519) 251-1138.

Colio Estate Winery, Harrow

Founded in 1980 in Harrow, Colio Estate Wines lies within the heart of the "Lake Erie North Shore" VQA region. Grapes from 240 acres of their own prime vineyards plus those purchased from quality growers around the province are expertly crafted under the guidance of a European-trained master winemaker, Carlo Negri.

His ability to balance the science and the art of winemaking has resulted in international acclaim and hundreds of competitive awards including the 49th Annual Niagara Grape and Wine Festival's "Winery of the Year" VQA and other premium wines bottled under the following labels:



Carlo Negri raises a glass at his Colio Estate Wines

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- Colio Estate Wines - Premium house blends.

The on site tour is a comfortable walk - through of the entire production facility and unique barrel cellar and aging room, highlighted by a sampling in the tasting centre. Come discover "The Pride of Lake Erie North Shore".

Colio is located at 1 Colio Dr., Harrow. For more information visit www.coliowines.com or call 1-800-265-1322.

D'Angelo Estate Winery, Amherstburg

At D'Angelo, you'll find a former Grape King of Ontario, winemaker Sal D'Angelo.

He won this prestigious honour in 1999, the same year his winery celebrated its 10th anniversary. With 42 acres planted, D'Angelo believes that the vineyards must come first, because without quality grapes you can't make VQA wines. The development and aging of his vineyards has provided him with grapes of ever increasing quality.

Sal works hard as a winemaker to let the vintage express itself by concentrating on the fruit. Sal believes that quality wine is grown and he loves to see the efforts in the vineyard come to full expression in the bottle."



Sal D'Angelo samples from the vine at his Amherstburg winery.

D'Angelo is located at 5141 5th Concession Rd., Amherstburg. For more information, call (519) 736-7959.

ARTS: ARTICIPATE

Arts come alive in Windsor, Essex

Along with bustling spring activities in Windsor and Essex County, people are busy Articipating.



Articipate is an initiative of the Arts Council-Windsor & Region.

The council's aim is to encourage public awareness, access and participation in all artistic activity in the community.

The council uses the Articipate logo in a variety of media and encourages the public to get involved in the rich variety of arts activities.

The project is a collaboration with: The Mayor's Office, the Windsor District Labour Council, the Greater Essex County District School Board, the Windsor Separate Board of Education, Hospice, United Way of Windsor - Essex County, the Windsor Chamber of Commerce, City Centre Business Association and the Windsor, Essex County & Pelee Island Convention and Visitors Bureau.

For more information about Articipate - or any other Arts Council initiative, call (519) 252-6855.

UPCOMING EXHIBITS

Artspeak Gallery

Upcoming exhibits at Artspeak Gallery (1942 Wyandotte St. E., Windsor, (519) 252-6855):

- "RAZZLEDAZZLE" by Katherine Korach, May 20-25.
- Esther Leclair, May 27 - June 8
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- Kayla Katz-McNevin, June 17-21.

Art Gallery of Windsor

Exhibits at the Art Gallery of Windsor (401 Riverside Drive W., Windsor, (519) 977-0013):

- Sanikiluaq Stone // Southern Salt, April 6 - July 7
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- Mary Heister Reid, May 4 - July 7
- Southwest Open, June 15 - August 18

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The staff of Grape Tree boasts more than 55 years of combined experience in the wine, spirits and beer industry, as well as retailing, culinary and educational fields. Customized, interactive educational programs can be designed using this knowledge and experience of some of the Great Lakes Region's most gifted educators.

With more than 25 different wines released each vintage year, Grape Tree prides itself on its many firsts in the Essex peninsula, including Shiraz, Chambourcin, Petite Verdot and fruit and iced fruit wines.

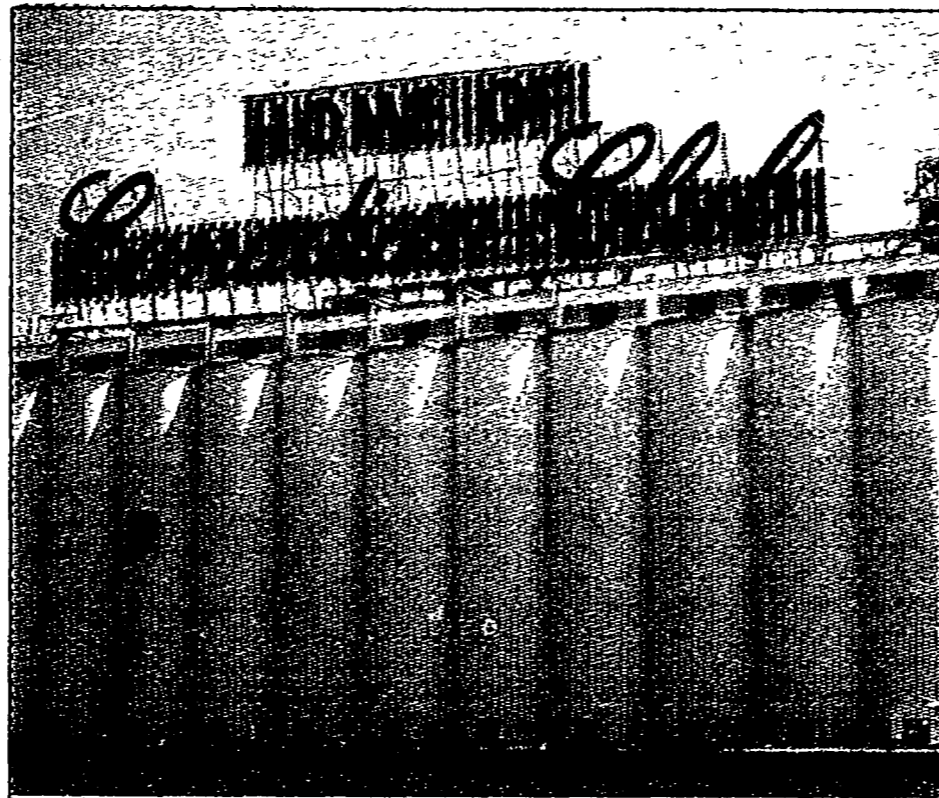
Grape Tree is located at 308 Mersea Rd. #3 in Leamington. For more information, visit www.winery@grapetreewines.com or call (519) 322-2081.

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MASTER CRAFTERS

Following are the master crafters at each stop along the trail:

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- Pelee Island Estate Winery-Walter Schmoranz & Martin Janz
- Sanson Estate Winery- Dennis Sanson
- Walkerville Brewing Co.- Jason Britton

LeBlanc Estate Winery, Harrow

One of the smaller wineries of the area, LeBlanc exudes the southern charms of hospitality. Operated by Lyse LeBlanc, you wont get lost in the crowd here. Situated off the beaten path, this 17acre vineyard yields many classic varietals like Vidal, Riesling, Pinot Blanc and Seyval. Many of their wines have received awards and medals for their superior quality.

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All of these fine wines are available exclusively at the winery in Harrow. Take the time to visit, and during the spring, summer and fall, join the many visitors under the outdoor tent with barbecue.

LeBlanc is located at 4716 4th Concession, Harrow. For more information, visit www.leblancestatewinery.com or call (519) 738-9228.

VISITOR INFO: CUSTOMS

CCRA agents answer questions

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For answers to your questions or to locate the nearest Canada Customs district office, the Canada Customs and Revenue Agency (CCRA) has set up an information line.

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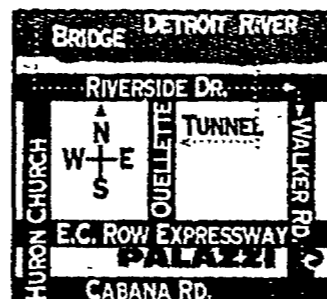
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Pelee Island Winery, Kingsville

Pelee Island Winery is Canada's largest estate winery. Its 500 acres of vineyards on the island enjoys a distinctive microclimate in the same latitude as that of Northern California, Southern Italy, Spain and Portugal.

This particular combination of sun, soil and climate have produced unique and award winning vintages since the winery's beginnings in 1979.

The island's Wine Pavilion is open May-October, and you may enjoy a guided tour and tasting, a barbecue lunch in the Wine Garden, or listening to live entertainment. The island's facilities also offer picnic area, lawns, a playground and a sports area for family enjoyment.

On the mainland, enjoy a guided tour of the production facility which currently has an output of more than three million litres and more than 25 varieties. Visit the retail gift shop, for a wonderful selection of Pelee Island wines, and unusual gift items.

It's open daily, year round. Of special interest, notice the distinctive labels which celebrate the fauna and flora unique to the Carolinian habitat of Pelee Island.

Pelee Island is located at 455 Seacliffe Rd. (County Rd. 20) in Kingsville. For more information, visit www.peleeisland.com or call 1-800-597-3533.

Sanson Estate Winery, Amherstburg

Sanson Estate Winery is located on Walker Road at the eastern limit of Amherstburg.

It was established on Sanson Farms, which is nestled

in the heart of the Canard Valley. A 35-acre wood lot complete with trails, creek, and spring fed pond form a setting for a relaxing day in the country, walking, hiking, picnicking, or bird / nature watching.

The farm and adjacent conservation area are home to numerous white tailed deer, coyote, fox, and many birds of prey. Texas Road bounds the property on the north. Local folklore recognizes this as one of the "most haunted" areas in the county with many tales of ghosts.

The winery, which will be opening in June, is the first stop on the Essex County wine trail. Visitors are greeted by the winery retail store with estate grown wines, wine samples, and unique gift ideas. The staff will happily assist in the planning of events and special occasions.

Visitors may choose to enjoy a glass of wine on the terrace as they select wines for a special occasion, or plan an event at the winery.

Proprietor Dennis Sanson is a professional cook with more than 25 years in the hospitality industry. With a keen interest in kitchen gardening he is available to plan unique menus that capture the flavour of southwestern Ontario. Future plans include a market garden outlet offering fruits and vegetables selected for flavour and culinary appeal. Many will be grown on the farm with others provided by dedicated growers in Essex and Kent counties.

The winery hopes to appeal to the many senses of each and every visitor. It welcomes all to enjoy a day at the farm and winery and hopes they will leave thinking like they do - Good wine grows here!

Sanson is located at 9238 Walker Rd., Windsor. For more information, call 519-726-9609

Walkerville Brewing Co., Windsor

Located in the heart of Olde Walkerville you will find the home of the resurrected Walkerville Brewery. Located in an old warehouse, Walkerville Brewery brings home to you the taste of fresh brewed beer.



Karen Behune-Plunkett

Brought back to life in 1998 by Karen Behune-Plunkett and her husband Michael, the new brewery found a home in an unused Hiram Walker warehouse two blocks from the original site.

After 53 years the Walkerville delivery vehicles are back on the streets. Their motto says it all: "World-class beer, Made right here".

The mission of the company is simple: a brewery that is closer to its customers is able to deliver fresher beers, and freshness matters.

It means cleaner, richer tasting beer, cold-aged and delivered precisely when the flavour is at its fullest.

There are two beers brewed here. They are: Classic Amber, full bodied, spicy and crisp, and WBC Premium Blonde, a well-rounded beer for easy quaffing.

Walkerville Brewing Co. is located at 525 Argyle in Windsor. For more information visit www.walkerville-brew.com on the web or call (519) 255-9192.

VISITOR INFO: DUTY-FREE STORES

Two outlets on Windsor side

A number of duty-free shopping options are available to travelers on both the Canadian and U.S. sides of the Ambassador Bridge and Detroit-Windsor Tunnel.

When traveling to Canada, there are three locations of Ammex Detroit Duty Free Stores:

- Detroit Tunnel Entrance: (313) 567-0555
- Porter Street/U.S. Plaza (from I-75, exit 47B); (313) 496-0630
- Lafayette Street/Service Drive (from I-75, exit 47B); (313) 963-0022

World-class duty free shops feature fine fragrances, crystal, jewelry, chocolates and other confections, liquor, wine, beer, a well-stocked humidor and children's items. Many in-store specials. Gas is available at the Lafayette location. Open 24-hours. Services include money exchange, ATM, restrooms and plenty of parking.

When traveling back to the U.S., there are two duty free locations:

- The Ambassador Duty Free Store, 707 Patricia St. Windsor, ON N9B 3B8; (519) 977-9100 or 1-800-GO-BRIDGE information line; Facsimile: (519) 977-7811

Ontario's newest duty free store, located on the Canadian plaza of the Ambassador Bridge in Windsor, offers a wide selection of goods, including designer fragrances, "Canadiana", fine china and crystal, jewelry and watches, gourmet food, specialty coffee, liquor, vintage wine and beer, and a large humidor with a fine selection of cigars.

The 15,000-square-foot store offers a variety of services such as GST refunds and currency exchange, service in both of Canada's official languages and more.

- The Windsor Detroit Tunnel Duty Free Shop Inc., 465 Goyeau St., Windsor, ON N9A 1H1; Telephone: (519) 252-2713; Facsimile: (519) 252-1688; E-mail: dutyfree@wincom.net

Located on the Canadian side of the Detroit-Windsor Tunnel Plaza, this U.S government-licensed tax and duty-free shopping outlet offers liquor, tobacco, fragrances and skin products, glassware, jewelry, watches, sunglasses, chocolates, clothing, gifts and souvenirs. This is Windsor's only duty-free source for Chanel Skin Care, Clinique and Estee Lauder. GST rebate centre, money exchange/lottery tickets, take-out food also available. Open 24 hours. VISA, Mastercard, Amex, JCB and Canadian debit cards available. Bus tours welcome.

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'Ambassador' cited for work

The newest 'Hospitality Hero' for Windsor and Essex County is someone known as much for her willingness to help others as her passion - cooking.

Ruth Sharon of LaSalle was considered an "excellent ambassador" for the area by Mark Moran, publisher of Daytripping in Southern Ontario. He nominated Sharon to the Convention & Visitors Bureau of Windsor, Essex County & Pelee Island which chose her as Hospitality Hero for the month of April.

Moran has described Sharon as someone who is "constantly going out of her way to help anyone and everyone."

PREVIOUS WINNERS
Following are previous Hospitality Hero winners this year:
• March - Annette Scurr, Sears Canada
• February - Linda Duggan, Casino Windsor
• January 2002 - Ishwar Patel, Kenora Master Choice Motel

Sharon has written articles on nutrition for numerous publications including Daytripping. She volunteers for the local senior community, publishes the newsletter Friendship News for seniors and speaks on nutrition and healthy eating. She also publishes cookbooks and donates the majority of profits to local charities.

"These activities represent only a few of the many contributions Ruth has made to our region," the bureau said. "She has given freely of her time and has used her many talents to benefit others. By doing so, she has set a fine example for all those in the community to follow."

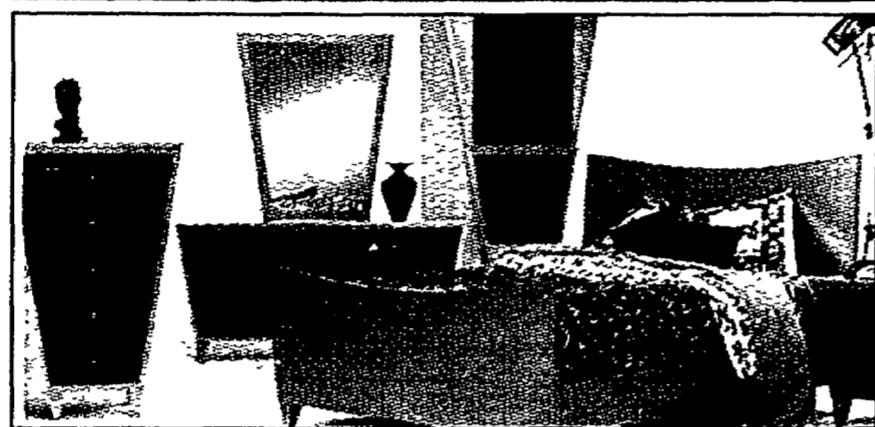
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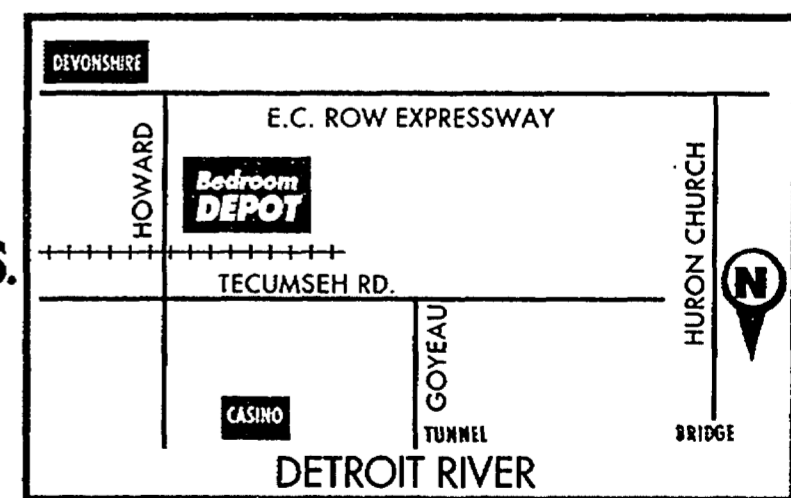
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DAYTRIPPING: EVENTS IN WINDSOR**Webber musical plays****May 24-26: "Jesus Christ Superstar"**

Theatre Intrigue presents the Andrew Lloyd Webber musical at Capitol Theatre, 8 p.m. both nights (2 p.m. Sunday). Info: www.theatreintrigue-society.com, 519-252-3244. Also May 31 to June 2.

May 24-25: Icy Redd plays slots

Icy Redd rocks at Windsor Raceway's Hideout Lounge, 8:30 p.m. Free admission. Info: www.windsorraceway.com, 519-250-3600.

May 25: Eco Beat Fest

The Sandwich Community Health Centre presents its second annual music and environment festival for youth at Mic Mac Park, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Info: www.sandwichchc.org, 519-258-6002 Ext. 240.

May 25: Teen fair

Teen health fair Behind the Scenes: The small print ENLARGED is at St. Dennis Centre. 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Info: 519-253-1073, Ext. 228.

May 25: Danny Boy

"Sing & Dance with Danny Boy" is produced and performed by Daniel Chan and his Danny Boys Singers at Red Sail Restaurant, Windsor. 6:30 p.m. \$32. Info: 519-969-6921.

May 31-June 2: Shrine Circus

The circus performs at Riverfront Festival Plaza in Windsor. Showtimes are 12 noon, 4 and 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and 1 and 5 p.m. Sunday. Info: 416-633-4646.

May 31-June 1: Julie Ross Band plays Slots

Band performs a variety of pop rock hits and some originals at the Hideout Lounge, Slots at Windsor Raceway. 8:30 p.m. Free admission. Info: www.windsorraceway.com, 519-250-3600.

May 25: "I Married My Mom!"

Purple Theatre Company perform this comedy at Mackenzie Hall, Windsor. \$14. Info: 519-255-7600. Also June 1 and 8.

June 1: Rosenball

The Teutonia Tanz-und Trachtengruppe present the 12th annual Rosenball at the Teutonia Club in Windsor. Info: www.teutonioclub.com, 519-727-5728.

Jun 8-9: Dog Agility Trial

Windsor's first sanctioned Dog Agility Trial., sanctioned by the North American Dog Agility Council, takes place at St. Clair College from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. both days. Info: www.malnjack.com, 519-966-4278.

DAYTRIPPING: EVENTS IN ESSEX COUNTY**All-you-can-eat lobster****May 24: Lobsterfest**

The Rotary Club of Windsor Roseland presents the 18th annual benefit event at the Ciociaro Club in Tecumseh. \$80 per person for all-you-can-eat lobster. Info: www.roselandrotary.com, 519-981-1713

May 26: Auto fun

Antique and classic automobiles from across southern Ontario, Michigan and Ohio are on display at Southwestern Ontario Heritage Village. Info: www.cnls.com/SWO_Heritage_Village, 776-6909 or toll-free 1-866-776-6909.

June 8-9: Flea Market

Southwest Ontario Heritage Village offers bargains on unusual items. Info: www.cnls.com/SWO_Heritage_Village, 776-6909 or toll-free 1-866-776-6909.

June 16: Fathers Day Celebration

Celebrate with Dad at Colasanti's Tropical Gardens in Ruthven. Sunday buffet, indoor miniature golf, games and more are in store. 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Info: www.colasanti.com, 519-326-3287.

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ATTRACTIONS: ODETTE SCULPTURE PARK

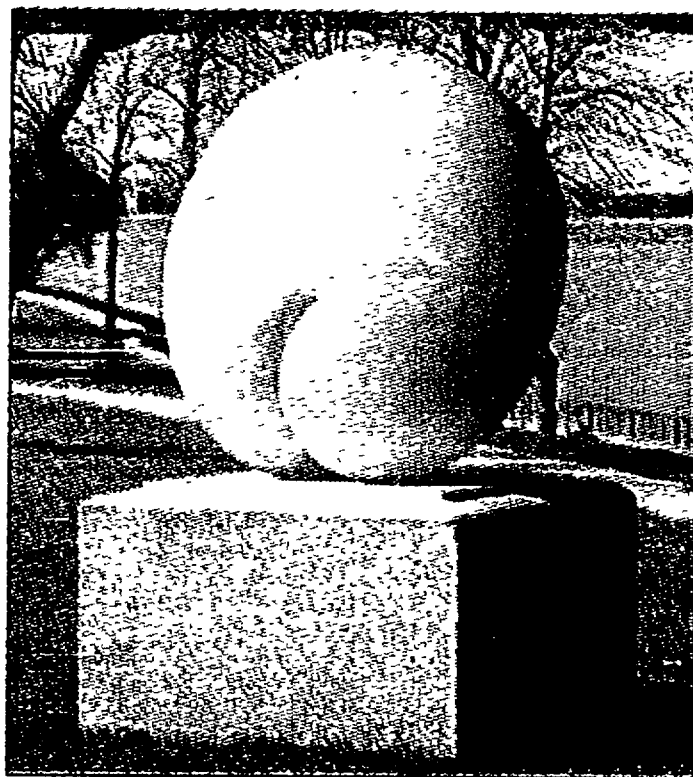
Ever wonder about the sculptures along Windsor's riverfront?

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



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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.

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

The Garden

In bronze, six-foot high The Garden, Maryon Kantaroff returns again to her life-long thematic interest in the relationship between woman and man.

"It has always been there for me," says the Toronto-born artist. "In the beginning I wasn't even really aware of it, but others could see that my shapes were changing, the harder lines were softening, becoming more fluid."

The Garden shows the interdependency of the two figures being placed at the foreground. Rather than marking a clear separation between male and female halves, Kantaroff draws the viewer's attention to their blurring similarity. Both figures balance their hard and soft elements, making it impossible to mark the defining characteristics of gender. The two halves encounter each other as equals, and in their coming together they illustrate a simple but profound desire for free interaction and clear communication.

Cordella

"I think I was asking, where do we all come from?" says a reflective Kantaroff of her aluminum, five-foot sculpture.

In Cordella we see her attention shifting to a universal fascination with the idea of origins. The piece is dynamic and seems almost to be growing organically.

Cordella is caught up in the evolutionary tension of being a living thing. At the microscopic level, one half of this clam-shaped sculpture seems to represent a cell moving through the earliest stages of its division. The other half, more rounded and smooth, holds on to the perfectly natural shape and symbol of an egg.

Cordella also restates Kantaroff's interest in paired shapes or matching dualities. The two hemispheres flow into each other, emphasizing again the ideas of fluid natural development and contact.

"I think this one piece almost sums up my philosophical vision of the world," the artist says.

About Maryon Kantaroff

One of Canada's most recognized sculptors, Maryon Kantaroff, studied piano at the Royal Conservatory of Music and majored in art and archaeology at the University of Toronto, receiving her honours degree in 1957. She was assistant curator at the Art Gallery of Ontario from 1957-58 and went on to pursue post-graduate studies in American Ethnology at the British Museum in London. While in England she also studied at Reading University, the Sir John Cass College of Art and the renowned Chelsea College of Art. She has also been an Art Critic for the British Broadcasting Corporation and Eastern Europe Broadcasting.

At home, Kantaroff has been a major political and philosophical presence in Canadian Sculpture for more than 30 years. She has exhibited extensively throughout the world and had private commissions for the Canadian Embassies in Tokyo and Mexico City among others.

Her honours include the YMCA's "Women of Distinction Award" for courage and outstanding achievement in the arts and the prestigious President's Award from the Sculpture Society of Canada.

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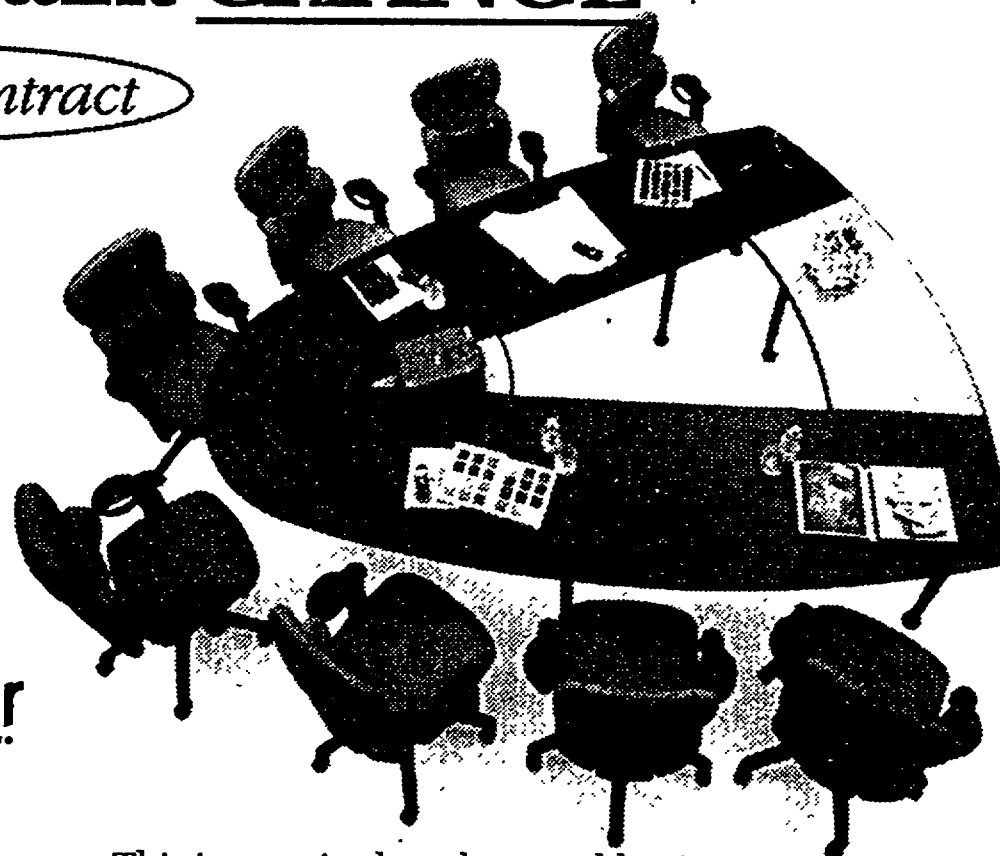
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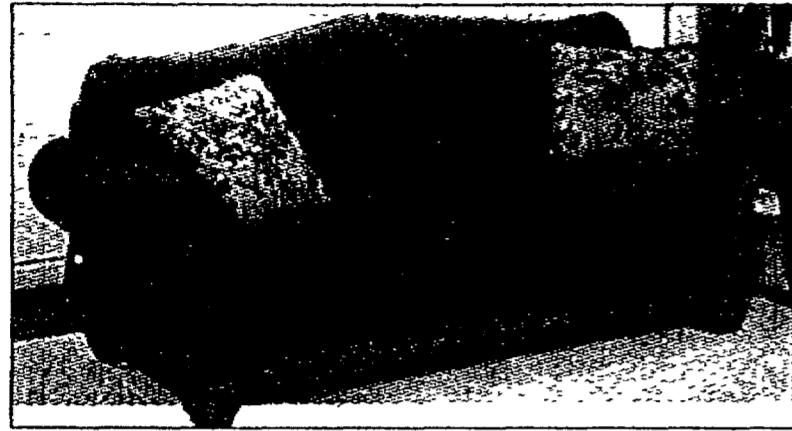
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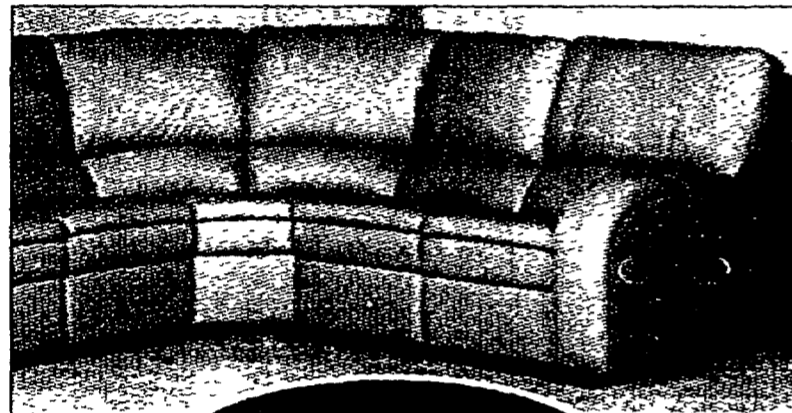
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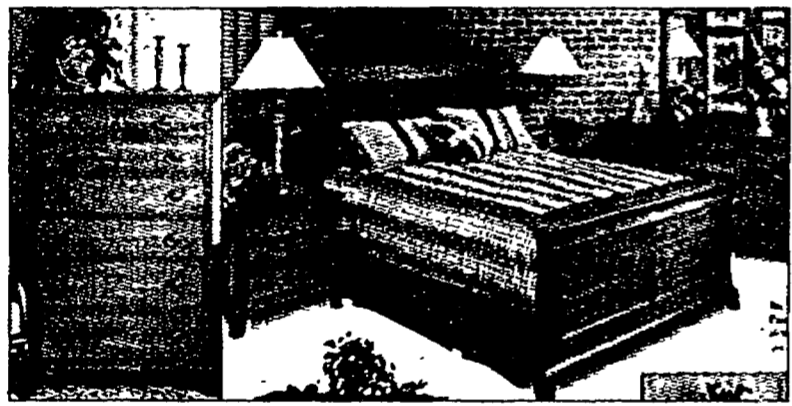
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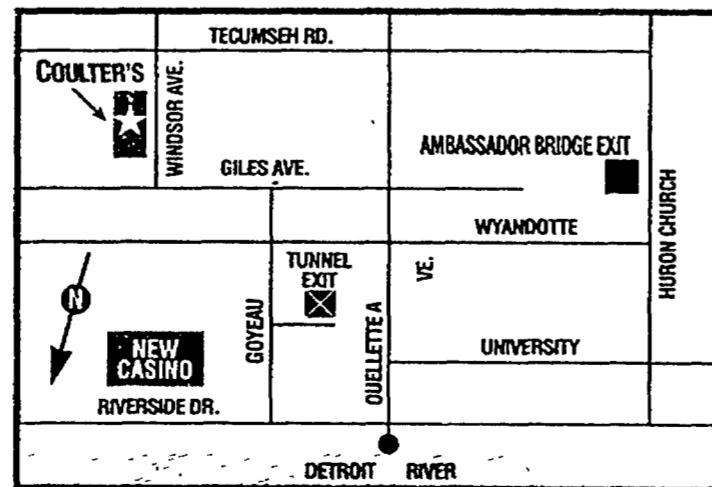
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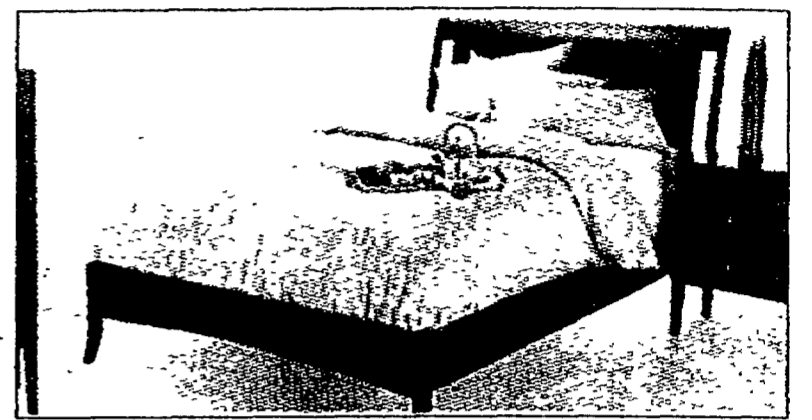
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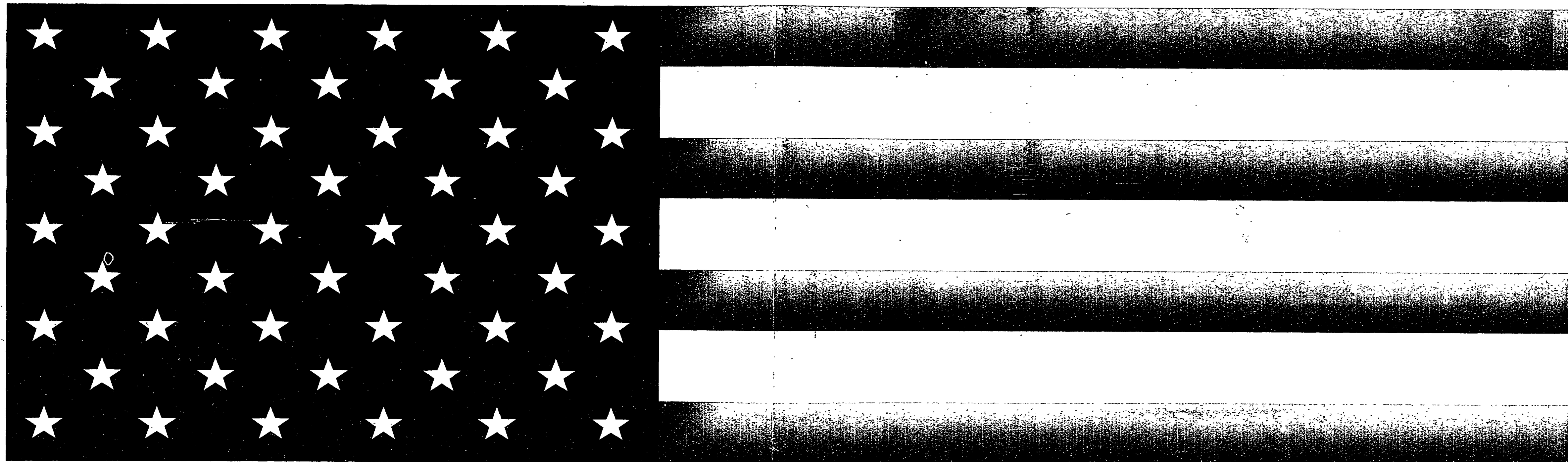


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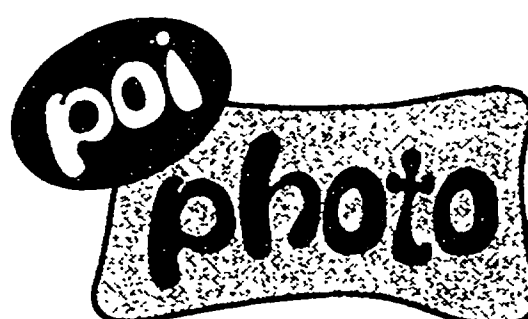
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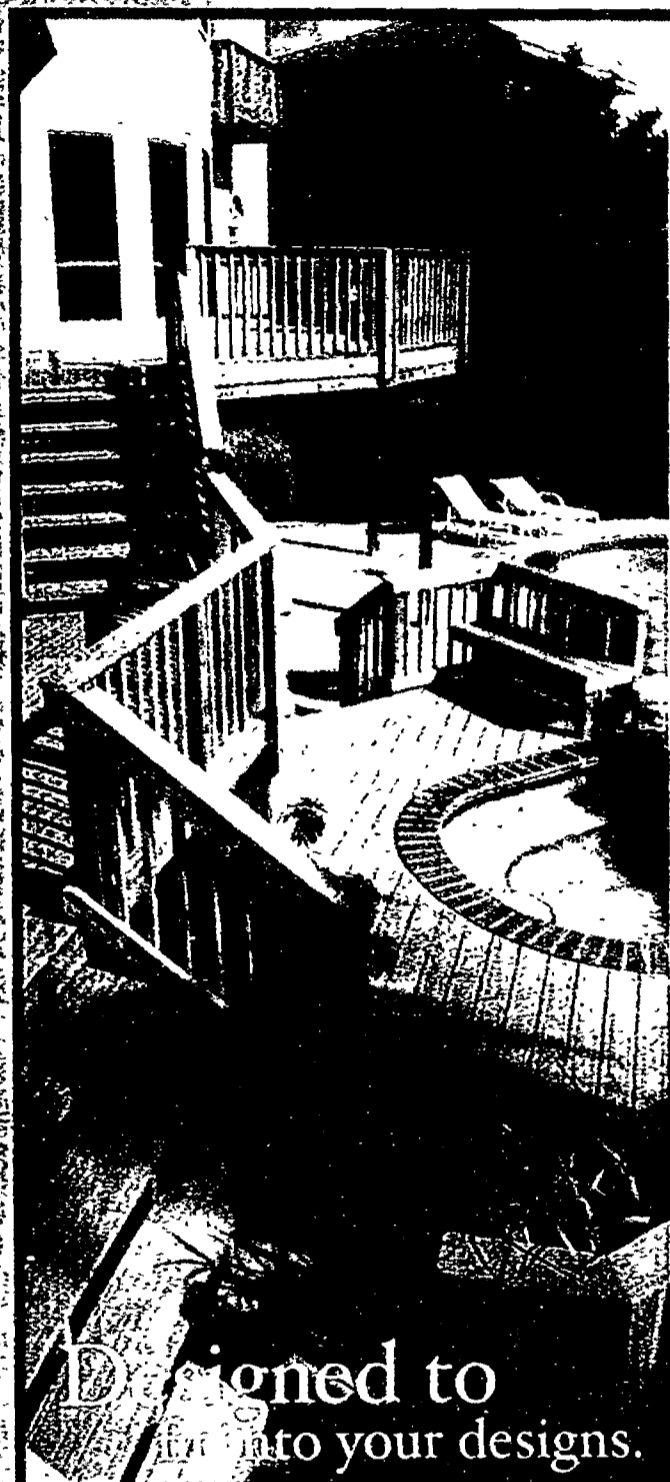
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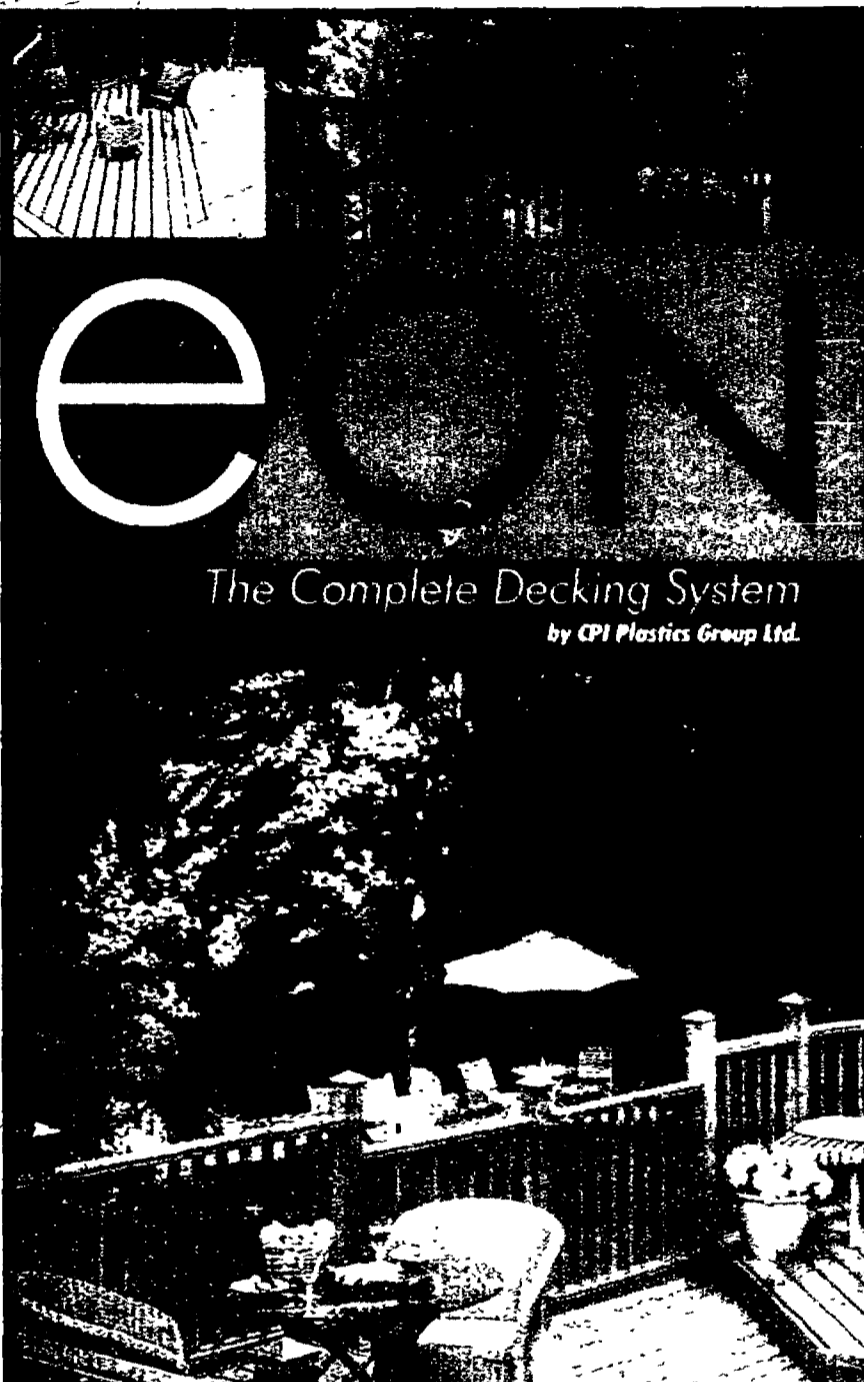
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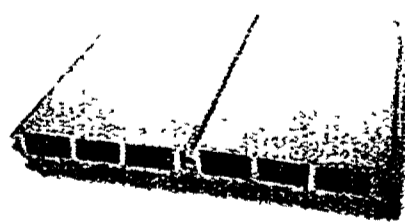
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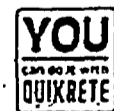
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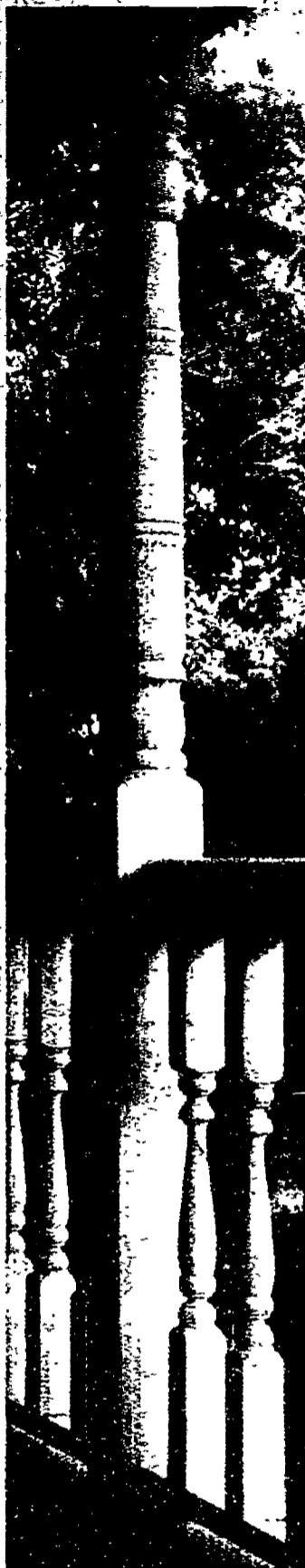
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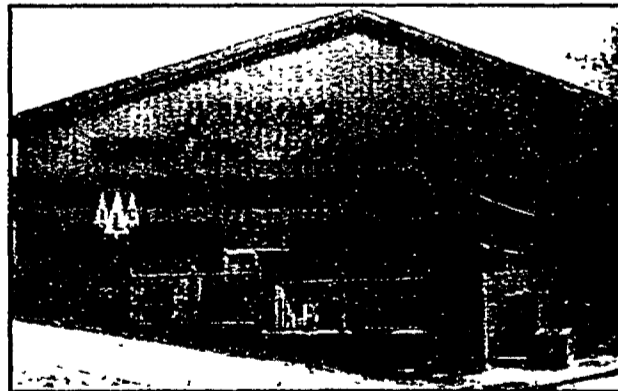


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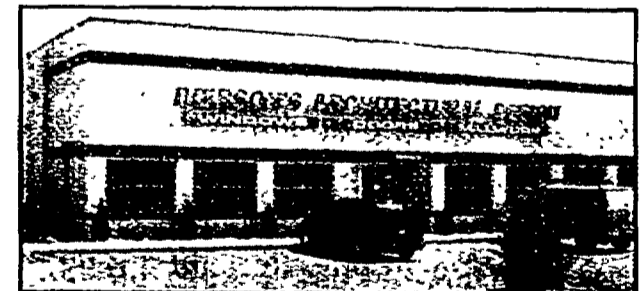
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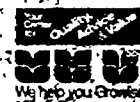
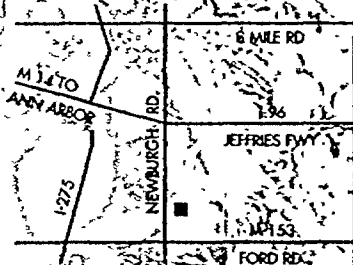
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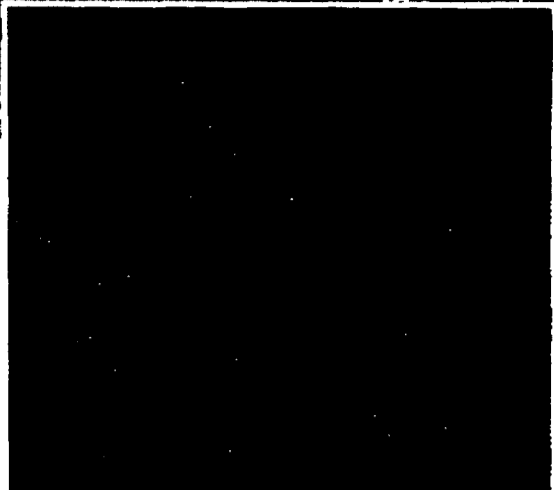


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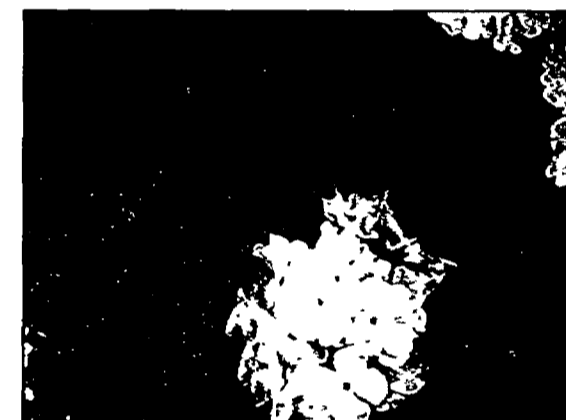
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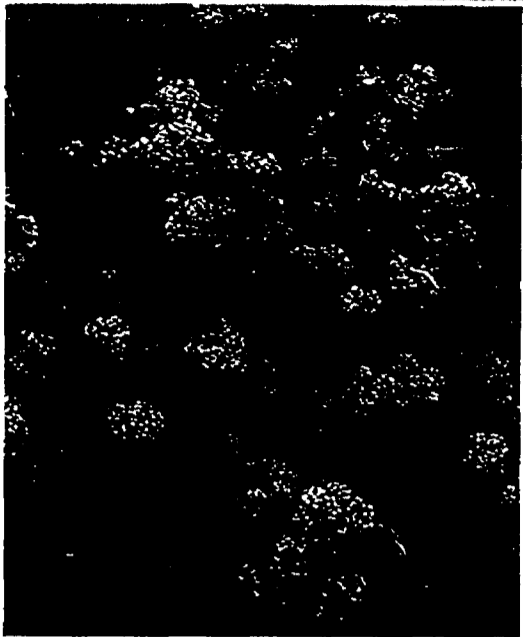
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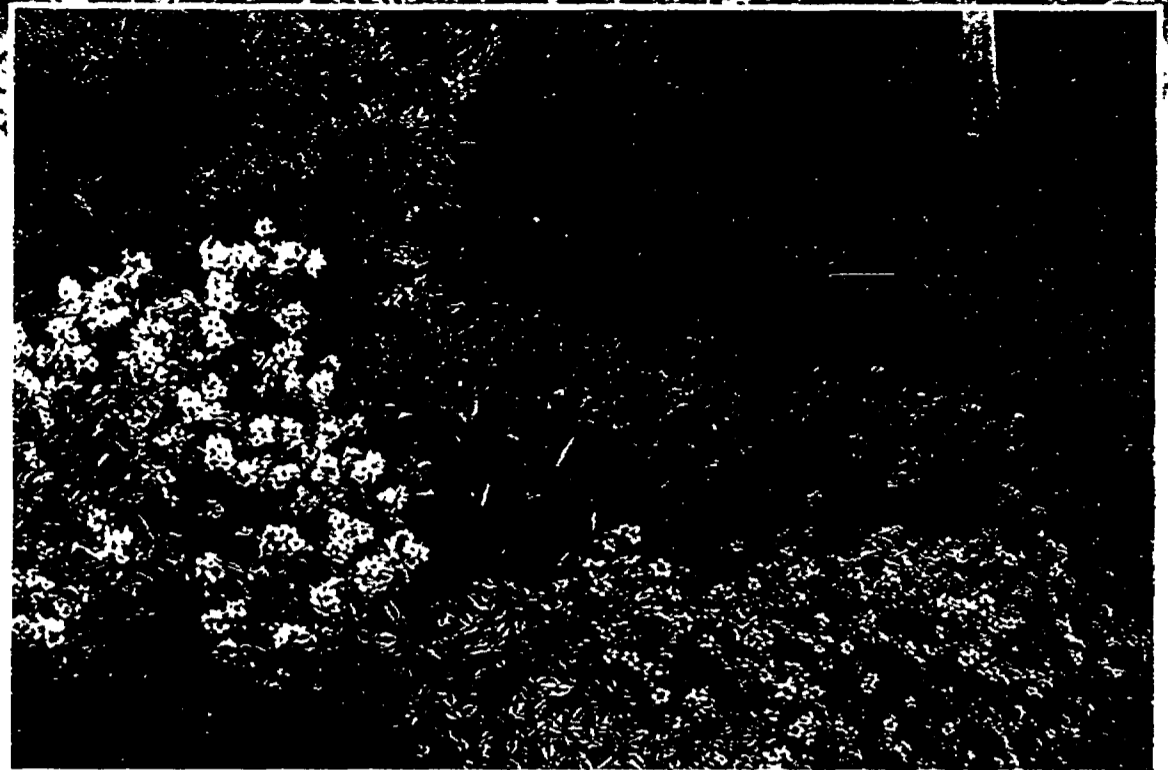
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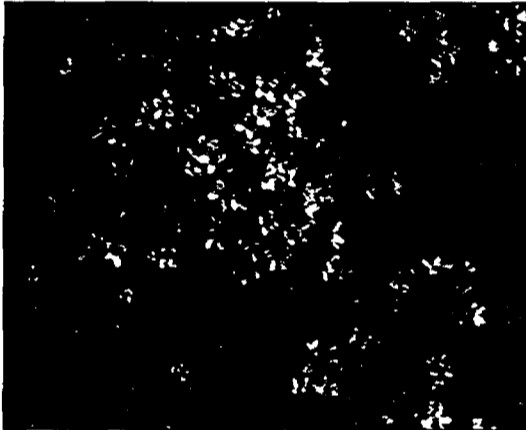
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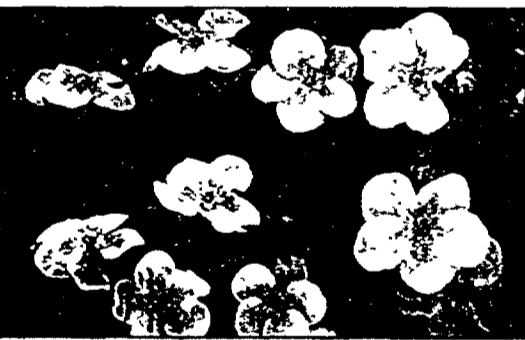
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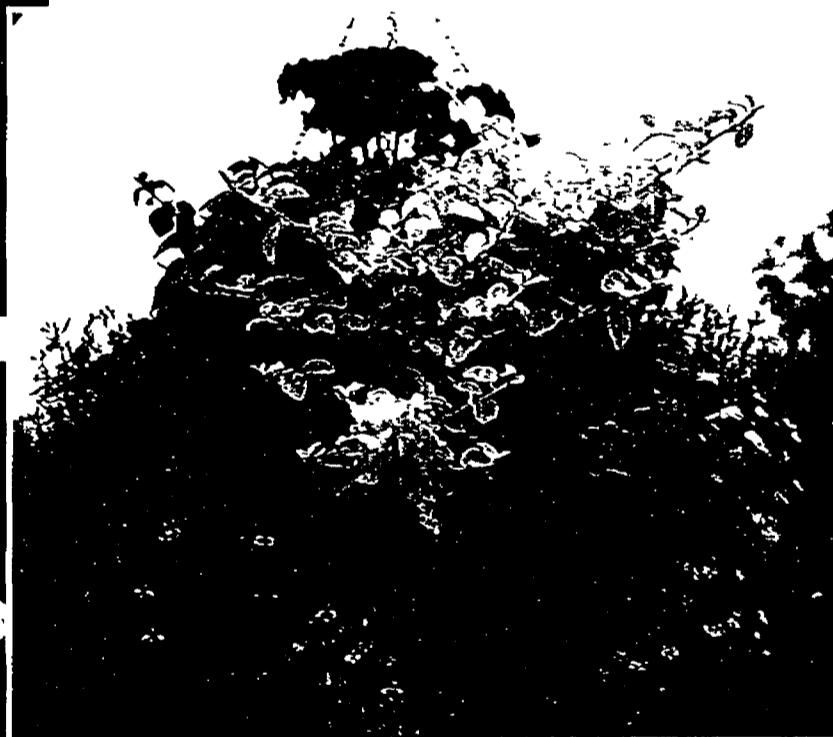
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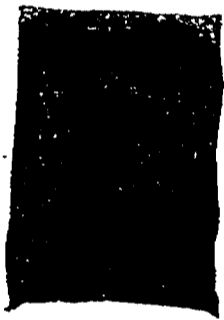
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Simply heat in any GFS sauce for an easy and delicious appetizer. Approx. 162 - 1/2 oz. meatballs per 5 lb. Zip-Pak bag. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE AT LEAST \$2.50

\$5.99

112917, 212822 GFS

Potato Chips

Your choice: Regular or Dip-Style. Great for snacks or as a complement to other foods. 3 - 1 lb. Stay-Fresh bags per box. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE AT LEAST \$1.50

Chex Snack Mix

Your choice: Traditional or Bold Party Blend. Ideal for parties and special occasions! 31 or 32 1/2 oz. bag. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE AT LEAST 70¢

520098 Bush's Best

Bean Pot Baked Beans

Grade A fancy navy beans with bacon in brown sugar sauce. Approx. 26 - 1/2 cup servings per 7 lb. 5 oz. can. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE AT LEAST 80¢

\$2.99

\$4.29

\$3.19



559458 Carolina

Oven Roasted Deli Turkey Breast

Boneless and skinless. Shave for sandwiches or julienne for salads. SLICED FREE AT YOUR REQUEST. 8 lb. average. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE 38¢/lb.

\$1.59/lb.



556602 GFS

Smokehouse Flat Buffet Ham

95% fat free. Natural smoked flavor. Slice, dice or julienne. 12 1/2 lb. average. SLICED FREE AT YOUR REQUEST. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE 30¢/lb.

\$1.39/lb.

792667 Awrey's

White Iced Golden Yellow Sheet Cake

A moist, golden cake with white buttercream icing. Can be decorated for special occasions. Approx. 24 servings per 12" x 16" tray. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE \$1.86

\$8.49

833517 Orchard Harvest

Fruit Punch Drink Base

Refreshing and easy to prepare. Approx. 85 - 8 fl. oz. servings per 1 gallon container when mixed with water. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE AT LEAST 50¢

\$3.99



117670 Maxwell House

Regular Blend Coffee

Enjoy the consistent taste of Maxwell House. Approx. 255 - 6 fl. oz. servings per 39 oz. can. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE AT LEAST 50¢

\$3.99



662348, 662321, 662356 GFS

Classique-Premium Clear Plastic Cutlery

Your choice: knives, forks or spoons. 150 per package. Limit 4 per customer.

\$3.59



222747 GFS

White Plastic Table Cover

Fits 8' and longer rectangular banquet tables. Makes cleanup a snap. 40' x 300' roll. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE AT LEAST \$1.50

\$10.19

220655, 198692 GFS

Potato Salad

Your choice: American* or Southern. Approx. 32 - 1/2 cup servings per 10 lb. container. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE AT LEAST \$1.20

\$4.99

*SAMPLE
June 14-15

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Appetizers

734934, 245577, 511307 Tyson
Chicken Wings

Your choice: Chile-Lime,
Honey BBQ* or Wings of Fire.
Fully cooked. Grill, broil or
heat in oven or microwave.
Approx. 56 wing sections
per 4 lb. bag.

SAVE AT LEAST 50¢

\$9.49

SAMPLE
June 14-15



258695 Tyson
**Buffalo Style
Chicken Strips**

Fully cooked, breaded and
glazed. Bake or deep-fry.
Approx. 18 strips per 4 lb. bag.

SAVE AT LEAST 30¢

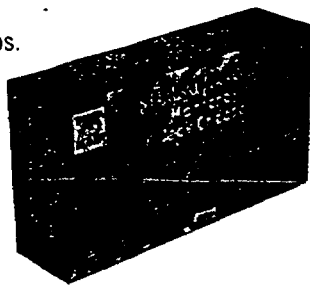
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190551 Tampa Maid
**Monterey Jack Cheese
Shrimp Jammers**

Tail-on butterflied shrimp filled
with Monterey Jack cheese and
coated in seasoned breadcrumbs.
Approx. 30 shrimp per
2 lb. package.

SAVE 80¢

\$15.49



865478, 865486 Old Wisconsin
Party Bites

Your choice: Beef Sausage or
Pepperoni. Already cut and
ready to add to your cheese
tray for a quick and tasty
appetizer. 1 lb. package.

SAVE 60¢

\$4.59

860727 Kaukauna
Double Cheese Log

Sharp and white sharp cheese
spread. Excellent to serve with
crackers for snacks or appetizers.
1 lb. package.

SAVE 46¢

\$2.99

261696 Moore's
**Bakeables
Mozzarella Sticks**

'Just like fried' flavor. Bake and serve.
Approx. 50 sticks per 3 lb. bag.

SAVE AT LEAST 50¢

\$8.49



261718 Moore's
**Bakeables Cheddar
Cheese Stuffed
Jalapeño Peppers**

Bake and serve for appetizers.
Approx. 42 peppers per 3 lb. bag.

SAVE AT LEAST 50¢

\$9.49

Munchies

734799 Gardetto's
**Snak-ens Original
Recipe Snack Mix**

A unique blend of crispy,
crunchy snacks with the
delicious flavor of Gardetto's
own special recipe. 2 lb. bag.

SAVE AT LEAST 50¢

\$3.49



466921 Festiva
Triangle Tortilla Chips

White stone ground corn, baked and
then fried. 100% natural, lightly salted.
3 lb. bag.

SAVE 50¢

\$4.49

144339 GFS
Pretzel Sticks

Deliciously baked to a light crispness.
Perfect snack anytime. 2 lb. bag.

SAVE 50¢

\$2.19

434094 Hearth Baked
Soft Bread Sticks

Fully baked. Heat frozen bread sticks
in oven just before serving for a
fresh-baked taste. 18 - 8" bread sticks
per 30 oz. package.

\$2.55

478091 GFS
Plain Bagels

Warm in oven or toaster. Great for
breakfast or sandwiches. 6 - 2.8 oz.
bagels per 1 lb. .08 oz. package.

89¢

552399 Hearth Baked
**New York Brand
Garlic Bread**

Ready to bake in the foil bag.
1 lb. loaf per package.

\$1.29

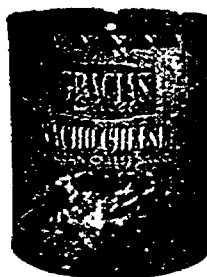
Sauces & Dips

521485 Gracias Select
Nacho Cheese Sauce

Adds zippy flavor to nachos,
burritos, casseroles and baked
potatoes. Approx. 49 - 1/4 cup
servings per 6 lb. 11 oz. can.

SAVE AT LEAST 30¢

\$4.69



168432 Pace
Chunky Salsa (Mild)

All natural, made with fresh jalapeño
peppers. 1/2 gallon container.

SAVE AT LEAST 50¢

\$4.19

754684 KC Masterpiece
**Original
Barbecue Sauce**

Ready to use as a dipping sauce
or to baste ribs or chicken.
1 gallon container.

SAVE 60¢

\$11.29

416088 Tulkoff
Cocktail Sauce

Fresh sauce for favorite seafoods, shrimp
and appetizer items. Made with fresh
grated horseradish. 32 oz. container.

SAVE 60¢

\$2.75

175617 GFS
French Onion Party Dip

Perfect for potato chips and fresh
cut or deep-fried vegetables.
Approx. 40 - 2 Tbsp. servings
per 2 1/4 lb. container.

SAVE 66¢

\$2.99

Sides & Salads

738131 GFS
Macaroni Salad

Delicious and creamy. Ready to serve.
Approx. 40 - 4 oz. servings per
10 lb. container.

SAVE AT LEAST 50¢

\$6.69

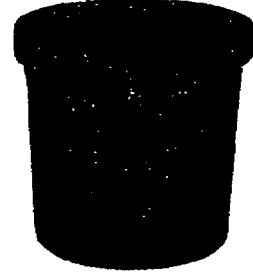
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May 31 - June 1

524387 Melch's
Amish Recipes Potato Salad

Fresh cooked potatoes, eggs, onions
and shredded carrots in a delicious, sweet
salad dressing. Ready to serve. Approx.
16 - 1/2 cup servings per 5 lb. container.

SAVE 76¢

\$4.99

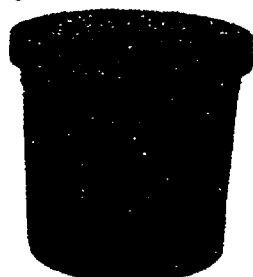


524409 Melch's
Amish Recipes Cole Slaw

Fresh cabbage and bits of carrots in
a slightly sweet country slaw dressing.
Approx. 23 - 1/2 cup servings per
5 lb. container.

SAVE \$1.40

\$4.99



314374 Wampler Foods
Tuna Salad

Ready to serve. Approx.
26 - 1/3 cup servings
per 5 lb. container.

SAVE \$1.00

\$17.45

444855 Wampler Foods
Chicken Salad

Approx. 26 - 1/3 cup
servings per 5 lb. container.

SAVE \$2.26

\$16.99

510629 Sea Legs
**Salad Redi
Imitation Crabmeat**

Pre-cooked, fat free and low in
cholesterol. Thaw, then mix with
salad dressing for a cold salad or use
in any hot entrée. Approx. 13 - 1/2 cup
servings per 2 1/2 lb. package.

SAVE 76¢

\$7.49

118567, 118575 GFS "Premium Quality"
Scalloped or Au Gratin Potatoes

Made from the finest 100% Russet
potato slices and cheese sauce.
Approx. 34 - 1/2 cup servings
per 2 1/4 lb. container.

SAVE \$1.00

\$6.99



460389 Simplot Classic
**Italian Garden Vegetables
and Pasta Blend**

Broccoli mixed with Malfada pasta and
carrots. Approx. 11 - 3 oz. servings
per 2 lb. bag.

SAVE 30¢

\$2.29

850888, 850896, 850918, 850926 Orval Kent
Gelatin Ring Mold

Your choice: Strawberry Cream,
Strawberry, Orange or Lime.
Ready to serve. Approx. 15 - 1/2 cup
servings per 4 lb. gelatin ring mold.

SAVE \$1.00

\$5.49

201391 Markon
Fruit Salad Deluxe

Ready to serve. Fresh honeydew and
cantaloupe melon pieces, orange
sections, pineapple chunks and grapes.
Approx. 11 - 1/2 cup servings per
4 lb. container.

SAVE \$1.50

\$5.99

SAMPLE
June 7-8

*Cocktail shrimp are
great to serve at
any party!*



Entrées

475076 GFS

Oven Roasted Prime Rib

Perfectly seasoned, then slowly oven roasted until rare. Approx. 8 servings per 6 lb. average piece.

SAVE 42¢/lb.

\$6⁷⁰/lb.

195456 GFS

Lasagna

Noodles layered with ground beef, cottage cheese, mozzarella, Parmesan cheese and rich tomato sauce. Approx. 12 - 8 oz. servings per 6 lb. tray.

SAVE AT LEAST 50¢

\$8⁴⁹



143391 Stouffer's

Classic Vegetable Lasagna

Noodles layered with spinach, ricotta cheese, a rich cream sauce, shredded carrots, garlic and onion seasoning. Approx. 12 - 1 cup servings per 6 lb. tray.

SAVE AT LEAST 40¢

\$10²⁵

219851 GFS

Stuffed Cabbage Rolls with Sauce

A delicious blend of beef and rice, wrapped in cabbage and covered with tomato sauce. Approx. 10 - 8 oz. servings per 5 lb. tray.

SAVE AT LEAST 56¢

\$9⁹⁹

206385 GFS

Macaroni and Cheese

Elbow noodles in a rich and tangy cheddar cheese sauce. Easy preparation, just heat in oven and serve. Approx. 12 - 1 cup servings per 5 lb. tray.

SAVE 50¢

\$6⁹⁹

302708 GFS

Homestyle Ground Beef Patties

Individually frozen. Ready to grill, broil or pan fry. 40 - 1/4 lb. patties per 10 lb. box.

SAVE \$2.26

\$15⁴⁹

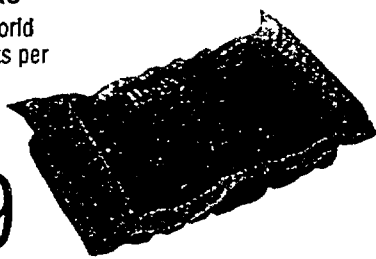
842044 Best's Kosher

Kosher Beef Franks

Blend of pure beef and old world seasonings. Approx. 25 franks per 5 lb. package.

SAVE \$1.00

\$12⁴⁹



482706 Kent

Cajun Brand Sausage

Fully cooked with natural casing. Made with ground pork, spices, potato chunks, onions and parsley. Approx. 20 - 4 oz. sausages per 5 lb. package.

SAVE \$1.00

\$10²⁹

Party Trays

680605 GFS

Roast Beef

Delicious, deli sliced, cooked roast beef for sandwiches. Approx. 32 - 1 slice servings per 2 lb. Zip-Pak package.

SAVE AT LEAST 90¢

\$7⁹⁹

SAMPLE

May 30 - June 1

680656 GFS

Virginia Brand Smoked Cooked Ham

Boneless and hand rubbed with special seasonings for an old-fashioned baked flavor. Approx. 32 - 1 slice servings per 2 lb. Zip-Pak package.

SAVE AT LEAST 86¢

\$5⁹⁹

SAMPLE

May 30 - June 1

833592 GFS

Smoked Turkey Breast

Delicious, cooked turkey breast. Ready to serve. Approx. 32 - 1 slice servings per 2 lb. Zip-Pak package.

SAVE AT LEAST \$1.00

\$6²⁵

676985, 676524 GFS

Colby or Colby-Jack Cheese

Serve on sandwiches, burgers, salads, with crackers or fruit. 2 lb. package.

SAVE AT LEAST 40¢

\$3⁸⁹

485543 GFS

Sweet Gherkins

Fresh pack, sweet pickles. Great for relish trays and with sandwiches. Approx. 66 pickles per 1/2 gallon container.

SAVE 46¢

\$5⁹⁹

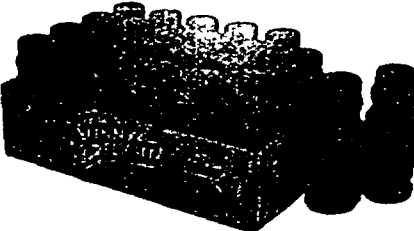
Beverages

150339 Sunny Delight

Sunny Delight Citrus Punch

Original Florida style. Real fruit beverage. Very popular drink with kids. 24 - 6 3/4 oz. individual plastic bottles per box.

\$5⁵⁹



833517 Orchard Harvest

Fruit Punch Drink Base

Refreshing and easy to prepare. Approx. 85 - 8 fl. oz. servings per 1 gallon container when mixed with water. Limit 4 per customer.

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Regular Blend Coffee

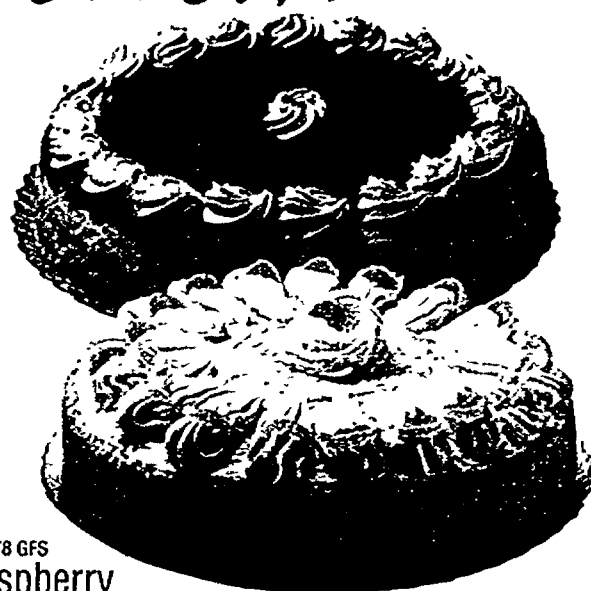
Enjoy the consistent taste of Maxwell House. Approx. 255 - 6 fl. oz. servings per 39 oz. can. Limit 4 per customer.

SAVE AT LEAST 50¢

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Desserts



610178 GFS

Raspberry Chantilly Torte

Delicately flavored layers of golden cake intermingled with creamy custard and raspberry jam. Topped with a rich buttercream icing, raspberry glaze and hand decorated rosettes. Thaw and serve. 18 pre-cut servings per 12" torte.

SAVE \$2.00

\$20⁸⁹

105805 GFS

Lemon Kiss Torte

Golden layers of fluffy white cake filled with luscious buttercream and a refreshing lemon filling. Topped with handmade rosettes for an excellent plate presentation. 18 pre-cut servings per 12" torte.

SAVE \$2.00

\$20⁸⁹

546143 Eri's

Chocolate Chip Cheesecake

Dense New York-style. Dark chocolate walnut cookie crust loaded with premium bittersweet chocolate chips. 16 pre-cut servings per 9" cheesecake.

SAVE \$2.00

\$12⁶⁹

221031 Delizza

Belgian Mini Cream Puffs

Delicate European pastry filled with vanilla cream. Thaw and serve. Approx. 50 cream puffs per 22 oz. container.

SAVE AT LEAST 80¢

\$7⁶⁹

221058 Delizza

Belgian Mini Chocolate Eclairs

European pastry filled with a delicate custard and covered with chocolate. Approx. 50 eclairs per 24.6 oz. container.

SAVE AT LEAST 90¢

\$7⁹⁹

675539 GFS

Assorted Petit Fours

A rainbow assortment! Excellent to serve on buffets or for weddings and special occasions. Thaw and serve. 72 petit fours per tray.

SAVE \$2.00

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777056, 777048 Trade East Grill Seasonings

Your choice: Gourmet or Spicy. Add exciting flavor to your summer cookouts. 22 oz. container.

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549746 Dawn Manual Pot and Pan Detergent

Grease-cutting, lemon-scented detergent with long lasting suds. Can also be used as a general purpose cleaner. 1 gallon container.

SAVE AT LEAST 70¢

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691879 Comet 10 1/4" Classicware Clear Plastic Plates

Crystal clear. Provides a permanent look with disposable ware convenience. 18 - 10 1/4" plates per package.

SAVE \$1.00

\$7.75

570184 Comet 6" Classicware Clear Plastic Plates

Crystal clear to match 10 1/4" plates #691879. Disposable convenience with a permanent look and feel. 18 - 6" plates per package.

SAVE 50¢

\$3.45

604135 Comet 10 oz. Classicware Clear Plastic Bowls

Fluted to provide a "fine china feel" and disposable convenience. 18 - 10 oz. bowls per package.

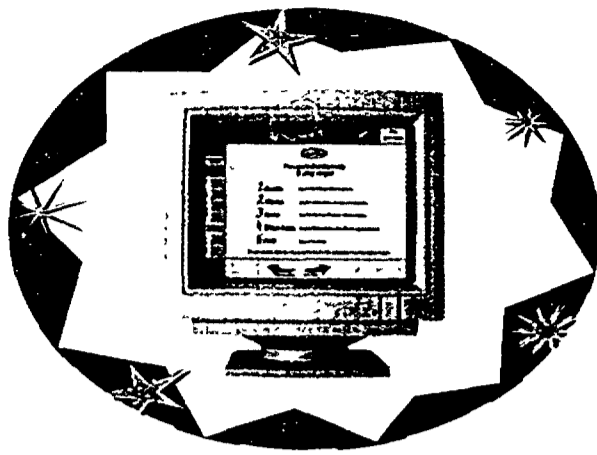
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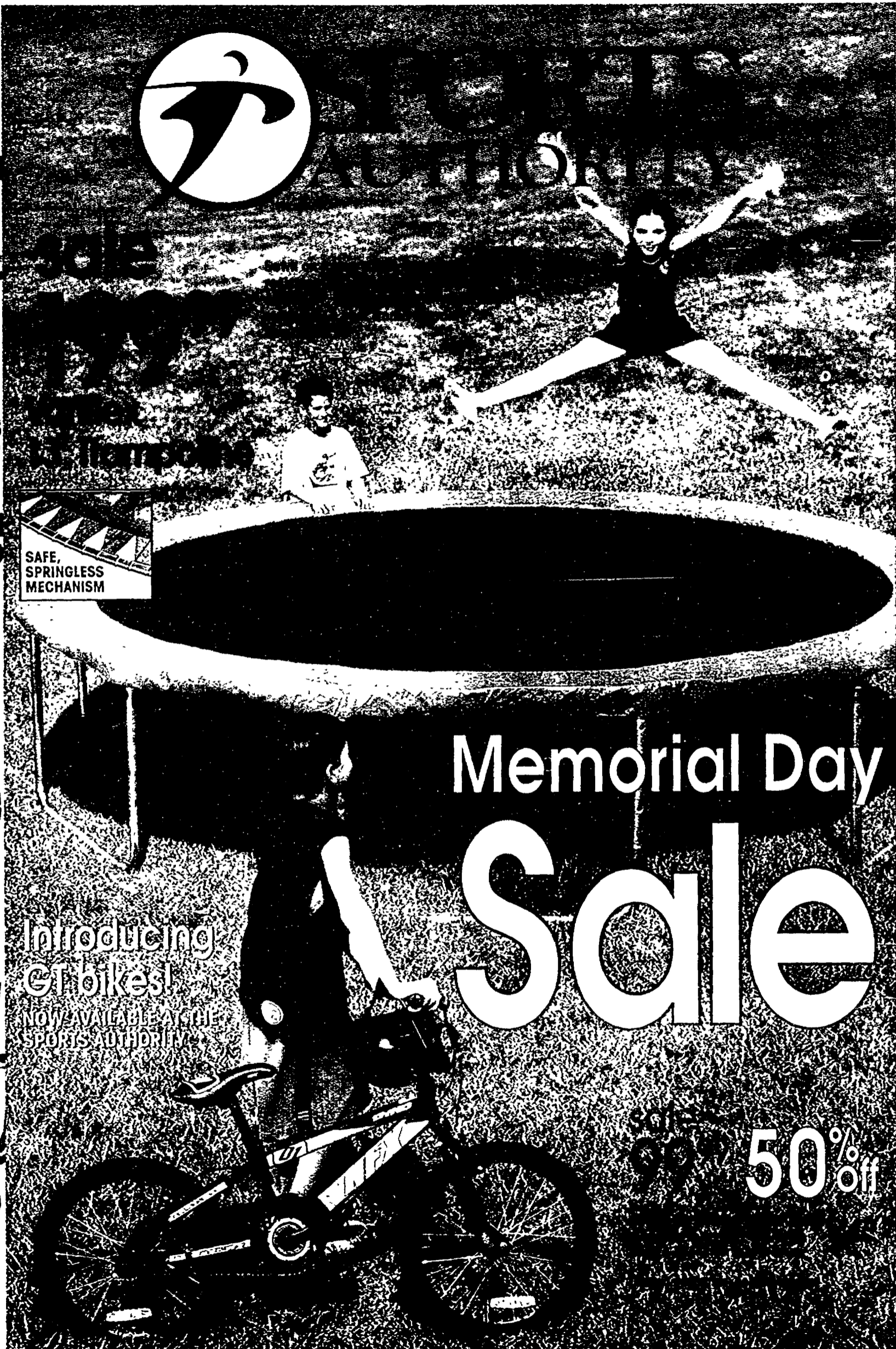
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What Andy said...

TSA: What sports do you play other than tennis, and do elements of those sports enhance your tennis performance?

AR: Doing anything athletic will help your overall fitness level. For example, I have loved playing basketball since High School. The two sports complement each other, because they both require quick footwork, and also a lot of endurance.

TSA: How important is the right equipment when playing tennis, i.e., shoes, racquet and tennis balls?

AR: While having the right gear is definitely important, how well you ultimately play depends on you.

TSA: What is the toughest part of practice for you, both mentally and physically?

AR: There really isn't a toughest part. But, you have to be disciplined and spend extra practice time working on your weaknesses. You have to be determined to get something out of each practice and to get better every day.

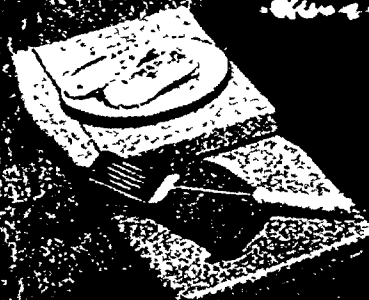
TSA: What was the best lesson you learned at a very early age, and how is it significant today?

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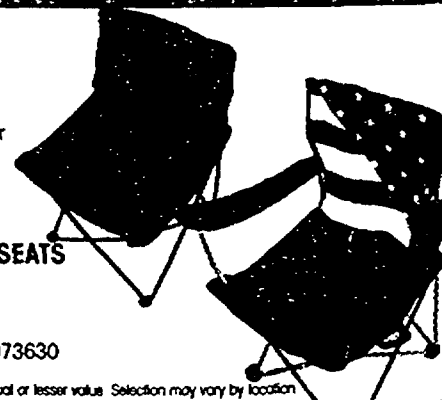
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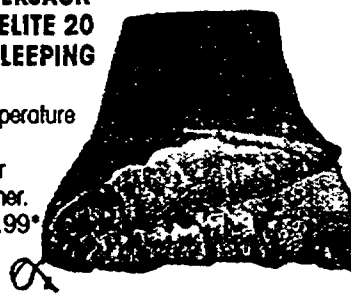


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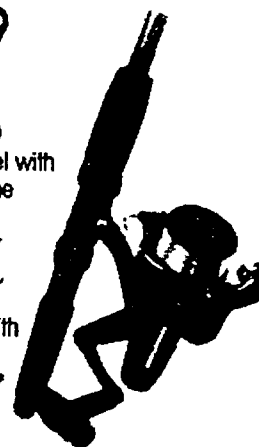
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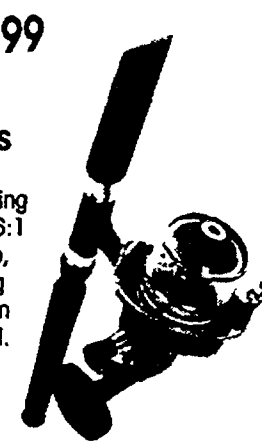
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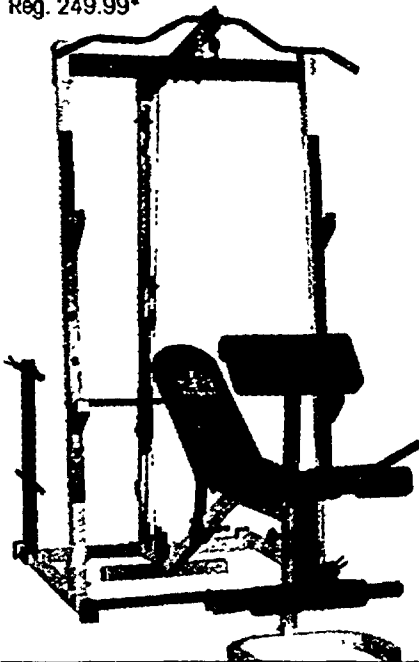
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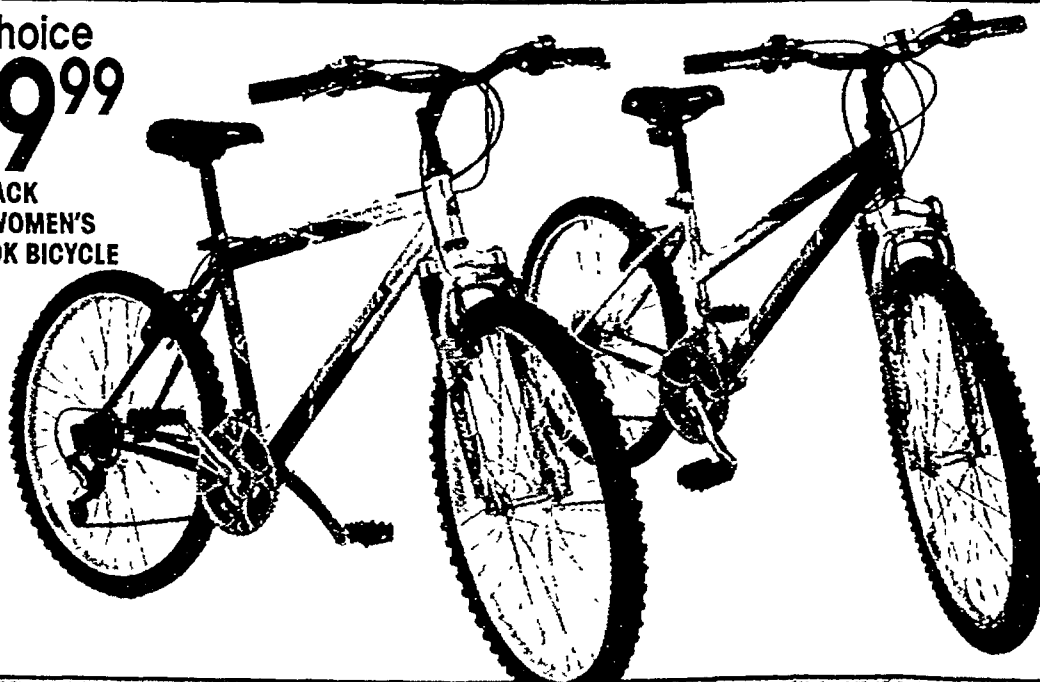
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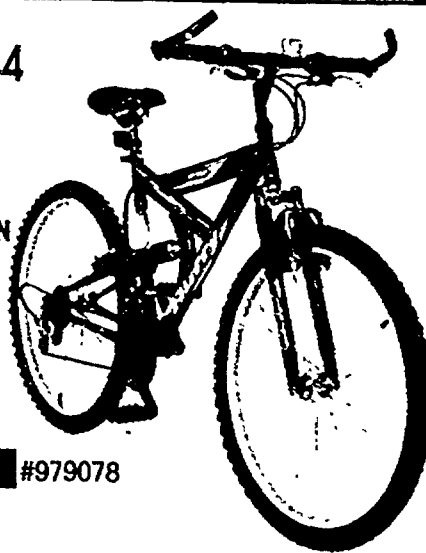


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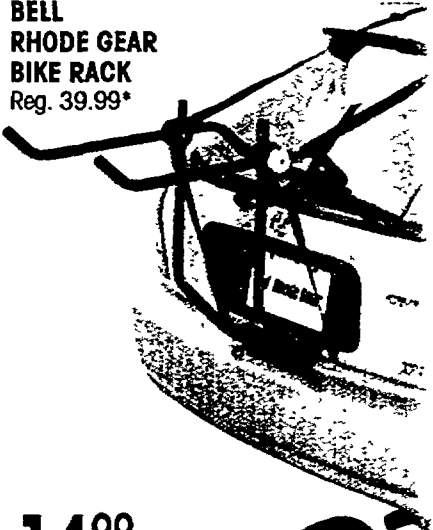
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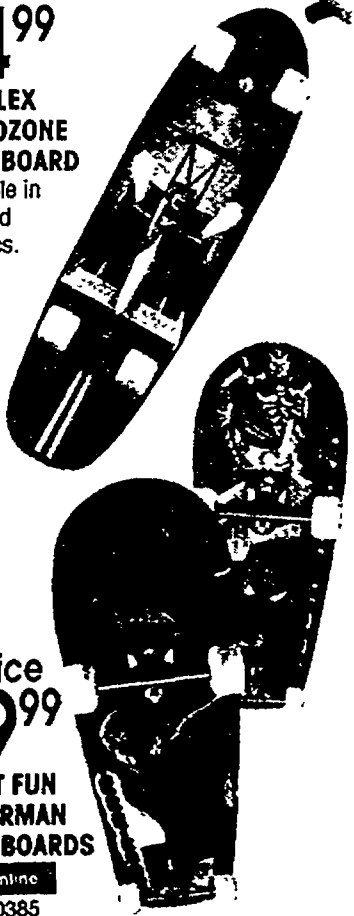
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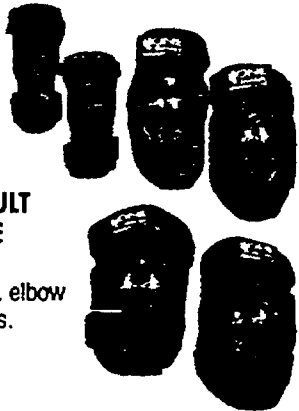


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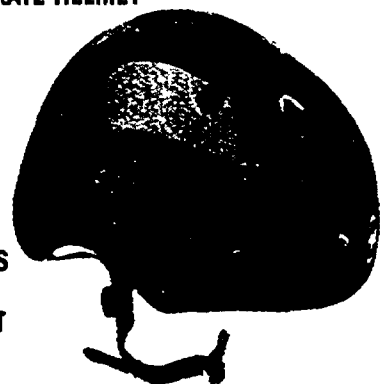
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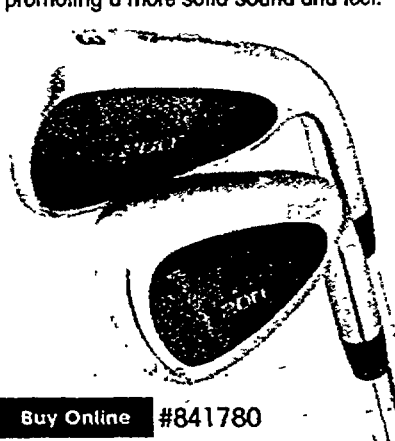




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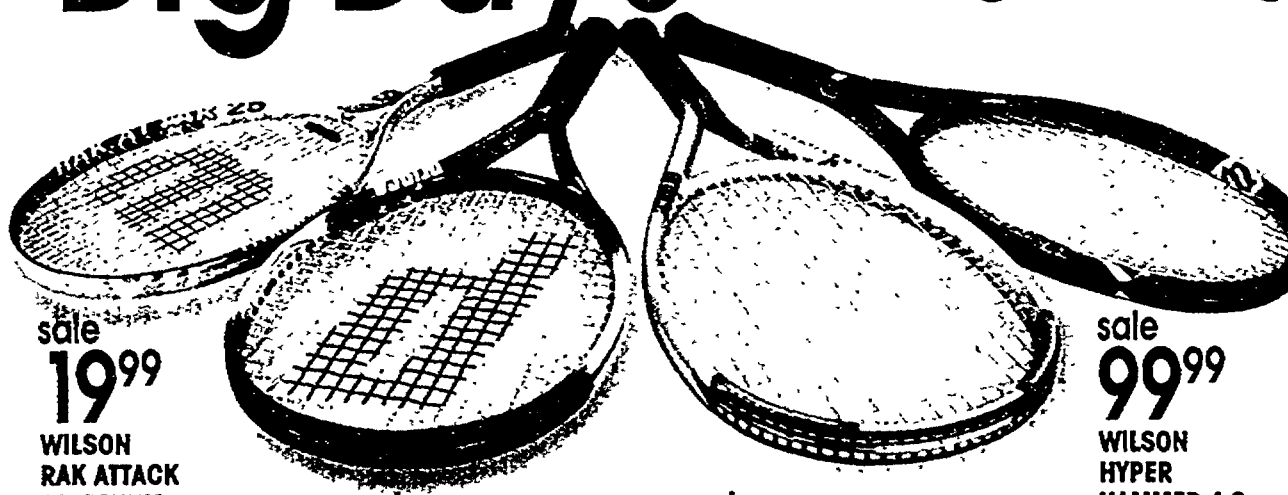


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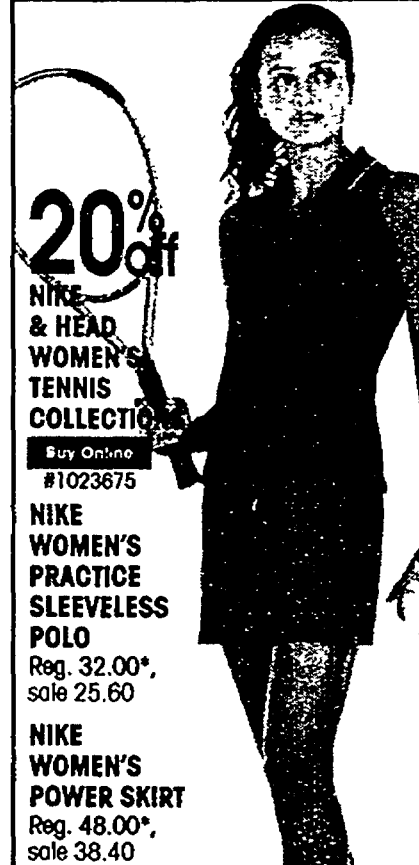


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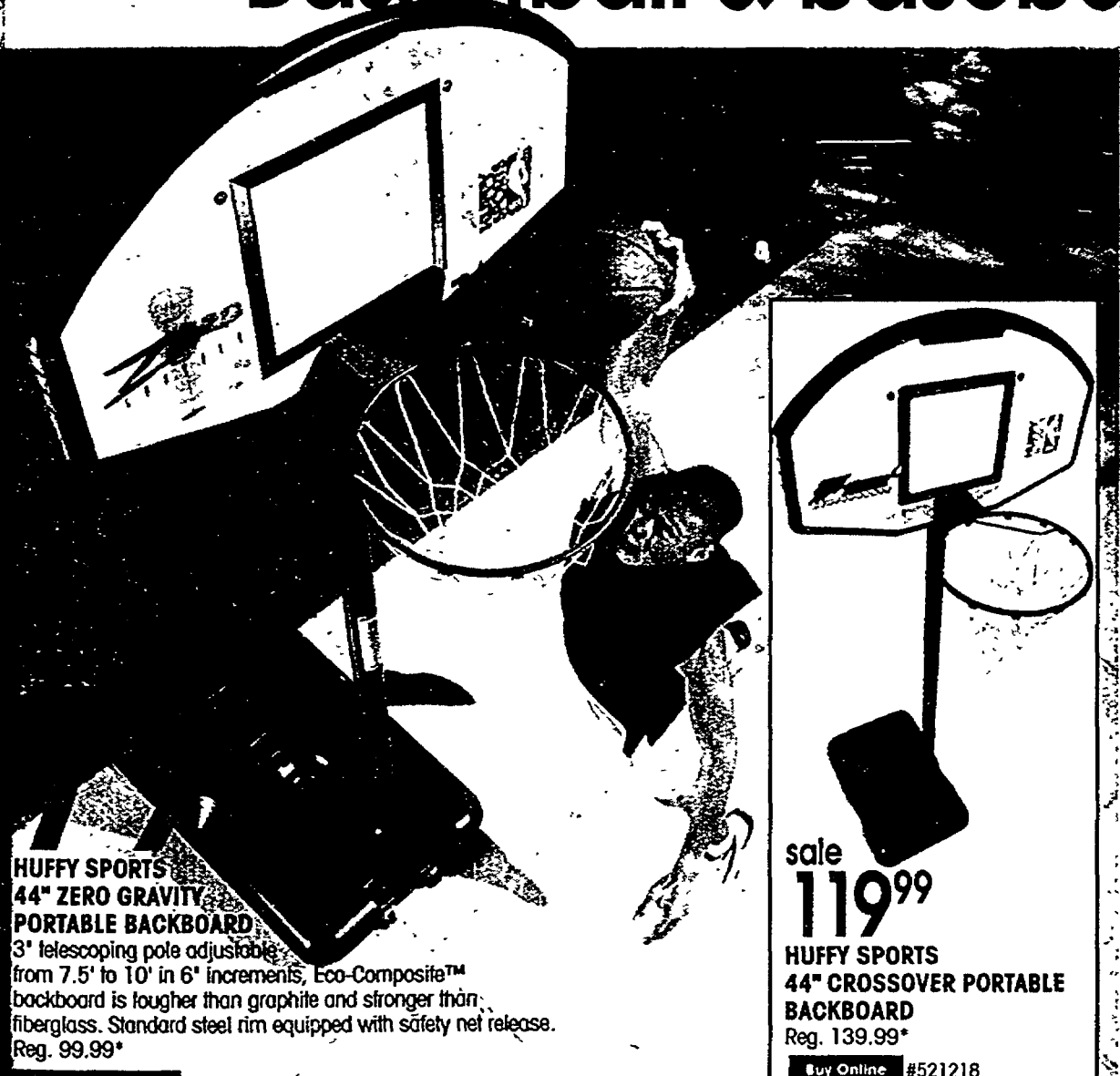
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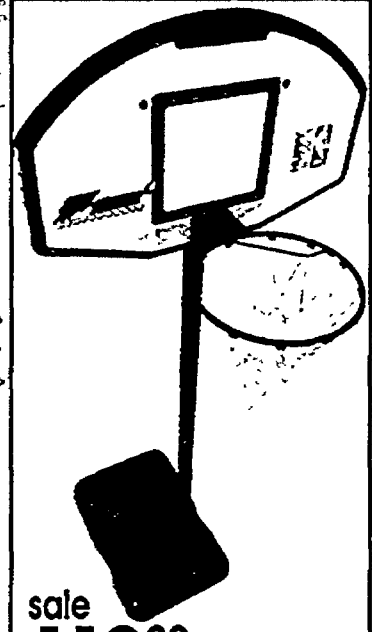
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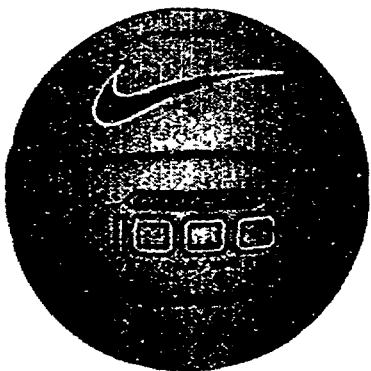


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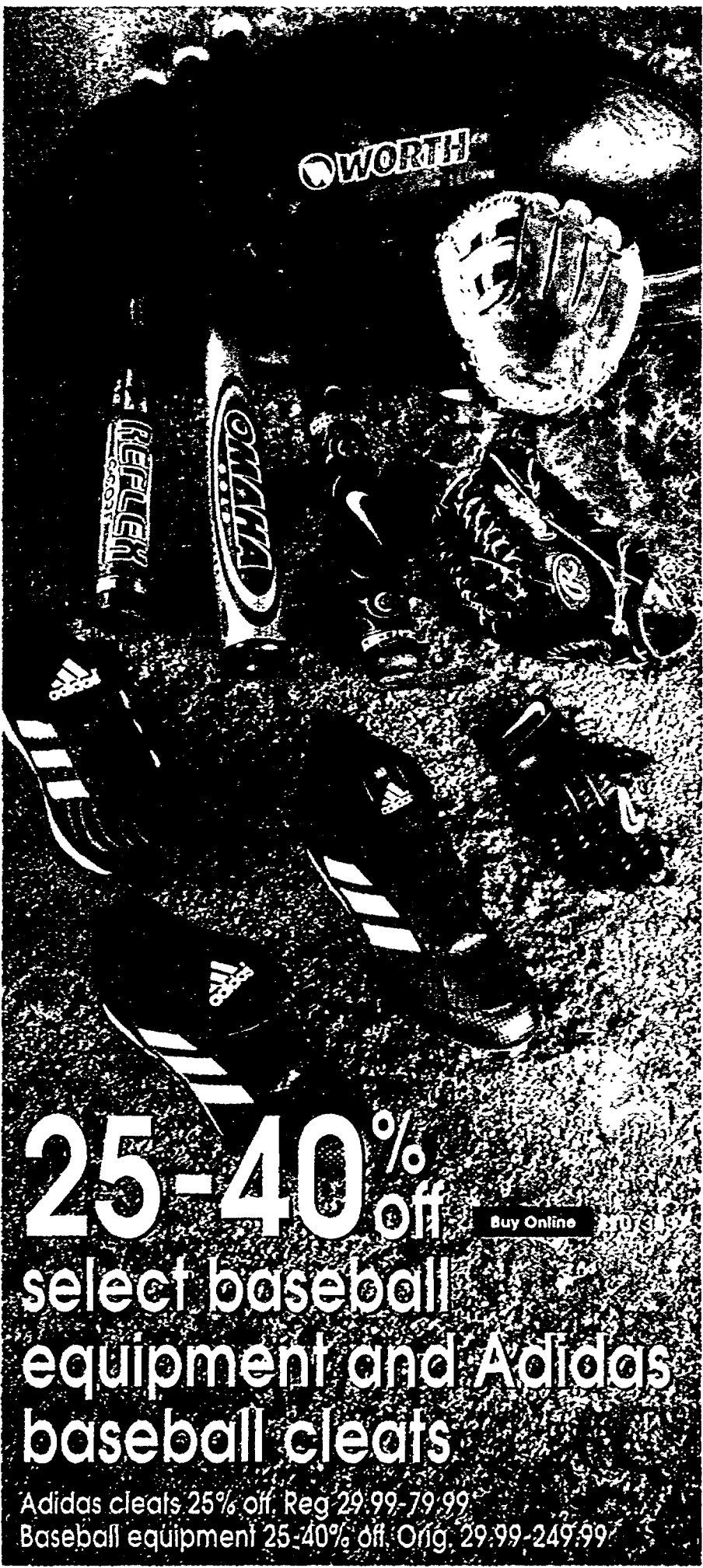
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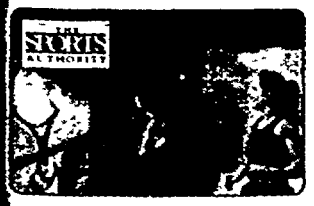
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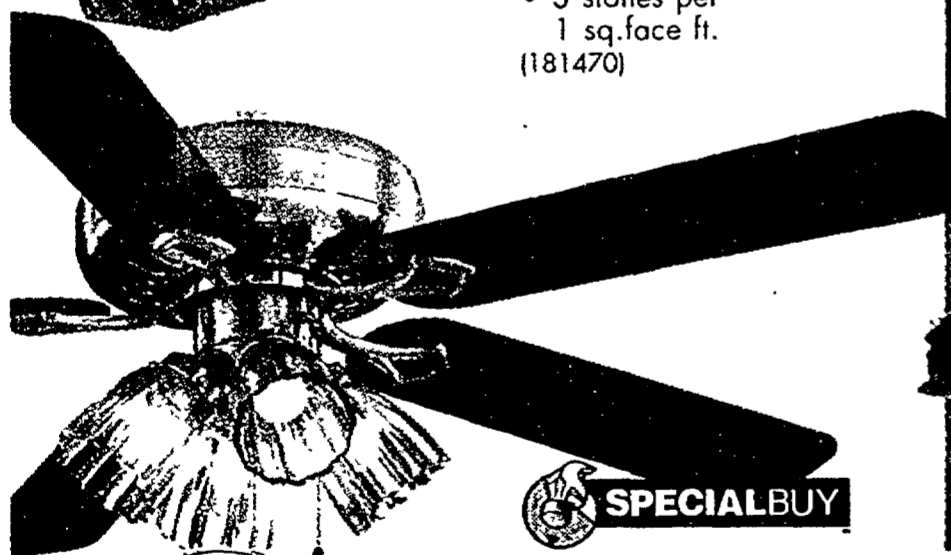
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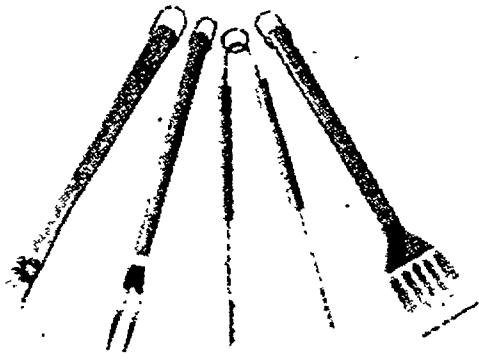
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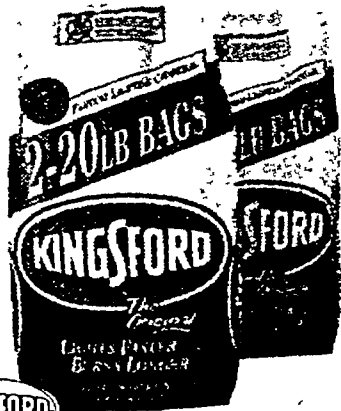
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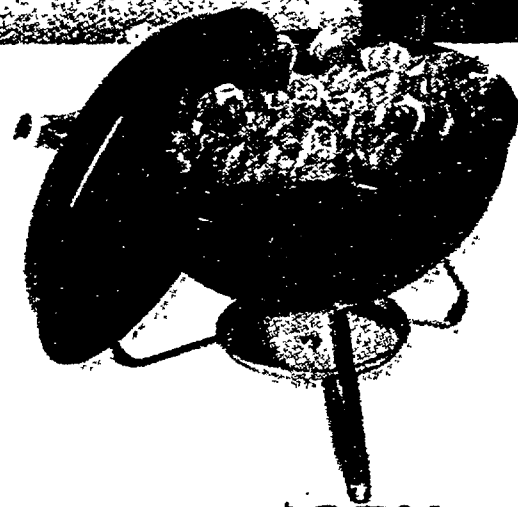
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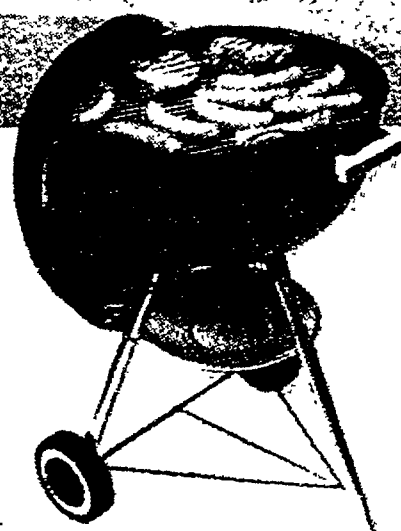
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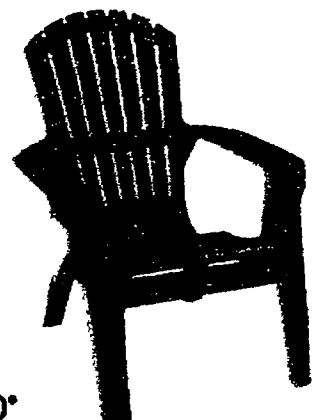
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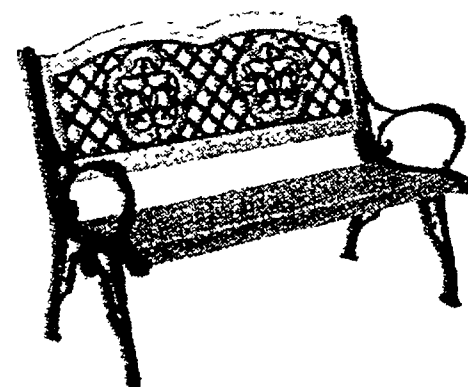
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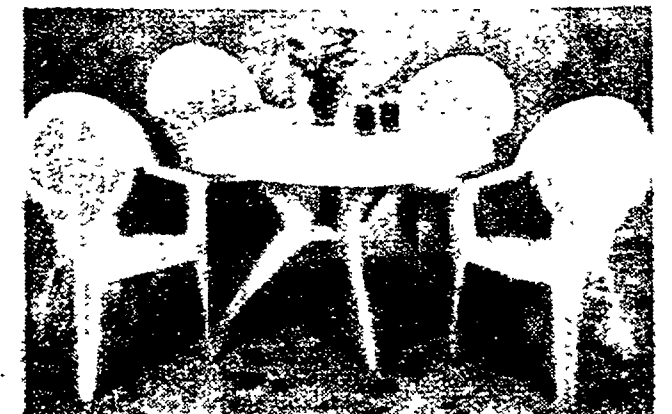
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 - All stainless steel hardware
 - 1-year limited warranty (881-064)

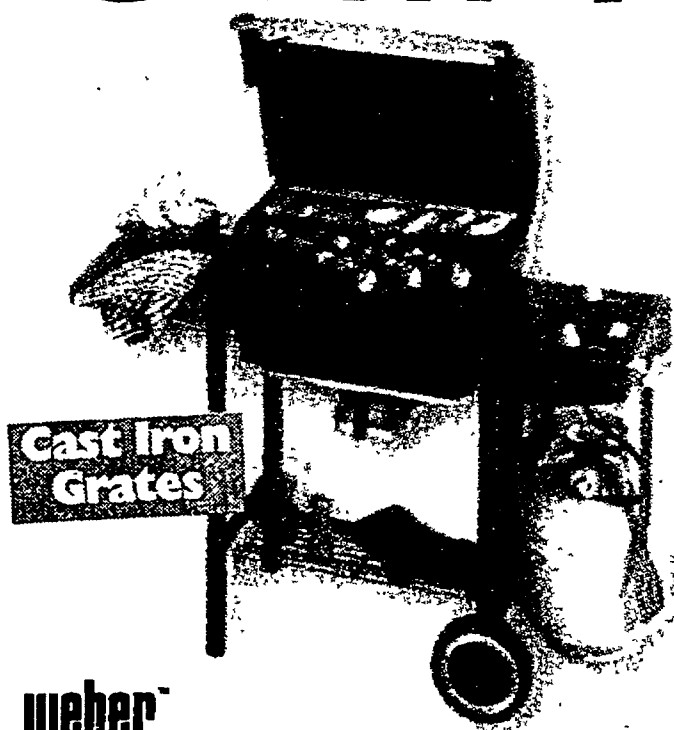


- 46" Mosaic Table \$59**
US995166 (260-522)
- Madras Club Hi-Back Resin Chair \$9.98**
(429-985)

- Ottoman (132-266) \$9.88**

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Grill Assembly.†



Cast Iron Grates

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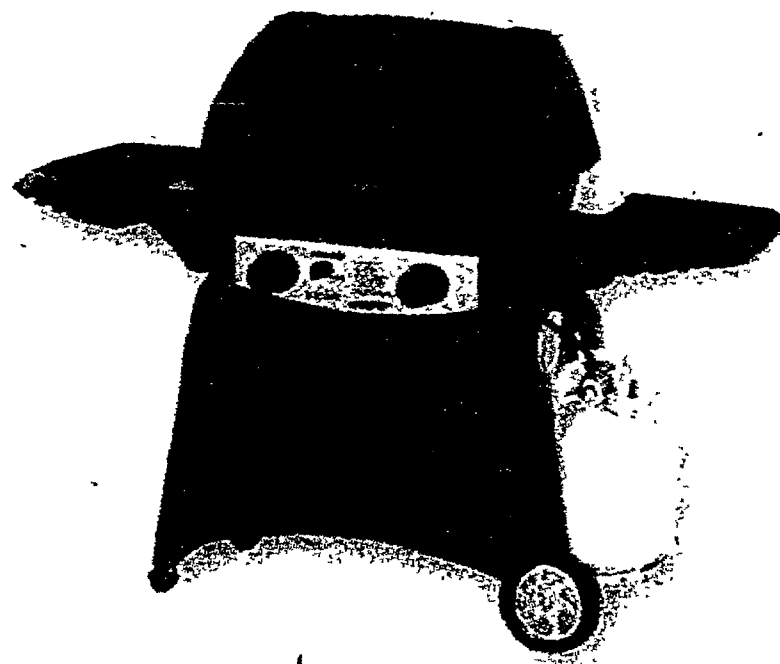
Genesis Silver A Gas Grill

- 22,000 BTU
- 458 sq. in. total cooking area
- 2 stainless steel burners
- Removable thermostat work surface
- Cast iron grate
- Crack-proof all-weather wheels
- Includes Weber® cookbook
- LP tank included

(682-587)

\$349

ONLY \$15 per month*



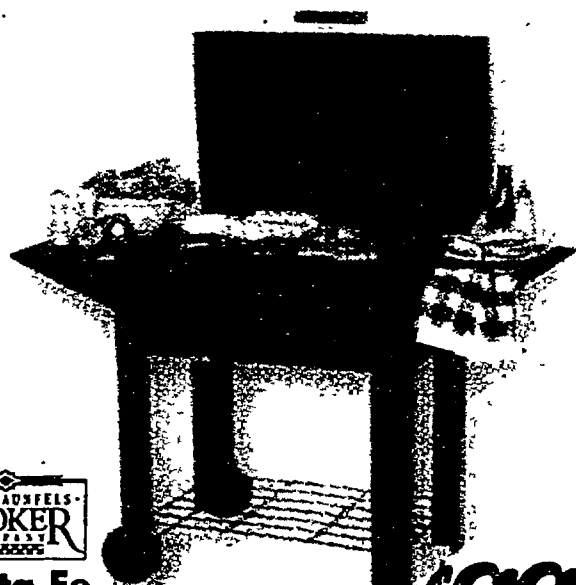
Char-Broil

The Big Easy Gas Grill

- 584 sq. in. cooking surface
- Cooks as a grill and a smoker
- Includes porcelain cast iron griddle
- Warming rack
- Front condiment basket
- Rotary ignition
- VersaFlame™ 32,000 BTU cooking system
- LP tank included

(539-668)

\$199



NEW! BUILT-IN SMOKER

Santa Fe Charcoal Smoker Grill

- 513 sq. in. total cooking area
- Temperature gauge
- Dual side shelves
- Four air dampers for accurate heat control
- Convenient door for tending fire and ash cleanout
- Durable, heat resistant powder coat paint

(813-153)

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H2O Smoker BBQ Grill

- 377 sq. in. of cooking area
- 3 cooking levels
- Heat indicator

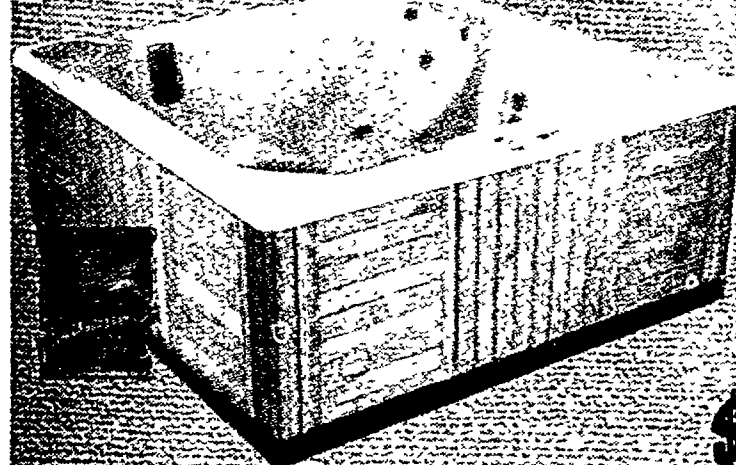
(116-405)

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Savannah Spas Only at The Home Depot

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†Field Placement Program



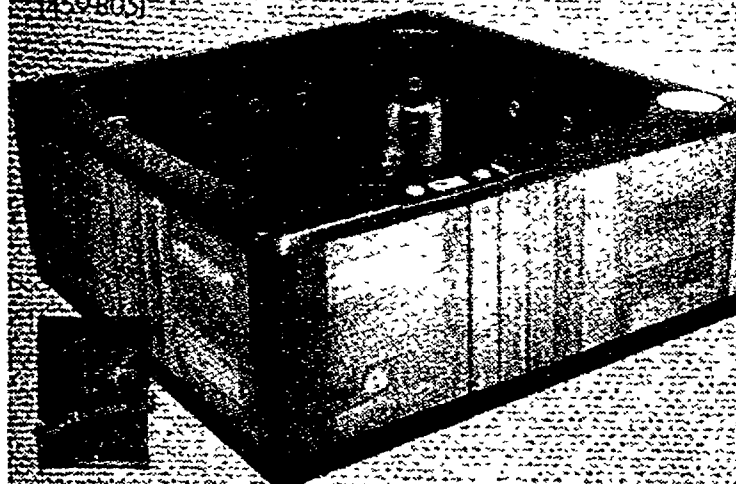
Laguna Gold Series Spa

- 48 jets powered by 4HP (2 speed)
- 7 seats including a master massage seat
- Digital electronic equipment
- Only three operating electrical components that plug in
- 2-year bumper-to-bumper parts and labor warranty

(159-805)

\$3945

ONLY \$99



Mirage Gold Series Spa

- 48 jets powered by 5HP (2 speed)
- 7 seats including a master massage seat
- Digital electronic equipment
- Only three operating electrical components that plug in
- 2-year bumper-to-bumper parts and labor warranty

(159-805)

\$4745

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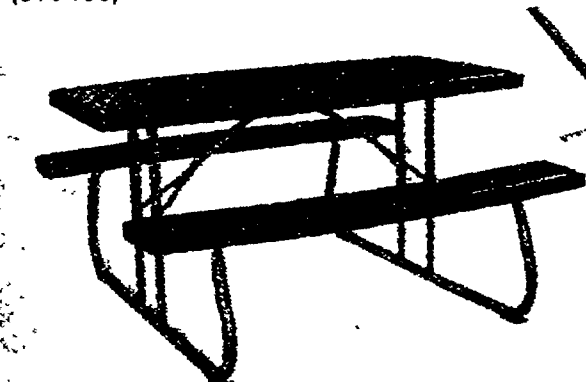
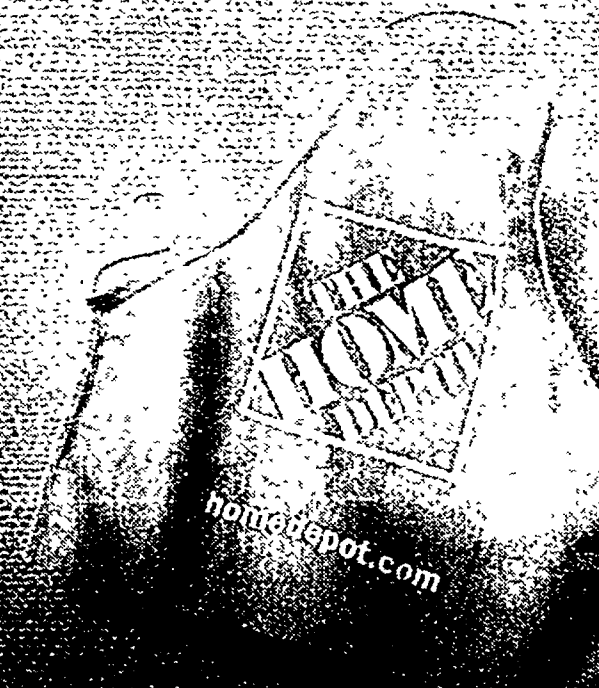


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- Great for patios

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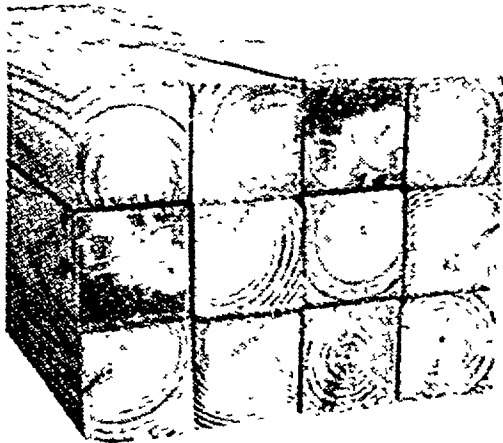
\$99

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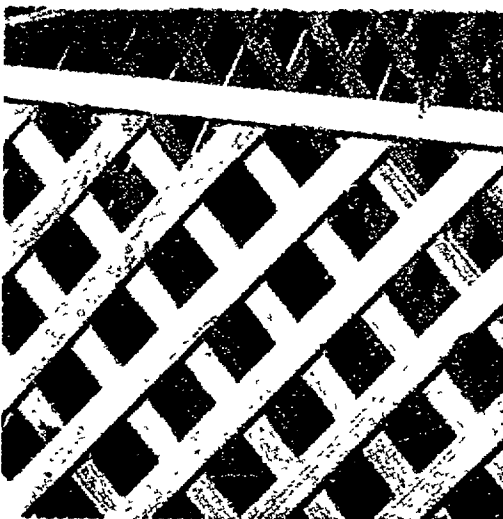
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4"x4"x8'
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 (162-825)



\$11⁹⁹
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4'x8'
Pressure Treated
Lattice Panel
 (937-924)



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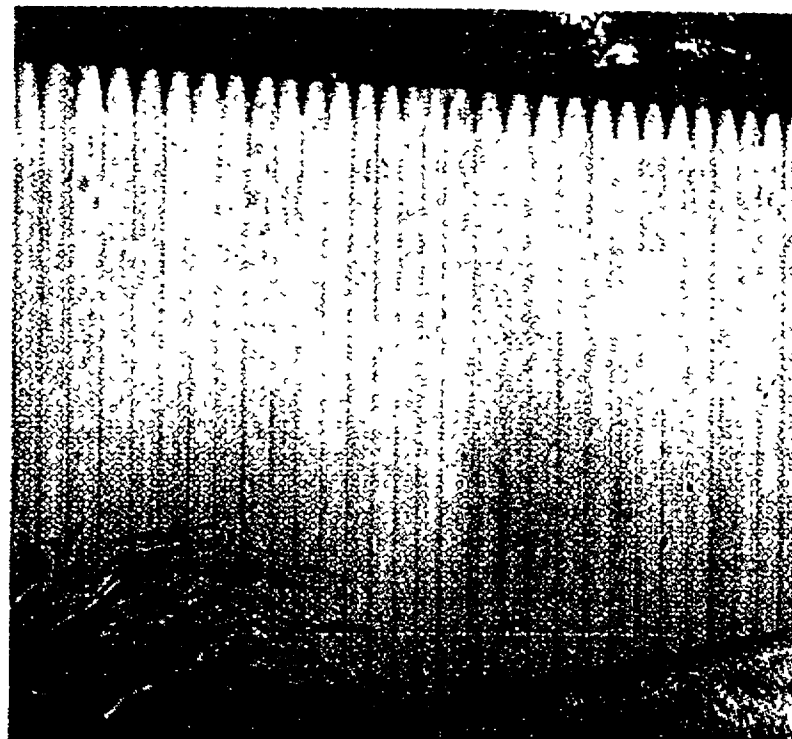
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6'x8'
Premium
SPF Stockade
Fence Panel
 • 7/16" x 4" picket
 • Double nailed
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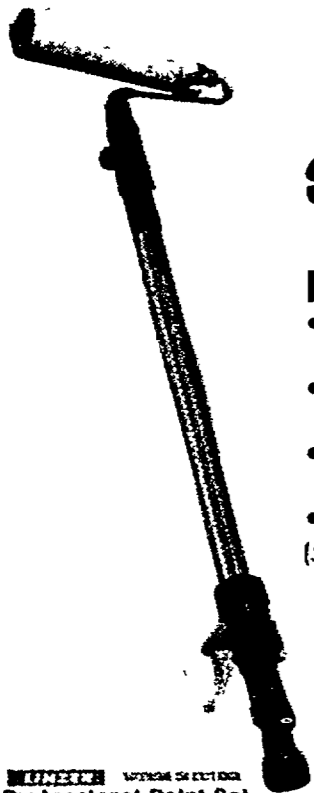
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- 3 roller pack
- For use with oil and latex enamels, flats and stains
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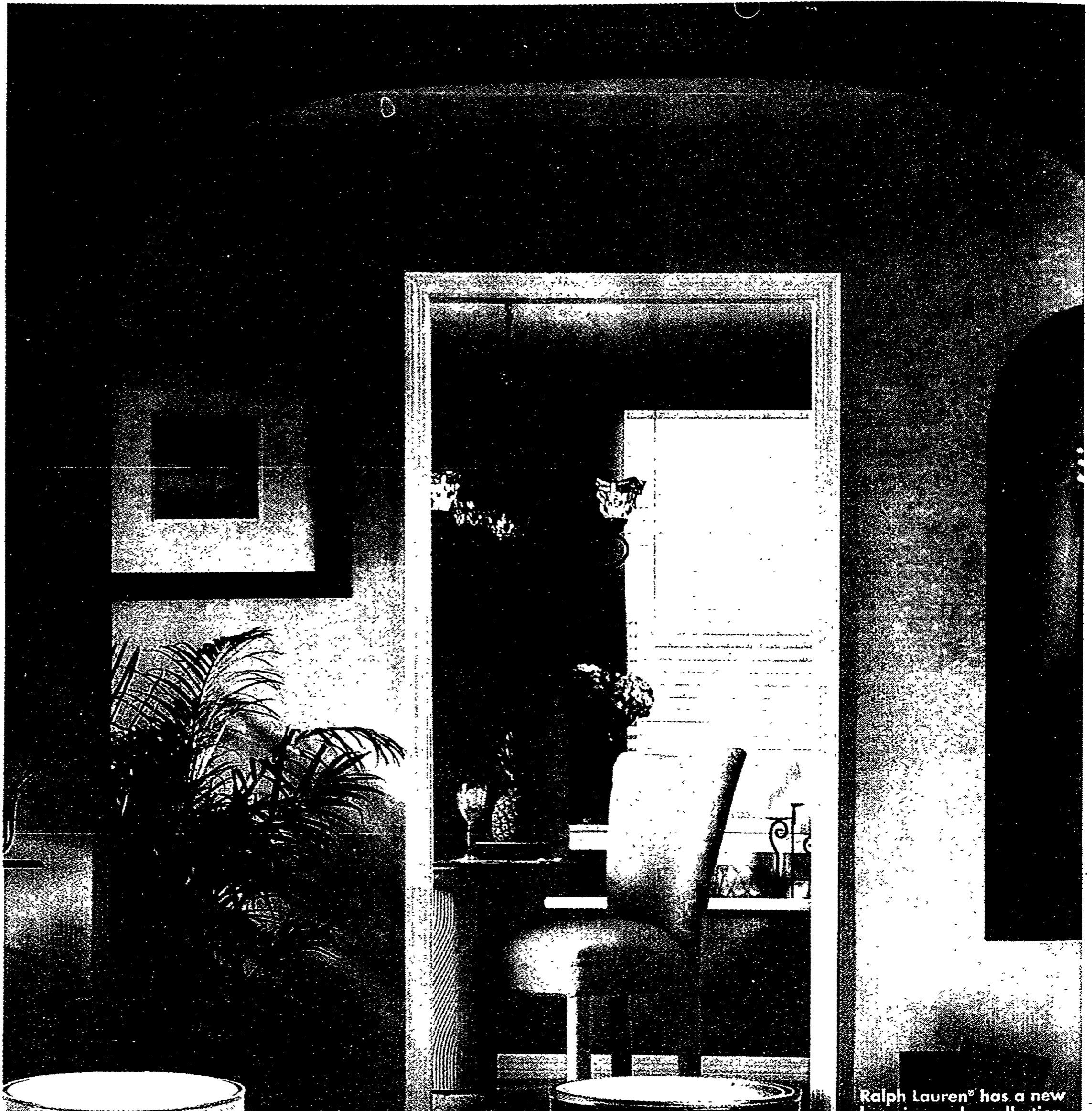
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Alkyd acrylic- allows some wood grain to show through.

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Natural Tone Waterproofer

Clear - keeps natural beauty of wood, shows grain and knots.

Protection lasts up to 2-4 years



Event prices reflect \$3 off.

ITEM	Natural Tone Waterproofing	Semi-Transparent	Solid Color Stain
FEATURES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Waterproofing wood finish Durable, easy-to-use alkyd acrylic formula Long lasting wood protection Contains ultraviolet inhibitors and mildewcide Easy water clean-up 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water repellent and mildew resistant Penetrating finish withstands foot traffic Ideal for wood surfaces such as decks, siding, roofs, fences and patio furniture 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevents cracking, peeling and blistering Oil-latex, water clean-up Resists fading Ideal for wood, stucco, masonry, fences and siding
SKU	(827-365)	(334-085)	(158-518)
Every Day gallon price	\$16.97	\$18.97	\$16.96
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Includes: fixed brush, extension wand and a rotating nozzle with quick connect

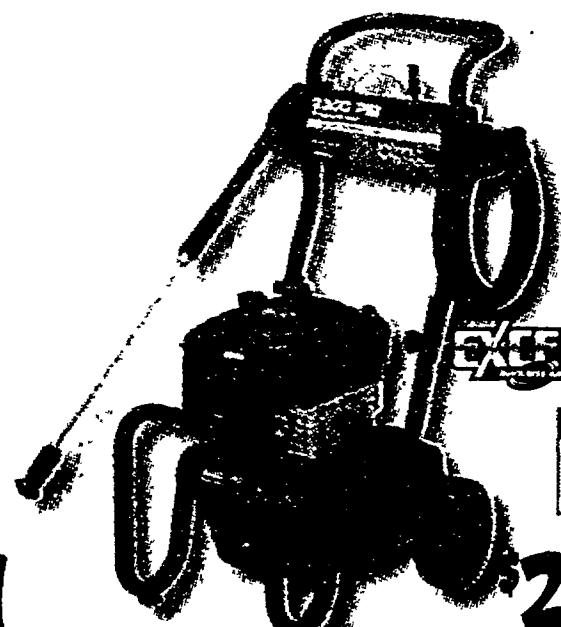


ONLY \$17 per month*

\$399

2400 PSI Gas Pressure Washer

- 5.0 HP
- Honda overhead engine
- Heavy duty, high flow, oil bath pump
- 2.5 GPM
- 25'x5/16" heavy duty hose with quick connect fittings
- Pro-style quick connect, 4 spray nozzles (819-683)

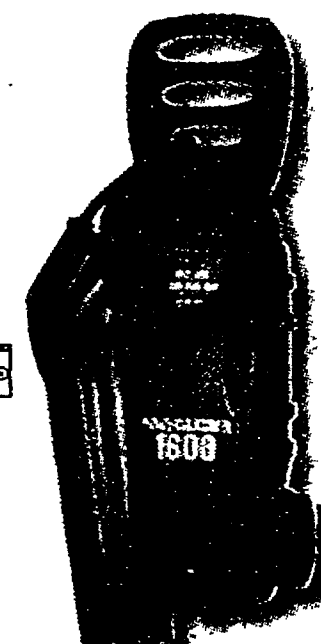


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2300 PSI Gas Pressure Washer

- 6.0 HP
- Briggs & Stratton Engine
- Low-maintenance pump with easy-start feature
- 2.1 GPM
- 25'x1/4" hose with easy connect fittings
- Adjustable spray nozzle with 0 - 60 degree spray pattern (280-530)



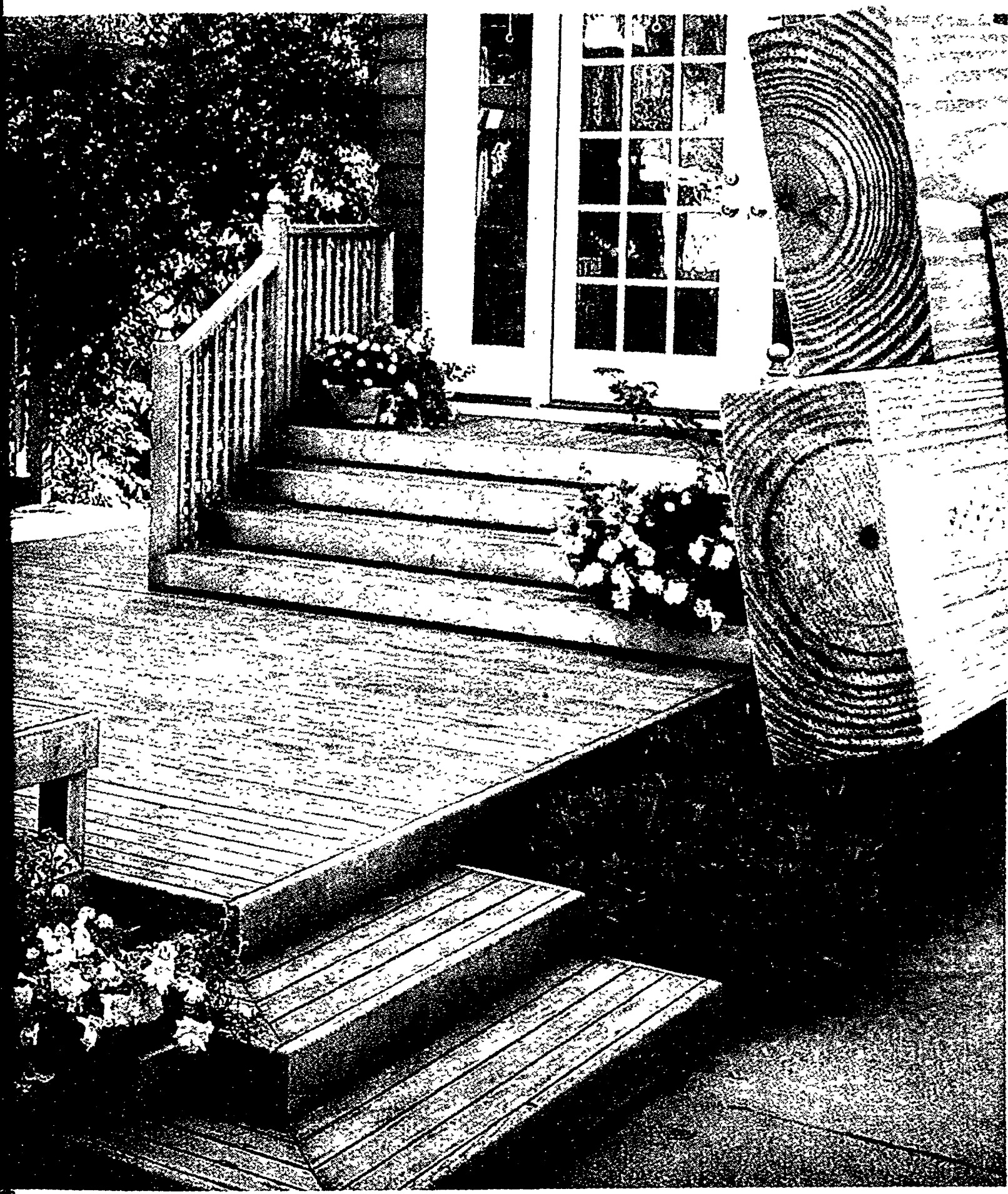
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POWERWASHER® 1600 Electric Pressure Washer

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- Ideal for frequent, quick cleaning of auto, boat deck or siding
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5/4x6	\$4.39	\$5.39	\$6.79	\$9.39
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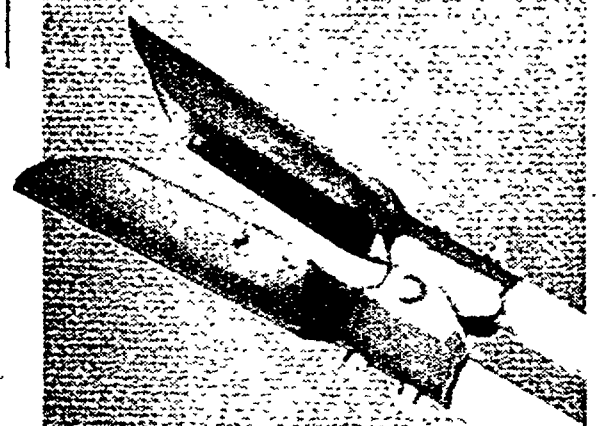
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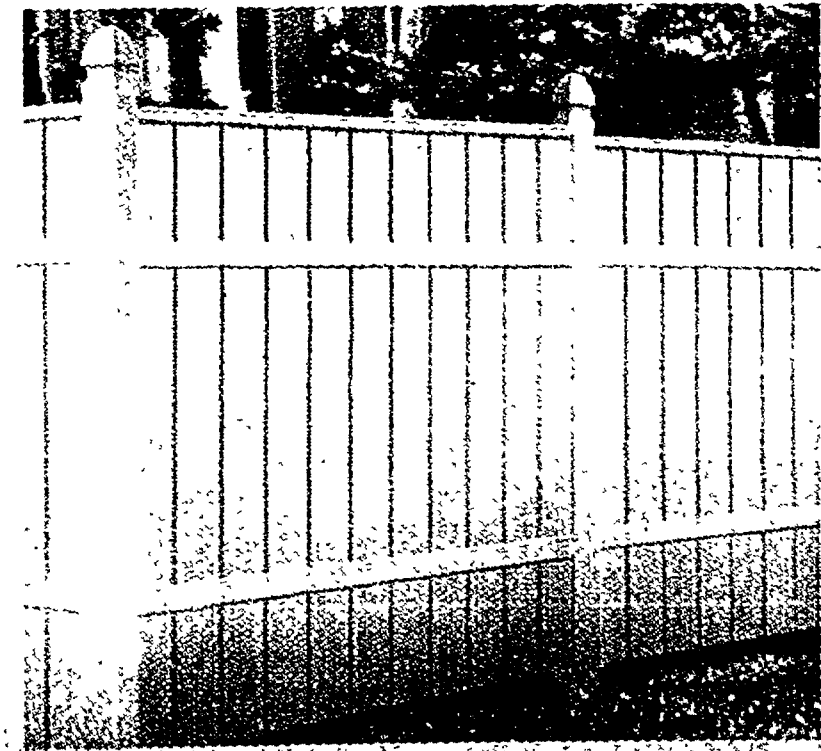
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- Rust protected blades
- (7-086) (228-176)



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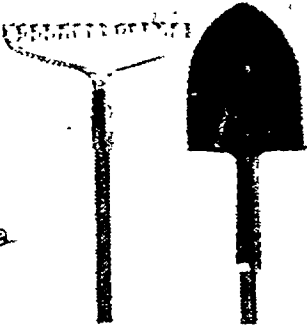
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Round Point Shovel or Bow Rake

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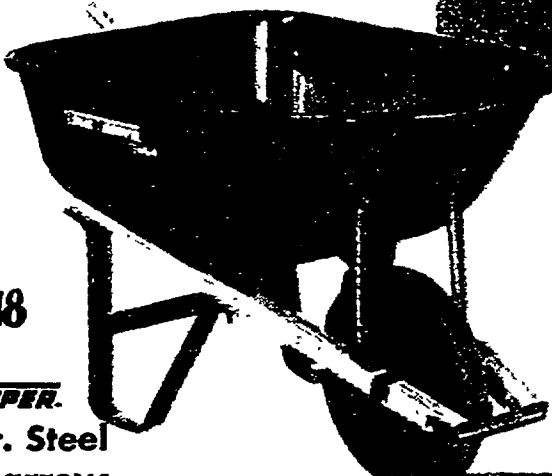
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TRUE TEMPER. Landscape Rake

- Aluminum
- 36" width

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TRUE TEMPER. 6 Cu. Ft. Steel Wheelbarrow

- Heavy duty steel tray

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12" Retaining Wall Stone

- Easy to install
- 3 stones per square face foot

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8" (403126) **96¢**

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Ea.

Typical Wall
of 10'x20'
(63) Stones

total cost of
\$87



\$10.97
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3'x50' Weedblock

- Lets water in, keeps weeds out
- Conserves soil moisture without souring or mildewing

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\$2.48
2 Cu. Ft.

Cypress Mulch

- Excellent moisture retainer
- Natural insect deterrent
- Retards weed growth
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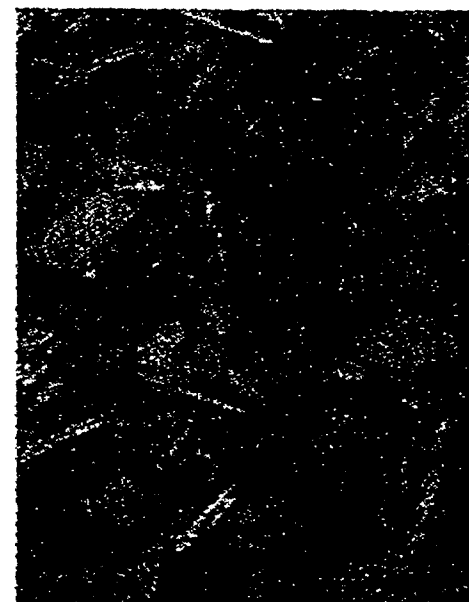


\$2.68
2 Cu. Ft.

Decorative Red Mulch

- Creates a new and unique look in landscaping
- Covers a 12 sq. ft. area 2" deep

(650-401)



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2 Cu. Ft.

Pine Bark Mulch

- Protects and adds beauty to landscaped areas
- Retains soil moisture; reduces soil crusting
- Insulates plants
- Controls weeds

(363944)



\$2.18
1 Cu. Ft.

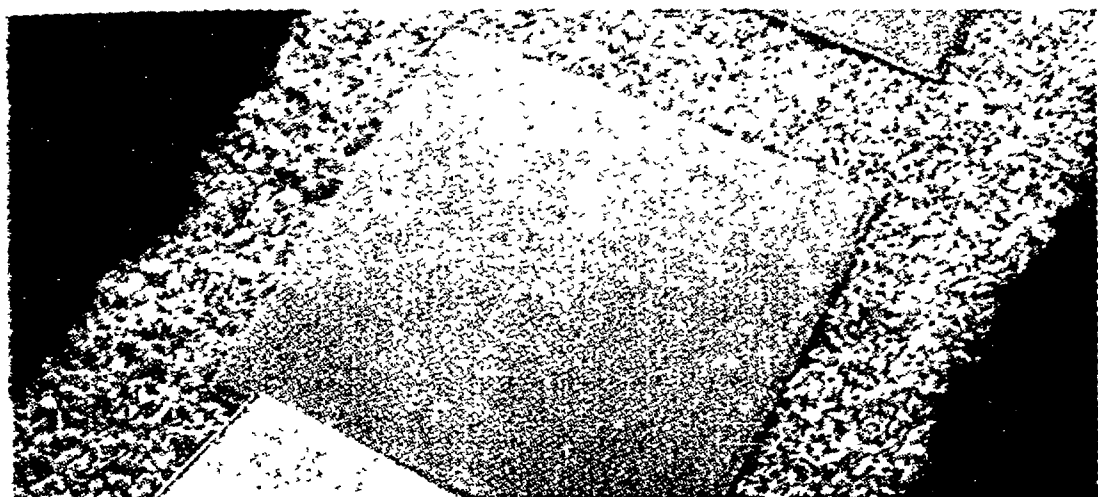
Garden Soil

- Improves the growth of outdoor plants
- Helps build strong roots and improves soil aeration and drainage

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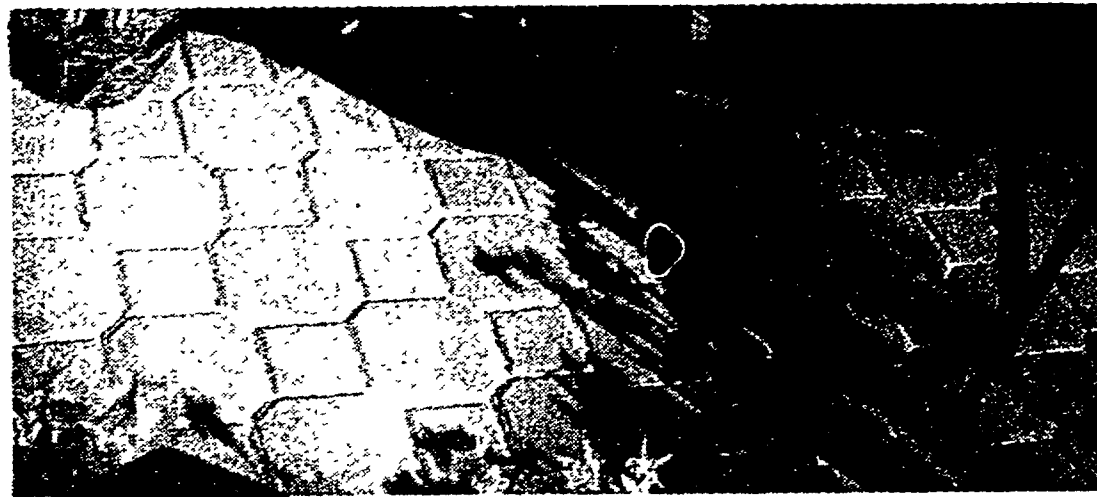
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12" Stepping Stone

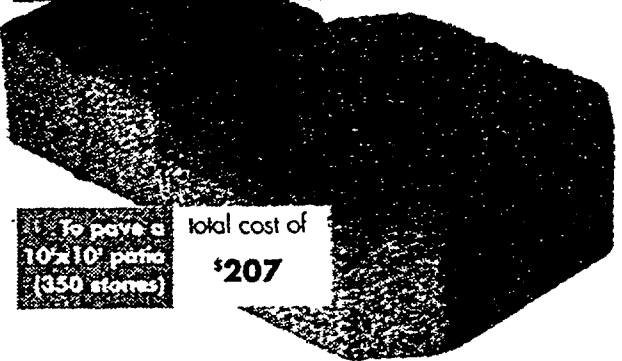
- Natural
 - Great accent to your yard or garden
 - Easy to install
- (556-211)



59¢
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Classic Interlocking Paver

- Many colors available
 - 3.5 stones per sq. ft.
- 1406 (657-977)



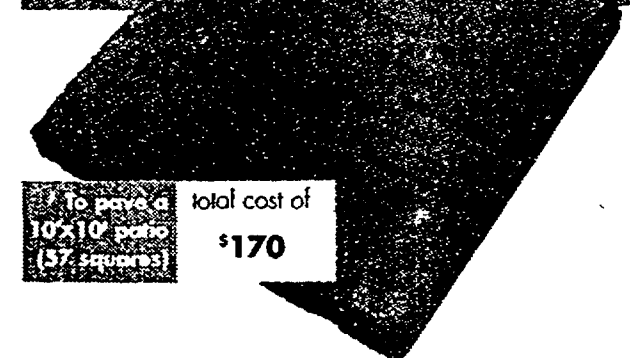
To pave a 10x10' patio (350 stones) total cost of **\$207**



\$297
Ea.

16" Brickface Stepstone

- Available in red
 - Great for walkways, patios, and paths
- 72661 (915-130)



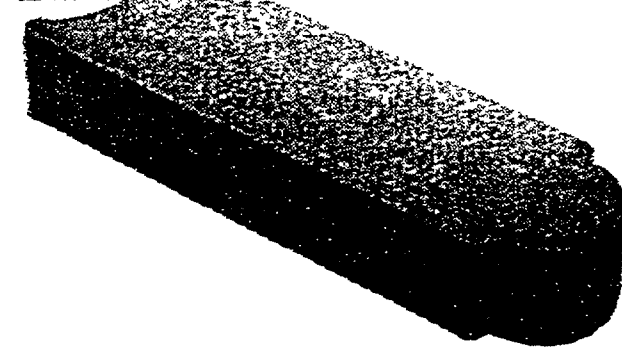
To pave a 10x10' patio (37 squares) total cost of **\$170**



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Edger Block

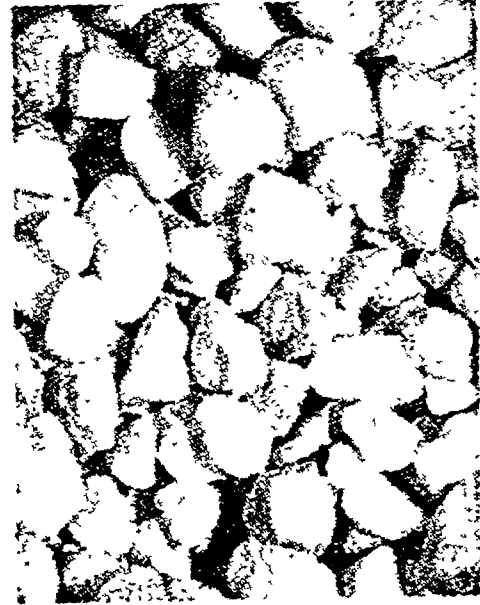
- Ideal for trimming flowerbeds
 - Great for straight, curved and serpentine applications
 - Easy to install
- (284-284)



\$326
1 Cu. Ft.

Red Volcanic Rock

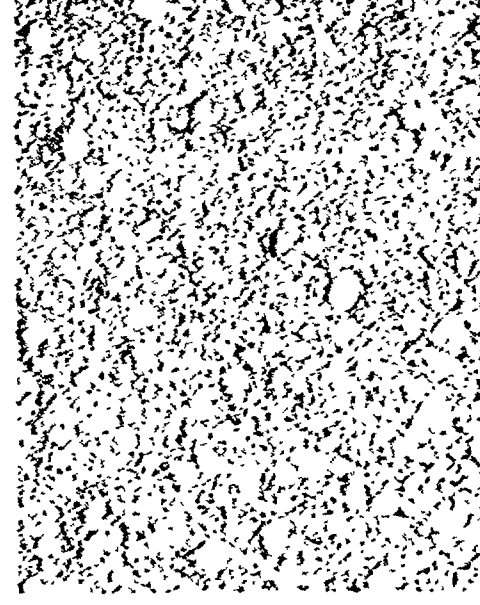
- Natural insulation
 - Keeps weeds under control
- (715-719)



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.5 Cu. Ft.

White Landscape Rock

- Marble chips
- (383-864)



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50 lbs.

Crushed Limestone Paver Base

- Provides an ideal base for retaining wall blocks, pavers and edgers
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- Washed, screened, dried and sterilized
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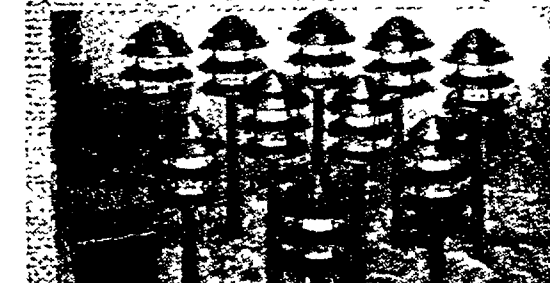
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- Includes (6) bright spot lights with 11-watt bulbs and 75' of cable
- 88-watt transformer/timer with warranty



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- Easy to install, no wiring required
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 - 2-year warranty
- (343-620)



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 - 3-year warranty
- (177-535)



6-Light Verde Cast Metal Kit \$108

- Includes (6) lights with 18-watt bulbs
 - 121-watt transformer/timer
 - 50' of cable
 - 5-year warranty
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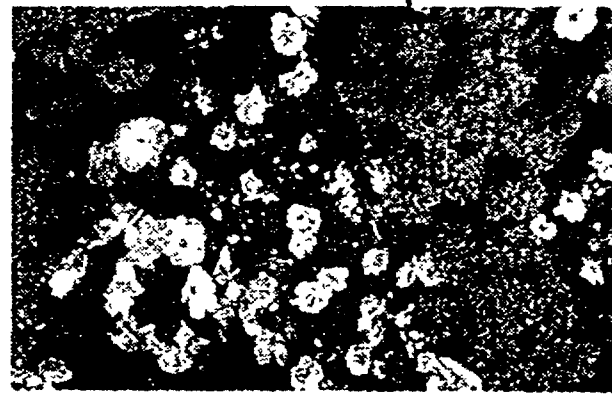
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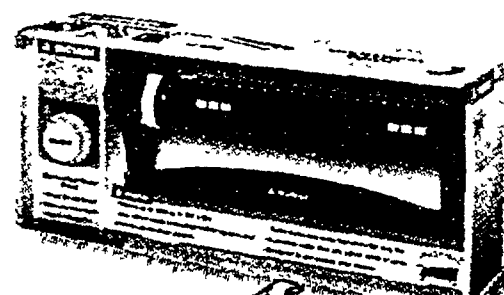
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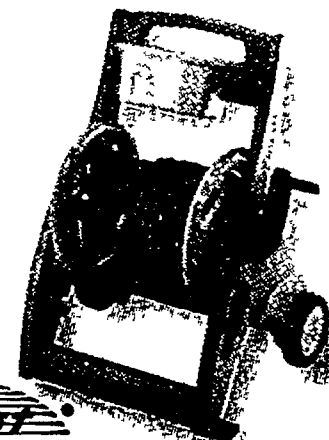
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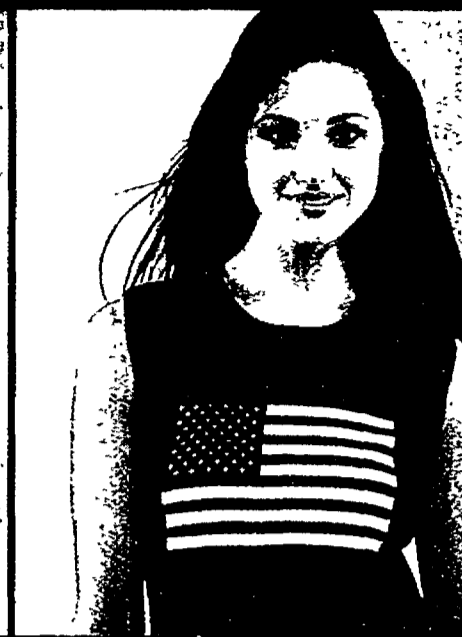


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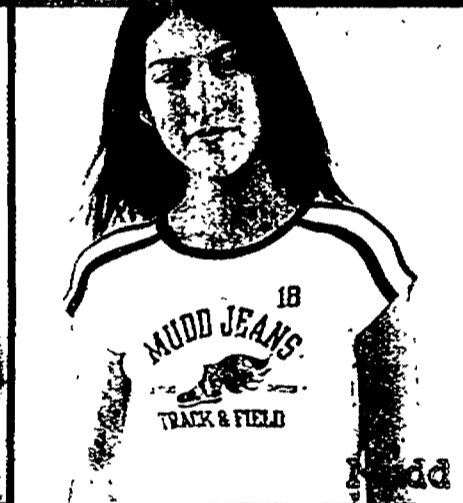
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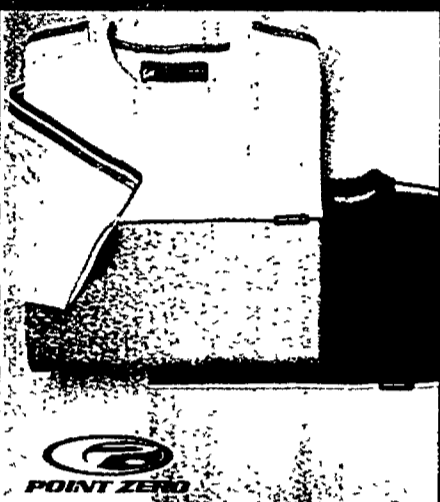


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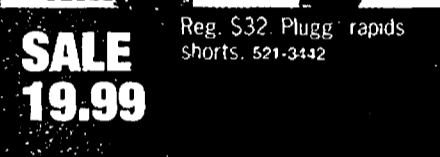
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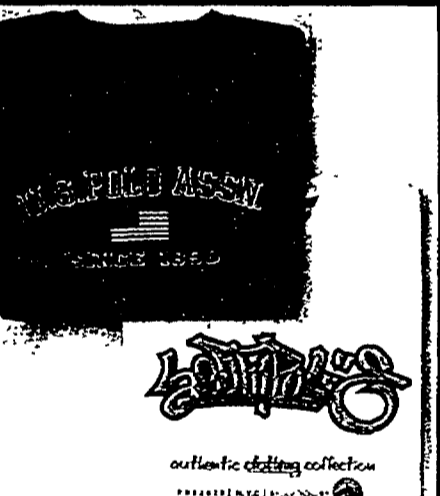
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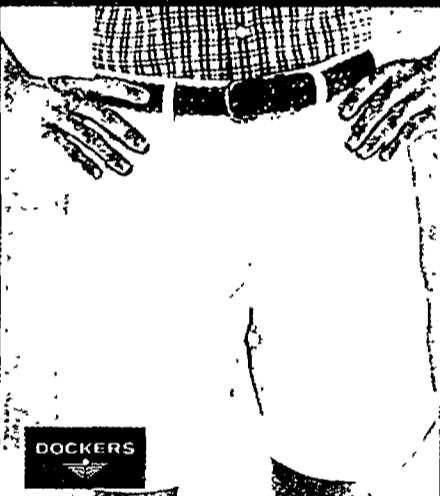
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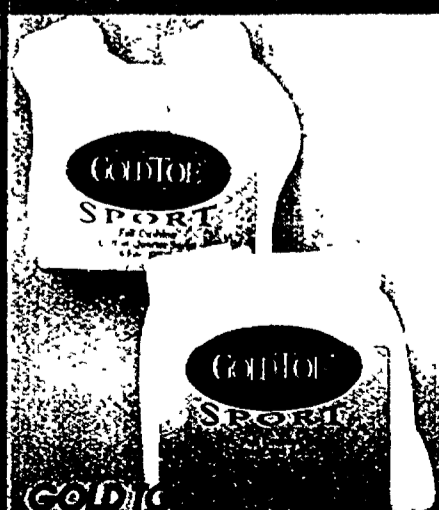
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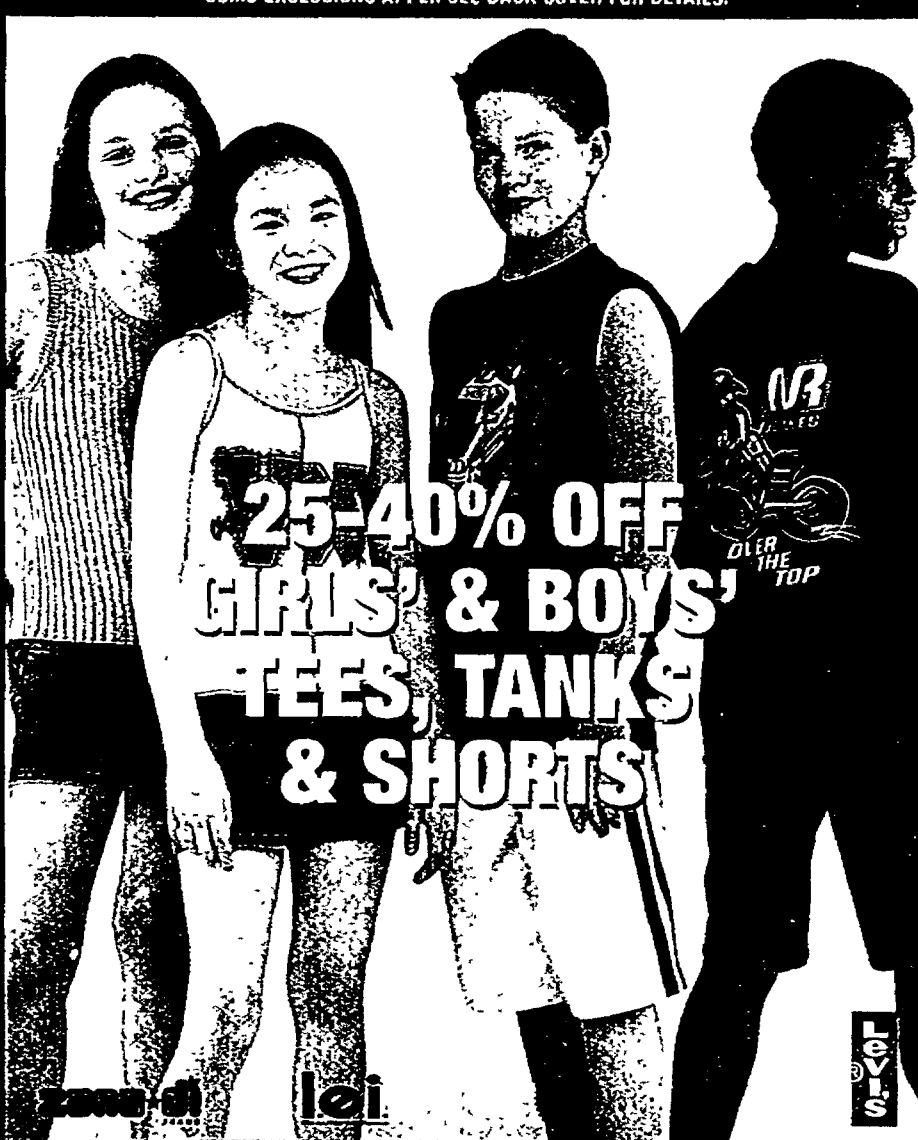
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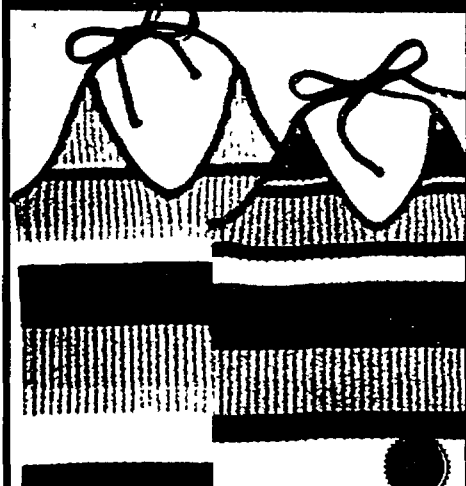
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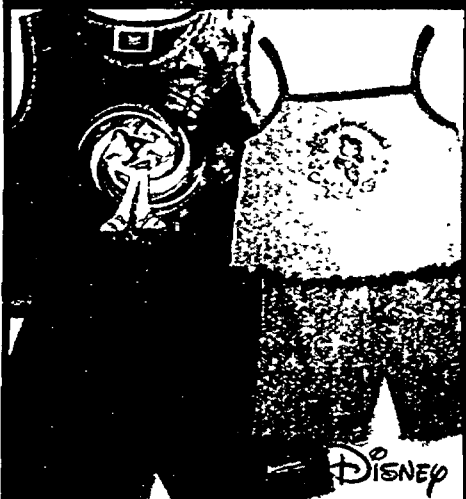
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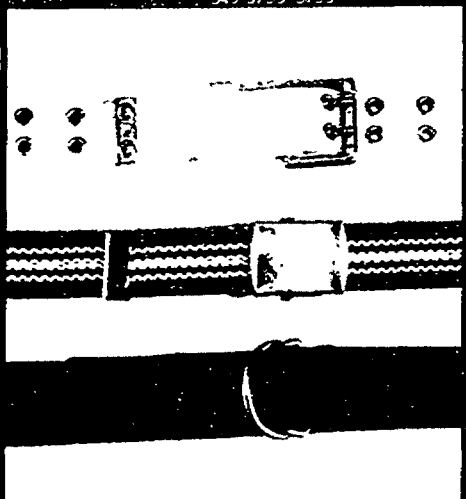
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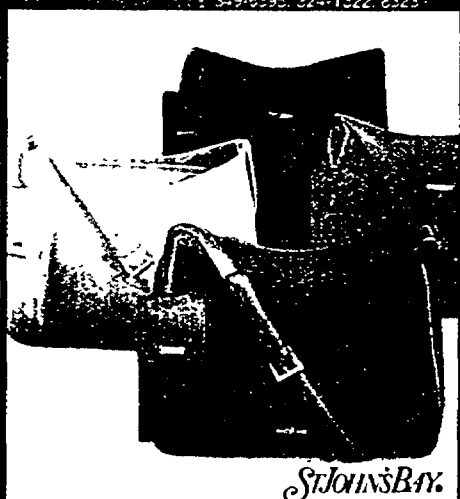
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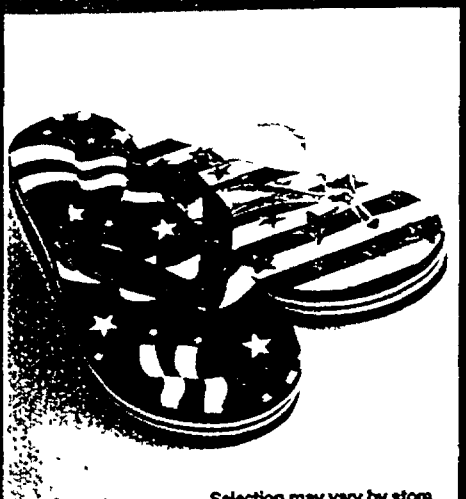
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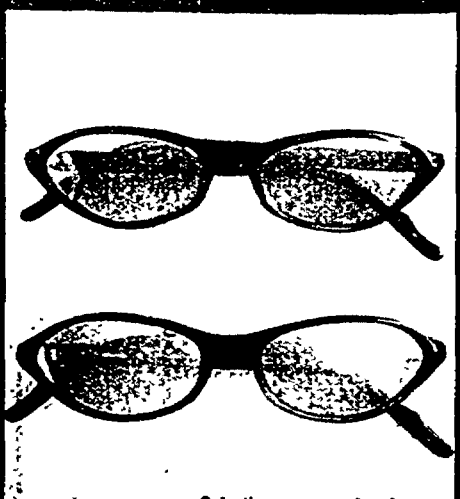
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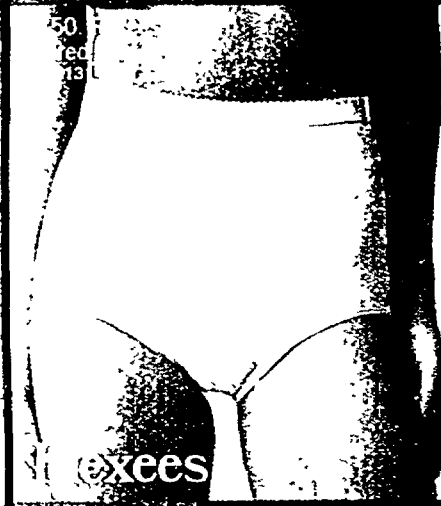
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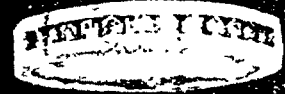
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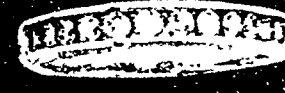
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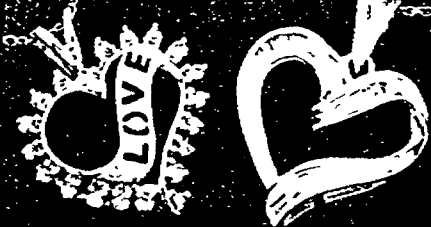
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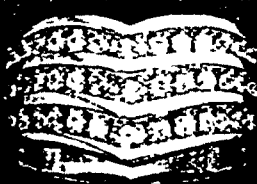
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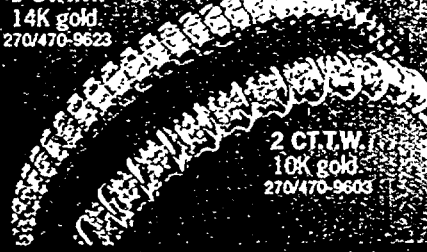
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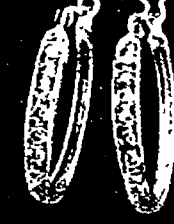


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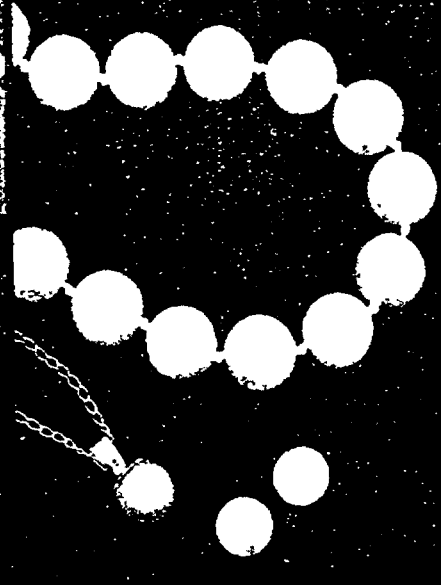
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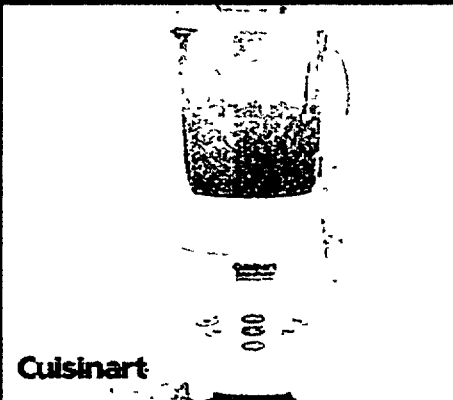
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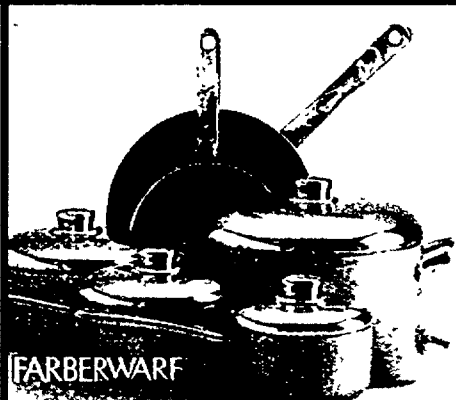
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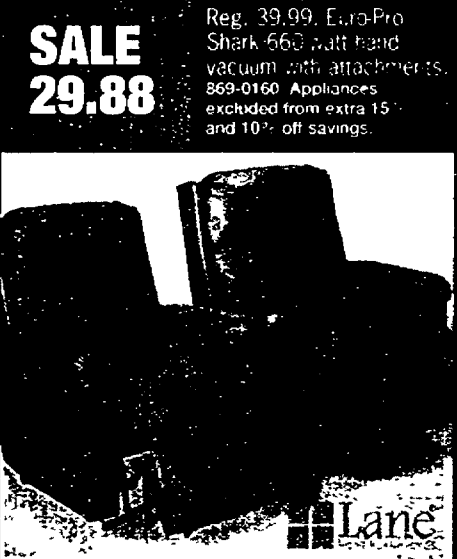
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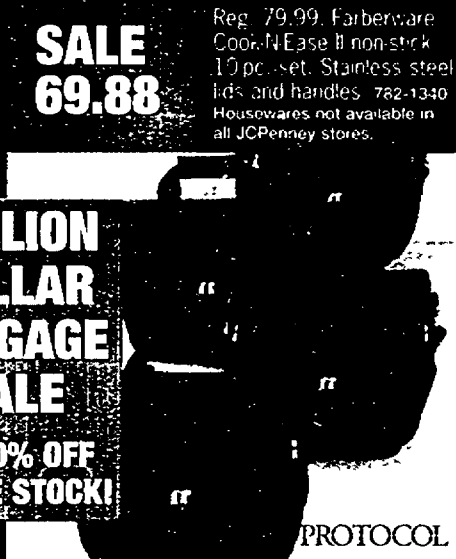
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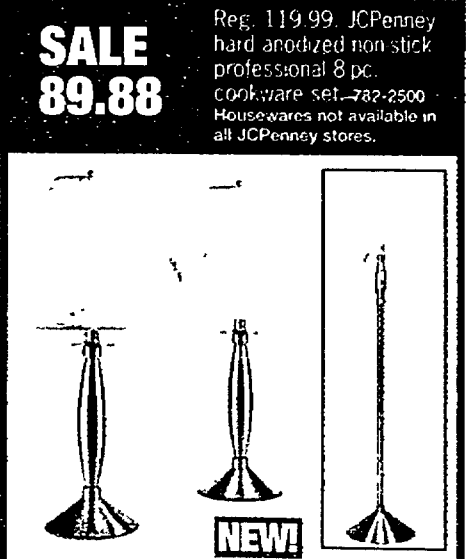
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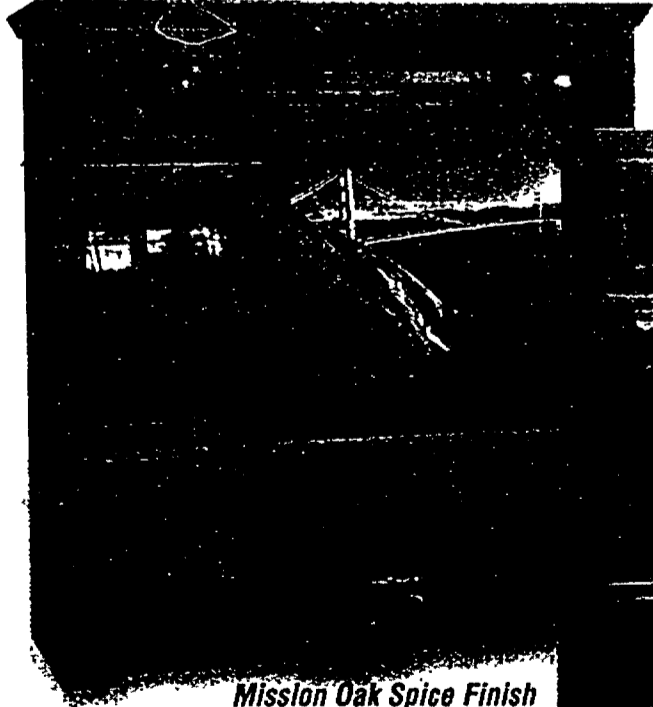
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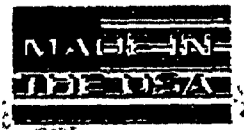


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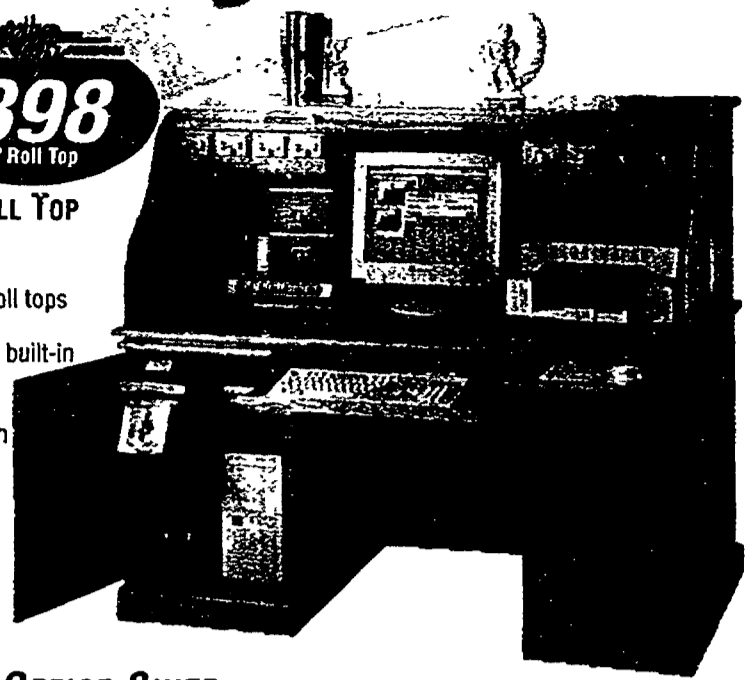
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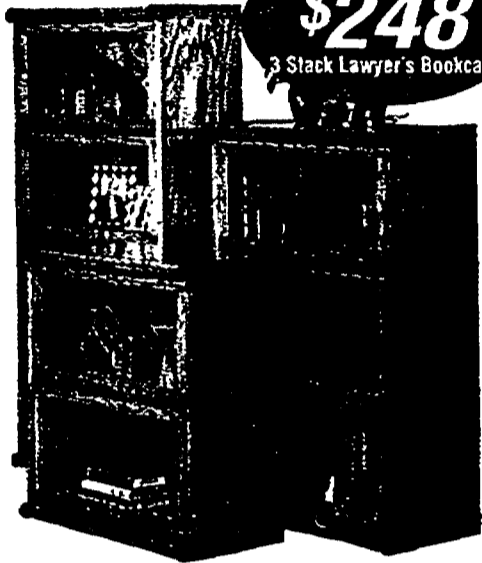
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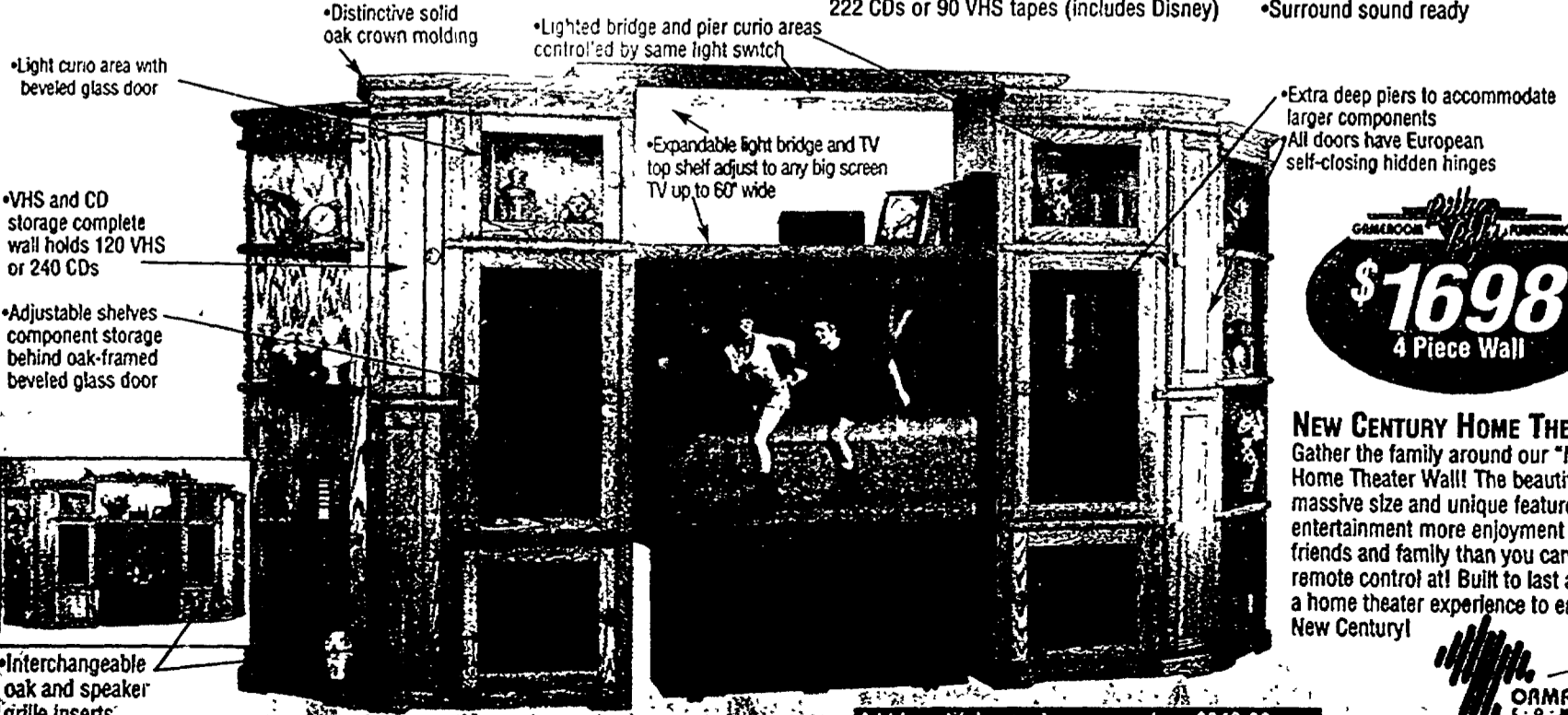


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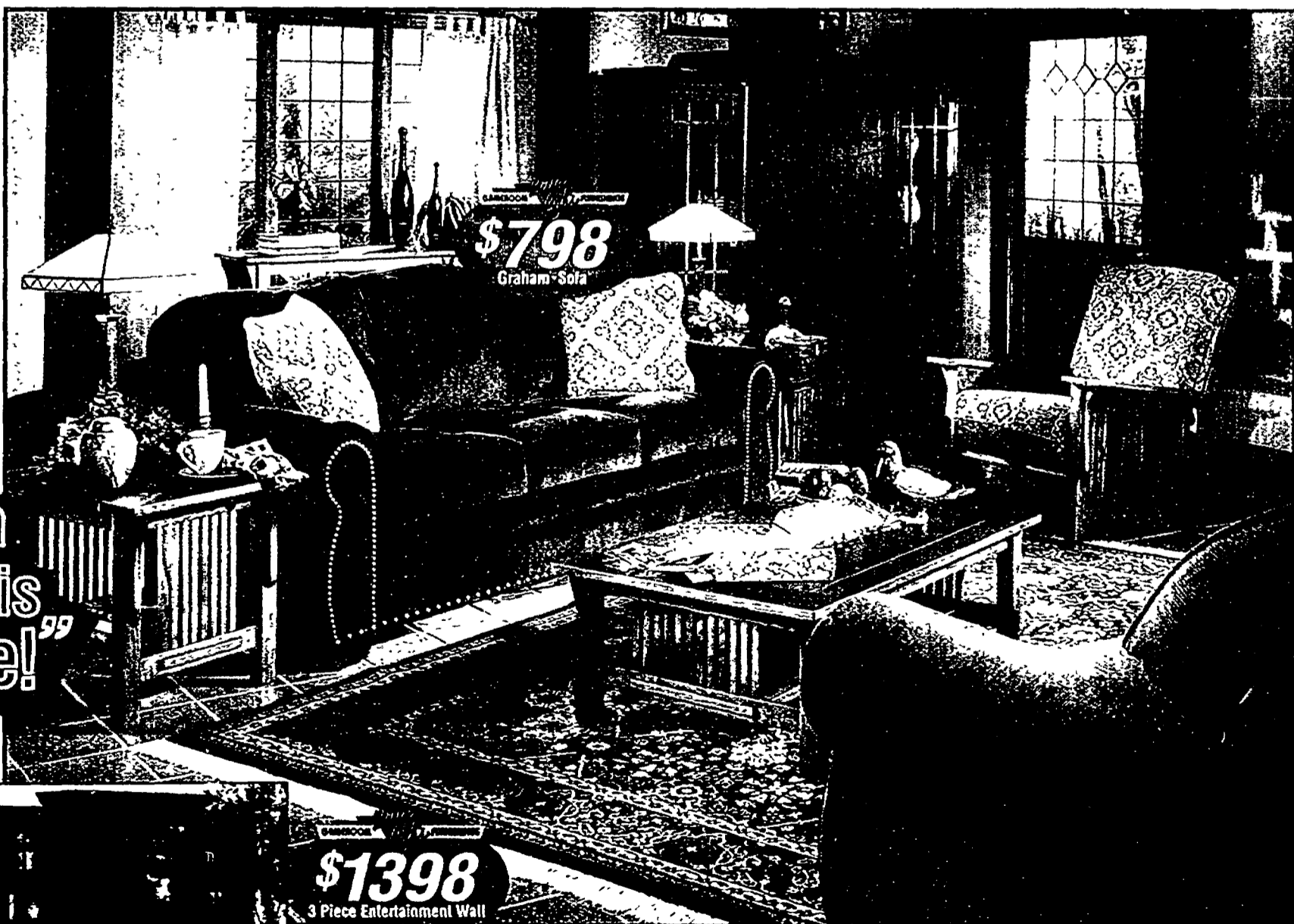
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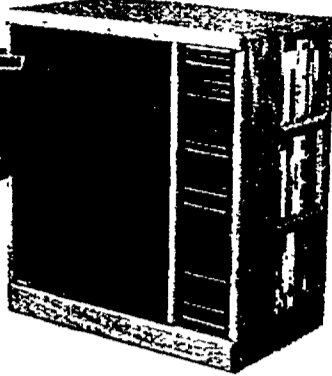
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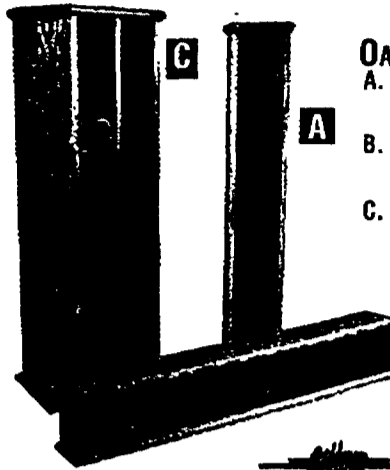


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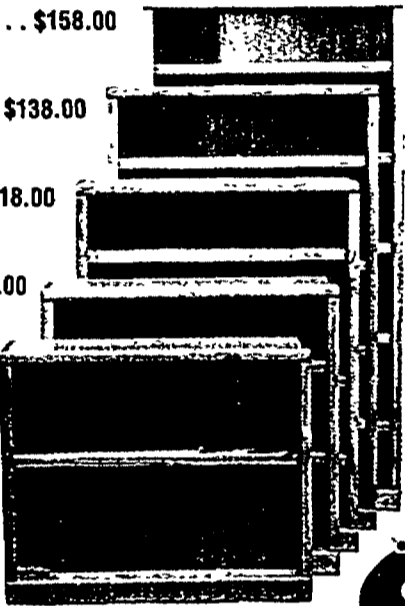
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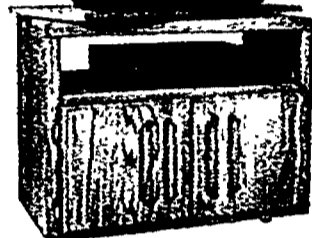
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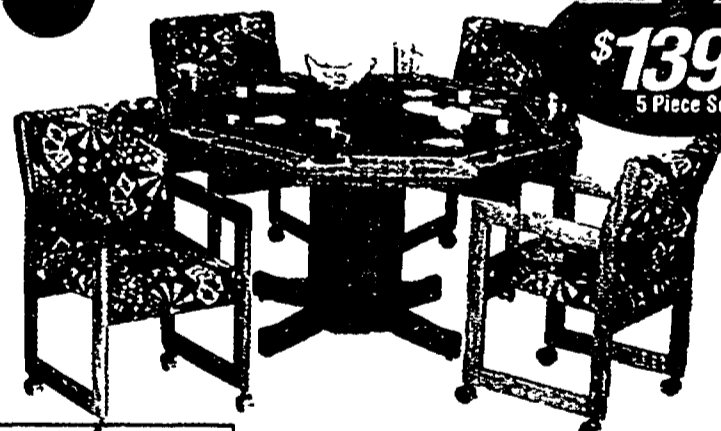
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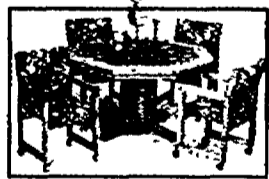
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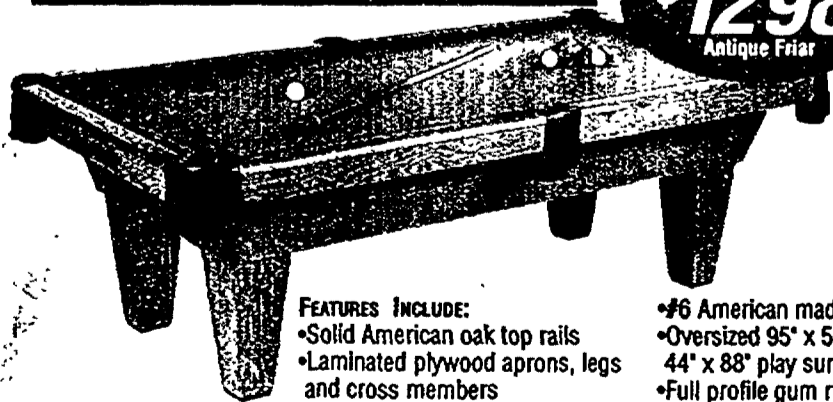
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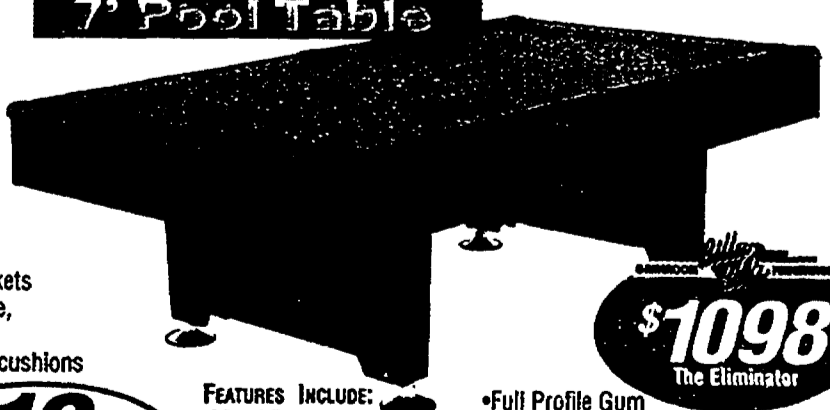
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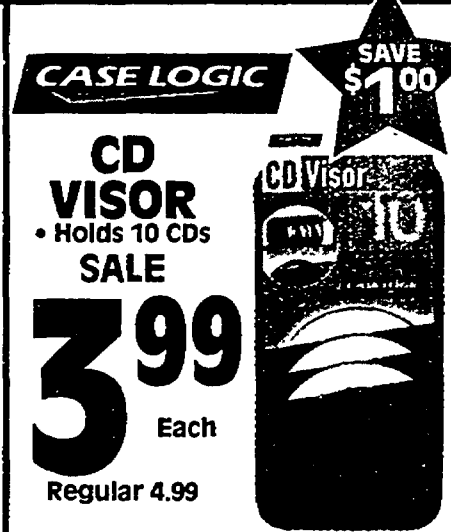
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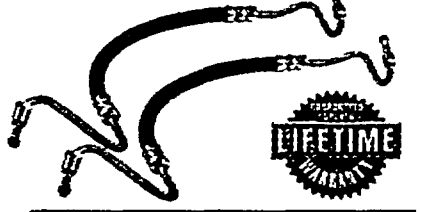
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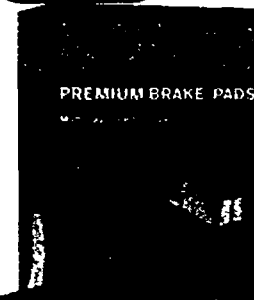
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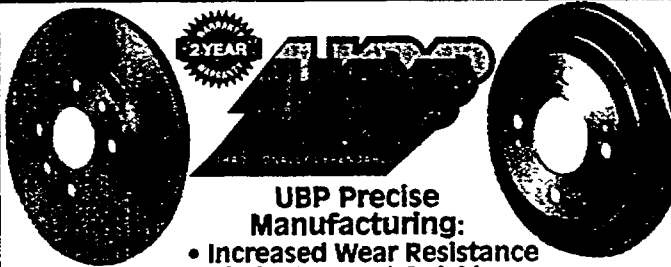
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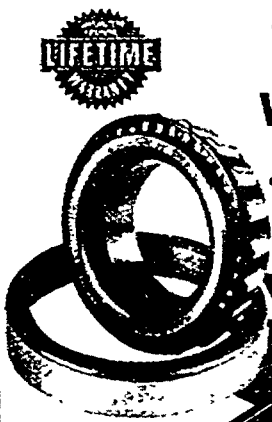


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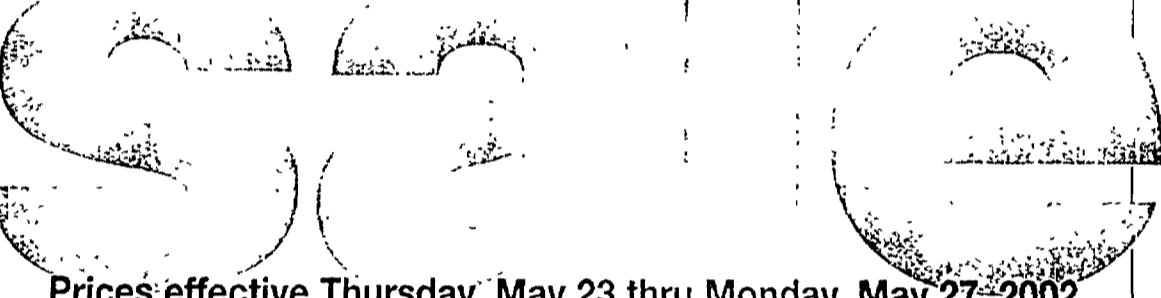


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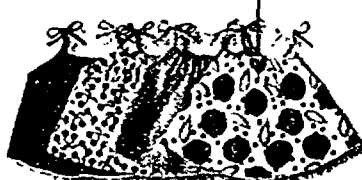
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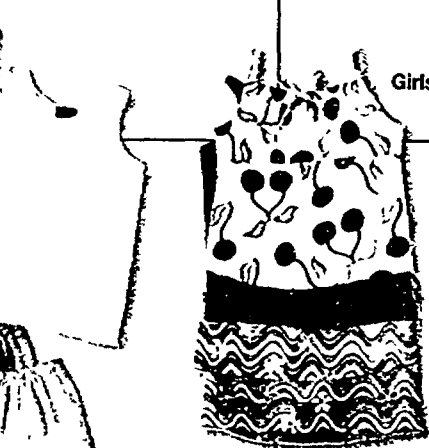
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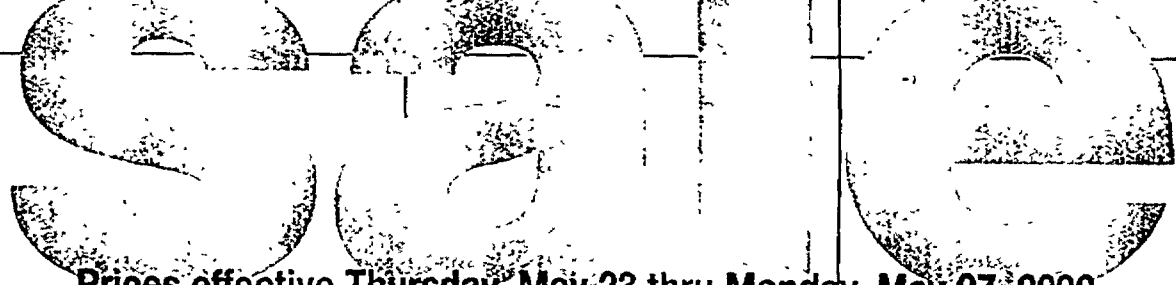
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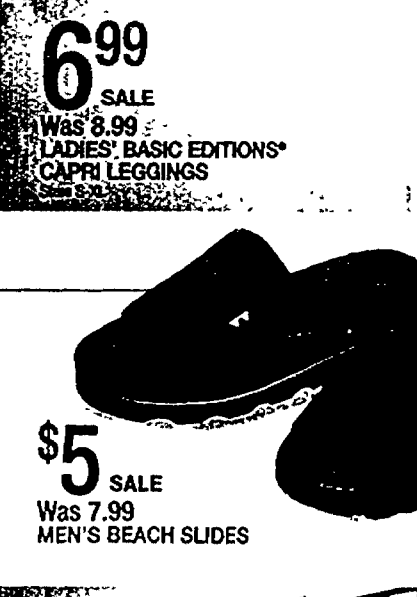
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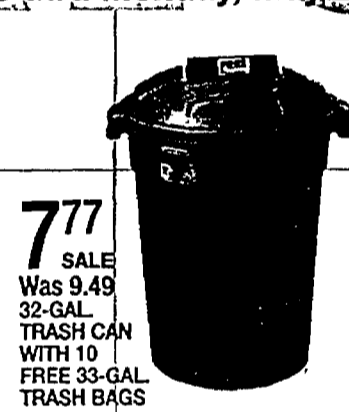
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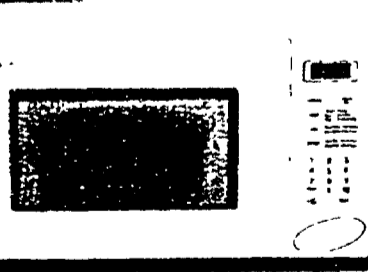


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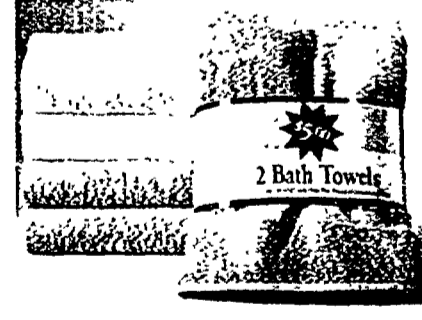
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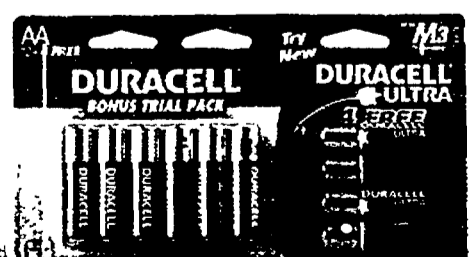


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Dear friend,

Confessions are tough. Real tough. But, sometimes a confession can set the record straight, and I want to give credit where credit is due. Before I talk about my confession, though, let me say a few other things first.

Let me start by explaining the photo in this letter. You know, when I meet people in town they usually say, "Oh, yeah, I know you, you're Dr. O'Dell. I've seen your ad with that picture of you and your family." Well, I'm the guy on the right in the dark shirt.

Years ago something happened to me that changed my life forever. Let me tell you my story.

"I am just a kid when I decide who my hero really is. It's my own dad. I look up to him. He is a real inspiration to me. He teaches me a lot about life and, more importantly, about my future. In fact, he shapes my destiny. *And that's not all...*

You see, dad is our family doctor, too. As far back as I can remember, my entire family sees him for all of their health problems and to "stay feeling good." Dad absolutely loves his job and he tells me and the family about it every chance he gets. As a kid, that's why I like going over to his office, just so I can watch all of the *incredible things* that are going on. *But, that's not all...*

I see other kids that are very sick get well. I see people who have to be helped in walk out on their own. I hear stories from patients that had suffered with all kinds of problems. I realize that I am seeing miracles happen and that the patients all love this doctor because he has made such a positive impact on their lives. *You see, this amazing doctor, my dad, is a chiropractor.*

Dad's way of looking at health fascinates me so much that I decide to go to chiropractic school myself. And you know what, *I've never looked back; it was the best thing that I've ever done.* Every single day I feel blessed to take care of people, especially people who've found help nowhere else. Many of these people had given up hope before chiropractic. And that's how it happened!"

When someone comes to see me, I do an exam, take some films, and then "adjust" their spine to help remove pressure from the nerves. Those adjustments don't hurt, they actually feel good. And people do so much better. I have the best job in the world!

Now let me tell you about our son, Chris, and our youngest daughter Jessie, who is standing in the photo. Chris and our oldest daughter, Dana, who is not in the photo today, have already left us. And, quite honestly, I feel honored that Jessie wants to leave, too. You see, she's going off to chiropractic school, just like her brother and sister did!

It's strange how life is, because now people come to see me with their health problems and concerns. Also they come to me with their *headaches,*

migraines, chronic pain, neck pain, shoulder/arm pain, fatigue, insomnia, digestive difficulties, carpal tunnel syndrome, backaches, bladder trouble, hearing disturbances, ear infections, asthma, allergies, injuries from car accidents and sports, numbness in limbs, just to name a few.



Here's what some of my patients had to say:

"I have been on numerous medications and seen many doctors. I had test after test and had been to numerous specialists, even neurologists. Since seeing Dr. O'Dell, I feel like I have a new life. I'm self-employed and have not missed any work time. Before, I had missed about two years out of the last five due to my neck, shoulder and arm pain." - (Richard Terry - Cabinet Craftsman)

"I have found chiropractic to be a terrific benefit to me as an important part of my overall wellness plan for nearly twenty years. I am a firm believer and Dr. O'Dell and his staff are among the finest professionally and personally." - (Chuck Kern - Airline Pilot)

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Several times a day patients thank me for helping them with their health problems. But I can't really take the credit. My confession is that I've never healed anyone of anything. What I do is perform a specific spinal adjustment to remove nerve pressure, and the body responds by healing itself. We get tremendous results. It's as simple as that!

Being a chiropractor can be tough, because there's a host of so-called experts out there. They tell people a lot of things that are just plain ridiculous about my profession. But the studies speak for themselves, like the Virginia study that showed that over 90% of patients who saw a chiropractor were satisfied with their results. That's just incredible!

Forty-eight million Americans no longer have health insurance, and those who do have found that their benefits are reduced. That's where chiropractic comes in. Many people find that they actually save money on their health care expenses by seeing a chiropractor. Another way to save...studies show that chiropractic may double your immune capacity, naturally and without drugs. The immune system fights colds, the flu, and other sicknesses. So you may not be running off to the doctor as much. This is especially important if you are **self-employed.** And an entire week of care in my office may cost what you could pay for **one visit** elsewhere.

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Great care at a great fee... My qualifications...I'm a Magna cum Laude graduate of Palmer College who has spoken to many professional groups. I've been entrusted to take care of tiny babies to pro athletes, and have recently been involved with the Arnold Schwarzenegger Fitness Classic.

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-Dr. Randy O'Dell

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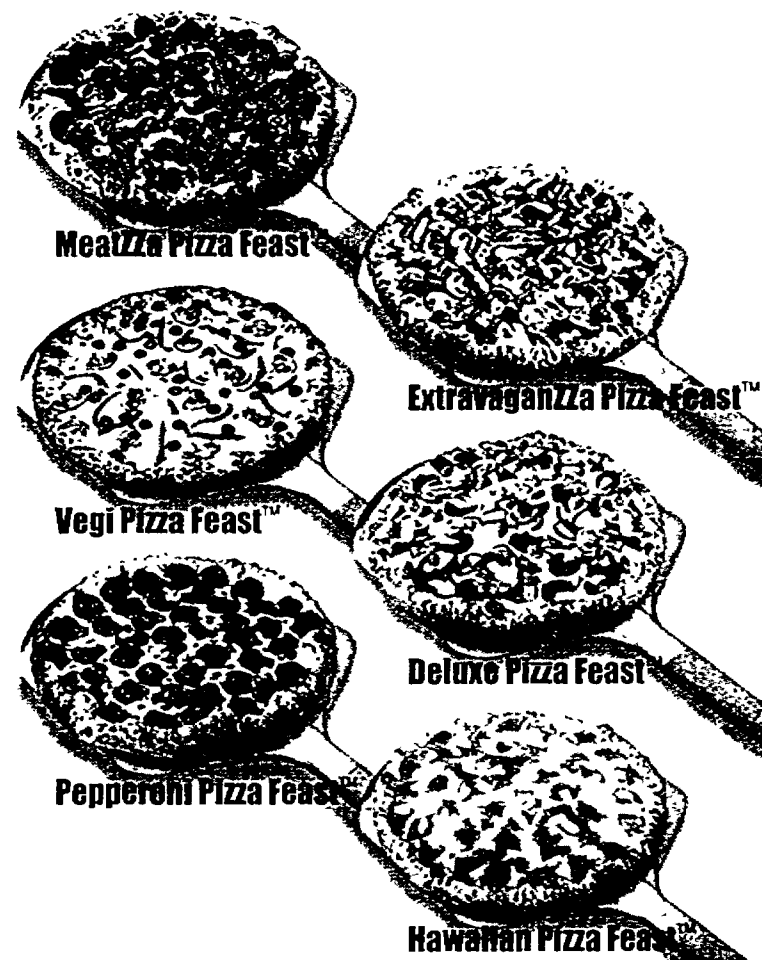
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