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### State of the Community

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## OFFICE HOURS:

### Legislator striving to connect with 20th District

#### Corriveau in Northville first Fridays monthly

By Maureen Johnston  
RECORD STAFF WRITER



M. Corriveau

Marc Corriveau wants to know what you think. Really. Ninety days into his role as state representative for the 20th District — which encompasses the city

and township — Northville's hometown lawmaker is hustling back and forth from Lansing. And listening.

"People who call and e-mail me, I really take notice of it," he said. "I need the help. I want the help. I want people's opinions."

"People would be surprised at how influential one voice can be."

Corriveau's first session of establishing first Friday office hours in Northville — moved from city hall closed for Good Friday down Main Street to his law office — was a bust, but he knows it was more related to the holiday than lack of constituent sentiment.

### Plenty to say

Corriveau's Lansing staff fields between 100-200 e-mails per day. Although people still call and write, most often they vent electronically — from work and from home after dinner and the news.

"It's a fast, accessible way to communicate with me," he said. "And with me being so many places, people are walking up to me."

He's fielded requests to obtain expressway signage to direct shoppers to downtown Northville merchants, to discuss licensing requirements with a local doctor and to help find a treatment center bed for a daughter cutting herself.

Corriveau said he sees on a daily basis how one well-placed phone call can make a difference.

"Sometimes, I have to answer. It's a local issue. I can't get involved in that," he said.

His real goal: contradicting the

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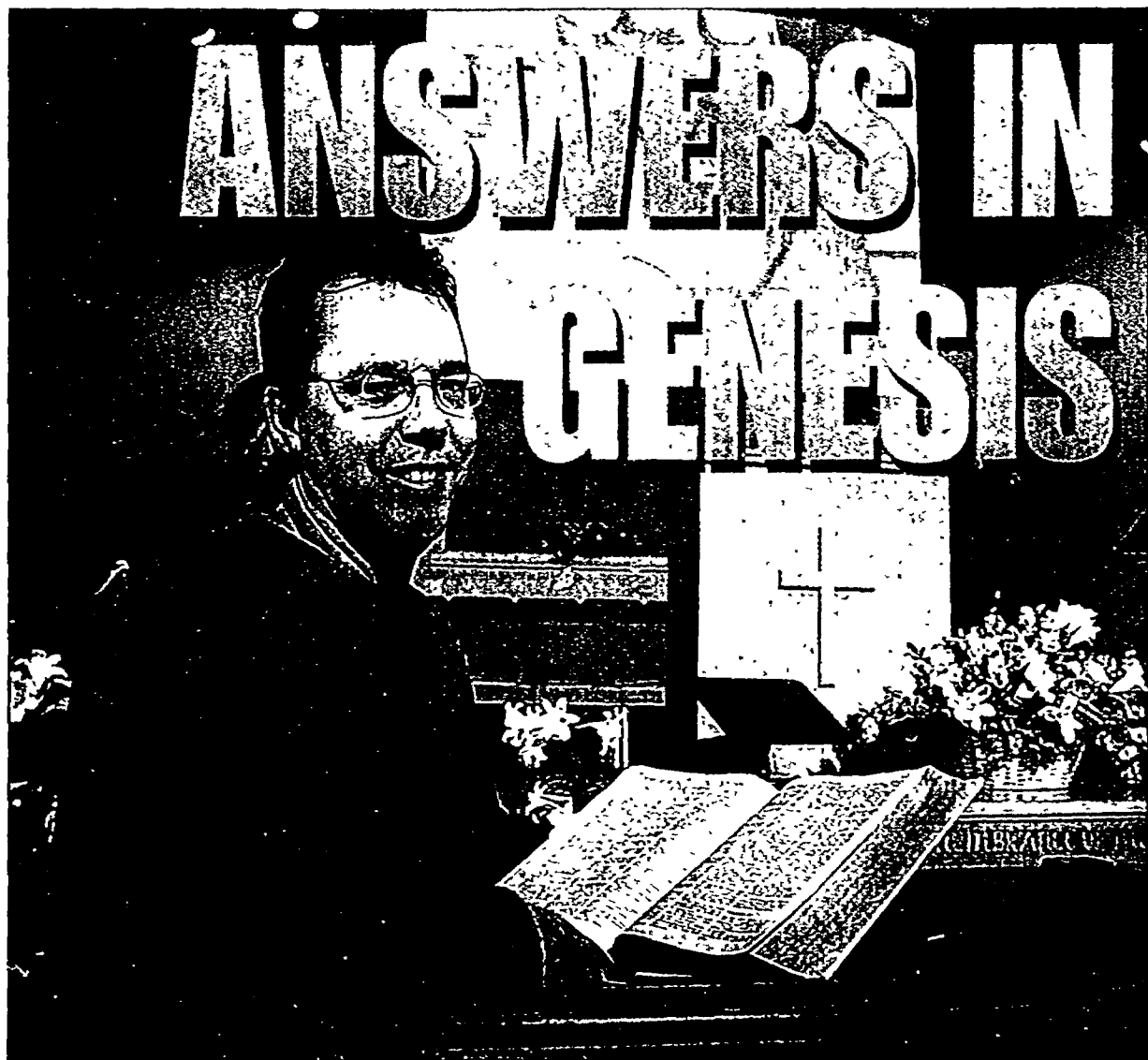


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Pastor Jon Wilkes will present a program on Genesis at First Baptist Church in Northville on Wing Street.

## Origin of Earth topic of First Baptist's three-day conference

By Maureen Johnston  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

The creation-versus-evolution debate is coming to a sanctuary near you.

This weekend, the First Baptist Church of Northville will begin a three-day series, "Answers in Genesis." Any or all of the six free sessions are open to the public.

"We were looking to appeal to people who have not made up their mind yet what the origin of the earth is," said Pastor Jon Wilkes. "We'll give them scientific facts so they can make an informed decision."

Guest speaker Carl Kerby, who travels the country speaking on dynamic creation, will answer some of the most-asked questions about the Bible, Wilkes said.

"He gives a lot of different scientific evidence," he said. "He's looking at the same data an evolutionist is looking at and throwing out a different conclusion."

Wilkes said Kerby will help people discover how to defend biblical truth and reliability and help them build a biblical world view.

Kerby will speak in the Wing Street sanctuary that holds up to 300 people, Wilkes said. First Baptist has been publicizing the conference via weekly bulletin, cable and newspaper calendars.

People are welcome to attend Sunday,

### Answers in Genesis

First Baptist Church, 217 N. Wing St.

Sunday, April 15

9:30 a.m. "Dinosaurs and the Bible"

11 a.m. "Genesis: the Bottom Strip of the Christian Faith"

6 p.m. "Racism: What is the Answer?"

7:30 p.m. "Fossils: Friend or Foe?"

Monday, April 16

7 p.m. "Remote Control: The Power of Hollywood on Today's Culture"

Tuesday, April 17

7 p.m. "What is the Best Evidence that God Created?"

For info: (248) 348-1020

### Who's Carl Kerby?

The speaker about dynamic creation is affiliated with the Creation Museum, set to open in June in the greater Cincinnati area. The 50,000-square-foot, \$27 million museum will be filled with life-size dinosaurs, fossil collections, mineral displays, waterfalls and live exhibits. Visitors will be able to walk through the six days of creation into the Garden of Eden, climb aboard the ark and see ancient Babylon.

Monday, Tuesday or all three days, Wilkes said. "Each session completely stands alone."

Kerby's opening address, "Dinosaurs and the Bible," is 9:30 a.m. Sunday, followed by sessions at 11 a.m., 6 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

A subsequent session Monday is titled, "Remote Control: The Power of Hollywood on Today's Culture."

Kerby's commentary will explore the impact of television and movies on our beliefs, Wilkes said.

"Most everything that comes out of Hollywood will have an evolution slant to it," he said. "In all kinds of movies, they'll put in just a little statement."

After hearing Kerby speak elsewhere, Wilkes said First Baptist invited him as an expert to help explore the timeless debate about our origin.

"I'm not a scientist," he said. "Since he has really studied the origin and scientific part of it, he's a lot better equipped to explain it."

"I'd like for people to just take a chance, give him a chance, to hear what he has to say."

"And come with an open mind."

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## Scouts plan 60th anniversary

Check out Troop 755 traditions during campout at Ford Field

By Maureen Johnston  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Chris Bentley can look you in the eye, address a crowd of 800 — and tie knots.

The Northville High School freshman is senior patrol leader of Boy Scouts of America Troop

755. And proud of it. With his uniform decorated with a sash, badges and medals he's earned, Bentley is a role model for 125 local Boy Scouts, part of club founded at First Presbyterian Church in Northville 60 years ago.

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# OFFICE HOURS: Legislator striving to connect with 20th District

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bad rap of lawyers and politicians by following through.

Of course, most people calling Lansing these days want to discuss fixing the state's economy — airing opinions on service tax, gas tax and funding to schools.

"Now that I've asked, I've been overwhelmed by how willing people are to communicate," Corriveau said. "I think that's coupled with tough economic times and the very nature of what's going on in the state of Michigan."

"How things affect people is where they stand."

## Keeping pace

Corriveau said big questions about state finances loom as a huge challenge.

"Every issue is different," he said. "Obviously, the budget is a multi-layered question."

"I do face some tough decisions coming up in the next 30 days."

With his role chairing the house ethics and elections committee and serving on education, health policy and judiciary committees — in addition to his standard responsibilities — Corriveau has found his Palm Pilot filling fast.

"I've been able to get a couple of bills through — that's gratifying."

He bookends legislative session Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays with in-district visits Mondays and Fridays.

During 12-hour days, he also meets with lobbyists, special interest group representatives and individuals on both ends of his commute.

"It's very complex figuring out what's best for the whole state, the 20th District and individuals, wanting what's best for them," he said. The first three months have been a continuous education.



Michigan State Representative Mark Corriveau talks to constituent and employee Joy Scotti in his Northville law firm office.

Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northville Record

## Divining consensus

Responding to individual concerns of Northville, Canton, Plymouth and Wayne residents funneled through his Lansing office give new meaning to the term "busy schedule," Corriveau said he is committed to being accessible.

"We're turning around responses to constituents in 24 hours or at the very least, saying this needs a little more research, we'll get

"People who call and e-mail me, I really take notice of it," he said. "I need the help. I want the help. I want people's opinions. People would be surprised at how influential one voice can be."

Marc Corriveau

Michigan State Representative, 20th District

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back to you," he said. "I want people to know I'm up there fighting for them as hard as I can, thinking about their wants."

Corriveau acknowledged the opinions he fields are diverse. He takes seriously his responsibility of divining the consensus direction, combining his core beliefs to develop his course of action. He said his experience as an attorney was solid training in developing a plan for appropriate representation.

"I do a tremendous amount of reading so whenever there's testimony, I can ask thoughtful questions to make an informed decision for the 20th and the state," he said.

## An ear to home

It all starts with listening. "I want to give people every opportunity to sit down with me," Corriveau said, citing frequent

public coffee dates. "I've been given the responsibility of being the people's voice."

He said downtown developer Bob Buckhave's question about expressway signs is one example of an individual concern his staff has pursued. Now that they've researched the process, Corriveau plans to meet with a traffic department representative next week.

"That's not something I went to Lansing with a knowledge of," he said. "I'm one of 110 (representatives) trying to do what's best for the whole state of Michigan, but also to help the 20th District."

"I'm having fun. I'm working as hard as I can."

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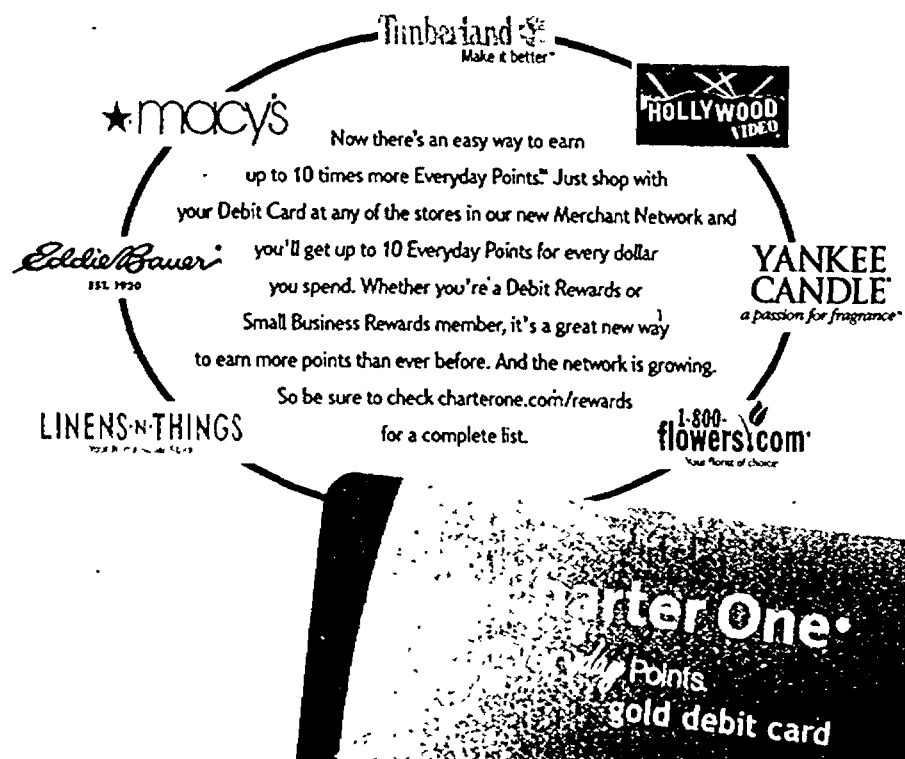
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## LOOKING AHEAD: Local leaders to describe State of the Community

**■ Tickets still  
available for  
annual luncheon**

By Maureen Johnston  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Northville's leaders are planning for the future, come what may.

With a backdrop of financial woes wringing the state, local agencies are trying to bob potential impact and weave their own way.

Next Wednesday, Northville Township Supervisor Mark Abbo, City of Northville Mayor Christopher Johnson and Northville Public Schools Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski will take a turn at the podium during the annual State of the Community luncheon, describing past events of the year and what lies ahead.

### 'Come together'

The Northville Chamber of Commerce is hosting the noon event at Meadowbrook Country Club. Chamber president Jody Humphries said the luncheon doesn't have a formal theme.

"I think it's a good forum for the community and the leaders to come together," she said. "It's nice to get everyone in the same room, hearing the same message."

"I imagine they will be talking about the challenges we are all facing and how we are proactively planning for a positive future."

### 'Moving forward'

Johnson said he plans to highlight progress on downtown improvement plans borne from the city's strategic planning process.

In addition to ongoing Northville Downtown Development Authority initiatives, the city has encouraged private investment that recently has been bearing fruit.

Among the concepts moving from drawing board to city sidewalks: formation of non-profit Tipping Point Theatre, re-creation of CVS and Lee Holland buildings fronting Dunlap Street and consideration of new zoning in Cadytown to transform a former industrial district into a shopping and entertainment destination.

City leaders have kept an eye on Lansing and their hand in local prospects for growth.

"We've spent a lot of time moving forward, instead of hoping things will work out for the best," Johnson said. "We've been working on it."

### 'Optimistic'

"It's a very important meeting that the chamber has underscored for all of us who are part of the Northville community," said Rezmierski. "I very much look

forward to this opportunity.

"One of the highlights of our presentation is how we see the future for our students with the new graduation requirements while we're looking at all the financial setbacks from the state and the current housing market," Rezmierski added. "We are very realistic about our situation right now and the immediate future; we're equally optimistic about the long-term future."

### 'Fight the fight'

On the township, Abbo said he plans to provide an update about the fate of the former state psychiatric hospital on Seven Mile Road, recreation, the budget and other past events.

"I'll talk about the state of Northville Township in the context of the Michigan economy," he said.

Humphries said that's often the buzz of her network of local businesses.

"Nobody is unrealistic about the situation the state is in," she said. "I can't speak for the state, but in our own little world, no one is sticking their head in the sand. No one is giving up."

"Each one of the individual business owners, they're still trying to fight the fight."

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**"I can't speak for the state, but in our own little world, no one is sticking their head in the sand."**

**Jody Humphries**  
President, Northville Chamber of Commerce

Regardless of dire economic forecasts, Humphries said local entities continue to work together and plan positive progress.

"Like with the schools — the funding is so dependent on the

state," she said. "They're making a plan."

"I think that's one of the benefits of being in a small town. In tough times, you know who your friends are."

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# Check out Troop 755 traditions during campout at Ford Field

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"The building's gotten bigger, the troop's gotten bigger," said Scoutmaster Dave Laabs. "But the passion from the church elders can't get any bigger."

When the troop marks its anniversary with an April 27-29 campout at Ford Field, the boys have invited former scouts, future scouts and the public to help celebrate their traditions.

## It's a tradition

Several thousand Northville area boys have been involved in Troop 755 since it was founded in 1947. Other smaller Northville-based Troops 903 and 777 similarly stress Boy Scout values and traditions.

Although best-known for their pursuit of merit badges for physical fitness to governmental studies, Laabs said Boy Scouts embark on a journey from fifth grade to high school senior year learning many lifelong skills.

This spring 40 fifth-graders will be joining Troop 755, the scoutmaster said, adding the group consistently ranks among the three largest in the state.

"Six cub scout packs in the area feed us," he said. "It's got great parental support and appreciation in this community."

In most cases, the April campout will be the fifth-graders their first night sleeping in a tent, alone, away from home.

Laabs said the campout will be an opportunity for the public to see how the older boys teach the younger ones, a natural progression of the leadership principles inherent in scouting.

## It's the leaders

And with Troop 755, all age scouts labor under the eye of 75 registered adult leaders of the troop, who model skills from CPR to swimming.

"We just can't keep this thing going without the support of the church and adults," Laabs said.

The license plate on Laabs'



Senior Patrol Leader for Scout Troop 755 Chris Bentley, left, gets a hand in folding the American flag from Scoutmaster Dave Laabs at Northville's Ford Field. The troop, celebrating its 60th year, is planning an April 27th campout at the field to commemorate its decades of service and teachings.

Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northville Record

pickup, "T755BSA," reveals his commitment. He's been involved with Troop 755 for 11 years, watching his sons, Denver and Weston, rise through the ranks then head off to college.

The scout jazz band his sons were instrumental in creating is another way middle school and high school boys mesh a common interest, he said.

## It's an adventure

Aside from weekly meetings at the church, the troop takes trips

— lots of them.

They camp every month, take one or two high-adventure trips annually and go to the Boys Scouts of America summer camp in Clare every year.

Parents ante up, and the scouts participate in fundraising to help pay for the trips, Laabs said. For the first time this year, Troop 755 created a team to participate in Northville's Relay for Life, the American Cancer Society's signature 24-hour event May 19-20 at Ford Field.

"We challenged them to go out

and do something for someone else," he said. "They've raised \$1,500 already."

## It builds character

Bentley fondly recalled building a pine wood derby car when his parents, Mark and Beth, encouraged him as a Tiger in first grade. At the campout in two weeks, he'll help supervise the activities, under the wing of troop committee chairman Alan Bennett.

Even though his supervisory role meant postponing pursuit of coveted

Eagle Scout status for a year, Bentley knows he is benefiting from his dedicated service to his peers.

"It builds leadership," he said. "It can help you with getting friends in school. It teaches to be open with people."

"Scouting is more than people think it is — it's not just tying knots."

At dusk the Saturday evening of the campout, Laabs said the troop will conduct a flag retirement ceremony, burning them as one of the only "official" ways to properly dispose of a flag.

## Weekend campout

What: Troop 755 60th anniversary celebration  
When: 6:30 p.m. Friday, April 27 through 6:30 p.m. Sunday, April 29

Where: Ford Field

Who: About 75 boy scouts and 25 adults

Public invited: 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Saturday

Schedule: 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. — donut making, first aid, firewood chopping, lunch preparation, rope lashing, knife sharpening and camp fire building stations;

4 p.m. — 60th anniversary ceremony with guest speakers;

Dusk — Flag retirement ceremony

7-10 p.m. — Scout Jazz Band

Speakers: First

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"It's very cool because everyone's in silence," he said. Long after the fire has cooled on Sunday morning, a troop tradition sends the youngest scouts to collect the flag grommets from the ashes, to keep as a memento of the solemn ceremony.

"A lot of scouts are there for the first time," he said. "It's very respectful."

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# SEEN THE WORLD? Travel planners at your service

Going somewhere?

The Northville Senior Community Center is hosting a "Travel Extravaganza" next week to help local residents schedule trips, from Tigers games to Mackinac Island.

The free event is 4-8 p.m. Tuesday, April 17, at the senior center, 303 W. Main Street.

Anyone age 21 and older can make reservations through the senior advisory program to take advantage of group rates and

guidance by travel coordinators.

Leaving the details of complicated arrangements to professionals is the main benefit of group travel, said senior adult services coordinator Sue Koivula

On a bimonthly basis, she arranges for the center's eight travel companies to present upcoming plans to area residents considering day trips, overnights or longer vacations to neighboring communities.

throughout the country or across continents.

Despite the home base of the senior center, the beginning age for travel is 21, Koivula said. Next Tuesday, travel company representatives will be in

Northville to describe trips and answer questions.

The Extravaganza includes refreshments and prize drawings. Koivula suggested calling to register at (248) 349-4140.

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# Help beautify city and township at Arbor Day Seedling Giveaway

■ Get there early for best selection

By Pam Fleming  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

If you're into "freebies" and are looking for a way to enhance your property, Marie Barr has something right up your alley.

Barr, a member of the Northville Township Beautification Commission, and other members invite residents to the annual Arbor Day Seedling Giveaway from 9-11 a.m. on Saturday, April 28, on the back patio of the Northville Township Hall, 44405 Six Mile Road, at the southwest corner of Six Mile and Sheldon roads.

Seedlings are available at no charge to city, township and Northville School District residents. Proof of residence is required, and residents must come in person to pick up the seedlings.

Phone or mail requests as well as those from large groups can't be accommodated.

The program is hosted by the City of Northville and Northville Township Beautification Commissions.

Northville Township commissioners met March 20 to decide what species to order for this year's giveaway.

Members Barr, Sue Hillebrand, Diane Jefferson and Larry Aepelbacher decided on 11 different species.

## More small trees, shrubs

It was Aepelbacher's suggestion to order more small trees and shrubs this year, since the 1,800 seedlings commissioners ordered last year featured more conifer seedlings and deciduous hardwoods.

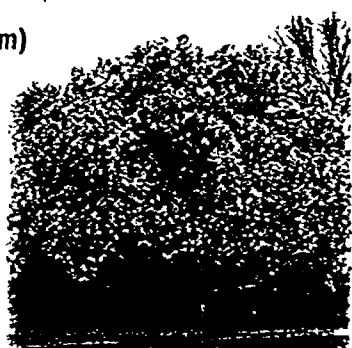
This year's choices will include: crab apple, white flowering dogwood, red-osier dogwood, arrowwood (Viburnum), lilac, holly, blue spruce, concolor fir, Douglas fir,

## Arbor Day Seedling Giveaway

The following species will be available at the City of Northville and Northville Township Arbor Day Seedling Giveaway from 9-11 a.m. Saturday, April 28, at the back patio at Northville Township Hall, 44405 Six Mile Road.

- Crab apple
- White flowering dogwood
- Red-osier dogwood
- Arrowwood (viburnum)
- Lilac
- Holly
- Blue spruce
- Concolor fir
- Douglas fir
- Eastern redbud
- Black cherry

Note: All species subject to availability



SOURCE: Charter Township of Northville

Eastern redbud and black cherry, all subject to availability.

Attendees are encouraged to come early for the best selection.

"We always have a great turnout and are usually out of trees by 11 a.m.," Barr said. "Kids come with their parents and grandparents. It's a family activity."

"It's a popular event," Hillebrand said.

## More bang for their bucks

Fortunately, the cost of the seedlings and transplants has gone down, so the commissioners were able to order 2,400 at less cost than the 1,800 plants ordered in 2006.

The seedlings and transplants come from the Wayne County Conservation District, 5454 Venoy Road, in Wayne.

"We're getting an increase of 600 seedlings for \$100 less," Hillebrand said.

"This is one way of beautifying the city and township," Barr said. "You get so much for so little."

The local Meijer's store generously donates plastic bags used for the seedlings, and volunteers help

distribute them at township hall.

Any leftover trees are planted in city and township parks. Commissioners also plant annuals at city and township halls each spring, and they need more residents to help out.

"We have so many things we want to do, but we don't have enough members," Barr said.

## Commissions need members

The City of Northville and Northville Township Beautification Commissions need new members. If interested, contact Sue Hillebrand at (248) 662-0491 or Marie Barr at (248) 349-7247.

Members meet at 10:30 a.m. the third Tuesday of each month, with the next meeting on April 17.

## Global ReLeaf tree sale

Spring is finally here, and once again Global ReLeaf of Michigan is offering for sale to the public, bare-root trees especially selected for their hardiness and ability to prosper in both urban and rural areas.

Funds raised through the annual tree sale support community tree plantings throughout Michigan.

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Trees offered are: sugar maple, red maple, crimson King Norway maple, swamp white oak, littleleaf linden, river birch, "autumn brilliance" serviceberry, Japanese tree lilac, red bud, white and red flowering crab apple and honeycrisp apple.

New this year are specialty trees consisting of species not readily available at most local nurseries. These will also be 3-6 feet and include paperbark maple, yellowwood and green vase zelkova.

Additionally, four types of bare-root shrubs (1-2 feet) and three types of bare-root evergreens (about 2 feet) are available.

The shrubs are "endless summer" hydrangea, "blue mufin" arrowwood viburnum, "wine and roses" weigela and oakleaf hydrangea. Evergreens are eastern white pine, Serbian spruce and American arborvitae.

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Orders must be prepaid by April 6, with quantities limited. Price for trees is \$28, five or more \$25 each. Specialty trees are \$50 each. Shrubs and evergreens are \$20 each, five or more \$18 each.

Call (989) 759-2190 or e-mail GlobalReLeafMi@aol.com to request an order form. Order forms can also be printed off the Global ReLeaf Web site at [www.globalreleaf.org](http://www.globalreleaf.org).

## About conservation districts

Michigan's Conservation Districts are local units of state government that use state, federal and private sector resources to solve today's conservation problems.

The guiding philosophy of all conservation districts is that decisions on conservation issues should be made at the local level, by local people, with technical assistance provided by the district staff and partner agencies.

The Wayne County Conservation District provides annual tree sales — both spring and fall.

It also provides technical assistance for soil and water quality issues and forestry assistance to private landowners, input on wetland modification or wetland destruction permit applications and conservation plans and wildlife habitat incentive programs.

Other activities include educational programs to school children and public health fairs on the value of trees, homeland security technical assistance and emergency plans related to pesticides, herbicides, insecticides and storage tanks and in the preservation of unique habitats and conservation of fish and wildlife habitat.

# Granholtm reduces 2007 funds for state conservation districts

■ \$10,000 less per year for each

By Pam Fleming  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Connie Boris isn't too pleased with Gov. Jennifer Granholm right now.

Boris, executive director of the Wayne County Conservation District, said Granholm has reduced funding for the state's conservation districts when money is already tight in the districts.

On March 22, the governor issued an executive order reducing the budget for each conservation district in the state from \$19,600 per year to \$9,600 per year.

"The unfortunate aspect is that conservation districts use the \$19,600 as a match for large grants to help support hands-on conservation projects and preserve wetland and unique habitats," Boris said.

"Conservation districts are a big bang for a very small state dollar because they bring in so much more money to the state through grants.

So, it really isn't a very wise idea to cut the budget for conservation districts."

Boris said the governor's decision also appears to indicate that state government leaders have lost their conservation ethic.

"This is a shame if we are attempting to encourage ecotourism in the State of Michigan to bring in revenue," Boris said.

Michigan Conservation District funding is in jeopardy due to the proposed 2008 budget cuts in the state.

The proposal for 2008 is that Conservation Districts will receive no funding.

To show support for Michigan Conservation Districts and to help restore necessary funding, contact your local state representative or senator at [www.michigan.gov](http://www.michigan.gov) or write to or call Gov. Jennifer M. Granholm, P.O. Box 30013, Lansing, Michigan 48909, (517) 373-3400 or (517) 335-7858 for Constituent Services.

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# MYRTLE FARMS

## Owners distribute 'fruits' of their labor back home

■ Local resident living his dream

By Pam Fleming  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

John Kozlowski has taken his lifelong love of farming and turned it into a local business.

The owner of Myrtle Farms, LLC, based in an unassuming Novi farmhouse on Nine Mile Road between Novi Road and Taft, Kozlowski shares the fruits (and vegetables) of his labor with Novi and Northville residents.

Even local restaurants, such as Helen's Uptown Cafe in downtown Northville, are among his customers.

A former tool and die maker in Dearborn Heights, Kozlowski studied fine arts at Henry Ford Community College, Eastern Michigan University and Madonna University.

He decided to sell his tool and die business to a larger company in 1996, leaving the world of machinery to embark on a new career as a farmer at age 35.

"I wanted to be a farmer since I was 5 years old," he said.

Now in his third growing season, he provides local clients with naturally grown fruits and vegetables and meat products from naturally raised chickens, cattle and pigs.

The products come from his 56 acres in Sanilac County in the thumb area, where his daughter, Nicole, 22, and father-in-law live and help oversee the crops and animals on different farms.

The subscription farm program offers the benefits of fresh and healthy food grown in an environmentally responsible manner and delivered fresh to one's doorstep.

### What's available in 2007?

Myrtle Farms crops to be planted for this growing season include: beefsteak, roma and cherry tomatoes; several varieties of lettuce; pumpkins; several varieties of melons; rhubarb; Hungarian peppers; green beans; green peppers; spinach; apples; sweet corn; hot peppers; summer and winter squash; beets; zucchini; pears; potatoes; wax beans; eggplant; red, white and green onions; snow peas; cucumbers; and radishes.

Vegetable subscriptions are \$260, with \$100 due May 1, \$80 due July 1 and \$80 due Sept. 1.

Meat products include a half hog for \$325; whole hog for \$630, delivered in early September; beef at \$3.75 a pound, delivered in early October; and 6-8-pound chickens at \$10 each, delivered in mid July.

Meat orders accepted until July 1; a 30 percent deposit is required at the time of order for pork and beef, with the balance due on delivery.

For more information, call John Kozlowski at (248) 767-6356.

attorney for an automotive company.

Their 13-year-old son, Joey, is a student at Hillside Middle School in Northville and helps his dad on the farm each year.

"We call him Dr. Pepper because he likes to pick the peppers each year," Kozlowski said.

The animals are raised on feed grown at the farm, with no outside feed or chemicals added.

Kozlowski power washes his hogs' pens every two weeks, suspends bowling balls on strings for them to play with and even has a photo of one of his favorite cows from the past on the mantle of the fireplace in their Novi home.

"I want my animals to have the best possible existence while they're here," Kozlowski said.

During harvest season, he puts out a newsletter for his customers, who often swap recipes with him.

"They're people who appreciate good food," Kozlowski said.

Pam Fleming is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 105, or at pfleming@northville.com.



John Kozlowski and his daughter, Nicole, stop off in their family's Nine Mile Road hen house. The Kozlowski family runs Myrtle Farms (named after John's former grandmother) up in the thumb region of Michigan.

### Family-owned business

Named after his maternal grandmother who farmed, Myrtle Farms is a small, family owned and operated business within a half mile of the original family dairy farm and apple orchard. Kozlowski takes a limited number of new clients on first come, first served basis.

Last year, he had about 30 clients and hopes to double that number this year.

Vegetable subscriptions run from mid June to late October, with each subscription averaging a half bushel of mixed produce per week.

Early in the season, when few crops are mature, the crates will be less full than later in the season when the garden is in full bloom.

Kozlowski travels to his farms each weekend during the harvest season. He returns on Sunday to make his Monday deliveries — within 24 hours of harvest.

Both natives of Dearborn, his wife, Kate, is an international



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northville Record

In an early-April snowstorm, John Kozlowski and his daughter, Nicole, exit the chicken house in the backyard of their Nine Mile Road home. The Kozlowskis, who run Myrtle Farms in Sanilac County, live in Novi and harvest a few fresh eggs for eating from the hen house and get crops in the fall from the apple trees on their property.

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by Dennis Engerer, P.T.

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follow-through, may make for longer drives than the "classic" swing, it also produces more torque and more injuries. If you have questions about anything discussed in today's column, please call our office during business hours at 248-349-9339. We are conveniently located at 215 East Main, Suite B. New patients are welcome.

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## ENGAGEMENT



Loeffler-Brunner

Don and Jan Loeffler of Novi announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen Marie Loeffler, to Bradley James Brunner, son of John and Mary Jane Brunner of Spring Lake.

The bride-elect is a 1999 graduate of Northville High School and 2003 graduate of Michigan State University. She is currently employed as a teacher with Utica Community Schools.

The groom-elect is a 1999 graduate of Spring Lake High School and 2003 graduate of Michigan State University. He is currently employed as a teacher with Corona Public Schools.

An August wedding is planned.

## OBITUARIES

### GREGORY S. BINGHAM

Age 46, of Farmington Hills, passed away peacefully on April 7, 2007. He was born on May 3, 1960 in Northville, Michigan to Donald J. and Patricia A. (Gregory) Bingham. Greg was originally from Novi. He was a freelance carpet installer. He was a "jack of all trades" and could do anything with his hands. He competed in Truck Pulls and Dart Board Competitions. Greg loved hockey and golf; he also enjoyed fishing and playing league baseball. He is survived by his parents Don (Helen) Bingham of Novi and Patricia A. Bingham of Farmington Hills; his grandmother Elaine Gregory of Northville; his sister Gay (Russ) Nichols of South Lyon; his brothers, Mike (Terry) Bingham of Farmington Hills and Gary (Dawn) Bingham of California; his nieces and nephews Beth, Jay, Jessie, Samantha, Joey; great nephews, Jacob and Kyle. He is also survived by his loving companion Linda through life and marriage. He was preceded in death by his nephew Lance. A memorial service was held Wednesday at Casterline Funeral Home, Inc. of South Lyon. Rev. Taek Kim with the Walled Lake United Methodist Church officiated the service. Memorial contributions can be made to Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburgh Road, Livonia, MI 48154.



### MILTON GENE KOENIG

August 23, 1927 - April 7, 2007  
Milton G. Koenig, honored Professor Emeritus of Wayne State University's College of Engineering, died from complications of idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis in an Ann Arbor hospital Saturday with his wife and three children at his side. He was 79 years old. Born to Bruno and Truby Koenig in Moberly, Missouri, August 23, 1927 and raised in Detroit, Michigan, he graduated from Cooley High School in 1945 and enrolled in Wayne State University obtaining his graduate degree in Mechanical Engineering. In a proud family history of answering our nation's call, he served in the United States' 5th Army, 6th Armored Division from 1952-1954. In a career spanning 32 years, he remained at Wayne State as a professor teaching mechanical engineering and member of the Society of Automotive Engineers. Quiet, methodical, selfless and gracious, he devoted his life to his family, who remain rich with the memories of time spent together camping, gardening, collecting antiques and appreciating vintage aircraft. He devoted time to the Northville Historical Society in its creation of the Mill Race Village. He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Diana, and their children, son Matthew with wife Rachel and their children Tyler, Shawnee and Kaelyn, daughter Lesly (LeFave) with husband John and their children Logan and Maguire, and son Christopher with wife Tamara and their daughter Heather, together with their extended families and close friends. Visitation on Wednesday, 4-9 pm at O'Brien-Sullivan Funeral Home, 41555 Grand River, Novi, (248) 348-1800. Instate Thursday at 10 a.m. until the time of service 11 a.m. at the funeral home. Burial at Northville's Rural Hill Cemetery, Thursday, April 12, 2007 following the service. Donations in his honor may be sent, in lieu of flowers, to the Charity of your choice. Online condolences at: www.obriensullivanfuneralhome.com

### DR. ROBERT D. BOSAK

Age 60, of East Kingston NH, passed away suddenly March 25. A native of Northville, Dr. Bosak was the son of Mrs. Virginia P. Bosak of Northville and the late Frank H. Bosak. A 1964 Northville High graduate, he was also an Evans Scholar at the University of Michigan and graduated with honors in 1968. He earned his MD degree from U of M Medical School in 1973. Dr. Bosak was in private practice for many years in New Hampshire and had served as Chief of Otolaryngology at Exeter Hospital. Dr. Bosak was an accomplished skier, sailor, cyclist, and photographer and loved the outdoors. He traveled all over the world, and was a voracious reader. In addition to his mother, Dr. Bosak is survived by sisters Susan Stine of GA; Nancy Neihart of TX; Virginia Whittington of NC; and brother Stephen Bosak of TX. He was predeceased by his sister Edythe Herrmann, and brothers Frank Bosak Jr. and James Bosak. Services will be at 11 am Friday April 13 at Our Lady of Victory Church. Memorial donations may be made in his name to Evans Scholar Foundation, 1 Briar Road, Golf, IL 60029.

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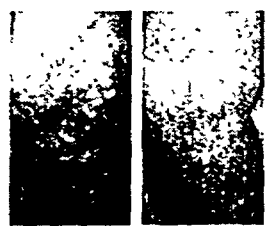
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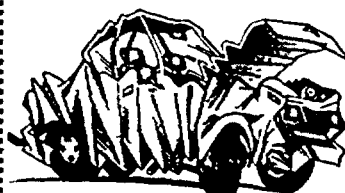
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## MAIN STREET MASSAGE

## New business opens in downtown Northville house

## Space receives major renovation

By Pam Fleming  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Nicole Salesky would have never guessed that a simple walk in the park would lead to the realization of her lifelong dream.

Salesky, of Northville, owner of the new Main Street Massage of Northville at 311 E. Main Street, said it all began when a traffic jam led to her stopping to walk her dog one day by the park next to Ford Field in downtown Northville.

"I saw an older man sitting on a bench and asked him if it was OK to let my dog wander there," Salesky said.

"He said, 'Why yes, young lady, but why don't you cross over the bridge?'" which led to Mill Race Historical Village.

To her amazement, the village reminded her of a miniature version of Dearborn's historic theme park, Greenfield Village.

"I fell in love with Northville right away," Salesky said.

The experienced massage therapist had always dreamed of opening her own business and used to sit at Starbucks and envision working in the quaint historic home across the street.

"I checked with a Realtor about buying the house, but it

was just too expensive," she said.

With the help of her friend and client, Carol Livermore of Northville, who had also been a client of the home's owner, Dennis Engerer, director of Northville Physical Rehabilitation, he eventually suggested that she just lease the property.

Salesky said Engerer plans to eventually raze the home and build an office building, but she'll be able to operate her massage therapy business in the house for at least a year.

She spent many hours over the last couple of months renovating the interior of the second-floor space prior to her April 2 grand opening.

The space now provides a relaxing atmosphere, with the office featuring a fireplace in the reception area, two treatment rooms and a bathroom.

## Interest began in her 20s

Born in Wyandotte in the Downriver area, Salesky, 30, became interested in massage therapy after her maternal grandfather, the late Leroy Wilks, received massage after being diagnosed with multiple sclerosis.

Diagnosed with the debilitating disease in his late 20s, doctors predicted he wouldn't be able to walk by age 35. But, with regular massage therapy, "He walked until he was 70 years old," Salesky said.

"The massage really kept him going. That's when I realized how

important it was — especially as you get older. The power of touch is so healing."

## Massage has many benefits

Salesky said benefits of massage include the release of endorphins, which have painkilling and tranquilizing effects on the body; the release of metabolic wastes, such as lactic and uric acids, which can cause soreness; an increase of oxygen in red blood cells, which improves circulation; and the reduction of fluid buildup on joints in those with arthritis.

She said massage can help relieve symptoms of menopause, such as memory loss and insomnia; increase metabolism, leading to weight loss and cellulite reduction; relieve stress and promote relaxation and alertness; increase skin elasticity; and improve range of motion and self-image.

Salesky said the exchange of energy between the massage therapist and client is also beneficial.

"The whole emotional transfer that occurs with massage is just amazing," she said.

Salesky recently hired Certified Massage Therapist Ann Marie Kotylo to assist her in her new business.

Main Street Massage of Northville has a referral program that gives the referring person \$10 off a massage session for each referral and a VIP Membership that provides \$10 off on massage sessions and gift certificates plus discounts on clients' birthdays and anniversaries.

## Main Street Massage services

Main Street Massage of Northville owner and Certified Massage Therapist Nicole Salesky and her assistant, Certified Massage Therapist Ann Marie Kotylo, offer Swedish massage, deep tissue massage, trigger-point massage, hot stone massage, prenatal massage, cranial sacral therapy and aromatherapy.

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For more information, call (248) 773-2027 or go to [www.mainstreetmassageofnorthville.com](http://www.mainstreetmassageofnorthville.com).

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Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northville Record

Nicole Salesky will be working on sore shoulders and backs at her Northville business, Main Street Massage.

## Plymouth resident opens new academy franchise in Northville

## Children learn basics of cooking

By Pam Fleming  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Chris Andrews wants children today to know more than just how to make microwave mac-

aroni and cheese.

The owner of the new Young Chef's Academy in the Highland Lakes Shopping Plaza off of Seven Mile Road between Northville and Haggerty roads in Northville Township wants to help budding chefs learn the basics of cooking.

Based in Waco, Texas, Young Chefs International offers children the opportunity to participate in preparing real recipes they get to taste at the end of each class.

"He was looking for concepts in restaurants, he came across this, and it looked like a nice opportunity," said Andrews' wife, Tracey. "He felt this was a perfect fit for our family."

## Cooking's a family affair

The Andrews, of Plymouth, have three girls — Alex, 9; Alison, 7; and Alyssa, 3.

"My husband cooks all the time, and it's become a Saturday night tradition for us to make a meal from scratch, play games and enjoy family time together. The girls cook with him, and Alex is already a pretty good cook," Tracey Andrews said.

They especially enjoy Chicken Paprikash, a Hungarian dish made by Tracey's late grandmother, as well as homemade pasta and risotto.

"Our fast-paced lifestyle means that a lot of fast food is taking the place of the family dinner," said Chris Andrews. "By getting kids

excited about cooking and preparing meals together, families can spend more time talking, laughing and having fun."

The couple hosted the academy's grand opening on March 31. Its mission is to teach children the importance and value of cooking in a safe setting that encourages discovery and creativity.

"At Young Chefs Academy, it's not just about following recipes," Chris Andrews said. "We will explore the science of cooking as well as reading, math, geography and history. Throw in a little teamwork, self-expression and nutrition, and you have a typical class."

Young Chefs International was founded in April 2003 by owners Julie Burleson and Suzy Neutles.

The goal is to teach culinary skills that build upon each other to progress into more complicated food preparation.

While learning such skills, instructors also add instruction in kitchen safety, etiquette, napkin folding, table setting and menu planning.

They believe in showing children that cooking is a lifelong skill that can be artistic and creative.

The academy also offers after-school or private classes, home-

schooling groups, birthday parties, holiday camps, field trips, play groups, Scout Troop meetings, merchandise and a membership program.

Children can start classes any time, since the academy operates on open enrollment. Most classes are geared for those age 5-15, with special classes for younger chefs, age 3-4.

Pam Fleming can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 105, or at [pfleming@gannett.com](mailto:pfleming@gannett.com).

## Cooking with your kids

- At the grocery store, let children choose fruits and vegetables or other healthy foods — if they pick it, they're more likely to eat it.
- Make the work area kid-friendly by keeping a bowl or pan ready to catch spills.
- Start with simple recipes — muffins, pasta, smoothies, snacks and fun sandwiches — then move up to more difficult ones as the children gain skills and confidence.
- Have them wash fruits and vegetables, pour ingredients, stir mixtures and cut or roll dough.
- Older children can help cut up ingredients, grate cheese and stir food over a stove.
- Let kids invent their own recipes.

Source: Detroit Free Press research

## Want to learn more?

The new Northville Township franchise of the Young Chef's Academy is located at 43133 Seven Mile Road in the Highland Lakes Shopping Plaza. Cost is \$196 for 14 weeks or \$25 for the drop-in class fee. For more information, call (734) 306-6800 or visit [www.youngchef-sacademy.com](http://www.youngchef-sacademy.com).

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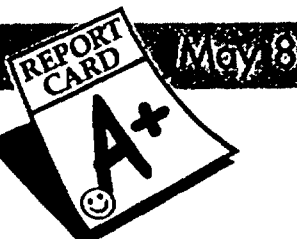
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## BOUNDARY PLAN: District gambles on zero growth

■ Northville Hills stays, Brooklane and Ravines, too, for now

By Renee Gates  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

In a special call meeting, the Northville Board of Education unanimously approved a 2007-08 attendance boundary plan that could bring Ridge Wood Elementary and Meads Mill Middle School within 97 percent of their capacities if no parents

opt for open enrollment at other schools.

The adopted plan is revised from the original presented to community members during the Attendance Boundary Forums and will allow all Northville Hills students to continue attending Ridge Wood Elementary and for Brooklane and Ravines students to continue attending Meads Mill Middle School.

Board members directed several cautions regarding school capacity toward community members and parents attending the meeting before voting on the plan.

"It surely looks like it will work for next year," said Joan Wadsworth, board secretary.

"In my mind, there is some

question as to how long it will last," she said.

"In terms of hedging a bet, this is a real bet on no growth," said Ken Roth, board president.

The majority of parents attending the meeting, however, were pleased with the decision, some even applauded at the end of the board vote.

Northville Hills parent Nick Tsalis said he was not only pleased, but impressed.

"I was surprised that they made that change and listened to a lot of different folks," he said. "They were open, they allowed for input ... I'm just impressed with the board."

But not everyone was impressed with the board or its decision.

Students living in Woods of Edenderry, Fox Hollow and Hills of Crestwood are being redistricted to Moraine Elementary and Hillside Middle School from Ridge Wood and Meads Mill.

Fourth-graders in those subdivisions will be given priority if they apply for open enrollment at Ridge Wood. The transition to the new middle school will take place over the next three years. The district will provide bus service to both schools as long as capacity exists at Meads Mill.

"This will be our children's third elementary school and second middle school," said Hills of Crestwood parent Nancy Clarkson. She has lived in Northville seven years and has a

fifth-grader at Ridge Wood Elementary. She and other parents feel their subdivisions have been unfairly targeted by the board for redistricting.

"Quite honestly, we're going to be right back in here," Clarkson said to the board.

"Enrollment is not coming from Crestwood, Edenderry and Fox Hollow, so to try and balance the district's enrollment numbers on those three subdivisions isn't fair."

### Next steps

The plan is based on pipeline figures or current enrollment numbers of students in Northville Public Schools and does not take into account new students coming

into the district or students choosing open enrollment.

"If families wish for absolute certainty as to where their middle child will be, if they really want three years in one place, they need to open enroll," said Wadsworth.

Open enrollment has been extended to Monday, April 23. District officials said they will work to return open enrollment acceptance letters by June.

Now elementary schools will proceed with plans to welcome new families redistricted to their attendance areas.

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## CLASS NOTES

### Launching your child from high school to college

The Northville High School Parent Awareness Committee presents author and psychologist Patricia Pasick, Ph.D., who will speak from her book, "Almost Grown," at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, April 18, in the high school forum. If you would like additional information about the program, call 248-465-9987.

### Class of 1987 Reunion

The Northville High School Class of 1987 20-year reunion is in the works for July. Chris (Hornberger) Niles is collecting names of those interested in attending, and Kathleen Kennedy is heading up the party planning. Send the following information to Chris at christniles@comcast.net: name, address, phone number and e-mail address. Visit the Web site: www.Northville1987.myevent.com.

### Heart 'n' Sole Race

Northville High School's Rotary Interact Club will be hosting its annual Heart 'n' Sole Race on Saturday, April 28, at the Cass

Benton course in Hines Park. Registration starts at 9 a.m. Runners of all ages can participate in a 5K race to raise money for Save Darfur, a blanket organization including various humanitarian charities that provides aid to those affected by the genocide in Sudan. For \$10, participants can take part in the race and enjoy refreshments while contributing to a great cause. If you're interested in preregistering or for further information, contact nhsinteract@gmail.com or just come to the course on April 28 prior to the race to sign up.

### Northville Sr. All Night Party

Tickets and Wooden Mustang Class of 2007 Senior All Night Party will be held Saturday, June 2, from 10:30 p.m.-4:30 a.m. Ticket prices are \$70. Get your tickets now before the rush!

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### Volunteers Needed

Anyone interested in helping pitch in with the Senior Party decorations? Your help is needed, and teams of volunteers are now working at Rite Aid on Seven Mile Road every Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p.m. Come join the fun; we really can use your help! Please contact Jeff Haller (248) 345-2503 or Leonard Deluca (248) 924-2209. Thank you for your support for the Class of 2007!

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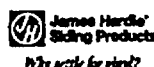
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# Hillside Middle Schoolers enjoy jam sessions

■ Students perform music during their free time at school

By Renee Gates  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Michael Dause and Eric Swies haven't named their band yet. Just remember you read about them here first.

The Hillside Middle School sixth-graders play the drum and electric guitar together before school, during school lunch hours and after school.

"We just like to go in there before school or during lunch and play music," said Dause, who plays the drums.

That's exactly what Hillside Principal Jim Cracraft and art teacher Iain Burrell want to hear. Well that, and the music their students make.

"I've played music with groups of kids here for years," said Cracraft.

"This year we wanted some dedicated space, so we created a music gym in the loft above the art room. At lunchtime, we've been having sixth-, seventh- and eighth-graders come down and jam," he said. "In fact, I played

drums with a couple of kids today."

Music has played such an important role in Cracraft's life that he enjoys creating opportunities for his students to get together and play music. He and Burrell donated a drum set, PA system and amplifier to the music gym and said they provide instruments to play if kids need them.

"I think it's a great opportunity," he said. "It's good for (students) to have adult support doing a productive thing."

The boys aren't the only ones jamming during lunchtime. Sixth-grader Erin Dunne plays the electric and classical guitar. Her girl band plays on alternate days from Dause's and Swies'.

"It's really fun having the art room set up for us to play," she said.

At one point, she was taking private lessons but not anymore. In addition to playing at school, Dause and Swies take private lessons. Swies hopes to go professional some day.

"Any chance we can really get to play music we take it because we just love to do it," Dause said.

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A group of Hillside Middle School students play some AC/DC during their lunch hour. From left are: Domenico Giovanni, Erin Dagne, Eric Swies, Michael Dause and Ben Thomas.

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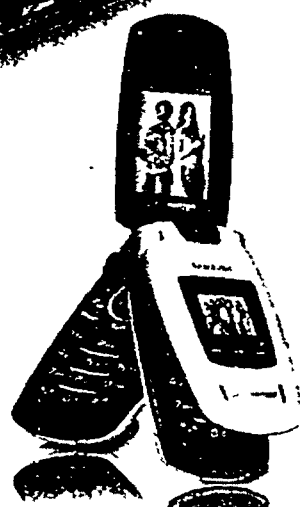
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# NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP

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## New Parks & Rec Commission wants more community input

■ Grant funding could be sought

By Pam Fleming  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Mark Abbo knows it takes a village to make things happen.

Abbo, Northville Township supervisor, asked the community's help in getting the ball rolling with the newly-formed Northville Parks and Recreation Commission.

He mentioned that he would welcome previous Parks and Recreation commissioners as members of at least two standing committees that will be formed — a development committee and a program committee.

"We would like to have the community more actively involved in developing plans, including the timing on such plans, based on need," Abbo said.

Abbo also suggested that a formal committee be established for Thayer's Corner Park so the community can start working on a plan for the park at Six Mile and Napier roads.

He wants costs associated with improvements and operations, and Sue Hillebrand, township clerk, wants revenue projections and a thorough business plan, such as the one developed for the dog park at Community Park.

Abbo is also still concerned about operating costs associated with any future plans for parks and recreation facilities.

"I do not want to burden the township or the city," he said.

Lack of details on projected operating costs was one of the reasons township trustees did not

approve a state grant application last month for Thayer's Corner Park.

### Plan on soccer facility needed

Hillebrand also wants a committee for the proposed indoor soccer facility at Community Park and how this would impact the community's budget.

"They need to put the numbers on paper," she said.

Christine Lyon, of the Northville Soccer Association, said she would present a business plan on the facility to the commission soon.

Abbo would also like to see more participation from the recreation department on soccer field improvements planned in the township.

The new commission adopted a resolution to encourage those responsible for serving food at concession stands at city and township parks and recreation facilities to offer more health food and beverage choices for visitors.

This does not mean that flavored, carbonated beverages and other snacks won't be offered, just that healthier choices will also be provided.

### 'There's money out there'

During public comments, Nancy Darga said she believes perhaps a separate committee should be formed to look for grant funding opportunities for both the city and township.

"We need more residents having coffee with those in the development community to get them working for us," Darga said. "Western Wayne County isn't exploring some of the opportunities. There's money out there."

Darga said volunteers need to look at applying for grants from the Rouge Gateway Project, the National Wildlife Federation and the Greenway Initiative.

"I've seen people walk in the day before a grant application deadline and pull off a \$200,000 grant because they had a well-prepared proposal," she said.

Committee members could provide a more regional view of what the two communities want to do from the standpoint of "thinking things through," Darga said, a process that could take several commission meetings.

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### Award-winning work

Both Marv Gans, left, and Ken Brock, right, have put many hours into restoring this circa-1850s barn now located at Thayer's Corner Park. They, along with Dan Schneider, were recently honored by the Michigan Barn Preservation Organization with an award for their efforts in rebuilding and updating the barn.

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Northville Youth Assistance has been matching local children with mentors for more than 15 years, and a recent increase in requests for mentors has prompted a call for new ones.

The next training session will begin May 1 from 7-9 p.m. on Tuesdays at Hillside Middle School.

Northville Youth Assistance is a shared service between the city of Northville and Northville Township and is supported by staff from Northville Public Schools.

The community-funded program is to improve the lives of Northville's youth, as well as potentially their family members, by mentors spending quality time with local young people.

In addition to the mentoring program, Northville Youth Assistance provides free counseling for young people and their family members, tutoring for elementary students, homework help for middle school students, community service instead of suspension for middle and high school students, youth empowerment classes and speakers on parenting.

Another program provides first-time youth offenders counseling, education and community service options as a diversion from the court system.

Becoming a mentor, tutor or homework helper are not only ways to make a positive influence in a young person's life but also an investment in our community's future.

For more information, call Northville Youth Assistance Director Sue Campbell at (248) 344-1618.

# COMMENTARY

## LETTERS

### Fausone for trustee

I encourage your readers to join me in supporting Jim Fausone for the Schoolcraft College Board of Trustees in the May 8, 2007 election. His law firm has been in Northville Township on Six Mile for 13 years now. Jim Fausone is devoted to the community and unselfishly volunteers his time for charitable endeavors. For example, because of his hard work, Jim was recognized as the 2003 Habitat for Humanity of Western Wayne County Volunteer of the Year. He has also worked with the Northville Community Foundation.

Jim currently serves on the Schoolcraft College Foundation Board and the Canton Public Library Board. He knows that excellent community colleges and public libraries strengthen communities. He has been a dedicated member of the University of Michigan College of Engineering Alumni Society Board and its past Chair. You can always count on Jim Fausone to get involved and make a difference. Because of his selfless service to our community, there is one clear choice for the Schoolcraft College Board of Trustees...Jim Fausone.

Mark J. Abbo

Northville Township Supervisor

### Thayer Park and Township Board

I have attended many meetings for the study or discussions on this park. I even attended the meeting held with the Park and Recreation Department, and Mark Abbo was also present, and Sue Hillerbrand was on the board, so how was it he and she are so unaware of people wanting a nature park on this site? This meeting had a master plan draft dated January 2007-2011 and had a whole section on Thayer Park. Discussion was presented to remove the park from the master plan and because of public display and concern, was put back into the master plan. The only way they could get the master plan to remove this park was to disband the committee.

The firm that was hired to find out what people wanted in the Thayer Park had a public workshop October 26, 2006 and the people laid out what was wanted in this park, which he didn't adhere to, and he presented another plan to the board and many people expressed what they really wanted again, a natural park. How much did we pay for this professional?

A historical session was also held at the Township office and the Thayer Park was addressed again. For anyone to say the Township was unaware of people on the west end of this Township wanting a natural park on Thayer Corner must not be attending any meeting.

Many board members also attended the dedication of the barn that was moved to the Thayer Corner Park and the barn was full of people that supported this addition. How could any board member not open their eyes while there?

I am sorry that many people think only very expensive additions in the park system are needed. Maybe people need to stop and smell the flowers and look at the trees once in awhile.

The people of Northville are very interested in history which was shown by having a full house on two occasions at the Township Hall. Again, how is it that some of the board members didn't see this interest? Why do we waste our time in going to meetings if they will just do what ever they want?

This land was purchased for a park many years ago so why would a plan

not be put into the master plan for this property? It is not like we follow everything in the master plan as it is, just what it says a plan not a bible. If you want to see something, look at your master plan from 1998 and see what was really done.

I have been living in this area for over 23 years, as many others on the west end of the Township have, and I have only seen the barn as a addition to this area and I would like to see it completed. I do not want development on this end of Township. The Township is growing so fast and we will never get more land to use. This is the area that should have a natural park and the people in this area are looking forward to it. We don't need concrete, asphalt. The neighbors are the old time type that volunteer time and equipment and also enjoy the outside. We don't need paved play grounds. Let us show you what a good time really is all about. When the barn was moved the neighbors furnished lunch to show we really appreciated having this barn and even board members were there to see that too.

This property could be put to use by our community in very short time. A gentleman has ask for a field for kids to practice football many times at these meetings and has never been told yes they will get one for him, he is always told they will check into it. Don't we have a temporary vacant field that this gentleman could use without a cost to the community? He has said it wouldn't take much and they would do all the work.

I want to thank the board members who do seem to care about our community and do listen. I would also suggest the public attend more meetings and see how your community is being run so you will know what to do when election time comes next year.

I know we usually only attend a meeting if the discussion is in our area but the whole Northville area is impacted by our board.

"Looking forward to tomorrow without forgetting yesterday" is our mission, or are we just going to change that too?

Debra Brown

Longtime Northville Resident

### Thanks to Pizza Cutter

Dear Pizza Cutter employees, thank you for using your time to make us free pizzas for March is Reading Month. They were delicious!

Caleb and Hana Koilpillai  
Ridge Wood Elementary School

### Student count - the facts

Ms. Peltier's letter of April 5 stated that Northville Schools have lost students. I would beg you to look at the facts: 2002/03 - 5787 students; 2003/04 - 6102 students; 2004/05 - 6405 students; 2005/06 - 6688 students; 2006/07 - 6811 students

When I do the math, I see an increase every year. Although the increase is not as high as projected, and perhaps the enrollment numbers at each school have changed, the district is still seeing more students each year, and needs to deal appropriately with such changes. I would hope that in the future people will base their opinions on facts, and not rumors.

Amy Storm

Northville

# Ideas are what will make us better

"Man does not live by words alone, despite the fact that sometimes he has to eat them."

Adlai E. Stevenson, Jr.  
Governor, Illinois, 1949-1953, and Democratic Candidate for President (1952 and 1956)

Oh yeah, I get email. Ideas do matter and are critical if we hope to move our state forward. I view my role on these pages as taking positions that some might view as "controversial" to help stimulate thought and to create community conversations. As my first boss so aptly pointed out, "if we both agreed on everything - one of us would not be necessary."

What follows are some comments that my columns have generated from readers.

In an article that I wrote about the 10th anniversary of the death of Chinese leader Deng Xiaoping, one reader wrote, "What are you, some #@&\* communist sympathizer looking to ship our jobs to China?" No, I am not.



Tom Watkins

Never mind that the point I was making was that Deng Xiaoping's ideological shift from socialism/communism to a socialist market economy changed China and changed the world. Yes, Deng should be remembered for the blood of the Chinese people he helped spill; but he should also be remembered for lifting hundreds of millions of his own people out of poverty by shifting his ideological philosophy. We need our leaders in Michigan to shift their historical ideological bent and find new ways to solve our old problems.

The definition of insanity is "doing the same thing, over and over in exactly the same manner and expecting the results to be different." Are we insane in Michigan?

Many readers thought the words I expressed about "Rhetoric and our Children" hit the bull's-eye. "We say we value our kids and we continue to cut services to them," one reader wrote. Yet, the column did move a couch potato off the couch and to say he was going to volunteer his time as a mentor.

This pledge has reinforced my belief that words can promote action.

Some believe our state and nation are becoming more divided along the Red and Blue political lines. Yet, Michigan may be the "Black and Blue state" when it comes to the way readers react to addressing the state's continued budget morass and lack of leadership in finding a shared vision and common agenda we can rally around.

The anger at our elected leaders is palpable. Some writers spew such hate as, "Granmole is nothing but a tax and spend liberal that covered up the state's financial problems until after she was safely reelected and now wants the oppressed workers of this state to bail her out - it ain't going to happen!"

Meanwhile, several writers see another reality and understand the problems we face as a state are broader than any one politician and are not going to be fixed with a silver bullet. Yet, many seem disappointed in the direction we are headed and, as one writer spewed, "Pox - on all of the politicians' houses!"

One reader suggested that I blend my columns on "Rhetoric" and "Lack of Leadership" into one because "we hear the rhetoric and don't see leadership." Others like the quote from country singer Toby Keith, "we need a lot less talk and a lot more action - out of Lansing!"

Being fair is critical as a columnist. I must be hitting the right tone as a reader accused me of being a "right wing, nut-case, Republican" and another a "puppet for Governor Granholm and her tax and spend merry-men/women in the Legislature." Let me assure you, I am neither.

Clearly there were many LLEA's (Languishing Legacy Landmines of the Engler Administration) awaiting Governor Granholm when she took office. Yet as one reader stated, "that was then - this is now." So, take a page from Engler and knock a few heads together and - "get 'er done, Governor."

### Creating Heat and Light

Perhaps the articles that generate the most attention are those calling for our schools to change

or perish. Clearly the people in Michigan are passionate about their schools and want the best for kids. Some believe I am an unabashed "cheerleader for public education" and some think I am "rocking the boat far too much."

Let me set the record straight:

- I believe our public schools are the true statue of liberty of this great country of ours - taking the tired the hungry, the poor and giving our children hope and opportunity - and our teachers are the torch.

- We will be better off when the only adjective that matters before "school" - be it private, public or charter - is QUALITY!

- Too much time is focused on power, control, politics and adults and not enough on teaching, learning and children.

- Schools need to change to meet the demands of the 21st century, global, technologically driven, hyper-competitive world. This means developing schools that will prepare ALL of our kids to compete on the world stage; addressing the runaway health and pension costs; and consolidating the more than 550 school districts and redirecting

more resources to the classroom.

During the past two years I have touched on many subjects on these pages. Clearly, I do not have all the ideas or knowledge and do not pretend to. I appreciate the readers who agree with my ideas and those of you who do not. The ability for us all to express and act on our ideas is what makes this country great.

Perhaps Adlai E. Stevenson, Jr., said it best in 1952 when he said, "If we value the pursuit of knowledge, we must be free to follow wherever that search may lead us. The free mind is not a barking dog, to be tethered on a 10-foot chain."

So, break the chain and keep the ideas flowing. Our collective ideas, energy and commitment are the ingredients that help our communities and state soar.

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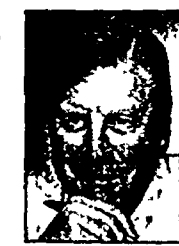
# People, not government, will guide state politics

As Michigan government lurches closer and closer to financial disaster, it's important to remember the very human element behind all the budgetary mumbo-jumbo and political skirmishing.

Three people are absolutely critical to any solution: Gov. Jennifer Granholm, House Speaker Andy Dillon, D-Redford Township, and Sen. Majority Leader Mike Bishop, R-Rochester.

Certainly, as Democrats, Granholm and Dillon have more in common than they do with Bishop. But their situations are different.

Now in her second term, the governor is legally prevented from running again. With U.S. Senator Carl Levin, a fellow Democrat, seeking re-election, there is no higher office she can run for when she leaves the governor's mansion. To put it plainly, for her, the risks of being bold and decisive are relatively slight.



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Dillon, on the other hand, was elected speaker by a slim majority in his own caucus (30-28) and doesn't have much maneuvering room, especially with organized labor, which was lukewarm at best towards his candidacy.

Moreover, he can serve another term after this one, and has a vested interest in maintaining Democratic control of the House. That could be endangered next year if the voters perceive Democrats are behaving too rashly during this crisis.

Bishop is in an equally vulnerable position. He's the odd man out in any negotiations with Democrats Dillon and Granholm. Moreover, he was elected Majority Leader by only one vote, and Lansing insiders report his caucus is largely composed of Alpha Males, many of whom think they could do a better job than he.

But once you've taken in all

this calculus, it's important to recognize that all three top leaders - Granholm, Dillon and Bishop - are smart, capable, and well-intentioned people. They're genuinely interested in making good policy to save our state. They are also realistic enough to know if they are too dogmatic, overly partisan or merely ineffective, they'll quickly be blamed for disaster.

Plus, Dillon and Bishop have a good personal relationship. I can't prove it, but experience and common sense make me pretty sure that there are lots of negotiations going on privately in Lansing between our big three. They are all genuinely motivated to do the right thing, which counts for a lot.

There's also something useful in reflecting about how previous Michigan governors would have dealt with this crisis. I'm lucky enough (and old enough) to have known some of them.

Gov. G. Mennen Williams (together with his long time friend, state Democratic Party Chairman Neil Staeble) made the

Michigan Democratic Party into a powerhouse of citizen participation.

My guess is that Williams, in office from 1949 to 1960, would have convened a series of citizen meetings designed to give "Joe and Josephine Six Pack" a good look at the facts behind the crisis.

Then, he would have listened hard for their advice.

Gov. William G. Milliken (1969-82) was a Republican, but the consummate bipartisan bridge builder.

During his governorship, he created "the quadrant" - weekly meetings between himself and the top Democratic and Republican leaders of both houses of the legislature.

They would hash things out and come to consensus solutions. Given today's situation, Milliken would have convened the quadrant and worked feverishly and almost non-stop to find common ground.

Former Gov. George Romney (1963-69) a hard-charging busi-

nessman, would have insisted on common-sense, businesslike solutions to our present crisis. He would have summoned the state's top business leaders to meet with him and top legislators.

Then, he would have pushed for a top-down solution, the way he was accustomed to doing business as head of American Motors.

John Engler was also a Republican, but a very different one. As governor (1991-2002) Engler was a great combination of policy wonk (carefully hidden from public view) and bare-knuckle partisan.

Under today's conditions, he would have met first with GOP legislative and party leaders, looked six moves down the partisan chess board... then called in the Democrats to lay out their (uncomfortable) choices for them.

My old friend, the late Ed McNamara, was mayor of Livonia and then Wayne County executive. A man disinclined to take much guff from anybody, McNamara would have invited

legislative leaders from both parties into his office, locked the door and told them they couldn't come out until they'd hashed out a solution.

There is something to that last idea, especially in times of looming crisis. And I wouldn't be surprised if Gov. Granholm did something very similar in the next couple of weeks. Somebody, at any rate, better do something, and soon.

Phil Power is a longtime observer of politics, economics and education issues in Michigan, and was a regent of the University of Michigan from 1987 to 1999. He is also president and founder of The Center for Michigan, a moderate think-and-do tank. These opinions and others expressed in his columns are his own and do not in any way represent official policy positions of The Center for Michigan. Phil would be pleased to hear from readers at [ppower@hcnnet.com](mailto:ppower@hcnnet.com).



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# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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## NORTHVILLE EVENTS

### Northville High School Senior Student Art Show

DATE: Through April 22  
TIME: 1-7 p.m. Thursday; 4:30-8:30 p.m. Friday; 12:30-4:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday  
LOCATION: Northville Art House, 215 W. Cady St.  
DETAILS: The exhibit showcases the work of students selected by Northville High School art teachers. The show is planned and executed by the students.  
CONTACT: (248) 344-0497

### Michigan Paralyzed Veterans of America Open House

DATE: Today  
TIME: 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.  
LOCATION: MPVA Headquarters, 40500 Grand River Ave., Novi  
DETAILS: This will be the debut of the "Ford Michigan Mobility Resource Guide." The publication provides information that any driver with disabilities can use to achieve greater independence in daily life. The open house will feature displays and information about products and services that improve the quality of life for people with spinal cord injuries or disease.  
CONTACT: (248) 476-9000

### Book Signing

DATE: Saturday  
TIME: 2-4 p.m.  
LOCATION: Barnes & Noble, Six Mile and Haggerty Roads  
DETAILS: Author Susan McKenna will discuss "Divorce: Healing Hurting Hearts" and sign copies of her new children's book, "Feelings Only I Know: Mom and Dad are Getting Divorced."

### Daughters of the American Revolution

Northville/Plymouth Chapter  
DATE: Monday, April 16  
TIME: noon  
LOCATION: Northville District Library  
DETAILS: This will be the annual meeting and sandwich luncheon.  
CONTACT: (734) 459-4764

### American Association of University Women

DATE: Tuesday, April 17  
TIME: 6:45 p.m.  
LOCATION: Northville District Library  
DETAILS: The program will be "Kids 4 Afgan Kids Project."  
CONTACT: Beth Ann Knisely, (248) 305-8992

### Northville Democratic Club Town Hall Meetings

DATES: Tuesdays, April 17, May 17  
TIME: 7 p.m.  
LOCATION: Hillside Middle School Forum  
DETAILS: The meetings will host a guest speaker on important issues facing our state and country. The subjects to be presented are: March 27-America's Middle East Challenge; April 17-Michigan's Budget Crisis; May 17-Earth's Changing Climate. All meetings are open to the community, and admission is free.  
CONTACT: (248) 465-1995

### Northville Downtown Development Authority

### Meeting

DATE: Tuesday, April 17  
TIME: 8 a.m.  
LOCATION: City Council Chambers, 215 West Main St.  
DETAILS: All are welcome to attend the monthly meeting of the DDA.  
CONTACT: (249) 349-0345 or go to Downtownnorthville.com

### Northville Chamber of Commerce State of the Community Luncheon

DATE: Wednesday, April 18  
TIME: noon  
LOCATION: Meadowbrook Country Club  
DETAILS: This luncheon provides the community the opportunity to hear from the city and township officials about the future of the area. Tickets are \$35 per person.  
CONTACT: (248) 349-7640

### Book Club Meeting

DATE: Friday, April 20  
TIME: 7 p.m.  
LOCATION: Starbucks, 302 East Main St., Northville  
DETAILS: The book for April will be "Their Eyes Were Watching God" by Zora Neale Hurston  
CONTACT: northvillebookclub@gmail.com

### Johnson Creek Protection Group

Earth Day Storm Drain Marking  
DATE: Saturday, April 21  
TIME: 9 a.m.-noon  
LOCATION: Meet at Northville Township Hall, 44405 Six Mile Road  
DETAILS: Help the group mark storm water drains with "No Dumping Drains to River" in order to increase awareness that all of the trash, dirt and chemicals used around your home drains right into our local creeks, rivers and lakes. The intent is to prevent harmful pollutants from ending up in our waterways.  
CONTACT: www.jcpg.org for more information.

### Northville Newcomers and Neighbors

Whirlyball Night  
DATE: Saturday, April 21  
TIME: 7 p.m.  
LOCATION: SoccerZone, Grand River Avenue, Novi  
DETAILS: Join us for an evening of Whirlyball. Whirlyball is a basketball-like game played in bumper cars on an indoor court. Cost is \$15 per person and includes the game and appetizers and cash bar. RSVP required by April 14.  
Jiffy Baking Company Tour  
DATE: Tuesday, April 24  
TIME: 10 a.m.  
LOCATION: Meet at MAGS parking lot to carpool to Jiffy Baking Company, Chelsea.  
DETAILS: Lunch at 11 a.m. at the Common Grill, time to shop in Chelsea's lovely boutiques and a 1 1/2 hour tour of Jiffy, which begins at 1:30 p.m. The tour is free. Reservations are limited to 30; RSVP required by April 17.  
CONTACT: Nancy Murphy, (248) 305-5460, for both events.

### Fund-raiser for Multiple Sclerosis

DATE: April 22, 23  
LOCATION: Chicago Uno Grill, 20420 Haggerty Road  
DETAILS: 20 percent of proceeds from orders will be donated to benefit the National Multiple Sclerosis Society Longest Day of Golf Event. Make sure to tell them that you are there to benefit the National Multiple Sclerosis Society.  
CONTACT: (734) 432-6091

Health Screenings at Meijer  
LOCATION: 20401 Haggerty Road  
DATE: Tuesday, May 1  
DETAILS: The pharmacy at Meijer will offer the following tests for low cost: Cholesterol, \$30; Liver Function, \$15; Diabetes Screening, \$4; Hemoglobin A1C, \$30. You will receive results within 15 minutes. All tests include consultation and explanation of results by the pharmacist, answers to questions about your medications and blood pressure check. Appointments are necessary.  
CONTACT: (248) 449-5733

### Beckridge Chorale Sing for the Cure

TIME/DATE: 8 p.m. Saturday, May 5; 3 p.m. Sunday, May 6  
LOCATION: Northville High School  
DETAILS: Proceeds from this concert will go to the Barbara Karmanos Cancer Institute. Sing for the Cure is a musical interpretation of the journey through the diagnosis and treatment of breast cancer. Each song is set to the music of composers who have been touched by breast cancer in some way. Tickets are \$25 and \$30.  
CONTACT: (866) 924-4276 or go to www.Plycommunitychorus.org

### Marquis Theatre

LOCATION: 135 E. Main St.  
CONTACT: (248) 349-8110 or www.northvillemarquistheatre.com  
Raggedy Ann and Andy  
SCHEDULE: 2:30 p.m. Saturdays through April 28; 2:30 p.m. Sundays through April 29; 2:30 p.m. Monday-Friday April 9-13  
DETAILS: Tickets are \$8 each. No children under 16 years of age. Summer Theatre Camp Registration  
DETAILS: Registration for two-week Day Camp or Ducky Camp sessions is now being accepted. Save \$25 if tuition is paid in full by April 13. Contact the theatre or go to the Web site for more information on session dates, times, and tuition.

### Genitti's Little Theater

LOCATION: 108 E. Main St.  
CONTACT: (248) 349-0522 or www.genitti.com  
Dinner Theatre - "Law & Disorder"  
TIME/DATES: 6:30 p.m. every Saturday through April 14  
DETAILS: Interactive comedy for \$45 per person. Call for reservations.  
New Children's Theater Show  
TIME/DATE: 4 p.m. Monday, April 16; 11:30 Saturday, April 28  
DETAILS: Meal features soup, garlic bread, pasta, salad, chicken, lemonade and brownies. Show is "Commander Panic." Tickets are \$14.95 for children and \$16.95 for adults.  
Dinner Theater - "In Stitches"  
TIME/DATES: 6:30 p.m. Saturdays, April 21-June 30; 7 p.m. various Friday dates, please inquire or go to Web site.  
DETAILS: Tickets are \$45 per person.  
Frank Sinatra and Dean Martin Tribute from Las Vegas  
TIME/DATE: 7 p.m. Friday, May 11; 4 p.m. Sunday, May 13  
DETAILS: Tickets are \$45 per person for the Friday show and \$35 per person for the Sunday show.  
Neil Diamond Tribute  
TIME/DATE: 7 p.m. Friday, June 8  
DETAILS: Tickets are \$45 per person.  
The Bette Midler Tribute From Las Vegas  
TIME/DATE: 7 p.m. Friday, July 6th; 4 p.m. Sunday, July 8  
DETAILS: Tickets are \$45 per person for the Friday show and \$35 per person for the Sunday show.  
Genitti's Acting Workshops  
DATE: We will open any date for 10 or more.  
DETAILS: Enjoy our famous family-style lunch or dinner, then practice voice and body movement with one of our actors on stage. Play theater games. Take a backstage tour. \$16.95 per person. Everyone gets a Genitti's fun patch.

### Senior Events

Friday  
9:30 a.m.: Strength Training  
11 a.m.: Poker  
11 a.m.: Computer II  
1 p.m.: Movie-The Pursuit of Happiness  
Monday  
9:30 a.m.: Strength Training  
10 a.m.: Oxydice  
10 a.m.: Line Dance  
12:30 p.m.: Pinochle/Euchre  
1 p.m.: Computer I  
Chair Massage by appointment  
Tuesday  
10 a.m.: Grip Strength  
10 a.m.: Landscape Painting  
10 a.m.: Book Club  
10 a.m.: Computer II  
12:30 p.m.: Pinochle  
1 p.m.: Fitness RX  
4 p.m.: Travel Extravaganza  
7 p.m.: Tai Chi  
Wednesday  
10 a.m.: Oxydice  
11:30 a.m.: Red Hat Party, Canton  
noon: Men's Health Challenge  
noon: Bridge  
1 p.m.: Computer I  
7 p.m.: Bridge

### Mens Health Challenge

DATE: Wednesday, April 18  
TIME: noon-4 p.m.  
LOCATION: Northville Senior Community Center  
DETAILS: This is an afternoon dedicated to men's health issues. Pamela Ceo, Urology Nurse Practitioner from St. Joseph Mercy Hospital will give a presentation addressing an overview on men's health with an emphasis on prostate health. The following health screenings will be available: glucose, blood pressure, cholesterol, vision, hearing, depression, posture and golf related chiropractic. A variety of informational booths will be available. This is free of charge and drop-ins are welcome.

### Ongoing Board Games

DATE: Tuesday  
TIME: 1 p.m.  
LOCATION: Senior Community Center, 303 W. Main St.  
CONTACT: (248) 649-4140

### Ongoing Card Games

Bridge  
TIME/DAY: 12:30 p.m. Monday  
Euchre  
TIME/DAY: noon-3:30 p.m. Wednesday  
Pinochle (double deck)  
TIME/DAY: 12:30-4:30 p.m. Monday and Thursday  
Pinochle (single deck)  
LOCATION: Senior Community Center, 303 W. Main St.

### Co-ed Adult 50+ Volleyball

TIME/DAYS: 10 a.m.-noon  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
LOCATION: Recreation Center at Hillside  
DETAILS: All levels of play are welcome. Bring your friends. Cost is \$1.  
CONTACT: Northville Parks and Recreation, (248) 449-9947

### Co-ed Adult 50+ Basketball

TIME/DAY: 10 a.m.-noon  
Thursdays  
LOCATION: Senior Community Center  
DETAILS: All levels of play are welcome. Bring your friends. Cost is \$1.  
CONTACT: Northville Parks and Recreation, (248) 449-9947

### Health Walking

DATE: Monday-Friday  
TIME: 8-10 a.m.  
LOCATION: Senior Community Center gym, 303 W. Main St.

### LIBRARY LINES

LOCATION: 212 W. Cady St., near Northville City Hall; parking off Cady Street  
TIME/DAY: 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday-Saturday; and 1-5 p.m. Sunday  
CONTACT: For information or to register for programs and request or renew library materials, (248) 349-3020  
Kids Club  
TIME/DATE: 4:30 p.m. today  
DETAILS: This program is for children in first, second and third grades. It will feature stories, games and crafts. Registration is required.  
Little Me Storytime  
TIME/DATE: 10:30 a.m. Friday  
DETAILS: This is a drop in storytime for children 10 months to 2 years old, along with parents or care givers, with bean bag fun and simple stories. No registration required.  
Evening Storytime for Families  
TIME/DATE: 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 18  
DETAILS: Children can wear their pajamas and enjoy a lively storytime. Best suited children 3 and under but all ages welcome. No registration needed.  
Books, Chat and Chow  
TIME/DATE: Wednesday, April 16  
DETAILS: This book discussion group for children in sixth grade continued on next page

Wednesday Night

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and up will feature the "The Bielski Brothers: the True Story of Three Men Who Defied the Nazis, Saved 1,200 Jews and Built a City in the Forest" by Peter Duffy.

### Celebrate National Library Week with a Ventriloquist Show

TIME/DATE: 4:15 p.m.  
Thursday, April 19  
DETAILS: Ventriloquist Vikkie Gasko will perform "Reading Pirates Versus Super Danny" with a cast of characters and audience volunteers. Due to space limitations, the library cannot accommodate day care, preschool or after school groups. 100 free tickets will be available at the Information Desk five minutes prior to the program. Tickets are not available in advance.

### Movies at the Library

TIME/DATE: 6:30 p.m. Monday, April 23

DETAILS: The movie "Ship of Fools" will be showing.  
Junior Books, Chat and Chow  
TIME/DATE: 4:15 p.m.,

Wednesday, April 25  
DETAILS: This is for children in fourth and fifth grades. Make friends, have treats and discuss "Flush" by Carl Hiaasen.

### Memories of a Holocaust Survivor

TIME/DATE: 7 p.m. Monday, April 30

DETAILS: Sam Offen tells the inspirational story of overcoming his years in a Nazi concentration camp in World War II. Registration required.

### Friends Book and Author Luncheon

TIME/DATE: noon, Tuesday, May 1

LOCATION: Fox Hills Country Club  
DETAILS: This luncheon will feature author and attorney Steve Lehto, whose book "Death's Door," tells the story of a fire catastrophe in 1913 in the Upper Peninsula, that shaped modern day law. Tickets are \$25 and are available at the Library. Proceeds from this event supports four area libraries.

## MAYBURY STATE PARK

LOCATION: Eight Mile Road, between Beck and Napier Roads  
CONTACT: (248) 349-8390

### Trail Riders Association Easter Egg Hunt/Spring Ride

DATE: Sunday, April 29  
TIME: 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

DETAILS: Bring your horse and join in the fun. The cost is a \$5 donation for members, \$8 donation for nonmembers. Lunch is included. A State Park sticker is required.

CONTACT: Heidi-Drumier@charter.net or Sandra-Sowright@aol.com

### Maybury Farm

LOCATION: Maybury State Park

CONTACT: (248) 374-0200  
HOURS: noon-4 p.m., closed Mondays and holidays

NOTE: The farm will be open as weather permits. The farm will be closed if there is rain, snow or temperatures below 50 degrees.

### Sheep Shearing

DATE: Saturday, April 28, and Sunday, April 29  
TIME: 1-4 p.m.

DETAILS: Come out and watch the sheep get their annual haircut.

Trot for Animals  
DATE: Saturday, May 12  
DETAILS: This is a 5K walk/run through Maybury Farm with something for all ages. The proceeds will help feed the animals through the winter months. There will be a "Bunny Walk" for children and seniors and the "Trotter Trail" and "Rooster Run" are for the more experienced walkers/runners. To register and receive a "Trot for Animals" form, call (248) 374-0200

## CHURCH EVENTS

### First Presbyterian Church of Northville

LOCATION: 200 E. Main St.  
CONTACT: (248) 349-0911  
Sunday Worship  
TIME: 9:30, 11 a.m.

Single Place Ministries  
CONTACT: www.singleplace.org  
PROGRAMS:

Tonight: Open Forum I: "Travel-The Top 10 Places to See" presented by Shelly Fogelman; Open Forum II: "Married of Single" presented by Tony and Trudy Valenti.

April 19: "Laughter is the Best Medicine" with Walt Slasinski. Learn how humor can boost your immune system.

April 26: "Can You Hear Me Now" presented by Joanne Estes.

Learn new communication skills and generate stronger connections with anyone.

### Divorce Recovery Workshop II

DATE: May 17-June 14

TIME: 7:30-9 p.m.

DETAILS: The cost for the workshop is \$45. Child care is available for toddlers through sixth grade. Register for child care at least two weeks before workshop starts. Registration for workshop required.

CONTACT: (248) 349-0911  
Walking Group  
TIME: 11:30 a.m.

LOCATION: First, second and fourth Saturday, Big Apple Bagel Shop, 2334 Farmington Road, Farmington; Third Saturday, Panera Bread Co., 34635 Grand River Ave., Farmington  
DETAILS: This is a walking/social group. Everyone is invited.

### elmoTHUMM Concert

DATE: Sunday, April 29

TIME: 7 p.m.

DETAILS: This group is the Midwest's reigning Harmony Sweepstakes Champions. They will perform rock and contemporary classics. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$10 for seniors (65 and older), \$5 for students (12-18) and free for children 11 and under. Contact the church to obtain tickets.

### First Baptist Church of Northville

LOCATION: 217 N. Wing

CONTACT: (248) 348-1020

Sunday Worship: 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Ladies Bible Study: 9:30 a.m.

and 7 p.m. Tuesdays

Men's Bible Study: 9 a.m. first Saturday of every month

"Answers in Genesis" Conference

TIME/DATE: 9:30 and 11 a.m., 6 and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 15; 7 p.m. Monday, April 16; 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 17

DETAILS: Carl Kerby will help you discover how to defend Biblical truth, answer some of the most asked questions about the Bible and help to build a Biblical world view. This event is open to the public and free of charge.

### Detroit First Church of the Nazarene

LOCATION: 21260 Haggerty Road

CONTACT: (248) 348-7600

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship: 10:50 a.m.

Wednesday Bible Study, Youth & Children Ministries: 7 p.m.

### Meadowbrook Congregational

LOCATION: 21355 Meadowbrook Road

CONTACT: Rev. Ed Willingham,

Interim Minister, (248) 348-7757,

or visit www.mbccc.org or gmccc@arounddetroit.biz

Sunday Worship  
TIME: 10 a.m.

### Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church

LOCATION: 40000 Six Mile Road

CONTACT: (248) 374-7400

Motherless Daughters Seminar

DATE: Thursdays through May 10

TIME: 7-9 p.m.

LOCATION: Room A101

DETAILS: We support, encourage, discuss and evaluate feelings associated with the loss of a mother. Through healing, find strength and joy ahead.

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)

DATE: First and third Thursday of the month

TIME: 7-9 p.m.

LOCATION: Room C307-309

DETAILS: MOPS is an international organization that provides support and encouragement for mothers of young children.

CONTACT: Keli Plansinis,

aplajintennis@comcast.net or Women's Ministries (248) 374-5978

### WOW Tuesdays

DAY: Tuesdays

TIME: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

LOCATION: Chapel, NE corner of church

DETAILS: WOW Tuesdays offer seven different classes, four new. Something for everyone, Bible veterans or wanting to learn more. Small groups enable richer, deeper understanding of God's Word and how we can apply it to our everyday lives.

20s and 30s Women's Bible Study

DATE: Tuesdays

TIME: 7-8:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Room C317-319

DETAILS: Study Scriptures in this 12-week program through "Breaking Free," a video series by Beth Moore. Reserve workbook.

CONTACT: Women's Ministries

## List your event in our calendar!

To be included in the Community Calendar, please send event name, date, time, location, details and contact.

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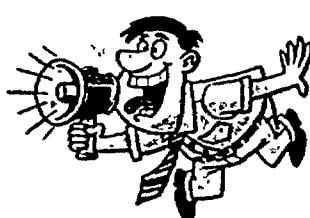
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businesses to help raise money, from April 16-30, toward food baskets for families assisted by the Northville Civic Concern. All money must be turned in to the Chamber no later than May 2. Cash and checks made out to "Grocery Baskets" only. For more information, contact (248) 349-7640 or go to chamber@northville.org.

### Midwest Rabbit Rescue and Rehoming

DETAILS: This organization houses, treats and adopts out rabbits to new homes. They would appreciate donations to support their efforts in the responsible care and treatment of indoor pet rabbits. To make a donation, call Dominique Moroz, (248) 348-8519. For more information on Rabbit Rescue and Rehoming, go to www.rabbitrr.org. To adopt a pet rabbit, the shelter is open 12:30-4 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday or by appointment.

### Dance Art Requested

DETAILS: National Dance Week is April 20-29. In recognition of this, Center Stage Dance Company invites dancers from all studios to submit an artistic representation of dance, including photography, drawings, sculpture, collage, etc. One entry per person will be accepted. The pieces will be showcased at the Northville Parks and Recreation dance performance in June. Entries must contain the following information on the front of the artwork: the phrase "National Dance Week" and the dates "April 20 to April 29, 2007". Name, age and phone number must be on the back of the art. Work must be submitted to Center Stage Dance Company, 43334 W. Seven Mile Road, Suite 250, Northville, MI 48167, by April 20.  
CONTACT: (248) 380-1666

### Beautiful Singles Hiking

TIME/DAY: 9:30 a.m. First and third Sundays of the month  
LOCATION: Maybury State Park  
DETAILS: Join singles of all ages for hiking and other activities.

CONTACT: http://groups.yahoo.com/groups/BSHiking/

### Maybury Farm

DETAILS: The Farm needs help in the following areas: In the barn, cleaning on Mondays and Tuesdays and feeding the animals; four people to work part-time on weekdays and weekends to assist with hayrides; must be experienced; docents to assist with the school programming. Call (248) 374-8200.

### Northville Community Foundation Independence Day Parade

DETAILS: Planning is under way for the parade. Volunteers are needed for both the committee and parade day. Call (248) 374-0200</

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## PARKS AND RECREATION ACTIVITIES

**LOCATION:** 775 N. Center St., back entrance of Hillside Middle School

**CONTACT:** For registration and information on camps, classes and activities, (248) 349-0203 or visit [www.northvilleparksandrec.org](http://www.northvilleparksandrec.org)

### Group Fitness Classes

**DETAILS:** Classes include Yoga, Pilates Ball, Aerobics, Step, Kickboxing, Cycle and overall strength training. The class schedules are flexible and vary. A monthly calendar is available at [www.northvilleparksandrec.org](http://www.northvilleparksandrec.org), or call (248) 349-0203. The fees are \$5 for drop-in or \$45 for a monthly resident pass for unlimited classes. The classes will be held at Hillside Recreation Center or the Senior Community Center. All fitness levels are welcome to participate and certified instructors are there to provide safe and fun workouts.

### Open Basketball

**DATE:** Every Sunday  
**TIME:** 6-9 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Senior Community Center, 303 W. Main St.  
**DETAILS:** The fee is \$3 per person.

### Open Family Basketball

**DATE:** Every Sunday  
**TIME:** 4-6 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Senior Community Center, 303 W. Main St.  
**DETAILS:** There is a fee of \$2 per person.

### Open 40+ Basketball

**DATE:** Every Wednesday  
**TIME:** 7-9:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Senior Community Center, 303 W. Main St.  
**DETAILS:** The fee is \$3 per person.

### Open Volleyball

**TIME/DATE:** 7-10 p.m. Thursdays; 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturdays  
**LOCATION:** Recreation Center at Hillside  
**DETAILS:** There is a fee of \$4 per person for Thursday and \$4

per person for Saturday.

### Open Badminton

**DATE:** Every Tuesday and Friday  
**TIME:** 7-9:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Recreation Center at Hillside  
**DETAILS:** Competitive style badminton is available. All skill levels are welcome. The cost is \$7 per night.

### Table Tennis

**TIME/DAY:** 6-10 p.m. Monday and noon-4 p.m. Saturday  
**LOCATION:** Hillside Recreation Center, 700 W. Baseline Road  
**DETAILS:** Eight tables are available. All skill levels are welcome. The cost is \$4 per day.

### Total Golf Adventure's Golf Enrichment Program

**DATE:** Tuesdays April 24-June 5  
**TIME:** 4-5 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Recreation Center at Hillside Waterford Room  
**DETAILS:** TGA introduces students to the game of golf through a five-level enrichment program that promotes advancement and achievement while teaching the game in a fun atmosphere. TGA's program promotes values, life skills, coordination and achievement. Equipment provided. Fees from \$160-\$170.  
**CONTACT:** (734) 459-2128, [tgaofmichigan@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tgaofmichigan@sbcglobal.net) or [www.totalgolfadventures.com](http://www.totalgolfadventures.com).

## CLASS REUNIONS

### Northville High School-Class of 1987

**DATE:** Saturday, July 28  
**LOCATION:** Dirty Martini, Novi  
**DETAILS:** Purchase tickets and make hotel reservations online beginning in May. Details to come.  
**CONTACT:** Chris (Hornberger) Niles, (248) 449-7597

### Northville High School-Class of 1997

**DATE:** Saturday, June 9  
**TIME:** 6 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** 5th Avenue Ballroom, Novi  
**DETAILS:** Tickets are \$30 per person or \$50 per couple.

Reservations are due by April 16. Make checks payable, and send, to: Matt Zielinski, 12829 Lantana Ridge Court, Austin, TX 78732  
**CONTACT:** [megcauzillo@gmail.com](mailto:megcauzillo@gmail.com) or go to <https://groups.google.com/group/nhsiparty97>

## REGIONAL

### Master Gardener Association of Wayne County

**DATE:** Tonight  
**TIME:** 7:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Environmental Interpretive Center, University of Michigan-Dearborn campus, 4901 Evergreen Road, Dearborn.  
**DETAILS:** The meeting will feature Pat Sagert, Certified Tea Etiquette Consultant, who will speak on herbal teas.  
**CONTACT:** (734) 786-6860 or go to [www.mgawc.org/events](http://www.mgawc.org/events)

### Bob Milne Concert

**DATE:** Saturday  
**TIME:** 7 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Whitmore Lake High School Theater, 7430 Whitmore Lake Road  
**DETAILS:** Bob Milne is the world's leading ragtime pianist and a great entertainer. This concert is a fund-raiser for the Whitmore Lake High School Marching Band program. Tickets are \$15 general admission and are available at the door.

### Schoolcraft Community College

**Collage Concert**  
**DATE:** Saturday  
**TIME:** 8 p.m.  
**LOCATIONS:** VisTaTech Center, DiPonio Room  
**DETAILS:** The concert will feature a wide variety of music from composers such as Strauss, Bach, Metheny, Gillespie and Shostakovich. Performers will include the college's Choral Union, Jazz Band, Piano Department and Wind Ensemble and Synthesizer Ensemble. The concert is free, but donations are encouraged.  
**CONTACT:** (734) 462-4403

### Western Wayne County Genealogical Society

**DATE:** Monday, April 16  
**TIME:** 6:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Livonia Senior Center, 15218 Farmington Road, Livonia  
**DETAILS:** There will be two sessions for this meeting. At 6:30, Sue Cromwell will present "Obits, Death Records, Cemeteries, Funeral Homes and Their Connections". The main speaker following the 7:30 p.m. business

meeting will be John Castle on researching Michigan's township records.

**CONTACT:** Margie, (734) 522-4050 or go to <http://www.rootsweb.com/~miwwcgs/>

**How to Grow Your Business: Effective Marketing Techniques for Small Businesses**

**DATE:** Thursday, April 19  
**TIME:** 6-9 p.m.

**DETAILS:** This seminar will provide a comprehensive guide to re-evaluate your product, pricing it effectively, marketing it and distributing it. Participants will learn how to identify and retain the correct customers and develop a marketing plan with a supporting budget. The cost is \$40 per person and registration is required.

**CONTACT:** (734) 462-4438

**Assistance in Marketing to the Federal Government**

**DATE:** Tuesday, April 24  
**TIME:** 1-4 p.m.

**DETAILS:** Contractors who would like to learn more about General Services Administration federal supply schedules can receive assistance in marketing to the federal government. The cost of the seminar is \$40. Reservations are required.

**CONTACT:** (734) 462-4438 or e-mail [info@schoolcraft.edu](mailto:info@schoolcraft.edu)

### Henry Ford Community College Theatre for Young Audiences

**DATES:** Friday-Sunday, April 13-15, April 20-22 and April 27-29  
**TIMES:** Fridays 7 p.m.; Saturdays 2 and 7 p.m.; Sundays 2 p.m.

**DETAILS:** The theatre will present "The Jungle Book," adapted by April Dawn Gladu, with music by Daniel Levy. The program is targeted for children in grades kindergarten through seventh. Tickets are \$7 for adults, \$5 for children high school age and below, and groups of 10 or more are \$4. Reservations available.  
**CONTACT:** (313) 845-9817

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### Plymouth Symphony Orchestra Pops Concert

**DATE:** Friday, April 20  
**TIME:** 6 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Laurel Manor, Livonia

**DETAILS:** This concert and dinner evening is a benefit for the Plymouth Symphony. It will include cash bar and silent and five auctions. Tickets are \$75 for adults, \$35 for children. Tickets can be obtained by phone at (734) 451-2112; fax at (734) 451-3458; by e-mail at [info@plymouthsymphony.org](mailto:info@plymouthsymphony.org); in person at 470 Forest Avenue, Suite 18, Plymouth.

### Plymouth Stamp Show

**TIME/DATE:** 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Saturday, April 28; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday, April 19  
**LOCATION:** Central Middle School, 650 Church St., Plymouth

**DETAILS:** The show will feature 2,800 pages of exhibits, 40 dealers from the U.S. and Canada and seminars. Admission and parking are free.  
**CONTACT:** (734) 699-1026

### Film Premiere-Dom Polski: Dance Hall Days of Detroit's Polonia

**DATE:** Saturday, April 28  
**TIME:** 1-4 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Village Theater at Cherry Hill, Canton  
**DETAILS:** The film is a documentary that celebrates Polish immigrant life and culture in Detroit's east and west side communities. Admission is \$5, including dessert reception. Reservations are recommended.  
**CONTACT:** Laurie Palazzolo, (248) 477-8518 or e-mail [lauriepalazzolo@hotmail.com](mailto:lauriepalazzolo@hotmail.com)

### Adult Softball Leagues

**DATE:** Beginning May 15.  
**LOCATION:** South Lyon  
**DETAILS:** Men play Tuesday or Wednesday, co-ed plays Friday. Registration deadline is Monday, April 30.  
**CONTACT:** South Lyon Area

Recreation (248) 437-8105

### Men's Softball Tournament

**DATE:** Saturday, May 5  
**LOCATION:** Volunteer Park  
**DETAILS:** Each team guaranteed minimum of two games. Deadline for registration is Wednesday, May 2.  
**CONTACT:** South Lyon Area Recreation (248) 437-8105 or [www.slrec.com](http://www.slrec.com).

### Business Networking International

**TIME/DAY:** 7-8:30 a.m. every Thursday  
**LOCATION:** Eastern Michigan University Livonia Campus, 38777 W. Six Mile Road, Suite 400  
**DETAILS:** Visitors are welcome to all meetings. Reservations required.  
**CONTACT:** Jim Green, (248) 345-3302

### Great Books Discussion Group

**TIME/DAY:** First and third Thursday of every month.  
**LOCATION:** Livonia Civic Center Library, Five Mile and Farmington roads  
**DETAILS:** Discuss novels, plays, poetry and nonfiction.  
**CONTACT:** (248) 349-3121

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### Park Pass

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## Seniors make scarves to fight cancer

### ■ Knit one, save two: Area residents rally against deadly disease

By Tracy Mishler  
NEWS SPECIAL WRITER

Carolyn Benivegna spends her days trying to educate others.

After being diagnosed with ovarian cancer in 1998 and currently going through treatment for the third time, Benivegna, 64, of Novi, has made it her ultimate goal to educate women about the disease that has become part of her life.

As founder of the Ovarian Cancer Alliance of Florida-Gulf Coast, Benivegna knew after her diagnoses she had to somehow get the word out about this almost silent disease.

"Ask anyone. Do they know the symptoms?" Benivegna asked. "And they don't. We need to inform them. All the symptoms are subtle and can be mistaken for other things."

While going through treatment, Benivegna said she came up with the idea to start a non-profit organization to educate people, offering educational materials and events to promote research aimed at finding a cure for ovarian cancer.

"We send out about 3,000 newsletters nationwide and hold events," she said. "Many of us are misdiagnosed. I didn't know the risks or the symptoms, and that's why I want to help others."

#### Founding organizations

Benivegna said she ran the Ovarian Cancer Alliance of Florida-Gulf Coast from 1999-2005 when she and her husband,

Paul, moved back to Michigan to be closer to their family.

Though she is in Michigan, Benivegna serves primarily as a board member and still tries to help educate women, including speaking to different groups about ovarian cancer and recruiting different clubs and groups to help with the cause.

Benivegna recently approached Fox Run's Yarn Crafters group about knitting fashionable scarves to send to Florida for a fund-raiser the organization will soon be hosting.

She bought about \$200 worth of colorful yarn and donated it to the group to make the scarves.

"The scarves will be sold with a recommended donation price of about \$15," Benivegna said. "All the money raised is tax deductible and will go toward helping us print and publish materials about ovarian cancer."

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, ovarian cancer is the seventh most common cancer.

Benivegna said anything that can be done to help women become aware of ovarian cancer helps.

"We're losing too many brave women to this disease," she said. "Know your body, take control of your health care and know the risk factors and symptoms of ovarian cancer."

"In doing those things, women can save their own lives or the women they love — a mother, daughter, sister or friend."

#### Helping hands

Carolyn Bradley, 72, of the yarn crafters group, said helping make the scarves for this particular cause really hits home.

"I'm a cancer survivor," Bradley said. "Anything I can do to help that cause, I'm ready

### Ovarian cancer symptoms

- Pelvic or abdominal swelling, bloating or feeling of fullness
- Pelvic or abdominal pain or discomfort
- Vague, but persistent gastrointestinal upsets such as gas, nausea or indigestion
- Frequent or urgent urination without infections
- Unexpected weight gain or weight loss
- Unexplained changes in bowel habits

SOURCE: Ovarian Cancer Alliance of Florida-Gulf Coast, [www.ovariancancer-florida.org](http://www.ovariancancer-florida.org)

### 2007 U.S. ovarian cancer statistics

New cases: 22,430  
Deaths: 15,280

SOURCE: National Cancer Institute

and willing."

Bradley said so far, she has made seven scarves and plans to make many more.

"She (Benivegna) is a real tiger when dealing with this," Bradley said. "I've enjoyed knowing her, and she is a true example of what living is all about."

"I'm glad I can help."

Deloris Roman said the idea behind the yarn crafters group, which began this past January, is to do projects for charity.

"When we were approached with this project, we were delighted to have something different to do," Roman said. "I think every woman is concerned



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northville Record

Carol Benivegna, center, checks out the knitting of Fox Run residents Carolyn Bradley, left, and Barbara Katterman. They are all part of a group that's knitting scarves and hats that will be donated to raise funds for ovarian cancer research.

about cancer in one form or another. This is a good cause, and we're glad to lend a hand."

Benivegna said she is grateful to have the yarn crafters help produce the scarves for the

fund-raiser.

"Fund-raising is a very difficult proposition, especially in today's economy," she said. "I just want the ladies to know they are helping to save lives,

and that's all that matters."

Tracy Mishler is a freelance writer for the Northville Record

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## ALL-AREA HOCKEY

# Little guy plays with big heart



Wildcat Shawn Baxter (white) battles for a loose puck with a Lakeland Eagle.

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### 8 Mustangs make All-Area hockey teams

By Jeff Theisen  
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

Novi hockey senior Shawn Baxter said in his preseason bio that he wanted to get bigger and lead the team in points.

Listed at only 5-foot, 6-inches and 143 pounds, he managed to stand out as the top scorer on the Wildcats' amazing late-season push that landed them in the final four of Division II.

"Shawn plays a whole heckuva lot bigger than he is," Novi Todd Krygier said. "I don't even look at size when I look at hockey players. I look at determination, their effort, skill level and tenacity."

"As soon as I saw him play, Shawn had all those elements from when I first saw him participate in the summer program."

Baxter led the team with 20 assists, 31 points and 78 penalty minutes. He was also one of six Novi players to score in double digits in goals with 11.

Landing in the sin bin more than any other Wildcat may have kept Baxter from scoring more points, but his feistiness was another attribute that Krygier said set him apart.

"He had basically three games worth of penalty minutes," Krygier said. "That's what makes him good though, the chip on the shoulder. You'd like to get that down a little, but overall, that's what makes him good."

"Hopefully, as he goes forward and pursues continuing to play the junior level, he gets more focused and stays out of the box and channels his energies toward scoring more."

The transformation to first-year coach Novi coach Krygier got off to a rocky beginning with a 3-8-1 start. But the players and coaches started to come together when it counted — right before the playoffs.

The longest winning streak of the season (four games) came when every game could've been the last. A 2-1 win against Milford in the quarterfinals put the Wildcats in the final four.

Baxter was one of the biggest reasons for the turnaround.

### All-Area Hockey

**Player of the Year**  
Shawn Baxter, Novi senior

#### First Team

Brandon Wales, Northville sr  
Jeff Donohue, Novi senior  
Drew Cronk, Lakeland senior  
Matt Busterna, Lakeland junior  
Griffin Hodges, Milford soph.  
Ryan Blanz, Milford senior  
Briggs Davis, South Lyon jr

#### Second Team

Steve Dawson, Northville sr  
Anthony Deneau, Northville sr  
Andrew Haggerty, Novi junior  
Jon Sawchuk, Lakeland senior  
Josh Overall, Lakeland senior  
Ryan Tubbs, South Lyon senior  
Mike Whiteman, Milford junior  
Mike Adler, Milford senior

#### Honorable Mention

Matt Kreager, Northville soph.  
Wes Gates, Northville soph.  
Andrew Flynn, Northville senior  
Michael Garbarz, Northville sr  
Kyle Ziomek, Northville senior  
Robert Lewis, Novi senior  
Scott Eberline, Novi senior  
Steve Staffileno, Milford senior  
Nick Kent, Milford senior  
Ryan Murrell, Milford senior  
Levi Parkinson, Milford senior  
Chadwick Wright, S. Lyon sr  
Matt Soulliere, South Lyon sr  
Ryan Carusi, South Lyon senior  
Trevor Lloyd, Lakeland soph.  
Sean Staples, Lakeland soph.  
Mike Penokie, Lakeland senior

"He was a huge contributor to the team, and I think that is why his teammates voted him the most valuable player," Krygier said. "His scoring really came in the second half of the year. He started playing with Kyle Potocki and Jeff Donohue. The three of them are extremely different players that just built a chemistry between them. They really started to put up the numbers."

"It was really over the last three weeks and the playoffs where I started playing him pretty much

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## TENNIS PREVIEW

# Mustangs hope experience pays off

### ■ Nine seniors bring leadership

By Jeff Theisen  
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

Northville head tennis coach Matt Stetson hopes experienced players will bring the team to a higher level.

The Mustangs won their division last year with a 5-0 record and finished third in the WLAA conference meet with an 8-2-1 overall record.

Stetson likes the mix of returnees and newcomers and is expecting big things from this group.

"Depth is by far our greatest strength," Stetson said. "We have a lot of experience also, but that is all part of our depth. By not losing many players and adding some new talent, we should be much stronger this season than we were last season."

"Last year we lost a lot of close matches, especially in our conference. I think we will improve based on experience, and we just need to concentrate on closes out matches."

The returning seniors who played singles last year include Peter Curran (captain), Mike

### 'Stangs lose opener to Novi

Northville played several close matches with Novi but came away winless in an 8-0 loss April 2 to open the season.

The scores of the matches were: Vivek Athalye 6-2, 6-1 against Peter Curran at No. 1; No. 2 Mani Mahadevan 6-3, 6-4 versus Mike Baskins; Roshan Ramachandran 5-7, 6-4, 6-4 against Tim Wasielewski at No. 3 and Gouthan Kondapi beat Steve Irvine 6-4, 6-0 at No. 4.

In doubles play, Ryan Bell and Adam Doster teamed up for a 6-4, 6-1 win at No. 1; Ryan Goodman and Kevin Lai won 2-6, 6-2, 6-3 against Kevin Zhang and David Connett at No. 2;

Baskins, Kevin Zhang and Harry Zhang. David Connett and Jason Raymond return with doubles experience.

Other returnees include junior Andy Mills, junior Phil Irvine, sophomore Lee Schechter and sophomore Mike Hagan.

Two freshmen that will make an impact are singles players Steve Irvine and Tim Wasielewski.

Goals and expectations include repeating as division champs, win-

ning the conference tournament and making it out of a tough regional to the state meet.

The top competition in the WLAA includes Stevenson, Walled Lake Central and Salem, but Stetson said several other teams could pop up and compete.

"This should be a good year for Northville tennis with nine seniors on the team to go along with a lot of young talent," Stetson said. "We have high hopes this season."



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northville Record

### Hustlin' herd of Mustangs!

A group of lady Mustangs takes off on the 1,600 meter race at a meet hosted by Northville High School.

## Sports Shorts

### Novi Wildcat basketball camps

Novi boys basketball coach Pat Schluter is hosting three summer basketball camps.

The Boys basketball camp for grades 2-5 will run 8:30 a.m.-noon and grades 6-9 will be 1-4:30 p.m. July 18-22 at Novi Middle School. Cost of the camp is \$140 and will include all aspects of basketball and player development. Participants will also receive a T-shirt and outdoor basketball.

The boys and girls shooting camp for grades 2-5 will run 12:30-2 p.m. and for grades 6-9 2:15-3:45 p.m. July 23-27 at the Novi Middle School. The camp costs \$68 and will concentrate on all shooting aspects with awards being given to contest winners.

The boys and girls K-2 camp will run 8:30-10 a.m. for one class and 10:15-11:45 for another class July 23-27 at the Novi Middle School. The cost is \$68 for each class and will teach the basic skills of basketball.

Gym clothes and gym shoes are required for all camps.

Registration begins April 16 by calling Novi Community Education at (248) 449-1206.

### All-Area 4-Star Basketball Camp

Novi basketball head coach Pat Schluter is teaming up with South Lyon head coach Daren Clayton to run the All-Area 4-Star Basketball Camp at Livonia Stevenson High School.

The first camp is for boys entering grades 3-6 from 8:30-noon with boys entering grades 7-8 from 1-4:30 p.m. July 9-13.

The second camp is for grades 5-8 from 8:30-noon and grades 9-12 from 1-4:30 p.m. July 16-20.

Each camp cost \$165 and is aimed at improving the serious basketball player.

Space is limited to 100 campers per session.

Visit [www.allareabasketballcamp.com](http://www.allareabasketballcamp.com) for more information.

### Green hosts baseball camp

Rick Green and the Novi Wildcat baseball team are conducting another baseball camp (only outdoors this time) on Saturday, April 28 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Novi High School field for players ages 7-14.

The cost is \$50. Checks should be made out to the Novi Heat and sent to the attention of Rick Green at Novi High School, 24062 Taft Rd., Novi, MI 48375. Any questions, please contact Rick Green at (248) 420-6637 or at [rgreen@servicesports.net](mailto:rgreen@servicesports.net)

### Sheffield to sign book at Novi Borders

New Tiger slugger Gary Sheffield will appear to sign his new book "Inside Power" at 7 p.m. April 18 at the Borders in Novi.

About the book: This above-average sports memoir naturally contains his denial of the steroid charges, but it's also peppered with engaging on-the-field anecdotes, forays inside the competitive mind of a world-class athlete, and thoughtfully presented glimpses of the harsh, often uncaring world of big-time sports.

Borders is located at 43075 Crescent Blvd in Novi. Call Borders at (248) 347-0780 for more information.

### McClain to sign books

Former Tiger Denny McClain will sign his book, "I Told You I Wasn't Perfect," on April 11 and 12.

About The Book: In I Told You I Wasn't Perfect, McClain colorfully recounts his fabulous success in one of baseball's most exciting eras, as well as his rapid fall from glory, two prison stints, and a horrific personal tragedy. It would be a challenge to invent a character that soars to such dizzying heights and then plunges to such depths of despair as McClain did. And it is McClain's ability to finally reflect on his mistakes and self-indulgences that make his story one of the most compelling baseball memoirs to come along in a generation.

McClain will sign his book at the Brighton Borders (8101 Movie Dr.) on April 11 and the next day at the Borders in Arborland (3527 Washtenaw Ave.), with both signings beginning at 7 p.m.

### Novi basketball camp

The Novi basketball camp run by for girls in grades two through nine will take place June 18-22.

An emphasis will be placed on all game phases including dribbling, shooting, pivoting, faking, rebounding, team play, sportsmanship, and an introduction to the Lady Wildcats offensive and defensive schemes. Gym clothes and shoes are required! All participants will receive a T-shirt and outdoor basketball.

The camp for grades 2-5 will run from 8:30 a.m. to noon each day in the field-house. The camp for grades 6-9 will run from 1-4:30 p.m.

The camp is run by Wildcat head coach Bill Kelp.

The fee is \$140, and registration begins April 16 by calling Novi Community Education at (248) 449-1206.



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### Sturgeons gobble up medals!

The Novi Sturgeons Swim Team, of the Sports Club of Novi, placed 7th out of 48 teams at the 13 & Over Michigan State Swimming Championships (USA Swimming). The State Championship meet was held at Eastern Michigan University on March 16-18. Each competitor swims in preliminaries and then swims in the finals if placing in the top 16. All swimmers score points in the finals. The Sturgeons took 34 swimmers to the meet.

Megan Fox finished the state champion in all six of her events, swimming in the Girls 13-14 division. She received First-place medals in the 100 and 200 butterfly, 100 and 200 backstroke and 200 and 400 individual medley. Fox also received a 1st place trophy for the 13-14 Girls Individual High Point Award.

Meredith Cote won four individual medals: second in the 400 IM, third in the 200 IM, and two fourth-place finishes in the 500 and 1,650 freestyle events. The 13-14 Girls 400 Medley Relay consisting of Becca Berman, Chelsea Rauss, Fox and Cote swam into second place in 4:09.71. Fox, Kacie VanBuskirk, Berman and Cote made up the Girls 13-14 800 Freestyle Relay and finished in third place (8:07.77). The Girls 13-14 400 Freestyle Relay (Cote, Fox, Berman, and Samantha Hudson) also received a third-place medal, finishing in 3:45.04.

Other top-ten finishers were: Berman, Matt Lederer, Abby Pavelko, Rauss, and VanBuskirk. Mr. Mark Winter, Mr. Bob Jenrow and Mr. Kevin Hafner coach the Sturgeon Swim Team, which practices at the Sports Club of Novi.



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### High horses!

The sixth grade Northville Mustangs AAU basketball team captured the South Lyon League Championship with a 19-1 record. The Mustangs also won two tournaments and a pre-season mini-league with an amazing overall season record of 36-2. Coaches Dave Brenner, Gary Beason & Steve Patrone are very proud of the team's accomplishments both on and off the court.

Front row, from left, Spencer Conn, Ian Beason, Kyle Brenner, Troy Dolmetch, Clay King. Back row: Coach Patrone, Jake Schmelter, Nick Raad, Brandon Patrone, Coach Brenner, Joel Kish, Evan Blust and Coach Beason.

## Northville H.S. Sport Schedule

#### Baseball

4/16 vs. Wayne, 4 p.m.

#### Softball

4/16 at Wayne, 4 p.m.

#### Track

4/14 at Novi (boys), 2 p.m.

4/19 vs. WL Western (both),

3:30 p.m.

#### Boys Lacrosse

4/17 at AA Huron, 7 p.m.

#### Girls Lacrosse

4/21 at BH Lahser, noon

#### Soccer

4/16 vs. Wayne, 7 p.m.

#### Girls Golf

4/18 at WL Central, 3:30 p.m.

## HOCKEY: Wales on First Team; seven others on All-Area Teams

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### Second Team

every other shift. Pretty much all year I had him at the point on the powerplay, he was one of our top penalty killers, and then his production came along also."

### First Team

Northville senior Brandon Wales turned in the third-highest scoring season in Northville's history with more than 50 points to headline the All-Area First Team.

"We expected him to put the puck in the net, but he even exceeded our expectations," Northville head coach Clint Robert said. "Brandon was one of those kids who led on the ice and in the lockerroom. He never took a practice off."

"From the beginning of the season, he really developed into a two-way player."

Novi senior Jeff Donohue, Lakeland senior Drew Cronk, Lakeland junior Matt Busterna, Milford sophomore Griffen Hodges, Milford senior Ryan Blanz and South Lyon junior Briggs Davis.

Northville seniors Steve Dawson and Anthony Deneau are part of the All-Area Second Team. The rest of the team includes Lakeland senior Jon Sawchuk, Northville junior Andrew Haggerty, Lakeland senior Josh Overall, South Lyon senior Ryan Tubbs, Milford junior Mike Whiteman and Milford senior Mike Adler.

### Honorable Mention

Five Northville players head up the Honorable Mention list — sophomore Matt Kreager, sophomore Wes Gates, senior Andrew Flynn, senior Michael Garbarz and senior Kyle Ziomek.

Also making the list are Novi seniors Robert Lewis and Scott Eberline; Milford seniors Steve Staffileno, Nick Kent, Ryan Murrell and Levi Parkinson; South Lyon seniors Chadwick Wright, Matt Soulliere and Ryan Carusi; and Lakeland senior Mike Penokie and sophomores Trevor Lloyd and Sean Staples.

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Dr. Nevin's Novi dental practice incorporates the latest in dental technology. Here Dr. Nevin uses an intraoral camera to show her patient the teeth she is concerned about.

## New Novi dentist treats everyone like family

By John R. Hall  
 SPECIAL WRITER

**Dr.** Nevin Tchaocheva learned some very valuable lessons while practicing dentistry in her native Bulgaria. She knew that working in a close-knit community meant that everyone treated each other like family.

That's a good thing because it taught her the importance of taking care of her patients — not only because of her dedication to the dental profession, but also because of her dedication to friends and neighbors.

And in a small community, the word spreads quickly about a dentist who cares about her patients.

Today, Dr. Nevin (as she likes to be called) is treating her Novi patients exactly the same way. She opened up her new practice in the Farmer Jack shopping center at Ten Mile Road and Meadowbrook last December, and she has already felt the warmth of the Novi community.

Dr. Nevin and her caring team pride themselves on giving their patients the highest quality care in a comfortable, relaxing, and state-of-the-art environment. From the minute you walk into their office, you will be greeted by friendly professionals who will take sincere interest in you and treat you like family.

Dr. Nevin loves what she does. Long before earning a Doctor of Dental Surgery degree from Medical University in Bulgaria and Doctor of Medical Dentistry degree from the University of Pennsylvania School of Dentistry, she knew what she wanted to do with her life.

By the time she graduated, Dr. Nevin was already looking ahead to the day she would have her own practice — even though she understood how much work it would be.

After completing dental school and working in a Dearborn dental office, Dr. Nevin felt it was time to use her experience and entrepreneurial skills to open her own practice. She wanted a location that was

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close to her Novi home and close to her two children's school.

With the help of her office manager, Julie Bowman, Dr. Nevin successfully introduced her practice to the Novi community.

"I love it when the patient gets up from the chair, looks in the mirror and smiles," she noted.

In the quest to improve her patient's results, Dr. Nevin constantly studies new technologies as they become available.

The office is equipped with the latest technology, including digital X-rays, which allow patients to see the condition of their teeth instantly. Another feature of digital X-rays that patients like is that they operate with 90 percent less radiation than traditional machines.

Dr. Nevin also utilizes intraoral cameras, where patients can see everything that is going on inside their mouths.

Dr. Nevin provides comprehensive dental care, including: root canals, crowns,



Pictured above is one of the relaxing, state-of-the-art operatory areas at Dr. Nevin's dental office.

dentures, implants, teeth whitening, veneers, treatment of tooth sensitivity, snoring prevention and bad breath.

Her extensive training and experience with children make her a natural for treating young patients. One of Dr. Nevin's new patients said the experience has been very enjoyable for her and her daughter.

"For the first time in my life, going to the dentist became a pleasant experience," she said. "The extreme, high quality of professionalism, care, and positive attitude are comforting."

"A trip to the dental office can bring about uneasy feelings," said Dr. Nevin. "At our office, we focus on making our patients comfortable and at ease. We strive to make our patients' trip to the dental office a positive experience."

Patients can relax under a blanket or listen to the music if they choose. But, she

added, "most like to interact and converse."

Dr. Nevin and her team want a lasting relationship where friendly conversation and open communication are the norm.

"From our younger to our older patients, we want to establish and maintain their confidence in our abilities to perform great dentistry, so that a return trip is anticipated, not feared," she said.

Dr. Nevin's office participates with most insurance plans. In a time when dental insurance can be very confusing, office manager Bowman possesses the experience to make it more understandable as she works together with patients.

Dr. Nevin's office offers convenient evening and Saturday appointments, and emergency patients are seen the same day.

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By Cynthia Grochowski  
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An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

In an automobile's case, minor costs for routine maintenance will avoid major expenditures or drastic repairs later.

That's the message from Jim Davis of Davis Auto Care in Northville during April, deemed National Car Care Month by the Car Care Council.

"If you are doing routine maintenance — checking the cooling system, doing oil changes, tune ups, checking brakes — on schedule, 99 percent of the time you will not have a breakdown," Davis emphasized.

### ROUTINE CHECKUP

Every vehicle has a maintenance schedule recommended by the manufacturer, and the schedule differs from model to model, from year to year.

"Different items on the car will wear out or need service at different times," Davis explained. "Every part has a known life expectancy. Checking parts before they fail is crucial. You don't want a failure while on a vacation or on the way to work."

Davis Auto's mechanics are nationally certified ASE master technicians, each with extensive experience, ranging from 20 to 35 years. They take a careful look under the hood at the car's systems, such as belts and hoses, that are susceptible to failure.

"You can catch a lot of problems visually," Davis said.

Fluid levels, including coolant, oil, transmission, brake, and transaxle fluid, were identified by the Car Care Council as the most neglected maintenance items in their roadside surveys recently conducted across the country.

"Taking care of a car's fluids keeps parts from wearing out prematurely," Davis explained. "Replacing transmission fluid will run \$60 to \$90 instead of \$1,500 or more for a transmission rebuild."

"Maintaining the coolant system, changing the antifreeze and looking at the water pump, coolant tubes and hoses are critical," Davis pointed out.

"Snow, dirt and salt wear on the metal coolant tubes that pass under the car. If the tube fails, coolant leaks out and there is nothing to cool the engine. Run 15 minutes without coolant and you have a badly damaged engine. For a few hundred dollars in tube repair you can

save thousands in engine repair." Coolant tubes are just one of dozens of components Davis Auto Care technicians inspect during a routine maintenance check up.

### STAYING ON SCHEDULE

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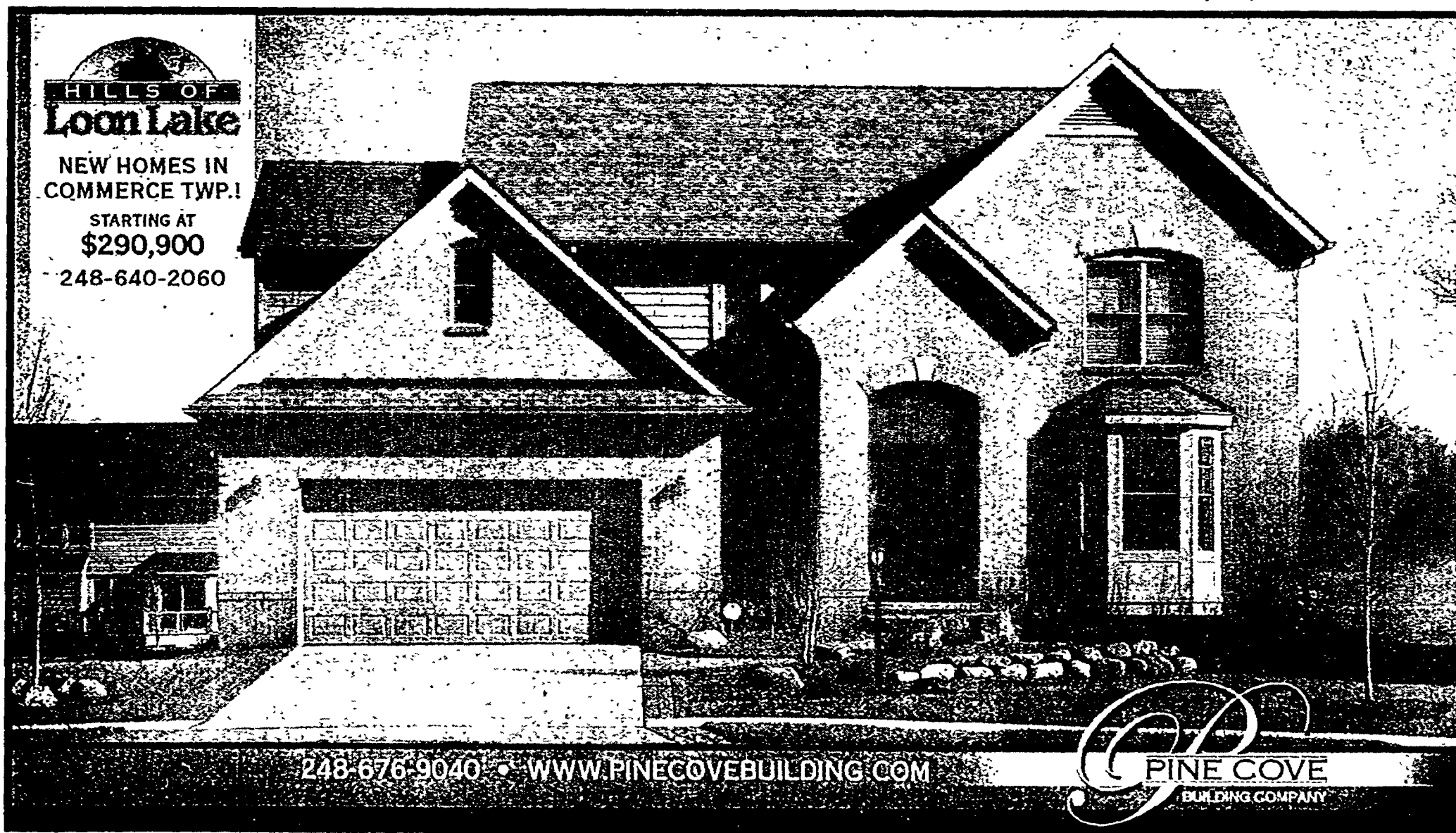
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5 BR, 2.5 Attached Gar/2 Car Detached, Remodel Kit W/maple Cabs & Granite Counters, remodel Mstr Bath W/jac, 1/2 Bth W/limestone fl & Pella Windows T/o  
MLS# 27040135 248-347-3050



**LYONS** \$429,000  
Acreage W/splits Available, 2 Outbuildings-Pole Barn & Garage to Store 8-10 Cars 4 BR, W/formal LR & DR, Family Room W/fp, Paver Patio, Mstr Ste W/balcony  
MLS# 27015380 248-347-3050



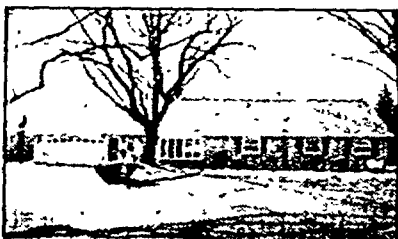
**LYONS** \$425,000  
Golf Course Community To Commons Area! 2-stry Foyer, 1st Fl Lndry, Kit w/Granite Island & Maple Fls. Fin LL W/office & Full Bth, 2-stry Lr & Dr, FR W/ fireplace  
MLS# 27033341 248-347-3050



**NORTHVILLE** \$425,000  
3 BR 3.5 Bath, Chets Kit W/Dbl Oven, 42" Cherry Cab Island & Brkdst Area. FR W/fireplace. Mstr BR W/sitting Area, Bsmt W/fp, 2nd Kitchen, Dining Area, Bath, Pabo & Library. 2 Car Gar.  
MLS# 27043061 248-347-3050



**NORTHVILLE** \$425,000  
Gourmet kit w/HWDD, granite & 42" cherry cab, GR w/step cell & gas FP, vaulted master suite w/ glamour BA w/granite & jetted tub, walkout lower level w/full BA.  
MLS# 27048174 734-453-6800



**HIGHLAND** \$415,000  
Lake frontage & Renovated. Rms w/Lake Views. Updated Kit W/granite Cnters, New Carpet & Windows Deck W/stone Patio Off Mstr BR, Beach area W/Retaining Wall.  
MLS# 27045759 248-347-3050



**FARMINGTON HILLS** \$400,000  
Wooded lot! dual strcs, Newer dimen. roof, Florida rm off kit, Paver walks & patios, 2 FP's, 10' ceilings in bsmt. w/rough-ins, 4 bedroom/2.1baths  
MLS# 27020253 248-347-3050



**NORTHVILLE** \$385,000  
1st Flr Living! Costly Mechanicals Replaced Or Updated. Open Flr Plan Offers Chance To Improve Upon Original Or + Your Own Style Rare Ranch W/ basement.  
MLS# 27051665 248-347-3050



**NOVI** \$385,000  
Better Than New, Vaulted LR, Gourmet Kit W/HW, Snack Bar, Eat-in Nook Fam Rm W/FP, Custom Mantle, Crwn Mldng, Mstr Ste W/Wic, Glam Bath & Side Entry Gar.  
MLS# 27050680 248-347-3050



**NORTHVILLE** \$375,000  
Over 4,000 Sq Ft! Fin LL W/media Rm & Bar, 2 Stry Foyer, Gourmet Kit, 42" Cabs, HW Flr, Granite Snack Bar, Eat-in Nook, Mstr Ste W/WC & Glam Bath.  
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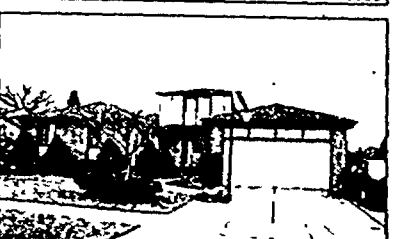
**PLYMOUTH** \$369,000  
3 BR 2 BA renovated Uo in 2003. Prime location! Chet's kit, Pella & Andersen windows, HDWD Uo 1st flr. Mstr ste w/wic-in closet, 2 luxury baths.  
MLS# 27032014 734-453-6800



**PLYMOUTH** \$368,000  
Updates Galore! Spacious 2 Stry W/Fin LL W/game Rm, Wet Bar & 5th BR. Fam Rm W/FP, Sunroom W/ hot Tub, 1st Floor Laundry, 2.5 Car Garage, Paver Pabo & Deck.  
MLS# 27050877 248-347-3050



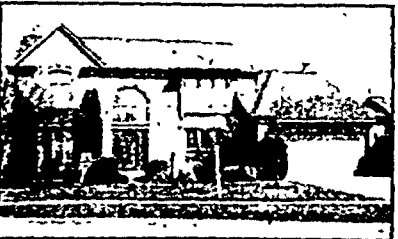
**PLYMOUTH** \$329,900  
4 BR 2.1BA Colonial, updates: oak kit w/ss appliances, all baths, windows, newer furn & a/c. Freshly painted, newer flooring, private lot backing to trees.  
MLS# 27047780 734-453-6800



**DEARBORN HEIGHTS** \$325,000  
Beautiful 5 bedroom, 4 bath home. Full finished basement w/kitchen, study & bath. Built ins & bar. Great neighborhood, Crestwood school district. Must see!  
MLS# 27048290 734-453-6800



**NOVI** \$319,900  
Well Maintained W/ManyUpdates. Newer Entry Dr, Crwn Mldngs, Kit Appls, Pella Wins, High Eff Furn Paver Stone Walkway Fin Bsmt w/Sauna Walk to Downtown  
MLS# 27047308 248-347-3050



**CANTON** \$315,000  
2 Stry Foyer W/HW Flr, Gourmet Kit W/cooktop, Island, Eat-in Nook, Family Room W/FP, Mstr Ste W/vaulted Ceiling, W/C, Glam Bath W/sep Garden Tub & 2Tier Deck  
MLS# 27053677 248-347-3050



**WESTLAND** \$305,900  
Builders model! Upgrades: alarm, B/I sound sys, intercom, Corian & marble cnts & S/S appls. Hwd flrs & recessed lights. Sod/Sprinklers.  
MLS# 27023487 734-453-6800



**CANTON** \$299,900  
Cherry Hill Village 3BR, 2.1 bath home. Kit w/ corian c-tops, maple cnts & hwd flr. GR w/FP & drwl leading to paver patio/walkway Many upgrades  
MLS# 27045031 734-453-6800



**COMMERCE** \$279,900  
Backs to pond! 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, new windows, new carpet, cathedral ceilings, hardwood flooring & finished basement.  
MLS# 27051161 248-347-3050



**CANTON** \$264,900  
Like new construction barely lived in! 2 story foyer. Extensive HDWD. 42" maple cabs in kit. Large master with 2 W/C, soak tub & sep shower. Backs to woods.  
MLS# 27047505 734-453-6800



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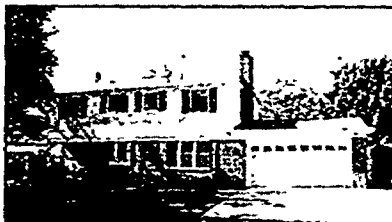


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**LIVONIA** \$250,000  
Kit w/maple cab & corian cnts. Ceramic tile, hw flrs & newer carpet. 1st flr in-law qtrs could be dev/media rm. Updates incl frnce, a/c, bths & more  
MLS# 27023038 248-347-3050



**COMMERCE** \$244,000  
Entertain friends & relax w/family in this end unit upper ranch. Cathedral ceilings in MBR, fireplace, balcony, 2 car att garage & main flr laundry.  
MLS# 27028808 248-646-1800



**HAMBURG** \$249,000  
2 Story Colonial On 1.21 Acres. Upgrades incl HW Flring V/o. Great Rm W/Fp. Lrg Mstr BR. 2nd Flr Lndry Rm. 2.5 Car Gar. P Fin LL Leads To Patio  
MLS# 27034397 248-347-3050



**ROMULUS** \$225,900  
Ranch Model W/Island Kit, FP & Cathedral Ceiling In Great Rm, Mstr Bth W/Shower & Tub. 3 Car Gar. 1/2 Acre Lot Backing To Woods. Home Fin Early Summer.  
MLS# 27051328 248-347-3050



**PLYMOUTH** \$224,900  
Well maintained. Units across from Daisy Project. 1st flr w/ modern kit & BA. Newer crpt. 2nd flr is cozy 1 BR. All appls incl. Outside access to bsmt.  
MLS# 27047628 734-453-6800



**WIXOM** \$212,500  
Mint, Upgraded, Neutral 3 Br, 3.5 bath, 1st floor MBR, Library, 2 car garage. 2 way FP, Party Sized Deck, Curved Staircase. The Best!  
MLS# 27048695 248-347-3050



**LIVONIA** \$210,000  
Brick ranch in NW Livonia Spac flr plan. Updates: Wallside wndws, appl's, main BA, root, furn. Perpo flrs. Brk FP. Yard w/lrg deck & inground pool.  
MLS# 27047398 734-453-6800



**SUPERIOR** \$209,900  
Vtld clgs w/FP. Cust mantle & tile work. Kit w/ island & wood flrs. Master w/WC & vtld ceiling. Wooded lot. New landscaping & underground sprinklers.  
MLS# 27046781 734-453-6800



**BROWNSTOWN** \$194,900  
Gorgeous home w/Woodhaven Schools. 3 BR, 2 full BA, great room, dining room, mstr w/bath & W/C. Fin bsmt, large private yard. Many updates.  
MLS# 27047448 734-453-6800



**GREEN OAK** \$189,900  
Serene country living, 3 BR ranch on 1.3 acres. Updates: kitchen, BA, flooring, windows, paint & large deck. All appl's. 2 car gar. Priced to sell!!  
MLS# 27048889 734-453-6800



**PLYMOUTH** \$189,900  
Start packing! Move in condition. 3 BR Ranch! Updtd, open, spotless! Refin HDWD flrs. Lg oak kit, FR. New siding, wndws, doors. 2 c att. gar. 1.5 lots.  
MLS# 27022954 734-453-6800



**LIVONIA** \$185,000  
Impeccable ranch home! Newer carpet V/o, hi-eff furn & C/A, FP, re-modeled bath, updated kit w/ vaulted cell, fin LL, deck & fenced back yd.  
MLS# 27048138 734-453-6800



**CANTON** \$179,000  
3 BR Brick Ranch, Pottery Barn Kit W/Ceramic Tile Flrs, Cnters & Backsplash, SS Appls. Fam Rm W/ fp. Attached Gar P. Fin Bsmnt HW Flr Many Updates!  
MLS# 27051419 248-347-3050



**LIVONIA** \$175,000  
Fresh Paint W/major Updates! HW Flrs, Newer Roof, Dining Area W/dr Wall To Florida Rm. Patio Leads To Fenced yard, Bsmnt Tiled W/1/2 bth & Stone Fp  
MLS# 27042890 248-347-3050



**LIVONIA** \$164,900  
Well maintained Ranch. Country lot very updated. 3 car garage, large FR. Huge private lot. 3 BR 1.1 BA. Plenty of value. Great price. Stevenson schools.  
MLS# 27047846 734-453-6800



**OPEN SUNDAY 1-4 PM**  
**REDFORD** \$155,000  
Beautiful 3BR brick Ranch w/two full baths. Possible 4th BR in fin bsmt. F/P in LR. Updated furn, A/C & wndws. Appliances included. Open 1-4pm.  
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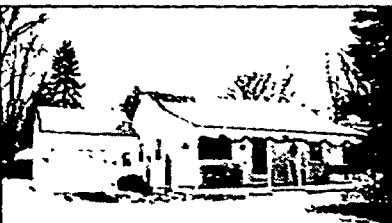
**LIVONIA** \$154,900  
Livonia Stevenson High School District! Many updates including: roof, furn, concrete, windows, copper plumbing, kitchen, bath, Howd flrs.  
MLS# 27047281 734-453-6800



**REDFORD** \$150,000  
Everything Has Been Done In This Quaint bungalow w/Fenced Lot. Updates incl new Roof, Kit, Doorwall To Deck, Elec, Siding, Furnace, A/C, Water & more  
MLS# 27045547 248-347-3050



**WATERFORD** \$150,000  
Totally updated oversized lot. Incls lg bkfst area in kit, mstr BR w/WC, Newer roof, furnace, appls, windows, electrical & carpet V/o. Rear deck & patio  
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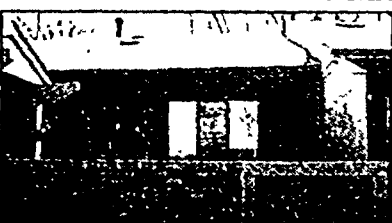
**FARMINGTON HILLS** \$124,900  
Sharp ranch in heart of town. Updts galore: siding, trim, CA, H2O, Wallside wndws, howd flrs. Priv yd, grt location-low traffic area. One yr home war.  
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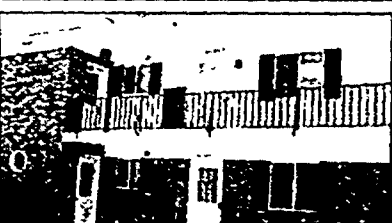
**NOVI** \$122,500  
Shows like a model! Kit w/new cabs, Corian Cnts & Sbk bar, Living Rm Open to Dining Rm, Vinyl Windows, Jetted tub in BA, Mstr ste w/walk-in-closet & vanity area. Att. 1 car garage & deck  
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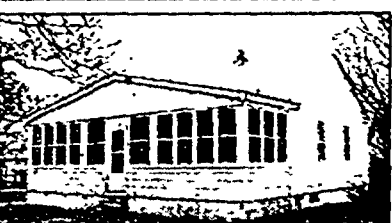
**DEARBORN** \$119,900  
Solid well maintained brick bungalow, finished basement. All appliances. 12x13 Florida rm. Newer roof, updt wndws. \$25K below true cash value.  
MLS# 27040860 734-453-6800



**SOUTH LYON** \$94,900  
ADULT CO-OP 55+. 2 BR 2 BTH. NEW CRPT T/O & NEW KIT FLR. ALL NEW APPLS, FIN W/O LL W/FAM RM, BTH & FLORIDA RM. DECK, POOL, POND, GATED FRONT & NEW ROOF  
MLS# 27029924 248-347-3050



**PLYMOUTH** \$95,000  
Plymouth, 1 bdrm condo well maintained, updated kitchen & bath, central air, stove, ref, washer/dryer, dishwasher, home warranty included.  
MLS# 27033461 248-879-3400



**DETROIT** \$40,000  
2 BR Ranch w/party fin'd bsmt w/2 extra rooms in Warrendale area. Newer roof & HWH, new carpet-BR's, new kitchen floor & new glass blocks in bsmt.  
MLS# 27048091 734-453-6800



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# Building Industry Association announces winners in 2007 Spring Parade of Homes

Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan (BIA) announced the winners of its 18th annual Spring Parade of Homes architectural judging. Parade of Homes is an exhibition of 58 new model homes and condominiums located throughout southeastern Michigan. The showcase takes place March 16 through Aug. 1, 2007. BIA and LaSalle Bank sponsor the event.

The winning homes were selected based on the following criteria: best value for the price, best use of space, most innovative design and aesthetic appeal. Before being judged, participating homes were divided into 10 categories by price. Two special categories for infill design and historic preservation were added this year.

"This year's Parade of Homes offers a variety of quality crafted homes by BIA Professional Master Builders from attainable housing to lavish estates," said Richard Ives, president of BIA and vice president of Trinity Land Development. "There has never been a better time to buy a new home and our spring lineup is filled with prime exam-



The St. Tropez built by Arteva Homes Inc. and located in Birmingham received a special award for Urban Infill Design. Priced at \$1.4 million it was awarded for its excellent design, minimal hallways and design to fit in with existing neighborhood content.

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ples of the unprecedented value consumers are experiencing in today's buyer's market."

The blue ribbon homes are:

■ **Affordable Housing:** Grace I, priced at \$117,000 plus fees, in Pontiac, built by CNS Construction for Lighthouse Community Development, awarded for combining two different living spaces and including a side entrance and garage.

■ **Attached Condominiums Under \$215,000:** The Atwater, priced at \$139,995, in Hazel Park, built by Fairview Place LLC, awarded for its well-proportioned elevation and sensitive use of detail.

■ **Attached Condominiums Over \$215,000:** Wisteria, priced from the \$240,000s, in Clinton Township, built by Palazzolo Brothers and Towne & Country Homes, awarded for its great value and clever use of main floor space.

■ **Homes Priced Under \$250,000:** Kennedy II, priced at \$230,000, in Berlin Township, built by Sherr Development Corp., awarded for its open floor plan, well-detailed front elevation and two walk-in closets in the master suite.

■ **Homes Priced \$250,000 to \$340,000:** Pheasant, priced at \$329,900, in Brownstown Township,



The Legacy, located in Northville Township, was awarded a blue ribbon for homes priced over \$1 Million. Built by Michael Mocerri Design Build it was awarded for its exceptional value, open floor plan and master suite layout.

built by Gerish Construction Company, Inc., awarded for its wrap-around loft and well-planned living space.

■ **Homes Priced \$340,000 to \$380,000:** Beachwood, priced at \$369,900, in the Village of Oxford,

built by Wineman & Komer Building Company, awarded for its front elevation, efficient floor plan and good use of split staircase.



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**N OF SILVER LAKE RD, E OF MARSHALL LAKE FRONT HOME**  
Completely remodeled colonial on Silver Lake. Maple Kitchen, Great Room w/soaring ceiling, 1st floor laundry, finished walkout w/bath & fireplace, 2 tiered Deck, & Garage.  
**\$399,900 (P-289FT)**



**CUSTOM RANCH**

Unique 3 bd, 2 bath ranch on gorgeous lot w/1.5 acres of trees & streams. Open floor plan, custom Kitchen, finished bsmt, hwd floors, & great location.  
**\$289,900 (P-461BF)**



**BEST VALUE IN SUB**

Impressive, inside & out! Gourmet maple Kitchen w/all appl, spacious Family Room w/ 2 sided frpl, finished bsmt w/ bath & wetbar, extensive landscaping, & a covered Patio.  
**\$324,800 (P-227HU)**



**INCOME PROPERTY**

Earn income while living in your home! This 2 family home was completely remodeled in 2004. Each unit has its own entry, parking, & Kitchen w/appl. Perfect for investors!  
**\$149,900 (C-380MA)**



**MOVE TO THE LAKE**

Here's an opportunity you can't afford to miss! Over 2700 sq ft, newly built, 4 bd, 2.5 baths, formal DR, maple cab's, Great Room w/frpl, Master w/sitting area & bath, 1.3 acre lot w/ privileges to all sports lake.  
**\$324,900 (C-515SA)**



**TO UNIQUE TO DESCRIBE**

Start w/11,000 sq ft, 4 bd, 6 full & 2 half baths, extremely private lot surrounded by woods, custom details t/o, 4 fireplaces, walkout lower level w/wine cellar, & a 2 story building w/an in-ground pool, sauna, & hottub! Too much more to list!  
**\$2,350,000 (P-775ST)**



**LOTS OF CURB APPEAL**

Gorgeous lot w/bridge, stream, & trees! Super clean 4 bd, 1.5 bath home w/open Kitchen, Family Room w/frpl, formal LR & DR, Deck, partly fin bsmt, 2 car garage, & walk to schools.  
**\$180,000 (C-002AR)**

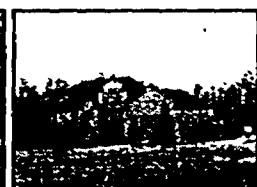


**ADORABLE!**

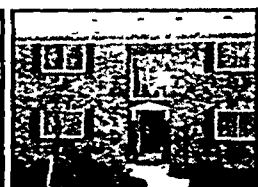
Perfect for 1st time buyers! Updated bath & Kitchen, newer carpet t/o, beautiful hwd, large Master, oversized lot, & garage.  
**\$124,200 (C-81580)**



**EXCELLENT NEIGHBORHOOD**  
Great home surrounded by larger, higher priced homes. Crestwood schools, very clean, & neutral t/o, too many nice updates to list, fenced yard, & close to everything.  
**\$78,500 (P-41BF)**



**ELEGANT COUNTRY LIVING**  
Huron Twp 2 story, 3 bd, 2.5 bath home on a large lot backing to woods. Upgraded granite c-tops, custom hwd, & solid six panel doors exhibit the quality of this home. 3 car Garage w/large driveway.  
**\$295,000 (P-965FF)**



**DOWNTOWN FARMINGTON**  
Move right in to this freshly painted ranch condo w/new carpet, updated bath, Kitchen, & private laundry room. Neighborhood clubhouse has an indoor pool, & close to everything.  
**\$44,500 (C-831GR)**



**NOVI TOWNHOUSE**  
Enjoy a pond view from the Deck in the great condo featuring 2 story Great Room, dining area, ceramic Kitchen, neutral decor t/o, loft/office area, 2nd bd w/bath, dual sided frpl, & close to everything.  
**\$219,000 (C-8400C)**



**PREMIUM WOODED LOT**  
4 bd, 2.5 bath colonial in West Bloomfield on a secluded cul de sac lot. Cherry cab's, stunning Kitchen w/corain, prof finished bsmt, crown molding, bay windows, 3 tiered Deck, & paver Patio.  
**\$329,000 (C-440PA)**



**CLEAN RANCH**  
Nice 3 bd, 1.5 bath ranch w/ fresh paint, neutral decor, updated bath, newer roof, hwh, furnace & C/A. Partially finished bsmt w/glass block, large Patio, & potting shed in fenced backyard.  
**\$169,900 (C-648P)**



**PLYMOUTH - 1.45 ACRES**  
Country setting close to Plymouth & Livonia shopping. 4 bd, 2088 sq ft, clean & neutral t/o, Decks off Master & Dining Room, large Patio w/hot tub, & treehouse w/elec.  
**\$239,900 (C-949EC)**



**MOVE RIGHT IN**  
4 bd, 2.5 bath colonial built in 2002. Family Room w/frpl, wood floors t/o, walkout bsmt, & view of a pond. Great Canton location close to everything. A must see!  
**\$299,900 (C-466GR)**



**NEW TO MARKET**  
Prepared to be overwhelmed w/ this 2001 built 4400 sq ft Novi colonial boasting 4 bd, 4.2 baths, & additional 2100 sq ft in finished walkout bsmt. Peaceful wooded setting on cul de sac. Uncompromised quality t/o, & too many extensive amenities to list.  
**\$775,000 (P-964AH)**



**MOVE IN AND ENJOY**  
Curb appeal abounds w/this picture perfect Garden City gem. Great location, spacious double lot, many updates including siding, oak Kitchen, carpet, glass block, neutral decor, 2.5 car Garage w/opener, & room for an RV. Must see!  
**\$144,900 (P-543BT)**



**TURN KEY HOME**  
Beautiful brick ranch w/over 1400 sq ft. Gorgeous newly refinished hwd floors w/oak moldings, fresh neutral paint, updated Kitchen & Bath, tear off roof, updated windows, 2 car garage, & large front porch.  
**\$168,500 (P-031BR)**



**UNIQUE & STYLISH**  
This is not your average bungalow! Set on a large double lot, this home has hwd floors, huge Fam Rm, vaulted ceilings, beautiful backyard, updated windows, roof, C/A, furnace, & tons of storage. Home warranty for buyer.  
**\$169,000 (C-997CA)**



**IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY**  
2 bd condo on beautiful Colonial Estates. Full bsmt, large Living Room, Dining Area, 2 car att Garage w/opener, C/A, & ceiling fans. Appliances stay!  
**\$124,900 (C-613CO)**



**GORGEOUS BUNGALOW**  
Absolutely beautiful home in great neighborhood. Completely remod in 2007 w/addition, 2 baths, freshly painted, new Kitchen, carpet, hwh, furnace, C/A, windows, roof, & more.  
**\$183,950 (C-304HA)**



**23. IMMACULATE**  
You must see this west Dearborn home to appreciate it! Pottery Barn inspired decor, refinished hwd, remod Bath & Kitchen, huge Master w/WIC, part finished bsmt, large Deck & charming neighborhood.  
**\$164,900 (P-656HA)**



**24. ROOM TO ROAM**  
4 bd bungalow w/2 full baths, full bsmt, 1330 sq ft, formal Dn Rm, large Kitchen, 1st floor laundry, updated roof, furnace, C/A, windows, fenced yard w/2 sheds, & more.  
**\$108,900 (C-210HA)**



**DOWNTOWN PLYMOUTH**  
Gorgeous home in downtown Plymouth for under 200k! Gleaming hwd floors, updated Kitchen w/eating area, updated windows, appliances stay. Garage, & home warranty included.  
**\$198,000 (C-725FR)**



**GREAT INVESTMENT**  
4 bd bungalow currently tenant occupied. Investment package available w/other homes in same area & motivated seller can help with closing costs.  
**\$30,000 (C-890JO)**



**IMMACULATE JEWEL**  
This 3 bd ranch is ready to move in to & features newer windows, roof, carpet, paint, entry doors, furnace, hwh, remodeled Kitchen & Bath, & maintenance free yard. Don't let this one pass you by!  
**\$118,000 (P-675LE)**



**GREAT DEAL IN CANTON**  
Great quad-level home priced below 200k w/over 1600 sq ft of living space. 3 bd, 2 baths, stain steel appl's, oak Kitchen, new furnace in 05, exterior freshly painted, & much more.  
**\$199,900 (P-348LO)**



**UPDATED CANTON COLONIAL**  
Beautifully updated 3 bd, 1.5 bath Canton home. Bright open floor plan, formal Liv Rm, maple Kitchen w/granite, professionally finished bsmt w/egress window, new furnace, C/A, & hwh in '06, updated vinyl siding & windows.  
**\$234,900 (P-824MA)**



**SECLUDED COLONIAL**  
Stunning home on over an acre, within walking distance to downtown Northville. Grand Conservatory, hwd floors, gorgeous amenities t/o, all appliances including a dry cleaning unit, & too much more to list.  
**\$699,900 (C-900NO)**



**BEAUTIFUL BRICK BUNGALOW**  
When only the best will do... spacious floor plan offers 3 bd, Master w/\_ bath, hwd floors, covered ceilings, Liv Rm w/frpl, new floor in Kitchen, updated bath, new windows & carpet, freshly painted, updated elec, & too much more to list.  
**\$125,000 (P-421P)**



**ELEGANT & AFFORDABLE**  
Gorgeous Novi home featuring 2803 sq ft, 4 bd, 2.5 baths, extra deep walkout bsmt, luxury Master Suite w/bath & WIC, large Kitchen w/pantry, located deep in the sub w/large backyard & Deck.  
**\$439,900 (P-900RE)**



**CLASSIC CAPE W/ACREAGE**  
Custom built home w/attention to detail. Open floor plan, cherry hwd, conan, 1st floor Master w/ WIC, loft area, huge bonus room, 2 car att & 4 car det Garage, walkout bsmt, & 8.7 acres w/stocked pond. Must see!  
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**SUPER CLEAN RANCH**  
Fantastic 3 bd, 1.5 bath ranch featuring an open floor plan, formal Liv Rm, Fam Room w/ vaulted ceiling, updated windows & roof, oak Kitchen w/ ceramic, finished bsmt w/ recessed lighting, & Patio w/hot tub.  
**\$159,900 (P-429TR)**



**ENJOY ENTERTAINING?**  
This is the home for you! 3 bd brick ranch offering an open floor plan, updated oak Kitchen, large Fam Rm w/frpl, finished bsmt w/wetbar, 2.5 car Garage, 2 full baths, Patio, & fenced yard.  
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The Shoreline, located in Independence Township, was awarded a blue ribbon for homes priced from \$380,000 to \$520,000. Built by Vogue Building Company and Trinity Land Development it was awarded for its traffic flow and first floor master suite.



The Beachwood, located in the Village of Oxford, was awarded a blue ribbon for homes priced \$340,000 to \$380,000. Built by Wineman & Komer Building Company it was awarded for its front elevation, efficient floor plan and good use of split staircase.

## PARADE

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■ Homes Priced \$380,000 to \$520,000: The Shoreline, priced at \$400,000, in Independence Township, built by Vogue Building Company and Trinity Land Development, awarded for its traffic flow and first floor master suite.

■ Homes Priced \$580,000 to \$1 Million: Bradford, priced at \$699,900, in Canton Township, built by Singh Homes Building Company, awarded for its presentation, efficient floor plan, and garage at the rear of the home.

■ Homes Priced Over \$1 Million: The Legacy priced at \$1.175 million in Northville Township; built by Michael Mocerri Design Build, awarded for its exceptional value, open floor plan and

master suite layout.

■ Special Award for Urban Infill Design: St. Tropez, priced at \$1.4 million, in Birmingham, built by Arteva Homes, Inc., awarded for its excellent design, minimal hallways and design to fit in with existing neighborhood content.

■ Honorable Mention for Historic Renovation: The Wardell priced at \$365,000 in Detroit, built by BRG Custom Homes and Park Shelton Condominiums,

L.P., awarded for its encouraging contribution to urban preservation.

A panel of local architects and industry experts judged the homes. Participating judges were Sharon Glinka of LaSalle Bank; Michael Gordon, AIA, of Moiseev/Gordon Associates Inc.; and Michael T. Miller, AIA, of The Design Group. The 58 Spring Parade of Homes

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## PARADE

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models are located throughout south-eastern Michigan and can be viewed via open house tours, or online at [www.bia-paradeofhomes.com](http://www.bia-paradeofhomes.com), beginning on March 16, 2007. Featured homes include condominiums and single-fami-

ly homes ranging in price from \$97,400 to \$1.4 million.

For additional information on the 2007 Spring Parade of Homes, please call (248) 862-1032 or visit [www.bia-paradeofhomes.com](http://www.bia-paradeofhomes.com). Free Parade of Homes magazines are available at 350 LaSalle Bank Branches and 205 CVS/pharmacy locations. BIA and LaSalle Bank also sponsor a Parade of Homes event in the fall.

## Collections, bylaw enforcement call for funds

**Q.** Our association is a site condo and we have a limited budget, no monies for litigation. We are trying to get the other board members to recognize why we need it. Can you give me any answers?

**A.** Many associations go from hand to mouth on a monthly basis in regard to the needs to run their association. The developer may intentionally keep the assessments down so that when the co-owners take over, they do not have sufficient funds to even pay their bills, let alone engage in litigation to deal with collections and/or bylaw enforcement. The association should always have monies available to deal with bylaw enforcement and collection matters as the co-owners may test the board as to its resolve to deal with these issues. You may well have to levy an additional assessment to meet your reasonable needs.



Robert Melsner

a mortgage and her companion helps pay the mortgage, a legal battle could ensue when the homeowner dies. A written agreement should be entered into between the parties indicating whether the surviving companion of a homeowner can continue living in the house after a certain period of time, say one-three years, and then the decedent's heirs would be free to sell the house if they choose. In simple terms, you should find an attorney experienced in elder care contracts that can help you prepare what is analogous to a pre-nuptial agreement setting forth a division of assets and even questions concerning health care, decision making, medical records, and other financial issues.

**Q.** We are a couple living together and own a condominium unit together but we are not married and have separate trusts. Do you have any suggestions in terms of what we do about the use and enjoyment of our condominium if one of us predecease the other or we terminate our relationship?

**A.** Unmarried co-habitants face legal issues they have to deal with. For example, if a woman owns a house with

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\$349,900 - Deerfield  
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Finished basement.  
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Updated 3 bedroom ranch.  
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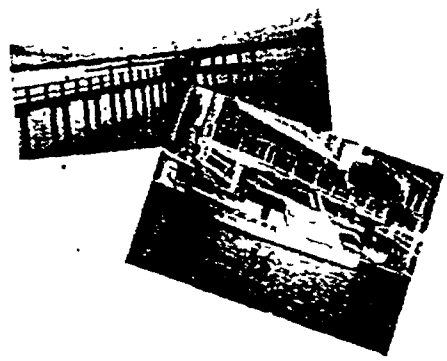



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Canton	
44042 Bannockburn Dr	\$160,000
40561 Bluesprings Ct	\$280,000
40581 Blythefield Ln	\$135,000
6932 Foxthorn Dr	\$106,000
44067 Gordon St	\$135,000
48446 Ivybridge Ct	\$150,000
43664 Lotus Dr	\$218,000
1822 Maple Park Dr	\$244,000
1831 Maple Park Dr E	\$236,000
44609 Meadowcreek Ln	\$186,000
1340 Milbrook Rd	\$300,000
41111 N Maplewood Dr	\$214,000
41151 N Maplewood Dr	\$238,000
1455 Oakview Dr	\$182,000
2123 Preserve Cir E	\$195,000
7749 Provincial Rd	\$240,000
45882 S Stonewood Rd	\$207,000
44043 S Umland Cir	\$229,000
571 Terrace Ct	\$150,000
395 Tyler Ln	\$245,000
Farmington	
24002 Colchester St	\$160,000
22430 Floral St	\$130,000
Farmington Hills	
37283 Aspen Dr	\$389,000
29573 Bradmoor Ct	\$603,000
31061 Cedar Creek Dr	\$284,000
24605 El Marco Dr	\$256,000
Garden City	
28855 Elmwood St	\$146,000
33623 Florence St	\$143,000
5719 Helen St	\$135,000
32108 Kathryn St	\$133,000
27438 Windsor St	\$94,000
Livonia	
35582 Ann Arbor Trl Ct	\$235,000
16663 Blue Skies Dr	\$264,000
32922 Brookside Cir	\$260,000
11348 Cavell St	\$175,000
9840 Cranston St	\$180,000
35554 Elmira St	\$170,000
9910 Fremont St	\$170,000
11743 Hunters Park Ct	\$90,000
9072 Merriman Rd	\$162,000
31687 Myrna St	\$170,000
33447 Norfolk St	\$245,000
8867 Norman Ave	\$211,000

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**CANTON** - Spacious 3 bedrm, 2.5 bath condo in beautiful golf course/pool & tennis community. Soaring ceilings, great rm w/ frplc, 1st floor mstr w/ luxury bath, gourmet kitchn, lrg windows, 16x12 deck + more! \$299,900 (L81Lex)  
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**NORTHVILLE** - Charming 3 or 4 bedrm bungalow in downtown Northville! Nice floor plan w/ living rm, kitchn w/ brkfst nook & formal dining rm. Yard has wonderful brick patio. Walk to shops, restaurants, library & post office! \$289,900 (L36Cen)  
[www.qualitygmac.com/mis=27020871](http://www.qualitygmac.com/mis=27020871)

**LIVONIA** - Price reduced! Wonderful 4 bedrm, 2.5 bath colonial w/ newer vinyl siding, front wndws, Anderson wndws & door wall on back, new furn & C/A, updated bath, hrdwd flrs, new 6 panel entry & closet doors, etc. \$249,900 (L08Lan)  
[www.qualitygmac.com/mis=27047860](http://www.qualitygmac.com/mis=27047860)

**LIVONIA** - Fabulous 1694 sq ft 3 bedrm, 2 bath ranch offering att'd 2.5 car garage + add'l mechanics dream heated garage, newer wndws, oak kitchn, new dimensional roof, huge liv rm w/ frplc, hrdwd flrs, 13x13 breezeway. \$209,900 (L75Gra)  
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**PINCKNEY VILLAGE** - Beautifully updated 3 bdrm home on large lot at great value! Lower level prepped & framed for 2nd full bath, newer roof, H2O heater, furnace, garage door, interior freshly painted + more. Great neighborhood! \$162,999 (L68Ash)  
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28555 Sunnydale St \$145,000  
29687 Westfield St \$155,000  
17296 Woodside St \$290,000

### Milford

2929 Central Blvd \$130,000  
960 Manderly Dr \$300,000

### Northville

44027 Deep Hollow Cir \$505,000  
42182 Gladwin St \$141,000  
940 Grace St \$423,000  
49087 Rainbow Ln S \$445,000

### Novi

43490 Algonquin Dr \$250,000  
2290 Austin Dr \$195,000  
44800 Bayview Dr \$144,000  
29304 Douglas Dr \$247,000  
42463 Park Ridge Rd \$233,000  
30234 Viewcrest \$349,000

### Plymouth

12141 Amherst Ct \$368,000  
11613 Chandler Dr \$385,000  
40810 E Ann Arbor Trl \$251,000  
44827 Governor Bradford Rd \$365,000  
11715 Hunters Creek Dr \$380,000  
647 Kellogg St \$87,000  
12116 Nicholas Ln \$245,000  
898 Ross St \$248,000  
13020 Wendover Dr \$339,000  
46261 Westbriar Ct \$270,000  
1046 York St \$203,000

14112 Brady \$136,000  
18639 Denby \$105,000  
25901 Fordson Hwy \$119,000  
19964 Fox \$90,000  
9902 Kinloch \$129,000  
19508 Lennane \$127,000  
25012 Midland \$83,000  
11320 Seminole \$147,000  
13220 Sioux \$77,000  
9871 Tecumseh \$120,000  
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### South Lyon

26201 Great Plains Dr \$302,000  
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1700 Ackley Ave \$118,000  
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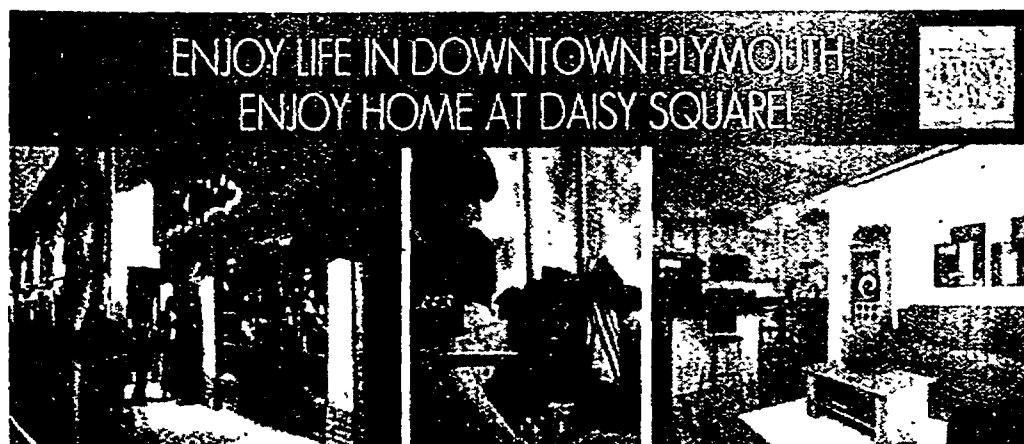
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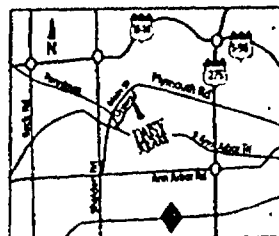
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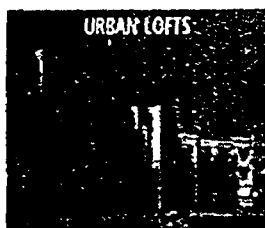
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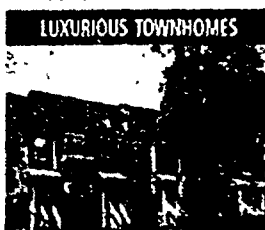


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## BRIEFS

### Real Estate career seminar

For people interested in exploring a career in Real Estate, Keller Williams is hosting a seminar at 6:30 p.m. on April 10 and 2 p.m. on April 27 at Keller Williams Realty, located at 40600 Ann Arbor Rd., Suite 100, Plymouth (48170). Registration is required. Please call (734) 459-4700 to reserve a seat.

### Future of Michigan Real Estate

The Detroit Real Estate Investors Network will host the first session of its 12-week discussion series entitled

"What Becomes of a Broken Market - The Future of Michigan Real Estate" from 5:30-8 p.m. on Monday, April 9 at The Java Exchange Café, 440 Burroughs (TechOne building), Detroit. The location is in Detroit's Tech Town area on the north side of Wayne State University. Each session of the 12-part series will focus on a different topic of interest to real estate investors, practitioners, homeowners, business owners and the community at large. Each event is free and open to the public, however seating is limited; so timely arrival is suggested. For more information, call Loray at (313) 443-7188.

### Madonna offers investment class

Flagstar Branch Manager Jeff Clatterbaugh will teach, "How to Build Wealth by Investing in Real Estate," at Madonna's main Livonia campus, 36600 Schoolcraft Rd. from 10 a.m. to noon on Saturday, April 14. A real estate investor, Clatterbaugh, will offer his perspective on creative ways to obtain supplemental income and build equity. "We are currently in the strongest buyer's market this industry has seen in decades," said Clatterbaugh, who has been teaching real estate seminars for three years. "Now is the time to buy property."

Clatterbaugh will share pointers on immediate and long term investments, purchasing property with minimal out-of-pocket expense, and designing a transaction to raise profits and reduce taxes.

Tuition is \$37. For registration information, call the Madonna University Office of Continuing Education & Professional Studies at (734) 432-5804 or visit [www.madonna.edu](http://www.madonna.edu).

### Decorate like a designer

Take the guesswork out of decorating your home with the seminar "Decorate Like a Designer" offered by Farmington

Community Education in cooperation with Oakland Builders Institute's Design Spirit. This class will be held from 7-9:30 p.m. Wednesdays, April 18 and 25, and May 2 and 9 at The Community School, 30415 Shiawassee, Farmington.

Learn how interior decorators make decisions about furniture choices and placement as well as those important touches that create beautiful homes. The course will cover basic design principles and how to apply them to your home. Hands-on exercises include measuring and sketching a room on graph paper as well as finding companion wall furniture and flooring colors with samples of patterned fabrics. Also covered are the principles of color and color matching. There are many hand-outs and helpful tips. Bring a small pair of scissors to class.

The instructor is a graduate of New York's Sheffield School of Interior Design and the University of Michigan.

The cost of the class is \$110 plus \$5 for materials to the instructor. Class size is limited. Register by Monday, April 16.

Call the Farmington Community Education Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at (248) 489-3333 to register.

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### Builder's class is offered

Get the help you need to pass the Michigan state builder's license examination with a 16-hour comprehensive seminar offered by Henry Ford Community College in cooperation with Oakland Builders Institute. The seminar is scheduled from 6-10 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, April 17, 19, 24, and 26 at Henry Ford Community College, Dearborn Heights Campus, 22586 Ann Arbor Trail.

The course is for those who want to subcontract the construction of their own homes, real estate investors and developers and building trades people who want to work legally in Michigan. The cost of the seminar is \$189 for residents plus \$20 for the course textbook and sample questions, or \$208 for non-residents plus \$20 for the course textbook and sample questions.

Pre-registration with payment is required no later than Friday, April 13, to Henry Ford Community College. Please call (313) 317-1500 Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to register.

### Pre-license class is offered

Get the help you need to pass the Michigan state builder's license examination with a 16-hour comprehensive seminar offered by Clarkston Community Education in cooperation with Oakland Builders Institute. The seminar is scheduled from 6-10 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday, April 17, 19, 24, and 26 at the Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road, Clarkston.

The course is for those who want to subcontract the construction of their own homes, real estate investors and developers and building trades people who want to work legally in Michigan. The cost of the seminar is \$199 plus \$20 for the course textbook and sample questions. Pre-registration with payment is required no later than Friday, April 13, to Clarkston Community Education. Call (248) 623-4321 Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to register.

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Visit [www.HelpToBuildIt.com](http://www.HelpToBuildIt.com) or see the consultants at the Spring Home and Garden Show at the Rock Financial Showplace, April 13-15.

### Feng shui classes

The Design Spirit presents the Feng Shui classes for Oakland Builders Institute. For a free brochure and current schedule of classes call (800) 940-2014 or (248) 651-2771.

### BIA offers programs

Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan (BIA) and the Construction Association of Michigan will present the following programs:

■ A comprehensive builder's license preparation course on Thursdays, April 12, April 19, April 26 and May 3 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at BIA headquarters, 30375 Northwestern Highway, Suite 100, in Farmington Hills.

Prepared by NCI Associates, Madison Heights, the course is designed to prepare students for the Michigan Builder's License Examination. Material covered will include topics on the exam, laws and rules, building practices and procedures, sample test questions and test-taking strategies.

The registration fee is \$200 per person. For registration information, call (248) 548-2090.

■ A "Design/Build" seminar from 8

a.m. to 3 p.m. on Friday, April 13, at BIA headquarters, 30375 Northwestern Highway, Suite 100, in Farmington Hills. The seminar is part of the Certified Graduate Builder (CGB) series.

Chuck Breidenstein of Builders Professional Services Group Inc. will instruct attendees on how to create a well-managed, full-service building or remodeling business that can pocket more profits while maximizing customer satisfaction.

Registration fees are \$155 for Remodelers Council members, \$175 for BIA members and \$200 for guests. For registration information, call (248) 862-1033.

■ "A 10-Point Game Plan for Success" seminar from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 18, at the Troy Marriott, 200 West Big Beaver Road, in Troy. The seminar is sponsored by First Horizons Home Loans.

Tom Richey of Richey Resources will instruct attendees on "Heeding the Ten Commandments of Today's Challenging Economy," "marketing to address the new market," "bringing sales management up to an A-performance level," and "learning how to neutralize the negotiators."

Registration fees are \$35 for Sales and Marketing Council and Remodelers Council members, \$55 for BIA members and \$75 for guests. For registration information, call (248) 862-1033.

■ "Codes and Quality Control" - from 8 a.m. to noon on Friday, April 20, at BIA headquarters, 30375 Northwestern Highway, Suite 100 in Farmington Hills.

Chuck Breidenstein of Builders Professional Services Group, Inc. will instruct attendees on defining quality within one's company by identifying five essential quality components. The course outlines a superintendent's responsibilities regarding codes and provides tips on code enforcement and compliance on the job site.

Registration fees are \$155 for BIA members and \$185 for guests. For registration information, call (248) 862-1033.

■ A "Negotiating Skills" course from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Tuesday, April 24, at BIA headquarters, 30375 Northwestern Highway, Suite 100, in Farmington Hills. The course is part of the Certified Graduate Remodeler (CGR) series and counts toward Certified Graduate Associate and Graduate Master Builder designation, as well.

Chuck Breidenstein of Builder Professional Services Group will instruct attendees on strategies for specific negotiating situations through a combination of lectures, exercise and role-playing.

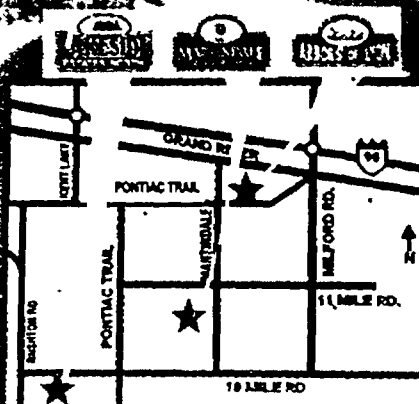
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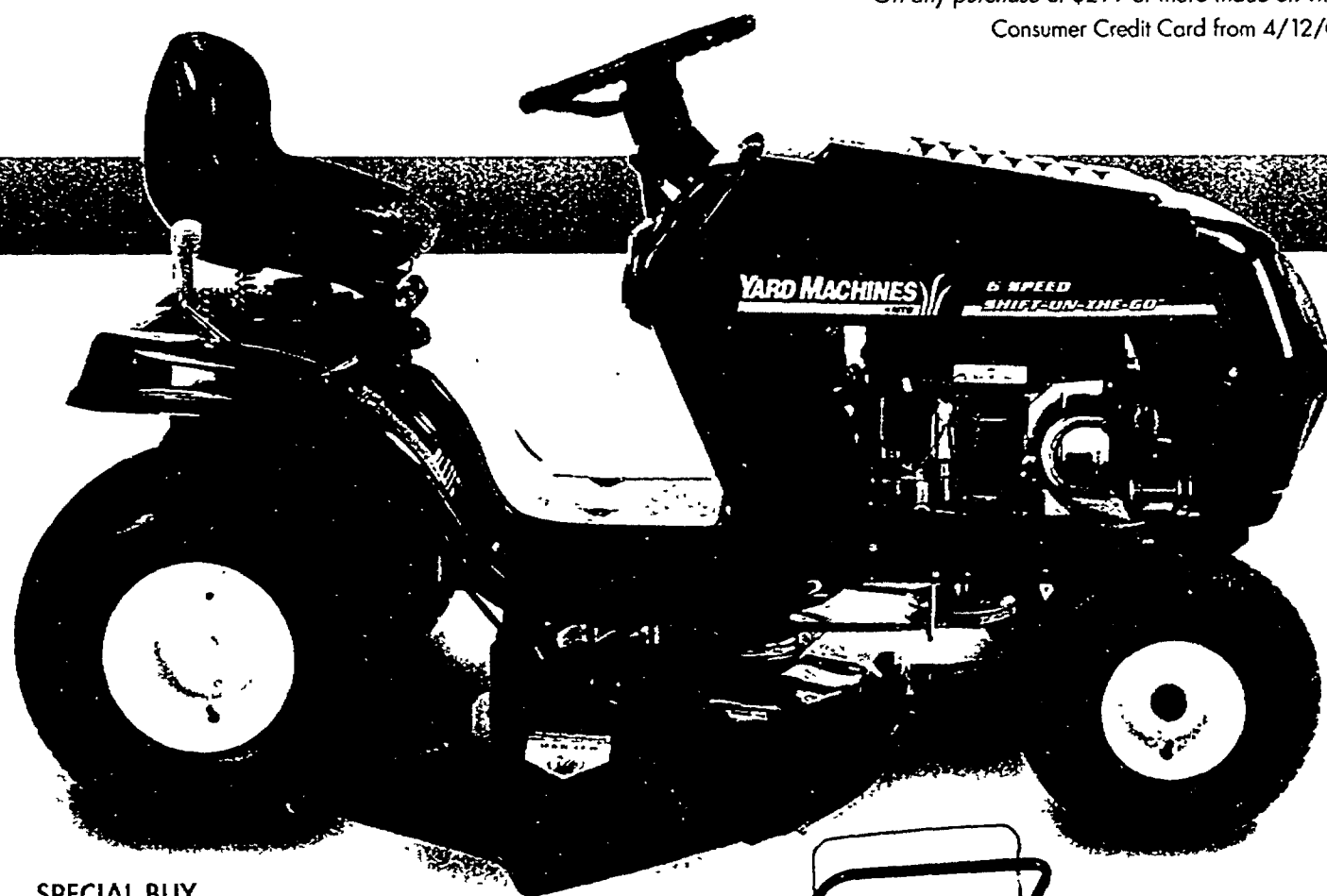
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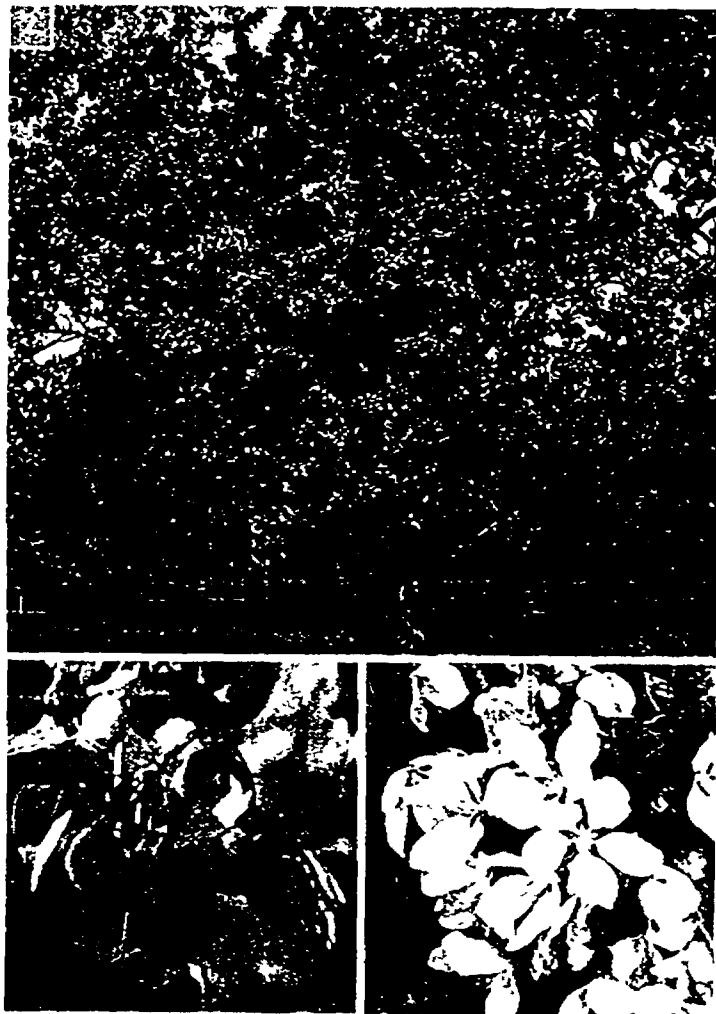
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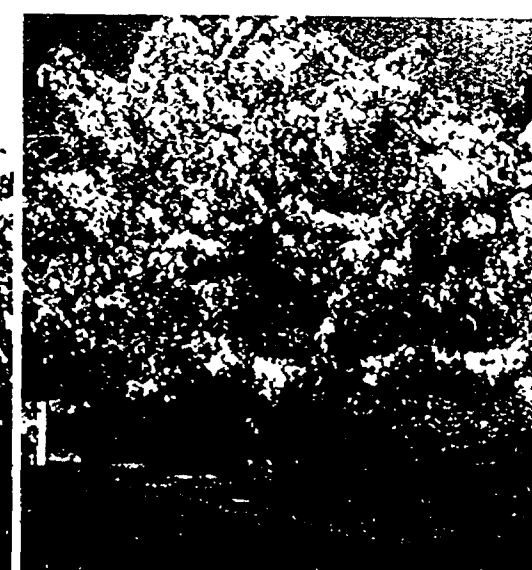
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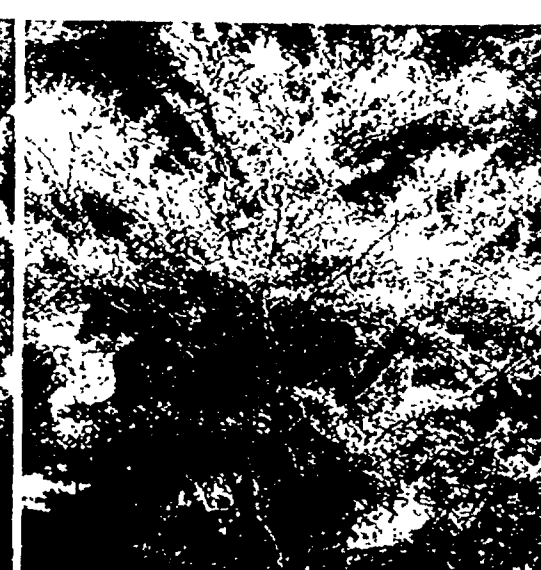
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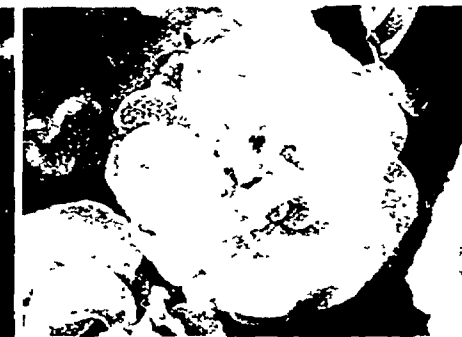
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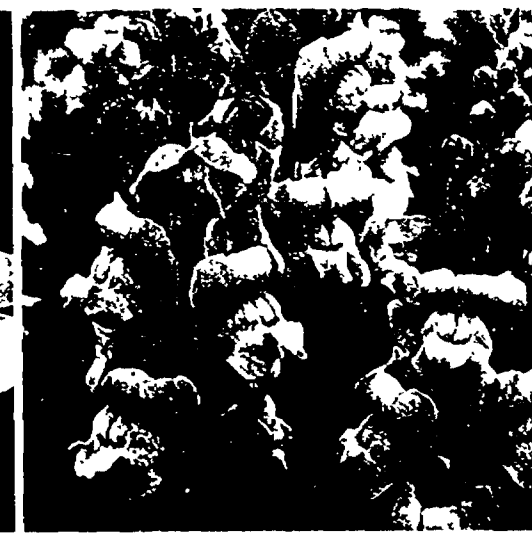
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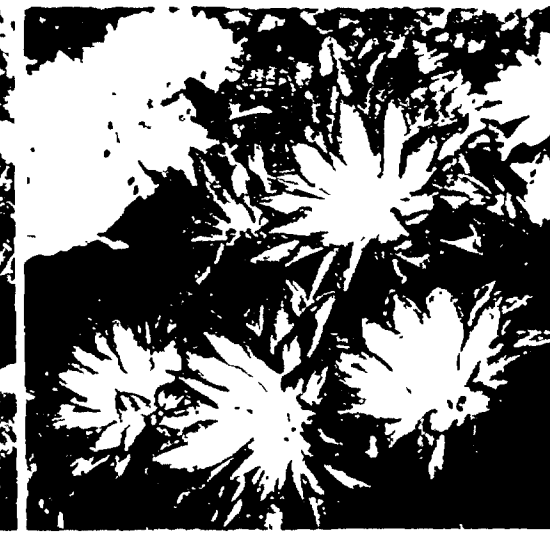
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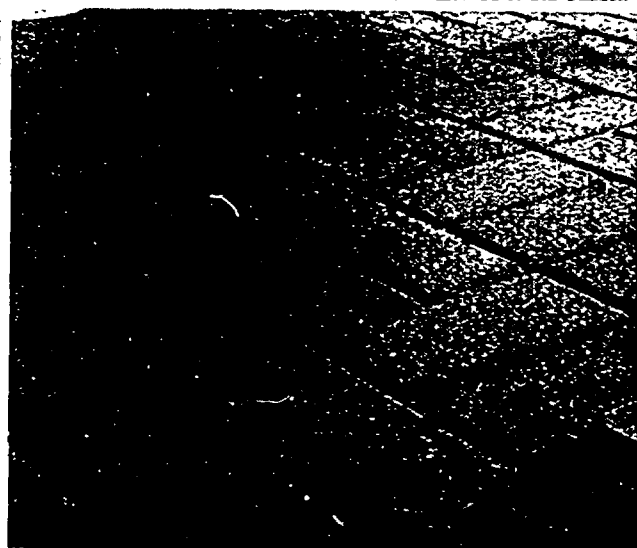
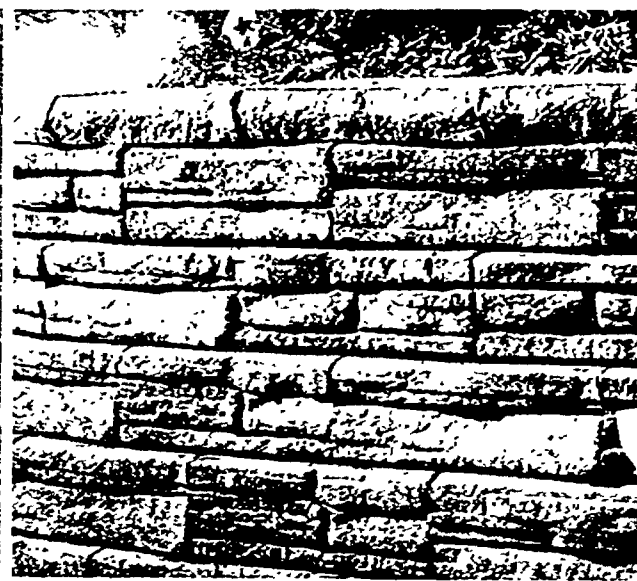
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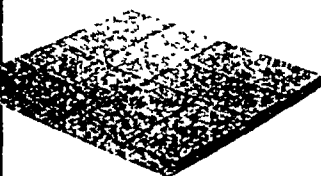
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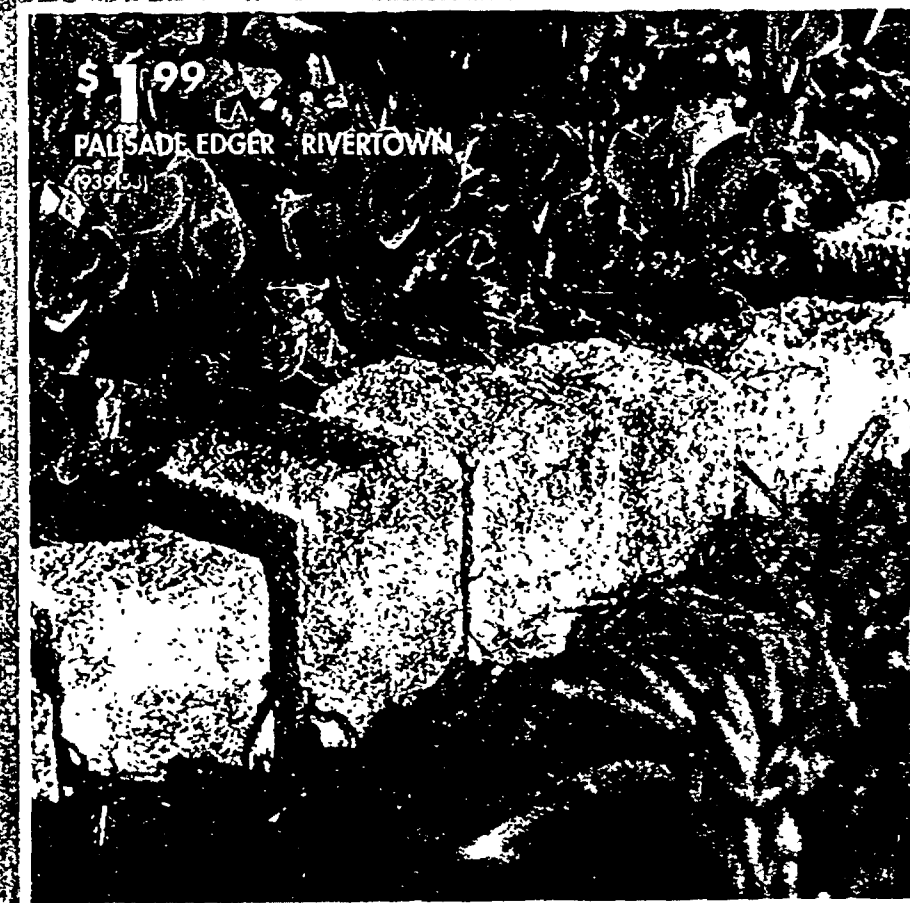
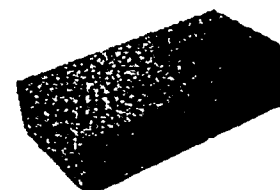
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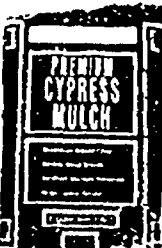


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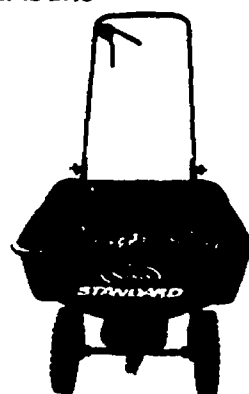
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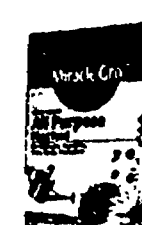
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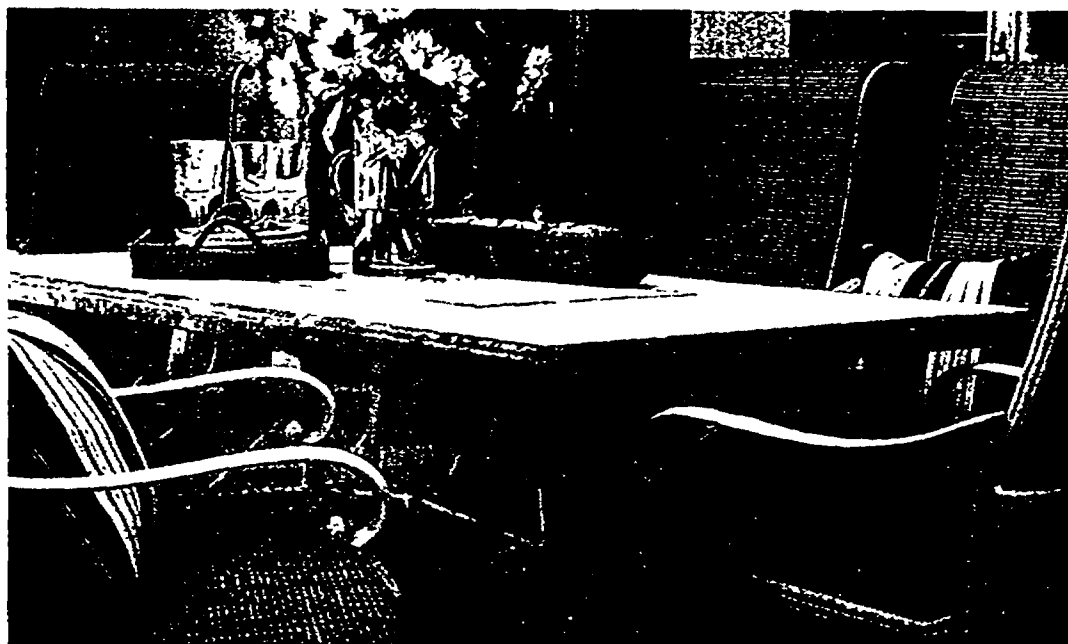


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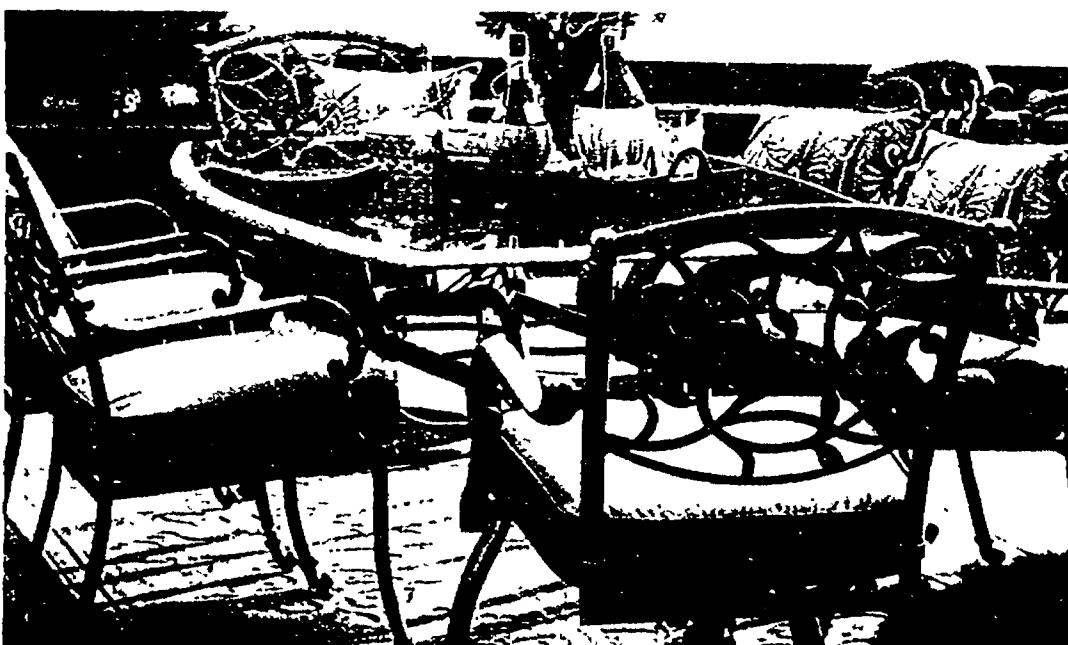
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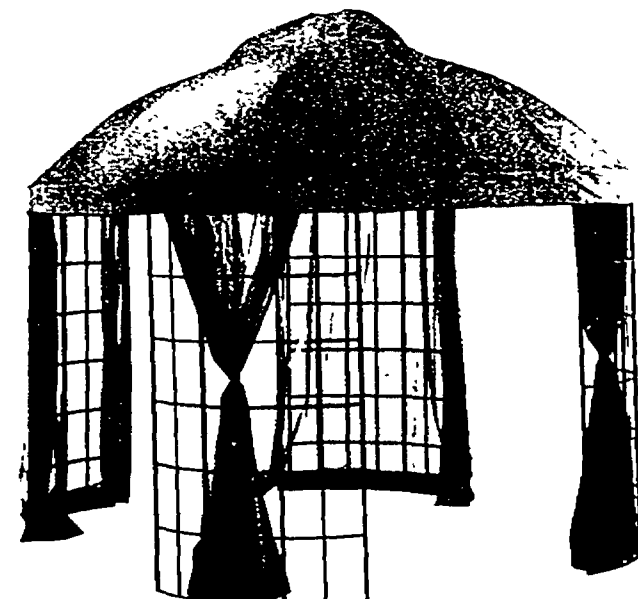
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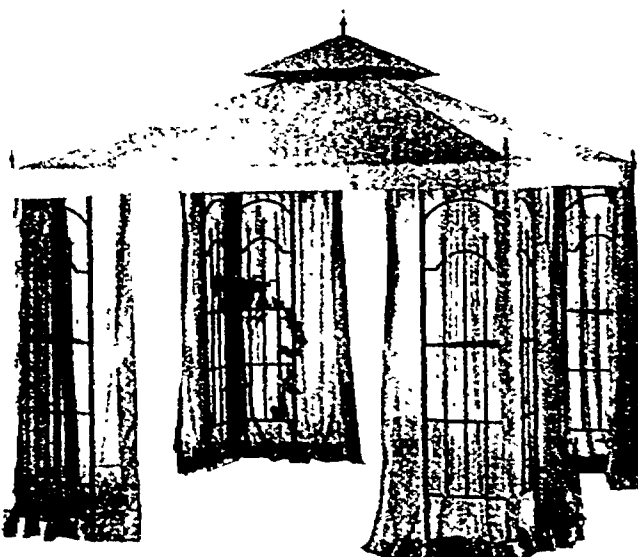
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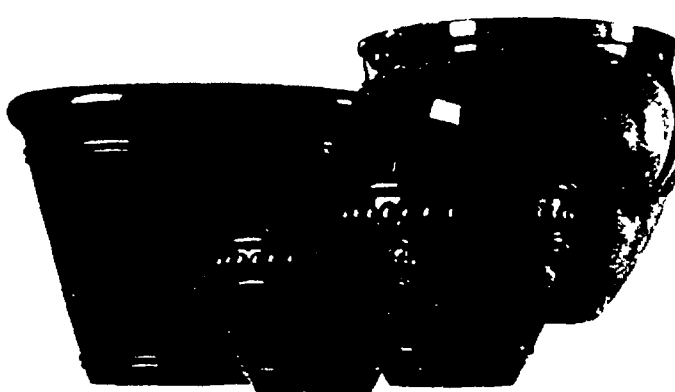
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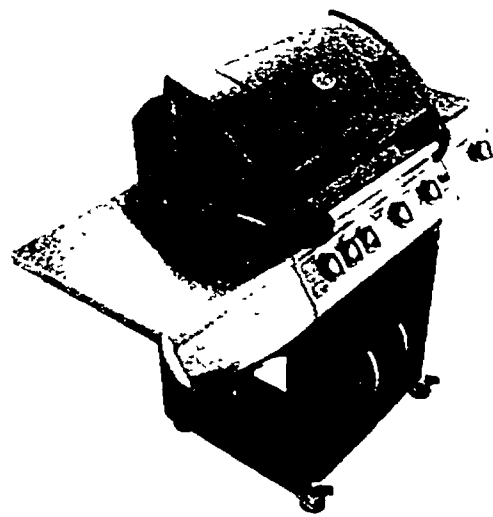
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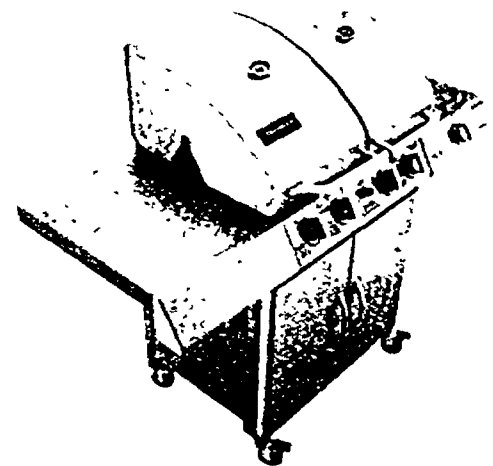


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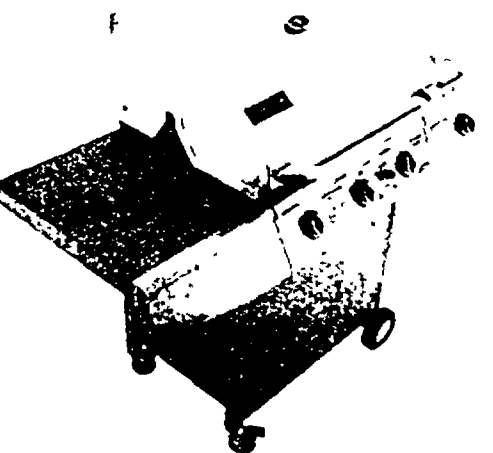


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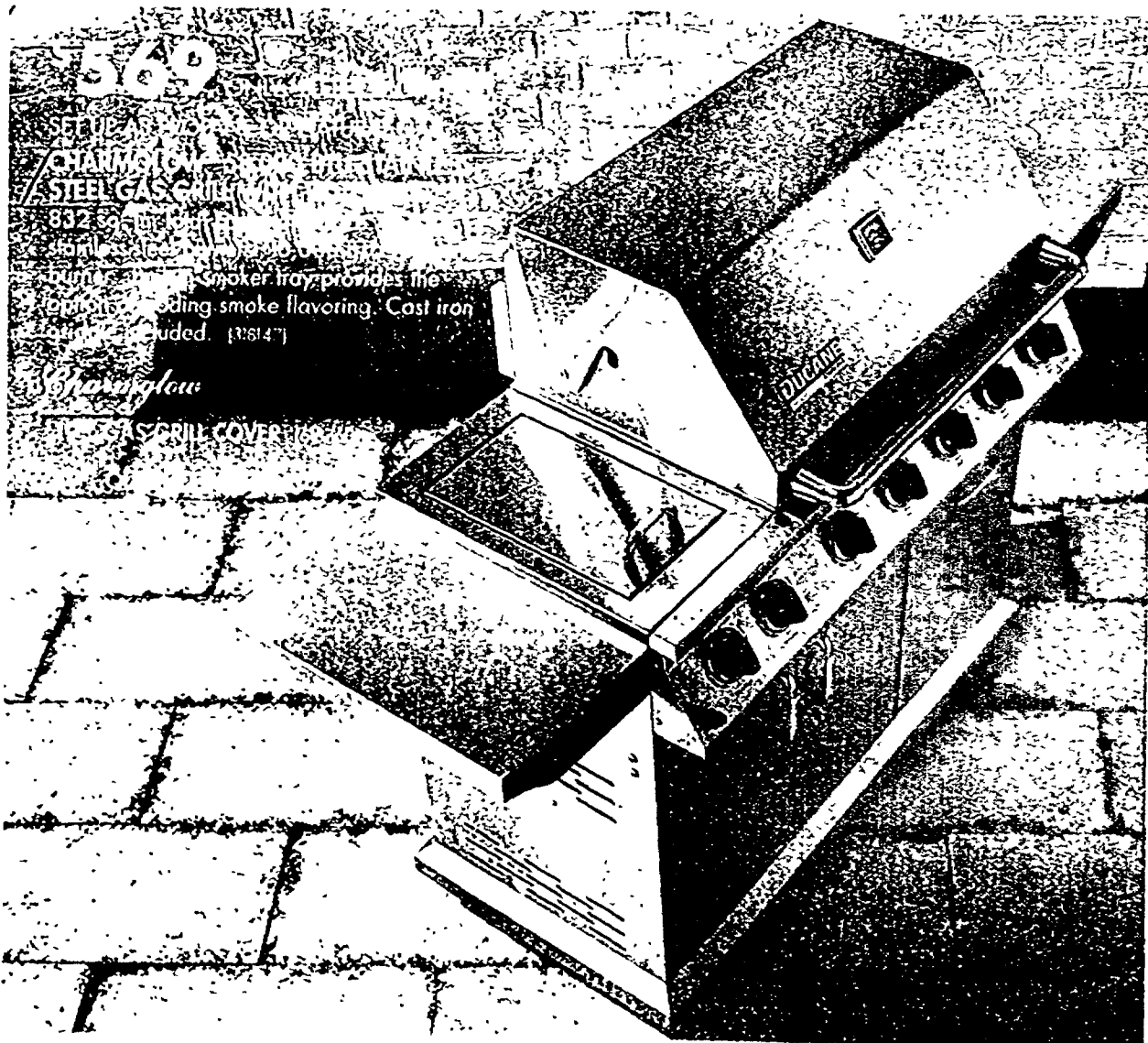


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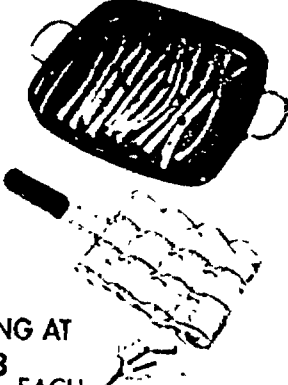


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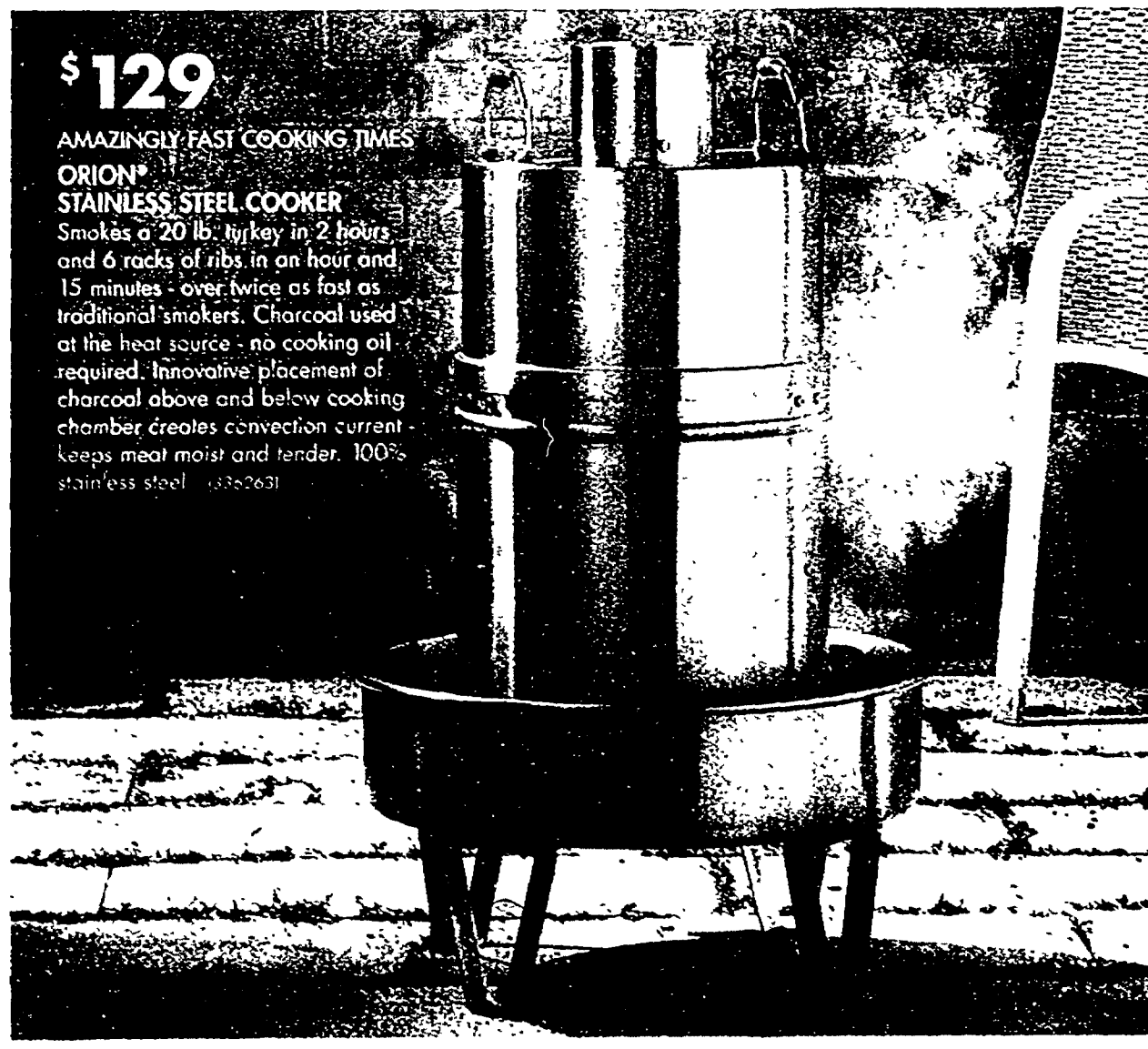
# CHARCOAL GRILLS FOR ANY BUDGET

**\$129**

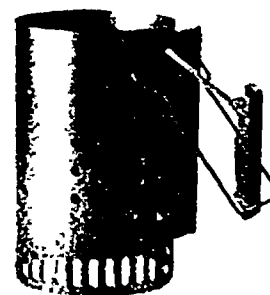
AMAZINGLY FAST COOKING TIMES

**ORION® STAINLESS STEEL COOKER**

Smokes a 20 lb. turkey in 2 hours and 6 racks of ribs in an hour and 15 minutes - over twice as fast as traditional smokers. Charcoal used at the heat source - no cooking oil required. Innovative placement of charcoal above and below cooking chamber creates convection current keeps meat moist and tender. 100% stainless steel. (375263)



## CHARCOAL GRILL ACCESSORIES



**\$12<sup>99</sup>**

**CHIMNEY STARTER**

Get coals ready quickly with this extra large canister. Holds enough briquets for a 22-1/2" Weber® Kettle. (655297)



**\$12<sup>97</sup>** 2-PACK

**KINGSFORD® 21.6 LBS. CHARCOAL**

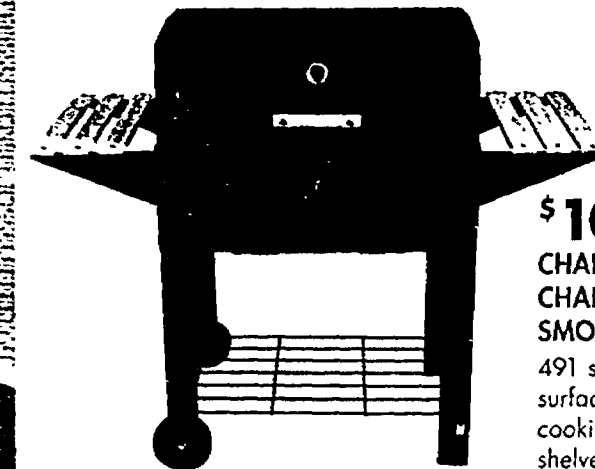
Ready to cook on in about 15 minutes. Longer burn time. (140476)



**\$5<sup>49</sup>**

**64 OZ. LIGHTER FLUID**

(499092)



**\$109**

**CHAR-BROIL® SANTA FE® CHARCOAL GRILL AND SMOKER**

491 sq. in. total cooking surface. Porcelain coated cooking grate. 2 wood side shelves and lower storage shelf. (813153)

*Char-Broil*

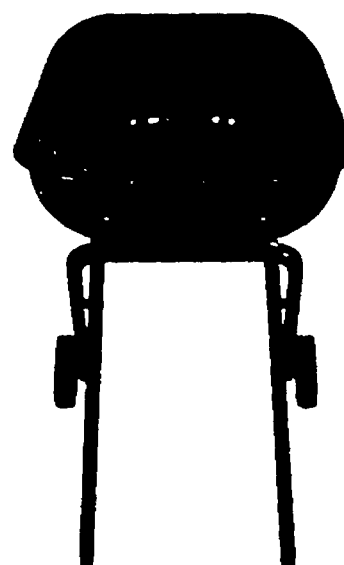
**\$64<sup>70</sup>**

**WEBER® 18-1/2" ONE TOUCH® KETTLE GRILL**

Heavy-gauge porcelain-enameled lid and bowl. One-Touch™ cleaning system, made of aluminized steel, rust-resistant aluminum legs with ash catcher. (682575)

**\$84<sup>99</sup> ONE TOUCH® 22-1/2" KETTLE GRILL** (682576)

*weber*



**\$49**

**AUSSIE™ WALK-A-BOUT PORTABLE CHARCOAL GRILL**

332 sq. in. total cooking surface. Easy clean ash removal system. Easy rolling wheels and locking legs. (653327)

## 10% PRICE GUARANTEE

If you find a lower price on an identical, in-stock item from any retailer, we will match the price and beat it by 10%. See page 31 for details.

NOBODY BEATS OUR PRICES



SHOP FOR PATIO SETS, GRILLS AND MORE ANYTIME

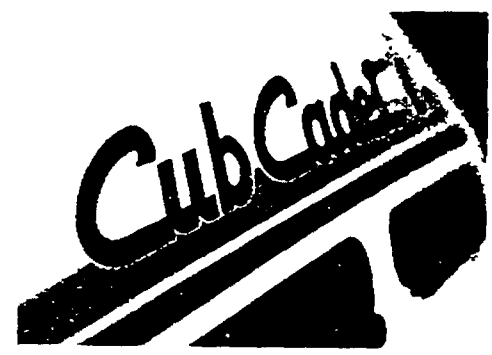
From quaint bistro sets to complete greenhouses, you'll find everything you need to create the perfect outdoor space.

VISIT US AT [HOMEDEPOT.COM/OUTDOORLIVING](http://HOMEDEPOT.COM/OUTDOORLIVING)

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# AT THE HOME DEPOT, ONLY THE



## NEW I-SERIES ZERO TURN TRACTORS

The Cub Cadet iSeries tractors feature zero-turn maneuverability, but use a standard steering wheel instead of dual lap bar steering. With the iSeries you can tackle hills and inclines and use optional attachments, even on hills.

## CUB CADET® ZERO TURN RIDERS

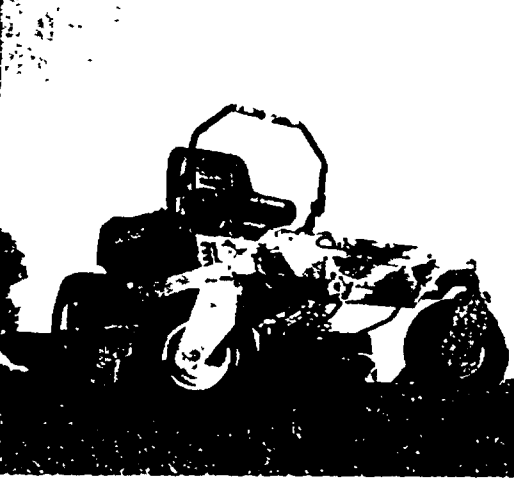
They make it easy to mow your lawn in as little as half the time. The dual controls allow you to maneuver and steer with precision. Cub Cadet's zero turn riders provide a smooth and even cut every time.

## CUB CADET® TRACTORS

Great features at a great value. The SmartJet™ deck wash system lets you easily clean the mowing deck. RevTEK™ technology allows you to mow in forward and reverse. Mowing, hauling and sweeping – Cub Cadet tractors have the power and comfort to get the job done easier.

**12 MONTHS\***  
**NO PAYMENTS,  
NO INTEREST**

ON ANY PURCHASE OF \$299  
OR MORE MADE ON  
THE HOME DEPOT CONSUMER  
CREDIT CARD  
FROM 4/12/07 – 4/18/07



**\$2999** ONLY \$81 PER MONTH\*  
3-YEAR WARRANTY  
NEW CUB CADET® 22 HP 50" ZERO TURN TRACTOR  
50" triple blade deck with deck wash system  
Electric PTO provides simple blade engagement. (893999)



**\$1999** ONLY \$55 PER MONTH\*  
3-YEAR WARRANTY  
CUB CADET® 23 HP 50" LAWN TRACTOR  
50" QuickAttach™ deck. Exclusive Smart Jet™ deck wash system. Electric power turn of. 18" turning radius. (622153)



**\$1699** ONLY \$47 PER MONTH\*  
3-YEAR WARRANTY  
CUB CADET® 20 HP 46" LAWN TRACTOR  
46" QuickAttach™ deck. Exclusive Smart Jet™ deck wash system. RevTEK™ reverse mowing technology. Free tractor cover. (621879)

# BEST BRANDS MAKE THE CUT

**\$2499** ONLY \$60 PER MONTH\*

3-YEAR WARRANTY  
TORO® 19 HP 42" TIMECUTTER™ Z RIDER

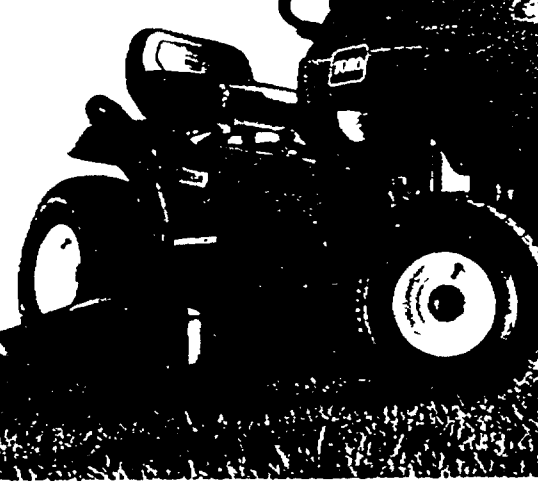
Dual hydrostatic transmission, 3-in-1 capability—side discharge, recycle, bag. 3.5x4" front wheels and 18x7.5" rear wheels. (875253)



**\$1299** ONLY \$39 PER MONTH\*

2-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY  
NEW TORO® 20 HP 42" LAWN TRACTOR

Foot controlled automatic CVT transmissions. Cruise control. Cast iron front axle. 18" Turning Radius. (945179)



## TORO® ZERO TURN RIDERS

Designed to cut at higher speeds and turn on a dime. They're packed with high-performance features to make your mowing easier.

## TORO® TRACTORS

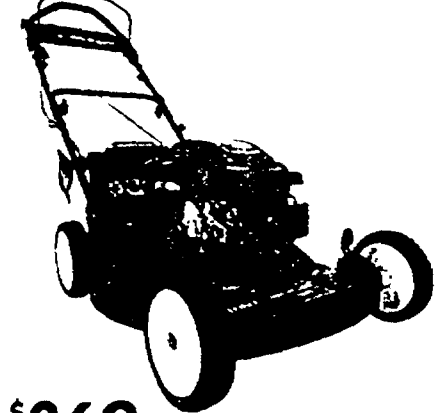
Loaded with features to deliver years of dependable performance, while you ride in comfort.

## TORO® MOWERS

Loaded with Innovative Features like the Personal Pace self-propel system, Toro mowers are guaranteed-to-start for 2 years or Toro will fix it free.



**\$459** ONLY \$14 PER MONTH\*  
2-YEAR WARRANTY  
TORO® 6.5 HP 22" ELECTRIC START WITH BBC RECYCLER MOWER  
Blade stops, engine continues to run. (944486)



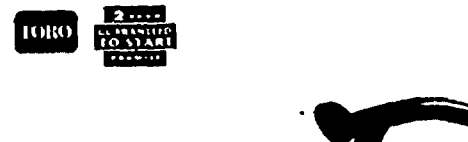
**\$369** ONLY \$11 PER MONTH\*  
2-YEAR WARRANTY  
TORO® 6.5 HP 22" PERSONAL PACE RECYCLER MOWER  
"Quick Wash" wash out port. (944486)



**\$299** ONLY \$10 PER MONTH\*  
2-YEAR WARRANTY  
TORO® 6.5 HP 22" HIGH WHEEL RECYCLER MOWER  
Side discharge, mulch and rear bagger. (945971)



**\$279** ONLY \$10 PER MONTH\*  
2-YEAR WARRANTY  
TORO® 6.5 HP 22" LOW WHEEL RECYCLER MOWER  
Recoil start. Self propelled. (944816)



**\$699**  
TORO® 12-AMP ULTRA 3-IN-1 BLOWER, MULCHER AND VAC  
Metal impeller, variable speed dial. (346234)



**\$399**  
2-YEAR WARRANTY  
TORO® 4.4 AMP 15" TRIM & EDGE® STRAIGHT SHAFT ELECTRIC TRIMMER  
Trigger grip start system. (805491)



**\$299**  
2-YEAR WARRANTY  
TORO® 7AMP POWER SWEEP® ELECTRIC BLOWER  
Fan helps reduce wrist fatigue. (225618)



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You can do it. We can help.



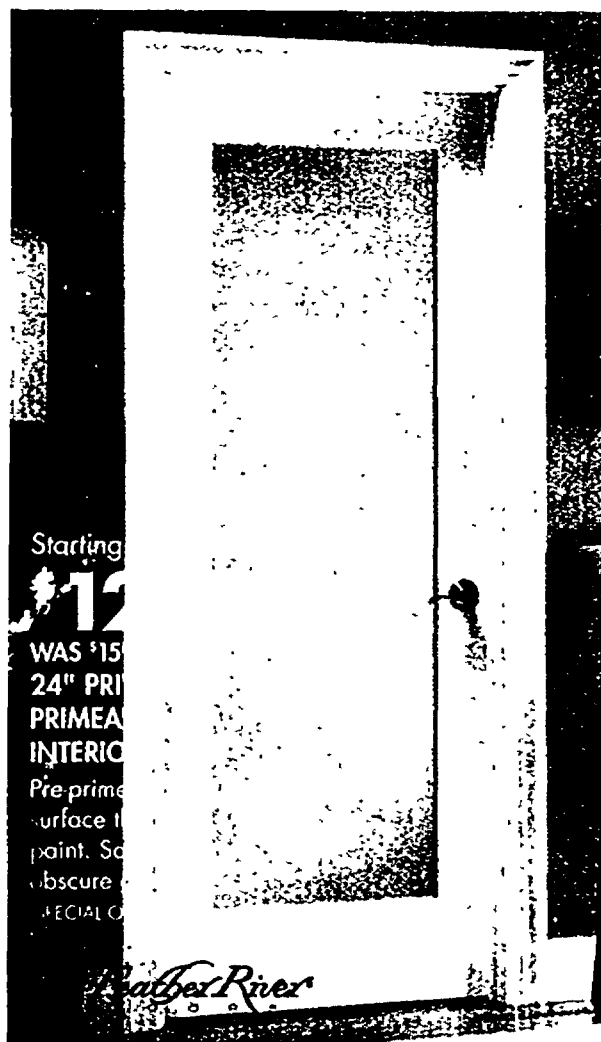




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## INTERIOR DOORS



Starting At  
**\$129<sup>20</sup>**  
WAS \$159  
24" PRIMEA  
INTERIOR  
Pre-primed  
surface for  
paint. So  
obscure  
SPECIAL ORDER



Starting At  
**\$415<sup>20</sup>**  
WAS \$519  
24" 5-PANEL  
FOSSIL™ PRIME-  
ADVANTAGE™  
INTERIOR  
DOOR SLAB  
Pre-primed for a  
smooth surface that is  
easy to paint. Safety  
tempered glass.  
(SPECIAL ORDER)

*RealBar River*

Starting At  
**\$140**  
WAS \$175  
24" 6-PANEL  
MAPLE  
INTERIOR  
DOOR SLAB  
Add the warmth  
of wood or  
match to your  
existing woodwork.  
Available with  
matching jamb.  
(SPECIAL ORDER)

**JELD-WEN**

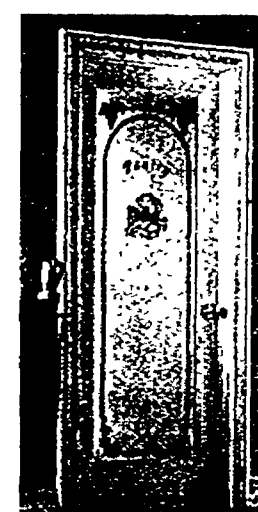


Starting At  
**\$223<sup>20</sup>**  
WAS \$279  
24" 15-LITE  
OAK INTERIOR  
DOOR SLAB  
Highly versatile  
surface for all  
staining applications.  
Energy efficient triple  
pane insulated glass.  
Patina coming.  
(SPECIAL ORDER)

*RealBar River*

Starting At  
**\$138<sup>40</sup>**  
WAS \$173  
24" 3-PANEL  
MISSION OAK  
INTERIOR  
DOOR SLAB  
Add the warmth of  
wood or match to  
your existing  
woodwork. Available  
with matching jamb.  
(SPECIAL ORDER)

**JELD-WEN**

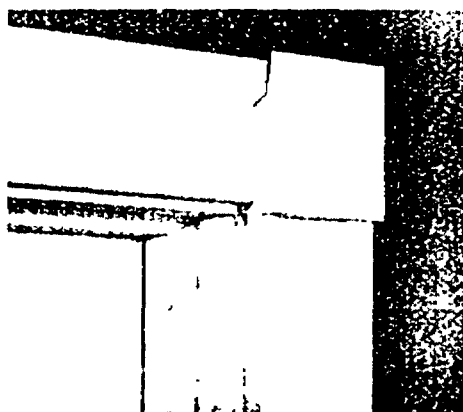


Starting At  
**\$159<sup>20</sup>**  
WAS \$199  
24" PANTRY  
PINE INTERIOR  
DOOR SLAB  
Provides a  
consistent surface  
for all light colored  
stains or any paint  
applications. Safety  
tempered glass.  
(SPECIAL ORDER)

*RealBar River*

Starting At  
**\$32<sup>80</sup>**  
WAS \$41  
24" 5-PANEL  
SHAKER INTERIOR  
DOOR SLAB  
Medium density  
fiberboard solid-core  
door construction.  
Resists warping,  
shrinking and  
cracking.  
(SPECIAL ORDER)

**JELD-WEN**



**\$14<sup>97</sup>**  
2-1/2" PRIMED  
RB-3 CASING  
SET WITH  
ROSETTE  
(302934)

3-1/2" PRIMED  
RB-3 CASING SET  
WITH ROSETTE  
(309600) **\$25<sup>49</sup>**



**\$14<sup>79</sup>**  
2-5/32"  
FLUTED  
CASING SET  
White.  
(691783)

3-3/8" FLUTED  
CASING SET  
(620662) **\$19<sup>97</sup>**



**\$6<sup>79</sup>**  
4-9/16"  
PRIMED  
FINGER JOINT  
INTERIOR  
FLAT JAMB  
(309038)

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lockets  
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# 20% OFF SELECT SPECIAL ORDER DOORS AND WINDOWS<sup>††</sup>

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## FIBERGLASS EXTERIOR DOORS

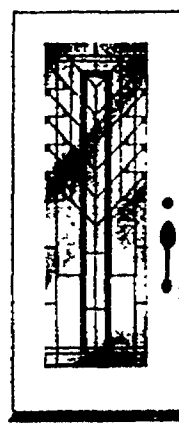


**\$1324** WAS \$1654  
NEW 36" 3/4 LITE  
PREFINISHED FIBERGLASS  
PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Mahogany cherry  
finish. Vandalia® glass  
with zinc coming.  
(SPECIAL ORDER 466291)



**\$2,647**  
WAS \$3,308

Double Door

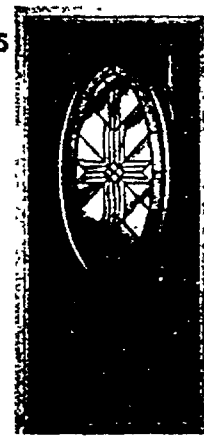


**\$1292** WAS \$1615  
NEW 36" FULL LITE  
SMOOTH FINISH  
FIBERGLASS PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Smooth paintable  
surface. Praire® glass  
with zinc coming.  
(SPECIAL ORDER 466291)



**\$2,584**  
WAS \$3,230

Double Door



**\$1195** WAS \$1493  
NEW 36" 3/4 OVAL  
PREFINISHED  
FIBERGLASS PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Mahogany chocolate  
finish. Brilliant Star® glass  
with zinc coming.  
(SPECIAL ORDER 466291)



**\$2,389**  
WAS \$2,986

Double Door



**\$1148** WAS \$1434  
NEW 36" FULL OVAL  
PREFINISHED  
FIBERGLASS PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Light oak woodgrain Finish.  
Atherton® glass with zinc  
coming.  
(SPECIAL ORDER 466291)



**\$3,130**  
WAS \$3,912

Door with Sidelites



**\$921** WAS \$1151  
NEW 36" CRAFTSMAN  
ARCH PREFINISHED  
FIBERGLASS PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Medium oak woodgrain  
finish. Iron® glass with  
wrought iron  
(SPECIAL ORDER 466291)



**\$2,600**  
WAS \$3,249

Door with Sidelites



**\$886** WAS \$1107  
NEW 36" 1/2 LITE  
PREFINISHED  
FIBERGLASS PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Medium oak finish.  
Carmel® glass with  
zinc coming.  
(SPECIAL ORDER 466291)



**\$1,952**  
WAS \$2,439

Door with Sidelites

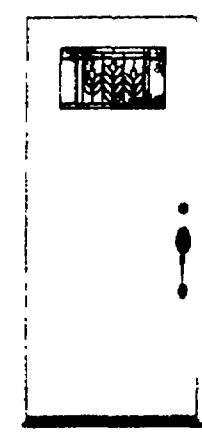


**\$800** WAS \$1000  
NEW 36" 2-PANEL  
PLANK PREFINISHED  
FIBERGLASS PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Mahogany cherry  
woodgrain finish.  
Rustic glass.  
(SPECIAL ORDER 466291)



**\$1,600**  
WAS \$2,000

Double Door



**\$714** WAS \$892  
NEW 36" RECTANGULAR  
SMOOTH FINISH  
FIBERGLASS PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Smooth paintable surface.  
Heartland® glass with  
oakina coming.  
(SPECIAL ORDER 466291)



**\$2,188**  
WAS \$2,734

Door with Sidelites



**\$449**  
36" 3/4 OVAL  
PREFINISHED  
FIBERGLASS PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Light oak finish.  
Lakewood® glass  
features zinc coming.  
(459584)(459646)



**\$1,802**  
WAS \$2,252

Door with Sidelites

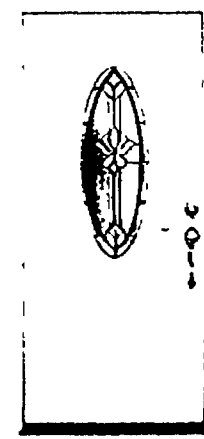


**\$399**  
36" CENTER ARCH  
PREFINISHED  
FIBERGLASS PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Medium oak finish.  
Lakewood® glass  
features brass coming.  
(459650)(460065)

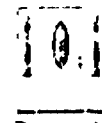


**\$1,083**  
WAS \$1,353

Double Door

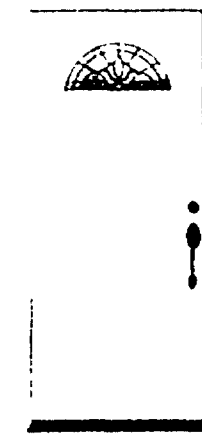


**\$299**  
36" 3/4 OVAL  
SMOOTH FIBERGLASS  
PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Smooth, paintable finish.  
Medina® glass features  
brass coming.  
(462070)(462157)

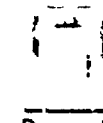


**\$1,057**  
WAS \$1,321

Door with Sidelites



**\$249**  
36" FAN LITE  
SMOOTH FIBERGLASS  
PREHUNG  
ENTRY DOOR  
Smooth, paintable finish.  
Medina® glass features  
zinc coming.  
(461069)(462720)



**\$855**  
WAS \$1,068

Door with Sidelites

Price shown reflects 20% savings

Locksets shown sold separately

<sup>†</sup>See page 31 for license numbers (where applicable). See contract for guarantee details. Installed services not available in all areas.  
<sup>††</sup>Not valid on Andersen®, Thermo-Tru®, Coastal Windows®, or installation. See store for details.



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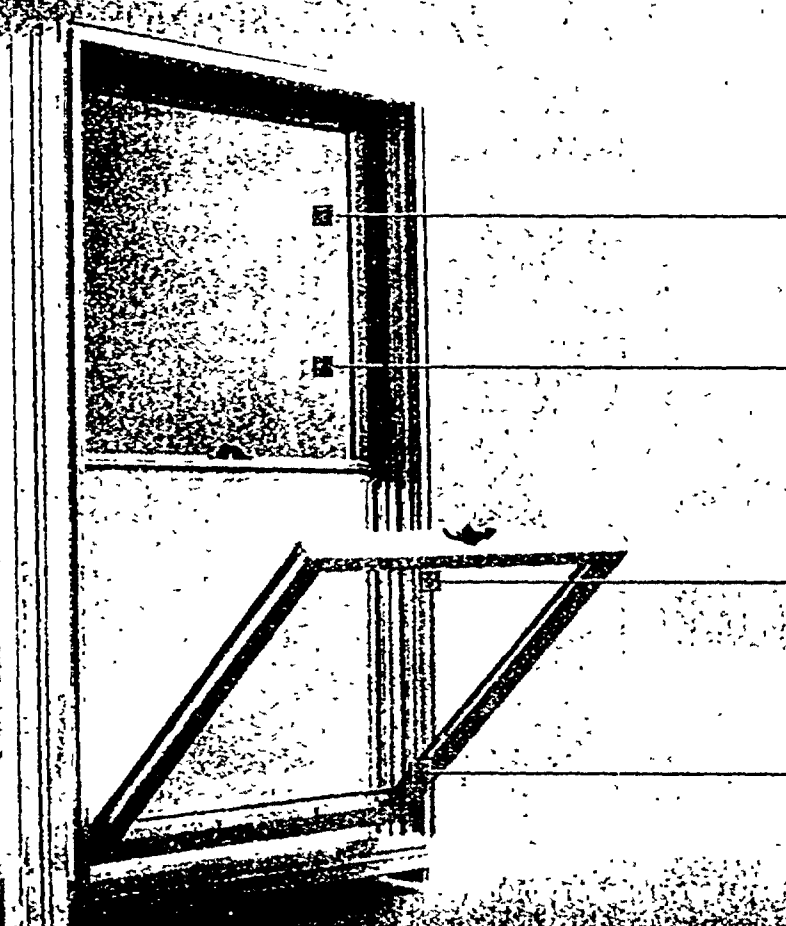
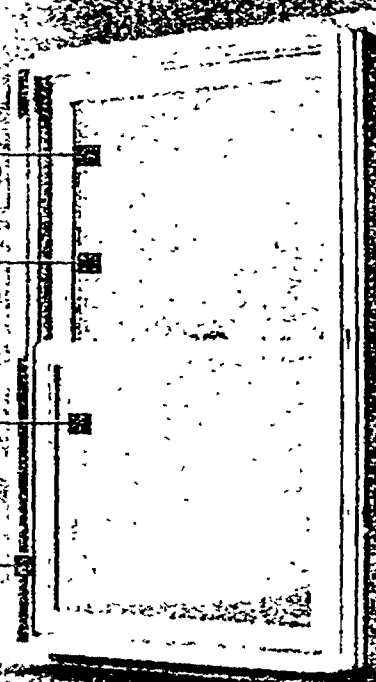
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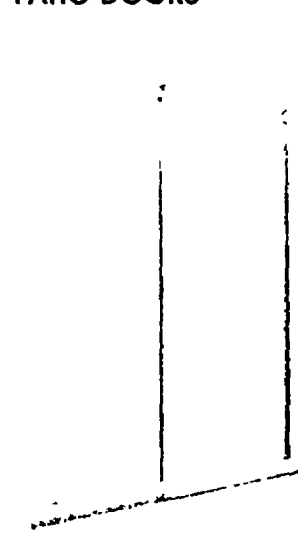
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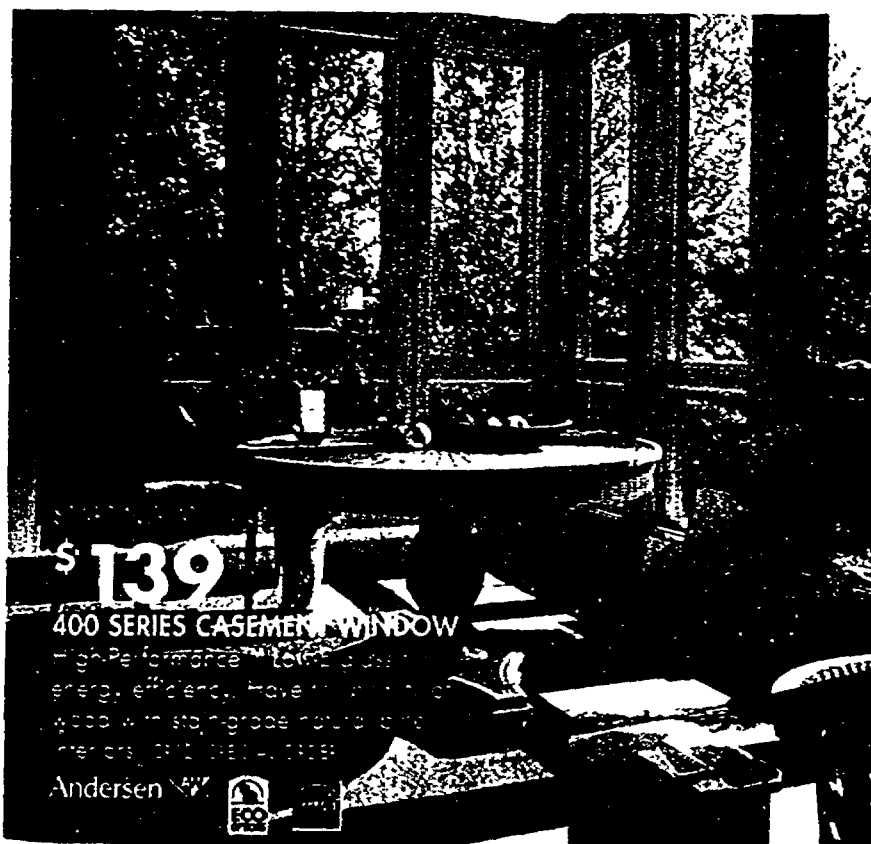
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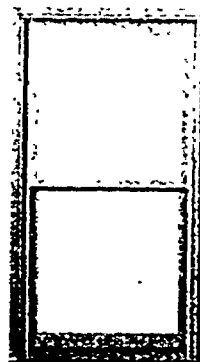


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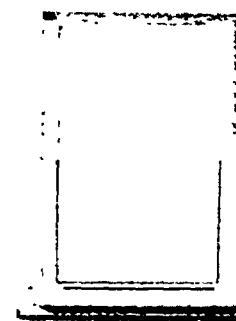
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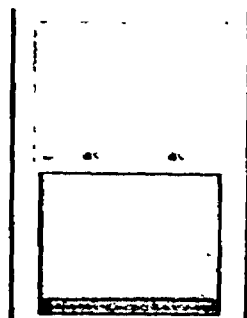


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7/8" LoE<sup>2</sup> insulated glass for comfort and year-round energy savings. 16210 (134220, SPECIAL ORDER)



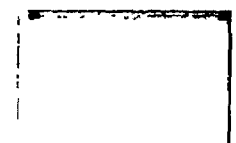
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7/8" dual pane with LoE<sup>2</sup> glass Dual weatherstripping provides an energy efficient, virtually weathertight seal. 24"x38".

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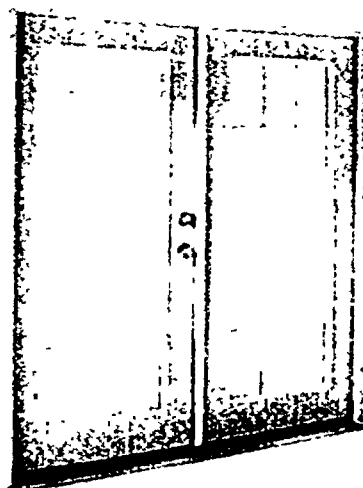
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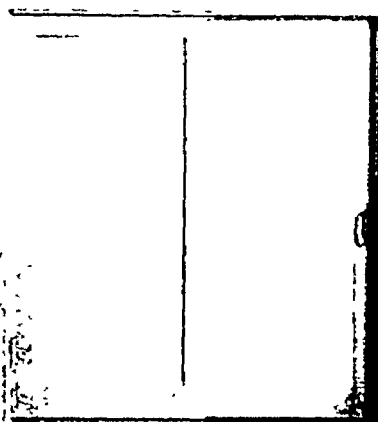


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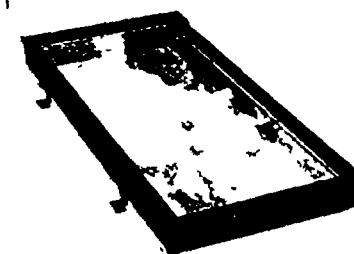
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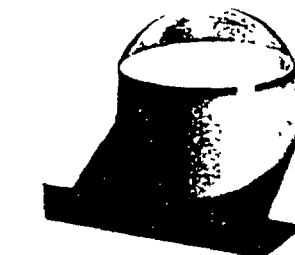
21-1/2"x46-1/4".

FS1060075 (588175)

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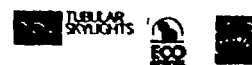
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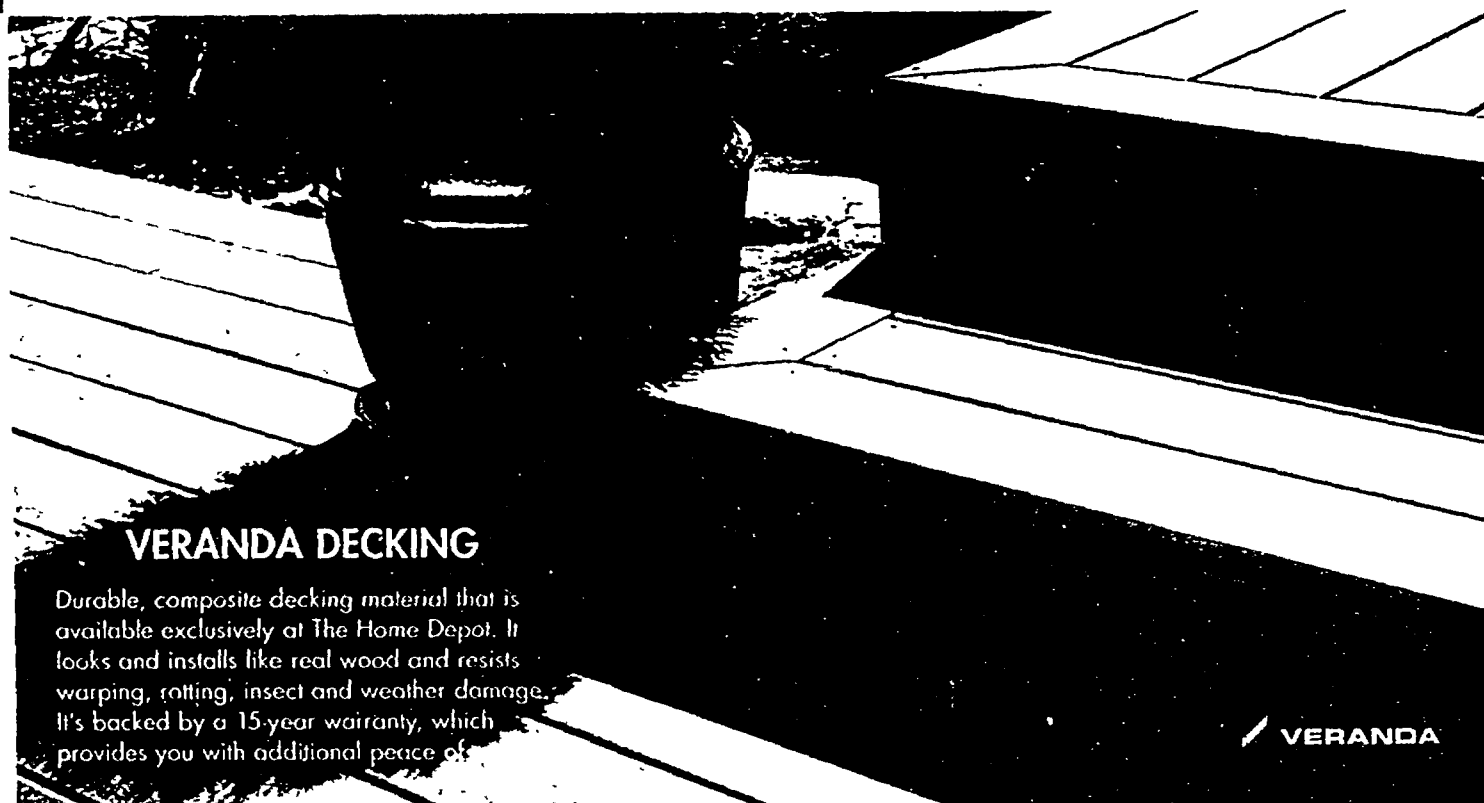
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## NEW VERANDA®

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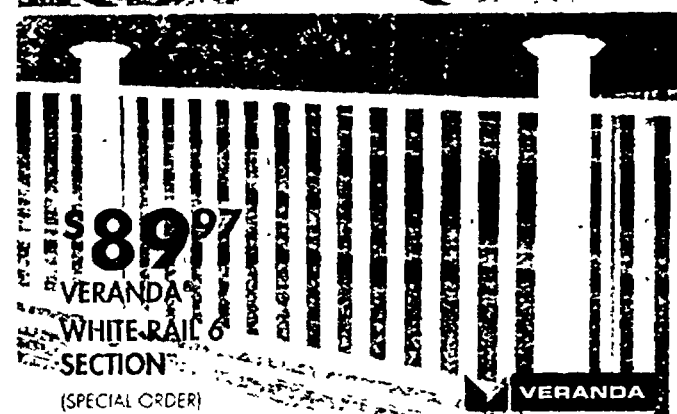
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8'	12'	16'
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## STANDARD PRESSURE TREATED DECKING

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5/4"x6"	\$4 <sup>97</sup>	\$5 <sup>97</sup>	\$6 <sup>97</sup>	\$10 <sup>97</sup>
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## PREMIUM THOMPSONIZED PRESSURE TREATED DECKING

SIZE	8'	10'	12'	16'
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## #2 PRIME PRESSURE TREATED LUMBER

SIZE	8'	10'	12'	16'
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2"x4"	\$2 <sup>97</sup>	\$3 <sup>97</sup>	\$6 <sup>97</sup>	\$8 <sup>97</sup>
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2"x6"	\$4 <sup>97</sup>	\$6 <sup>97</sup>	\$7 <sup>97</sup>	\$9 <sup>97</sup>
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2"x8"	\$7 <sup>97</sup>	\$9 <sup>97</sup>	\$11 <sup>97</sup>	\$17 <sup>97</sup>
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## #2 PRESSURE TREATED LUMBER

SIZE	8'	10'	12'	16'
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2"x10"	\$9 <sup>97</sup>	\$10 <sup>97</sup>	\$14 <sup>97</sup>	\$18 <sup>97</sup>
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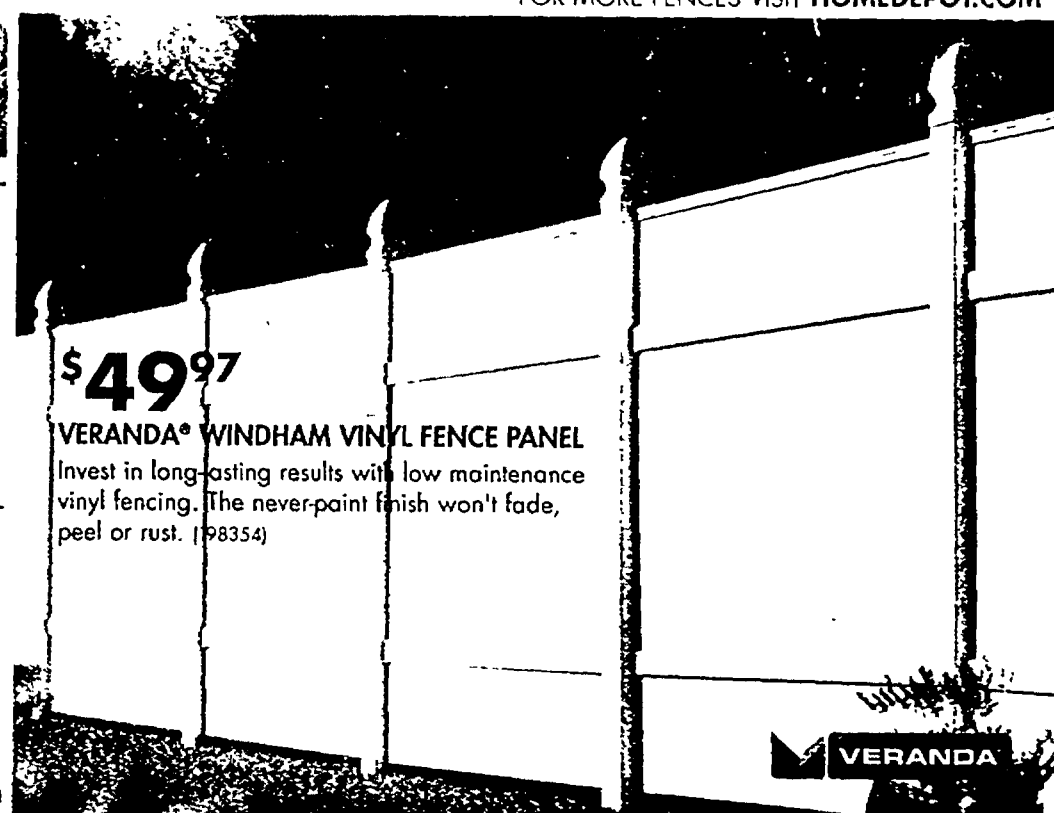
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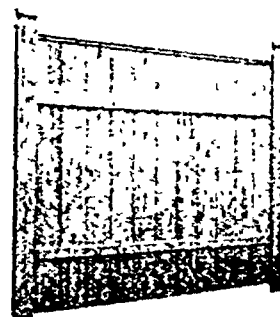
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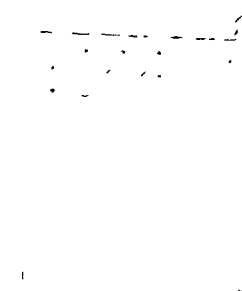
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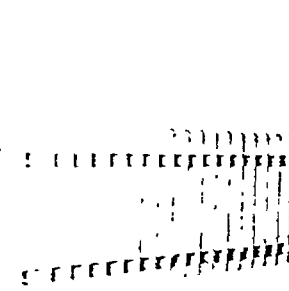
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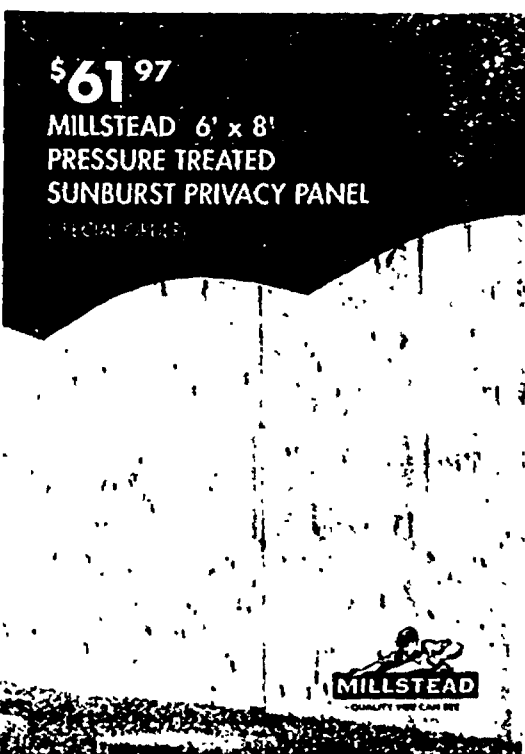
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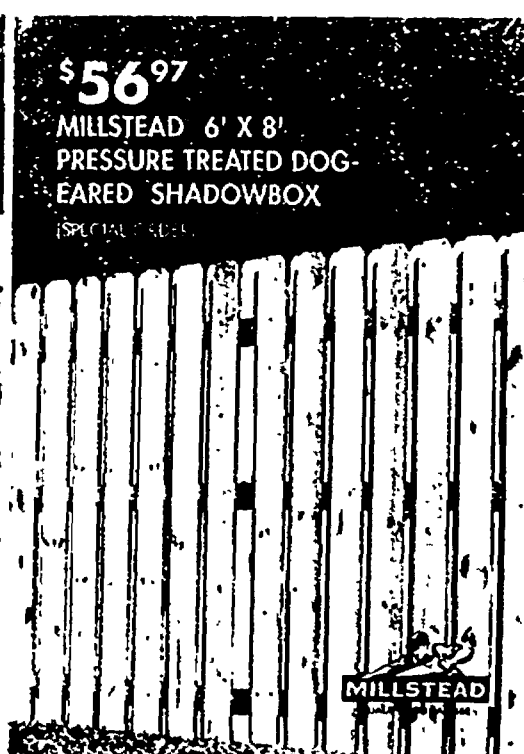
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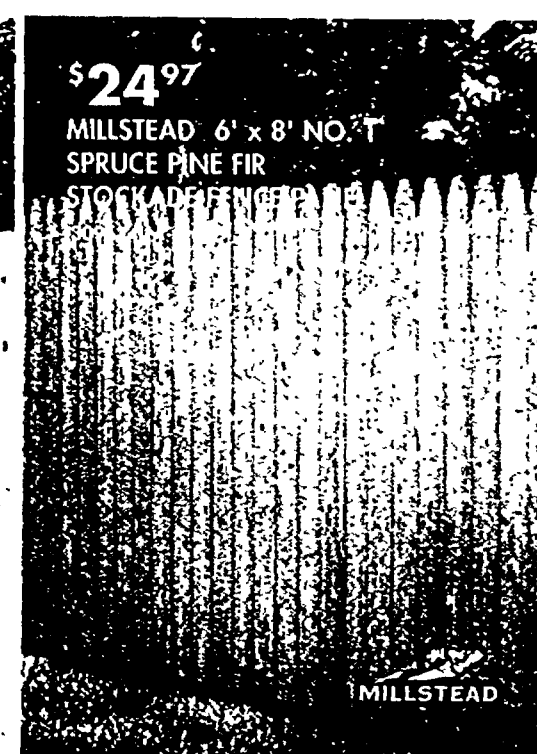
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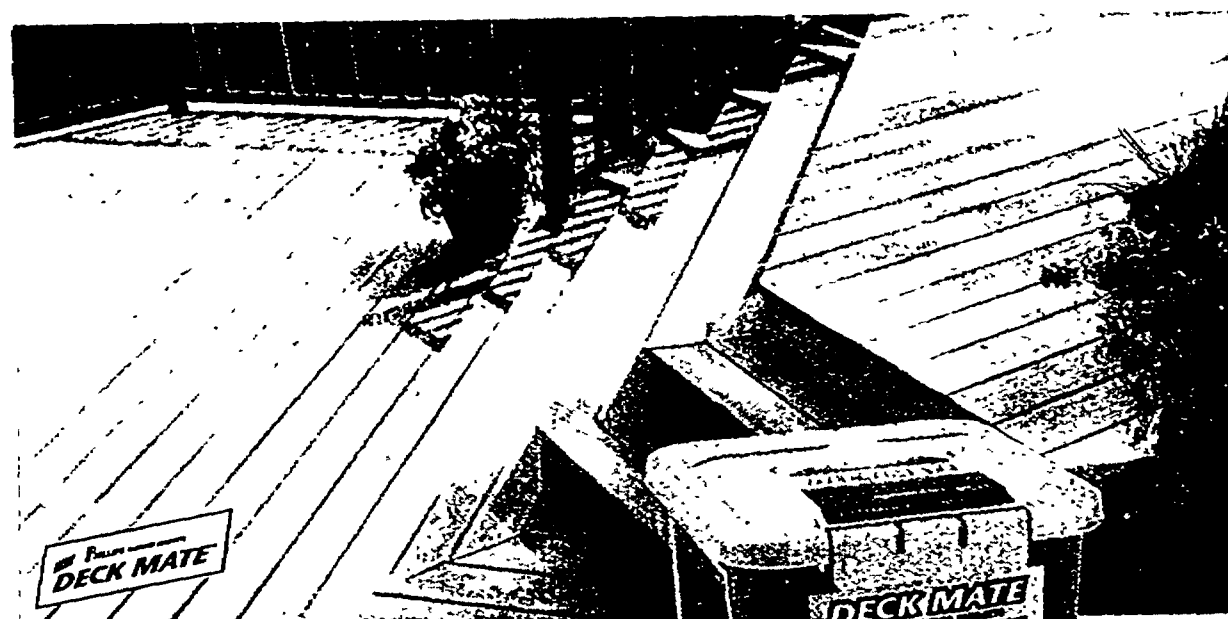
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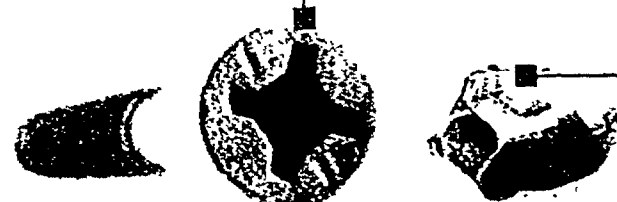


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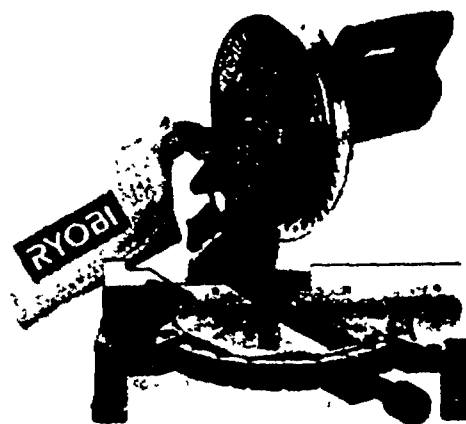
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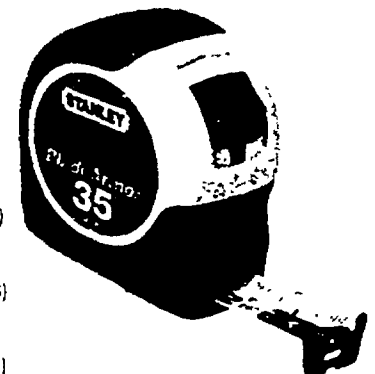
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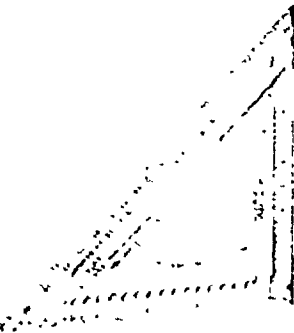


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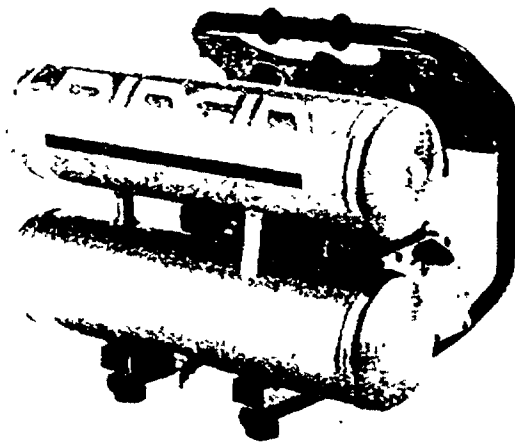
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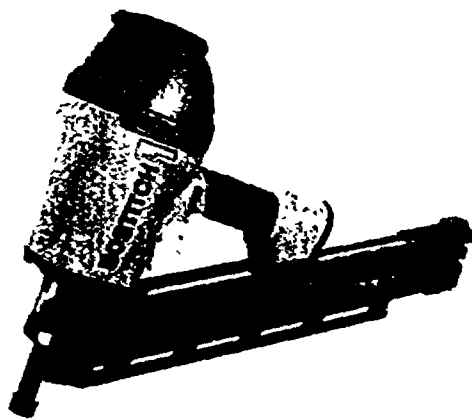
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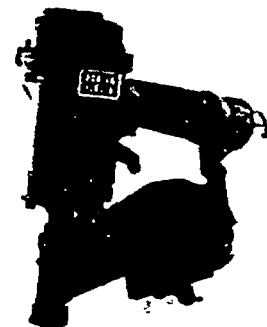
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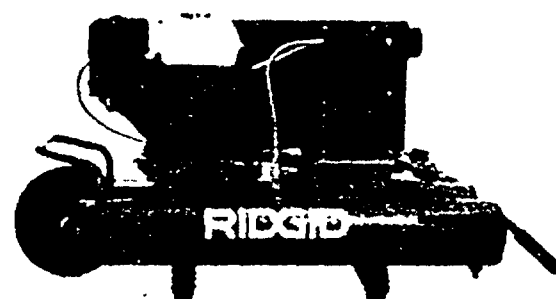
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Padded palms for more comfort.  
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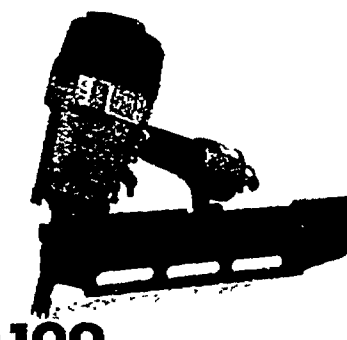


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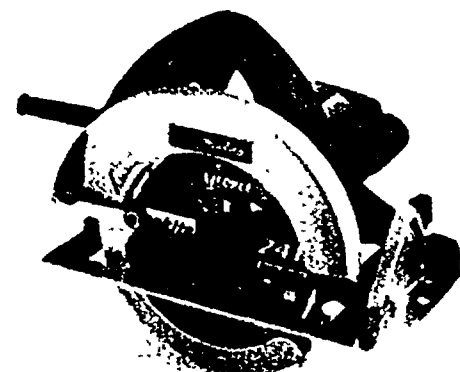


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Drives 2" to 3-1/2", 30°-34° nails.  
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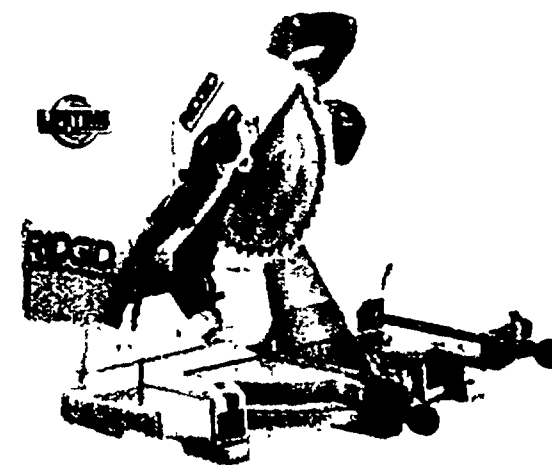
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## PROJECT COMPLETERS

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 4"x2" mesh. 14 gauge  
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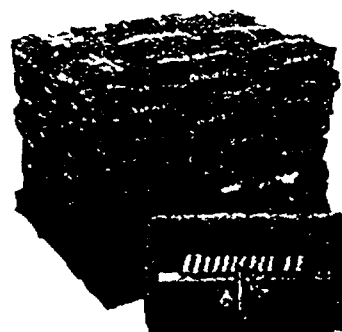
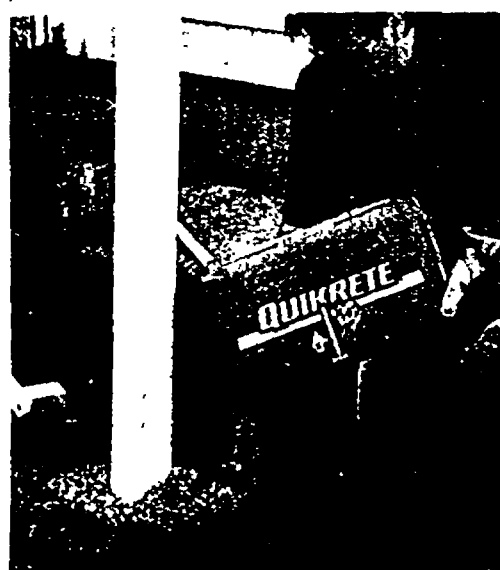


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 Constructed of  
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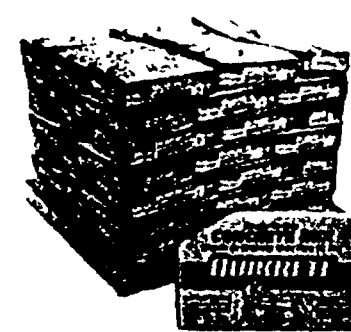
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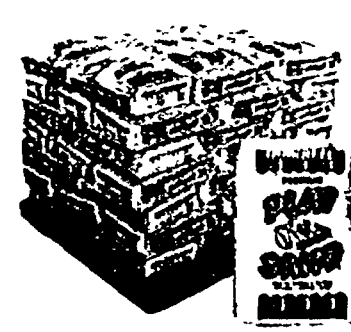
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**50 LB. FAST SETTING  
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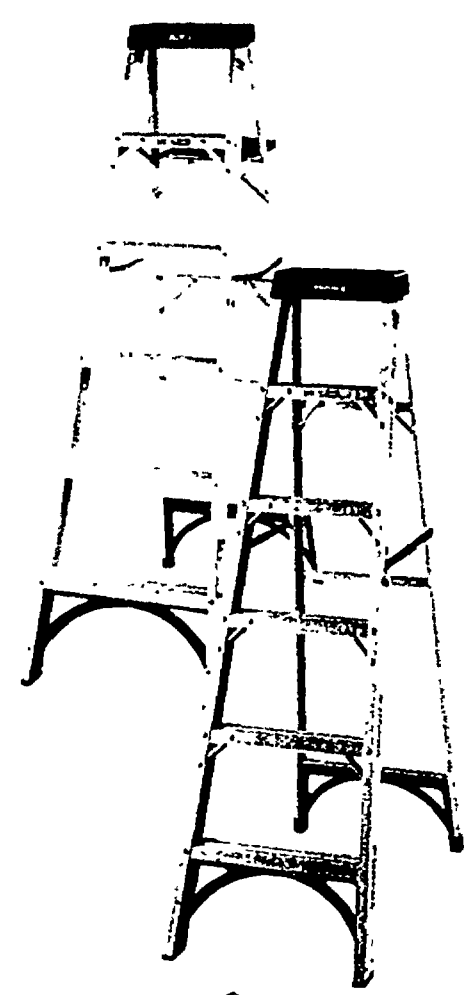


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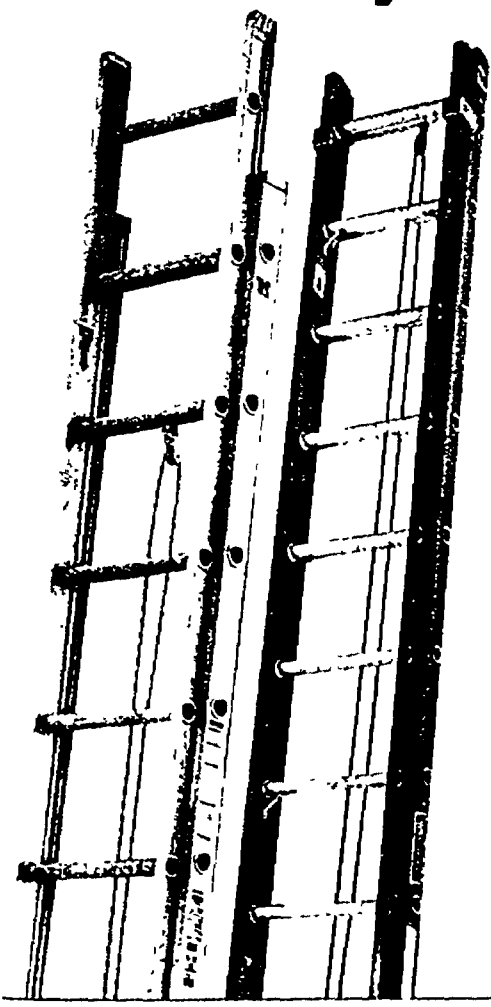
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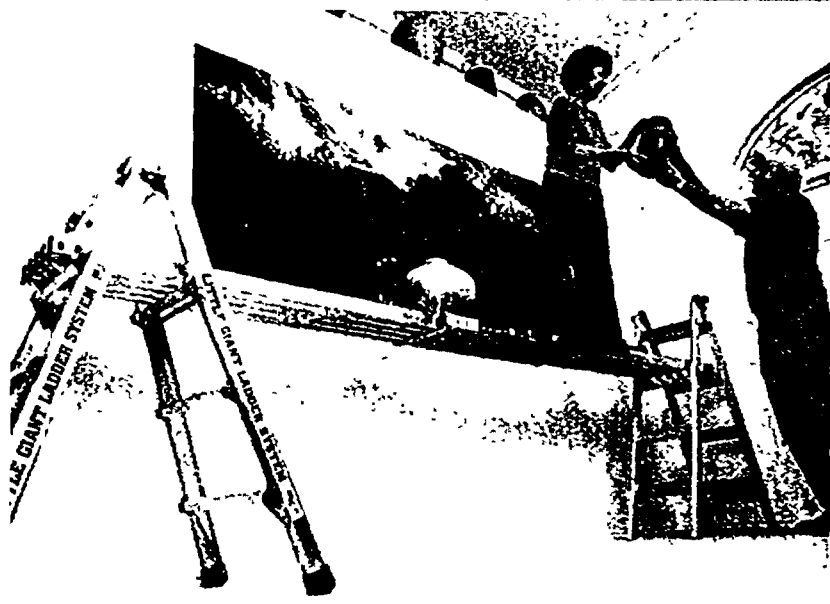
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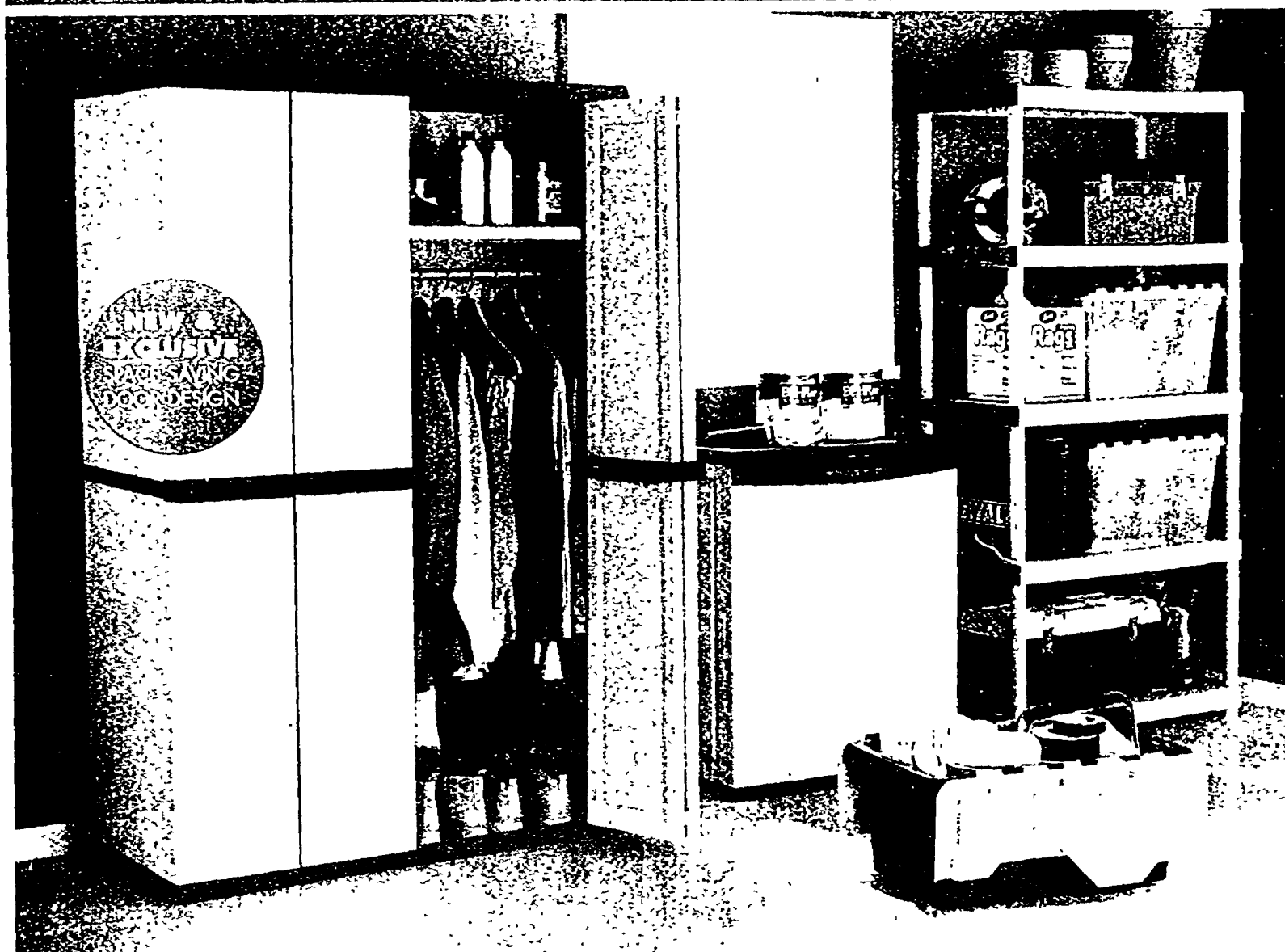
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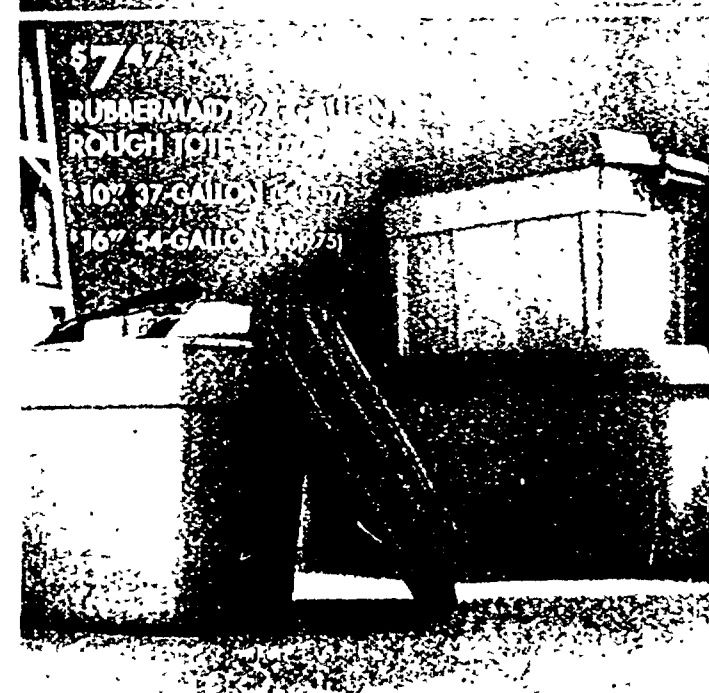
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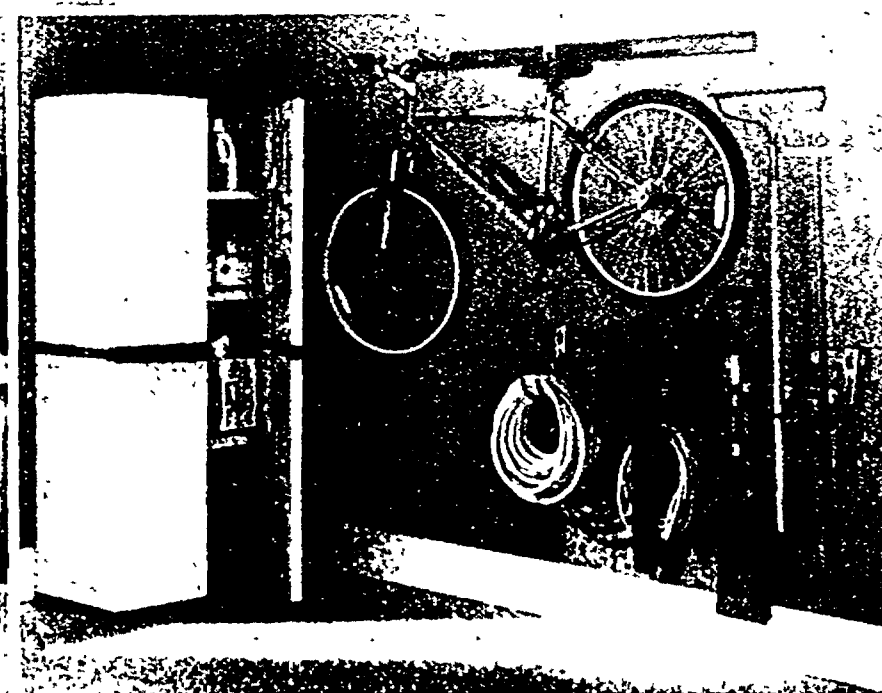


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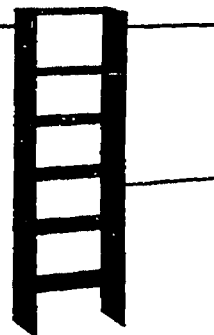
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25" CHERRY  
CUSTOM CLOSET  
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82-1/2" H x 25"

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Includes 3  
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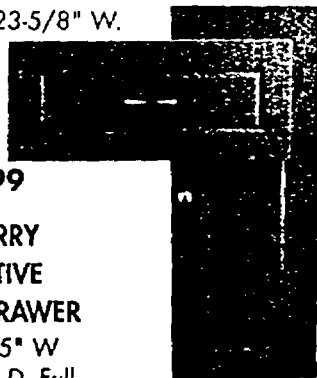
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30" CHERRY DECORATIVE  
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30" H x 23-5/8" W.

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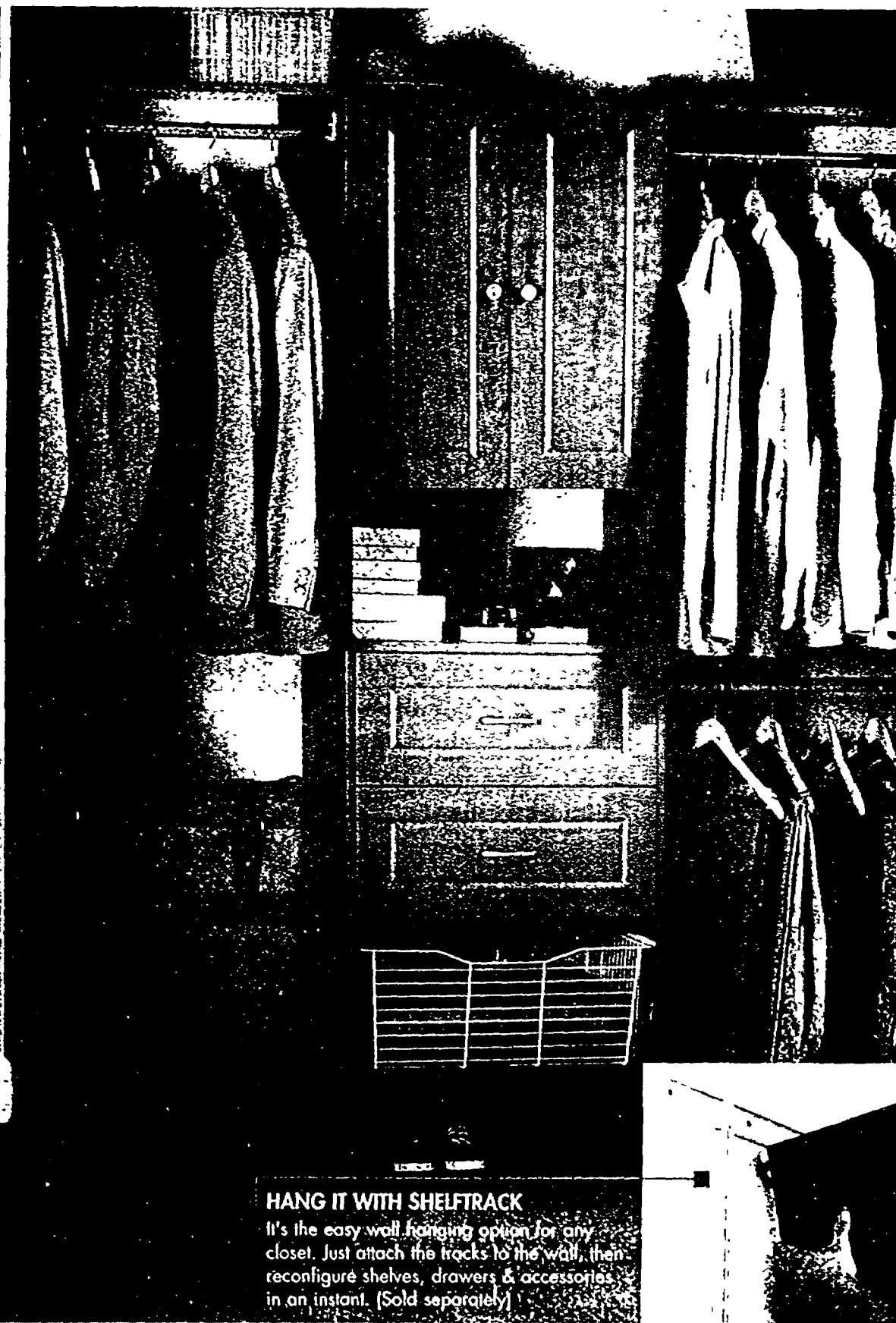


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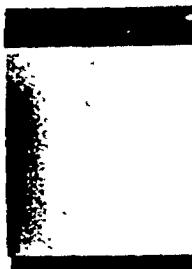
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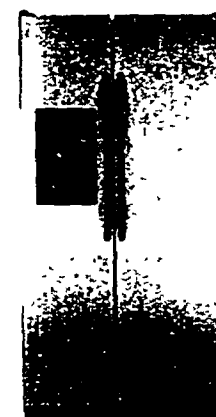
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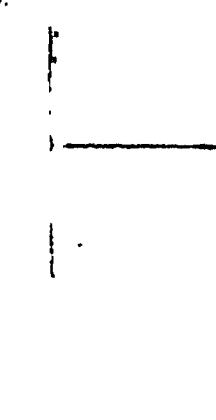


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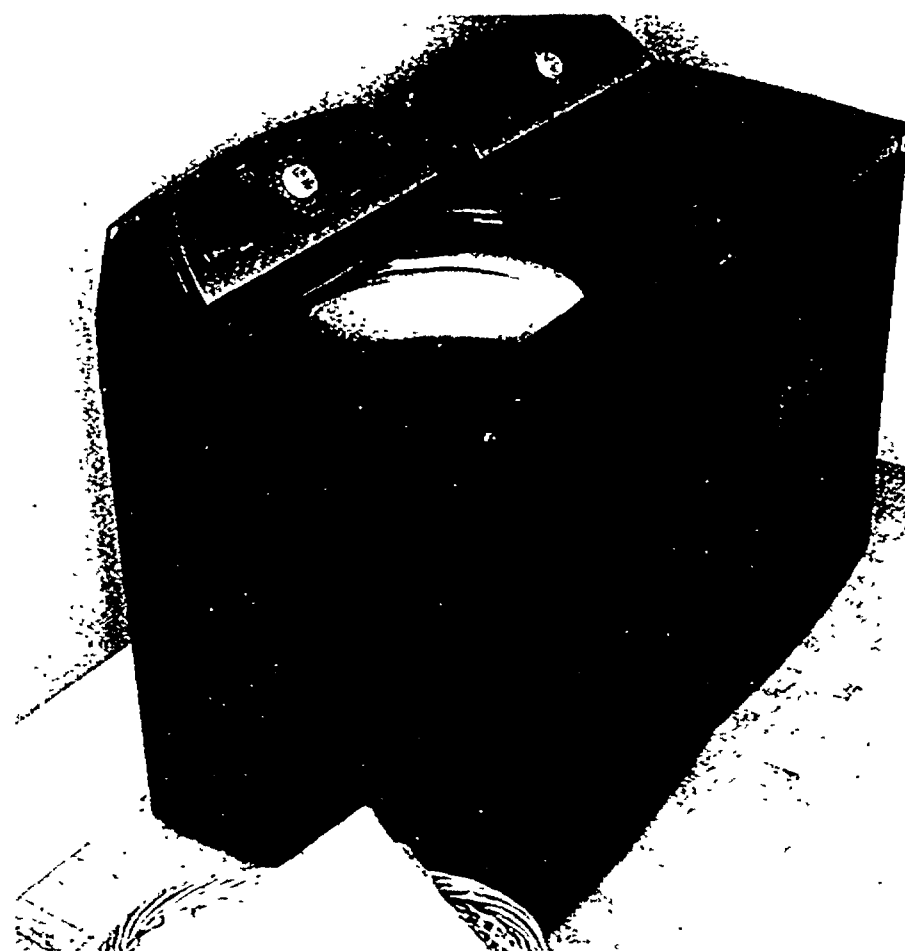
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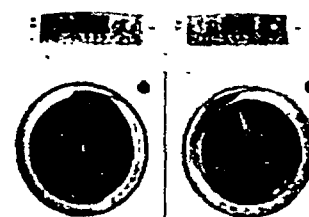
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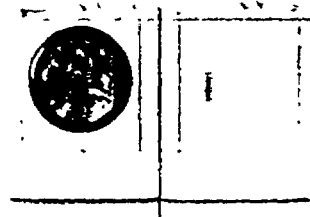
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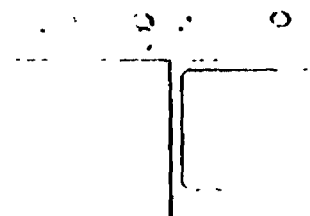
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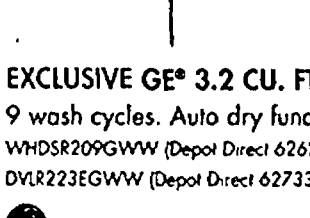
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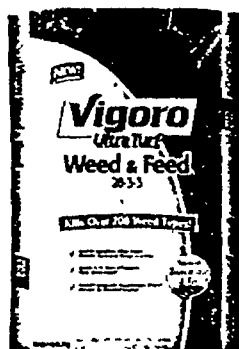




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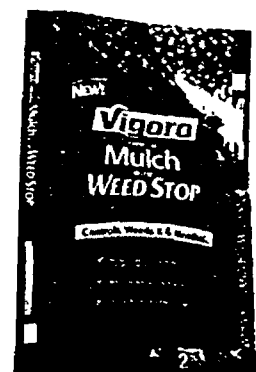
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SONOMA



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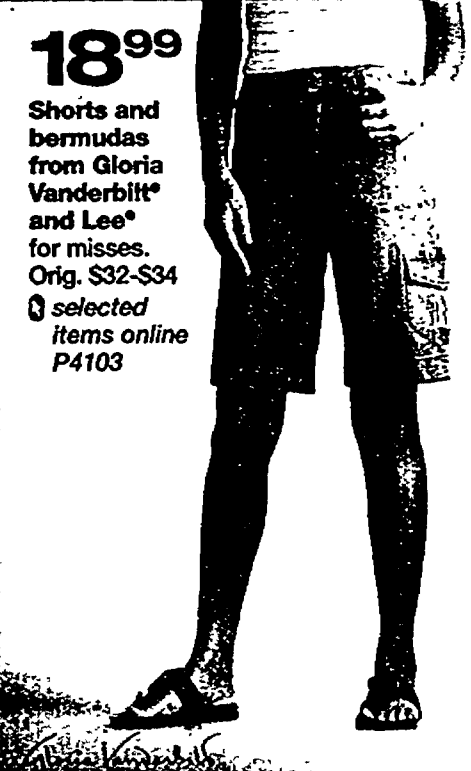
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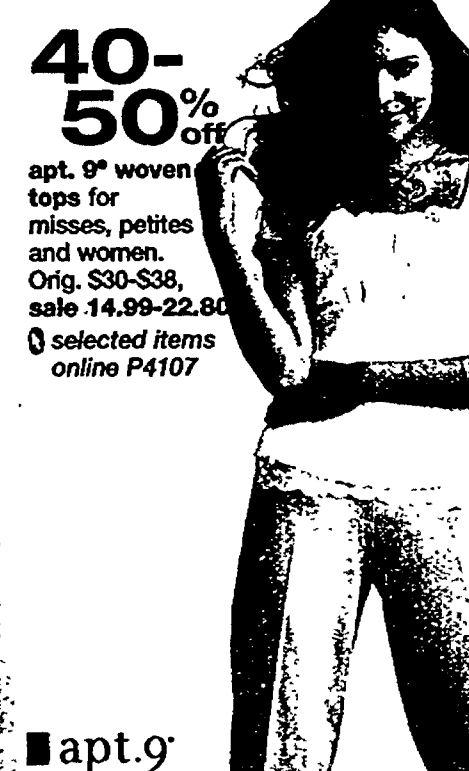
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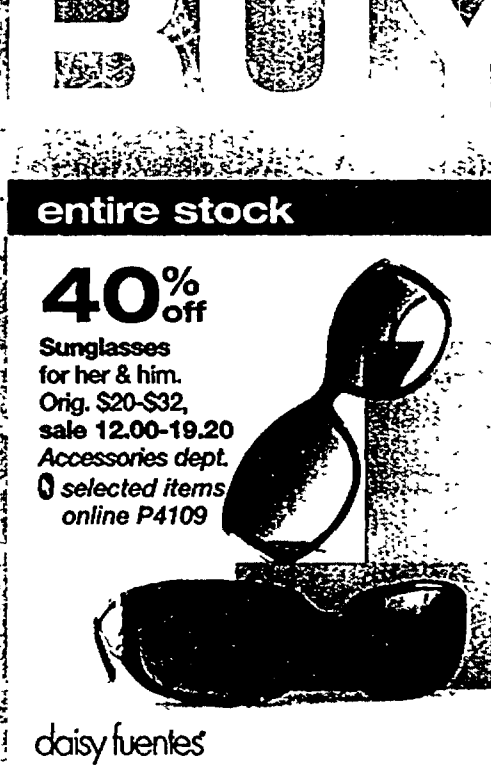


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Sunglasses for her & him. Orig. \$20-\$32, sale 12.00-19.20 Accessories dept.  
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Boxers & loungepants for men from Sonoma and Croft & Barrow®. Orig. \$12-\$20, sale \$6-\$10

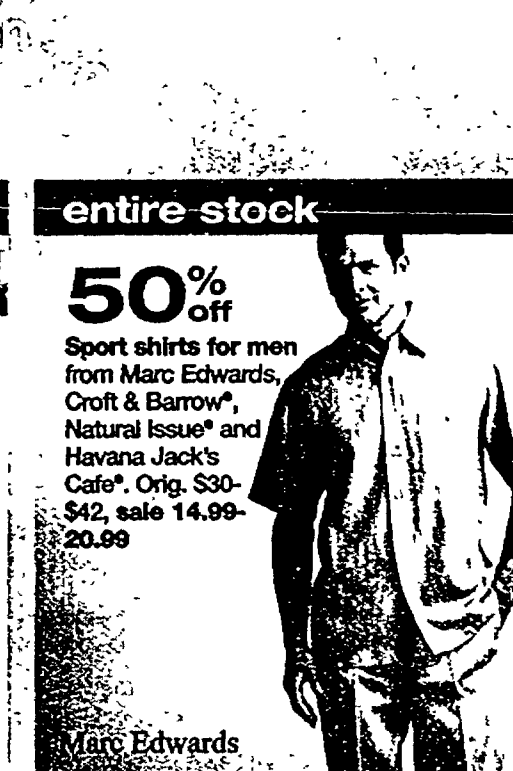


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Sport shirts for men from Marc Edwards, Croft & Barrow®, Natural Issue® and Havana Jack's Cafe®. Orig. \$30-\$42, sale 14.99-20.99

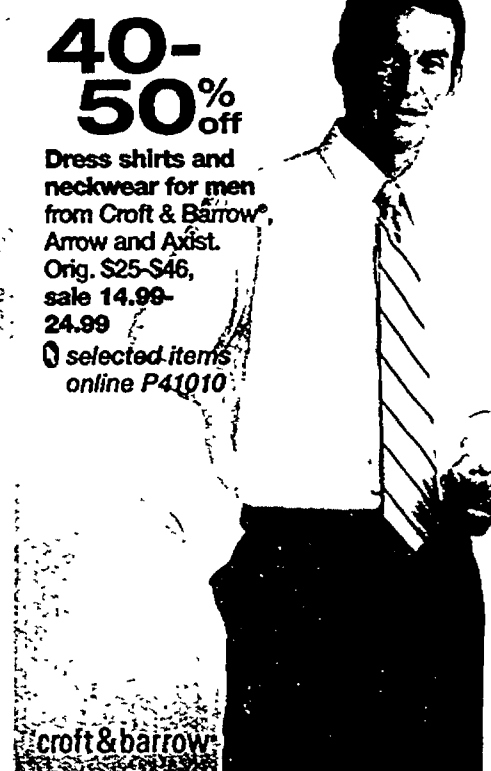


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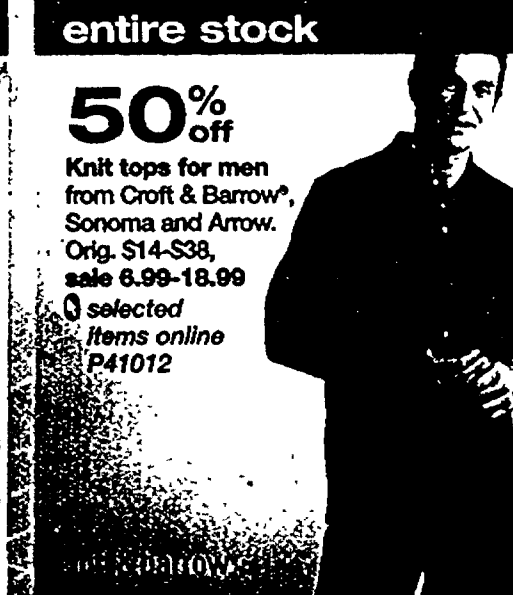


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Knit tops for men from Croft & Barrow®, Sonoma and Arrow. Orig. \$14-\$38, sale 6.99-18.99  
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Graphic tees for young men. Orig. \$18 Excludes collections.  
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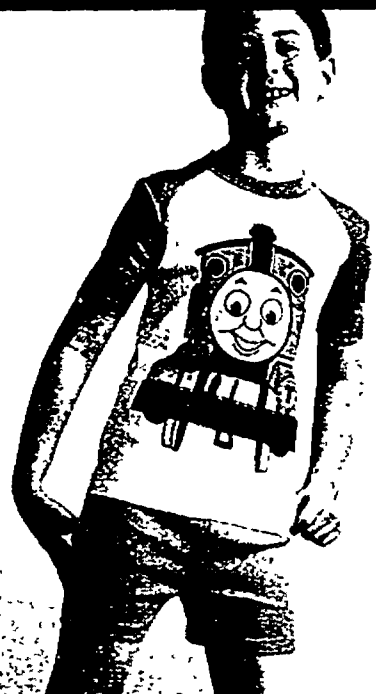
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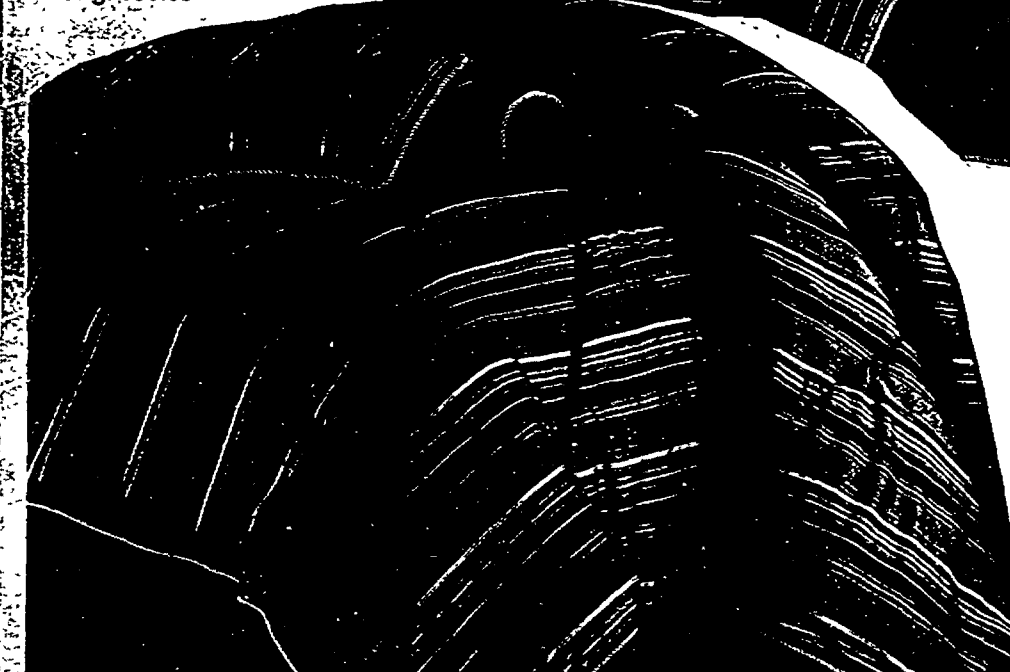
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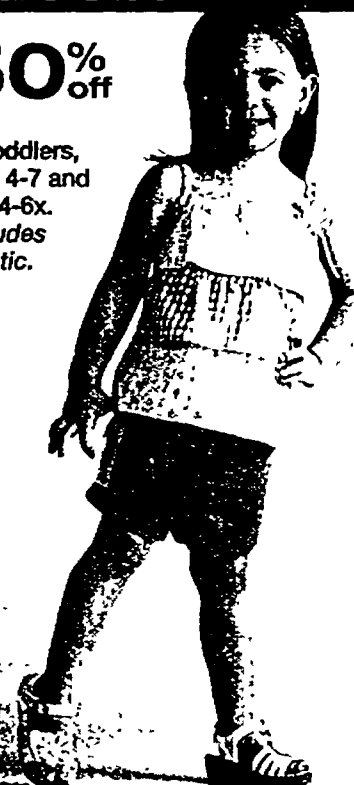
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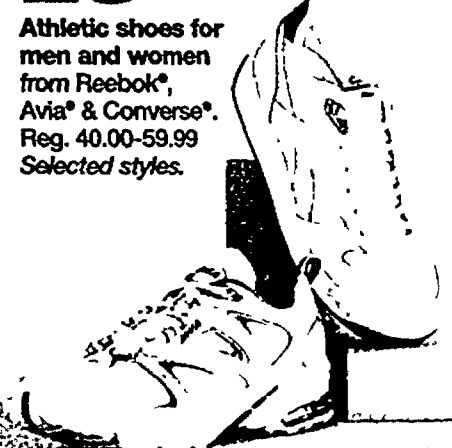
Shoes for juniors.  
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sale 17.99-29.99  
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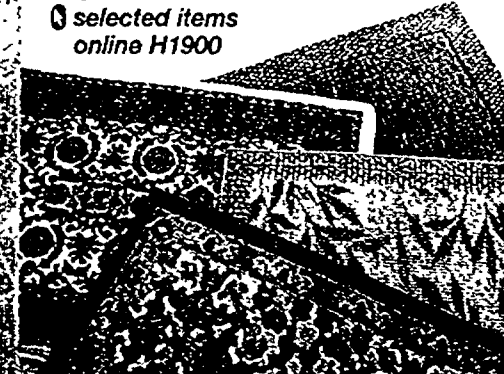
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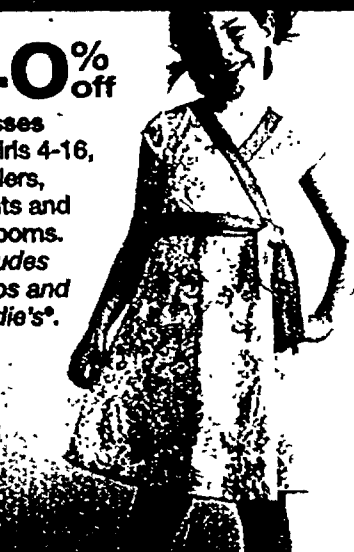
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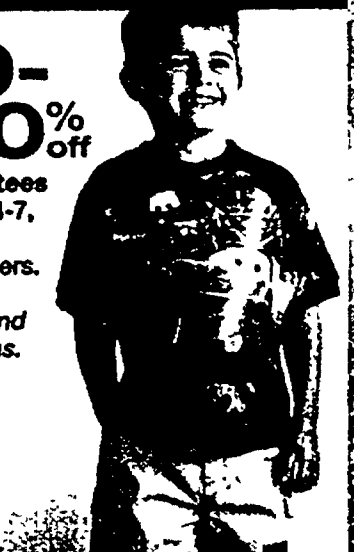
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Excludes  
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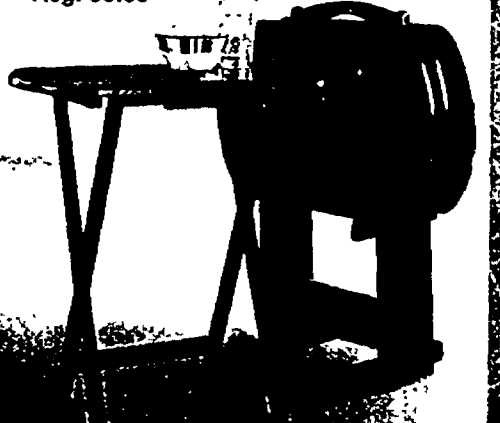
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Russell® Athletic, Tek Gear®, Nike®, adidas®, N.Y.L.®, Danskin®, Fu Da®, daisy fuentes® sport & Gloria Vanderbilt® Sport active & fitnesswear for misses. Orig. \$16-\$54, sale 9.60-43.20. Selected styles.  selected items online W1300

15.99  
Russell® Athletic  
dri-power tee.  
Orig. \$24

24.99  
Russell® Athletic  
dri-power  
Orig. \$36

9.99  
TEKnoLogy  
wicking tee  
by Tek Gear  
Orig. \$18

15.99  
TEKnoLogy  
mesh capris  
by Tek Gear  
Orig. \$28

Entire Stock  
**33% off**

Swimwear for misses, juniors and women. Orig. \$24-\$86, sale 15.99-57.62.  selected items online KOHLS.COM

21.99 ea. pc.  
Ocean Dream®  
swim separates  
for misses.  
Orig. \$34 ea. pc.


Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Sleepwear, loungewear & robes for her. Orig. \$12-\$58, sale 8.40-40.60.  selected items online W2400

Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Handbags and handbag accessories from Sonoma, Croft & Barrow®, Nine & Co.® and more. Orig. 15.00-98.50, sale 10.50-68.95.  selected items online W1600

Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Flip-flops for her. Orig. \$14-\$18, sale 8.40-12.60. Accessories dept.  selected items online P41024

Entire Stock  
**19.99**

Shorts and bermudas from Gloria Vanderbilt® and Lee® for misses. Orig. \$32-\$34

women's shorts  
Orig. \$34,  
sale 21.99

Gloria Vanderbilt

**19.99**

Croft & Barrow® capris for misses & petites. Orig. \$30

women's  
Orig. \$34,  
sale 22.99

Croft & Barrow

Entire Stock  
**16.99**

Sonoma shorts, bermudas and skirts for misses and petites. Orig. \$26-\$28

women's shorts  
Orig. \$30,  
sale 18.99


SONOMA

Entire Stock  
**21.99**

Skorts from Gloria Vanderbilt®, Lee® & Dockers® for misses and petites. Orig. \$34

Gloria Vanderbilt

Entire Stock  
**25-40% off**


Socks for her. Orig. \$6-\$15, sale 3.60-11.25.  selected items online P41022

Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Fashion accessories for her. Orig. \$8-\$40, sale 5.60-28.00

Relic

Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Sunglasses for her or him. Orig. \$20-\$32, sale 14.00-22.40. Accessories dept.  selected items online P41025

Relic

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cosmetics, skincare, bath & body, fragrance.

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# 50-60% off entire stock fine jewelry & sterling silver jewelry

Excludes Moissanite. Some jewelry photos enlarged to show detail. Diamond Total Weights are approximate. T.W. may vary up to .05 ct. Actual savings may exceed the percent savings shown. Q selected items online F999

**JOURNEY**  
DIAMOND JEWELRY  
WITH EVERY STEP,  
LOVE GROWS.

Entire Stock  
**129<sup>99</sup>**  
ea.

1/4 ct. T.W. Journey  
diamond jewelry  
10k gold.  
Reg. \$325 ea.

Entire Stock  
**239<sup>99</sup>**  
ea.

1/2 ct. T.W. Journey  
diamond jewelry  
10k gold.  
Reg. \$600 ea.

Super Buy  
**99<sup>99</sup>**  
ea.

Entire stock 1/4 ct.  
T.W. diamond jewelry  
10k gold.  
Reg. \$300 ea.

**84.99** pr.

1/4 ct. T.W. diamond  
solitaire earrings.  
14k gold. Reg. \$250 pr.

**749.99** pr.

1 ct. T.W. diamond  
solitaire earrings.  
14k gold. Reg. \$2,000 pr.

Entire Stock  
**24<sup>99</sup>**  
pr.

14k gold earrings  
Reg. \$65 pr.

Entire Stock  
**44<sup>99</sup>**  
ea.

Diamond accent  
pendants 10k gold.  
Reg. \$125 ea.

Entire Stock  
**55% off**

apt. 9<sup>th</sup> sterling  
silver jewelry  
Reg. \$25-\$55,  
sale 11.25-24.75

Your Choice  
**13<sup>49</sup>**  
ea.

Sterling silver  
earrings or rings  
Orig. \$30 ea.

Super Buy  
**149<sup>99</sup>**  
ea.

Entire stock 1/2 ct.  
T.W. diamond jewelry  
10k gold. Reg. \$450 ea.

Your Choice  
**24<sup>99</sup>**  
ea.

Boxed anklets  
or toe rings  
10k gold.  
Orig. \$60 ea.

# 30% off entire stock fashion jewelry

Orig. \$8-\$44, sale 5.60-30.80 Excludes Napier<sup>®</sup> and 1928<sup>®</sup>. Q selected items online F999

Entire Stock

**30% off**

\$0 fashion jewelry  
Orig. \$8-\$18,  
sale 5.60-12.60

Entire Stock

**30% off**

apt. 9<sup>th</sup>  
fashion jewelry  
Orig. \$8-\$32,  
sale 5.60-22.40

Entire Stock

**30% off**

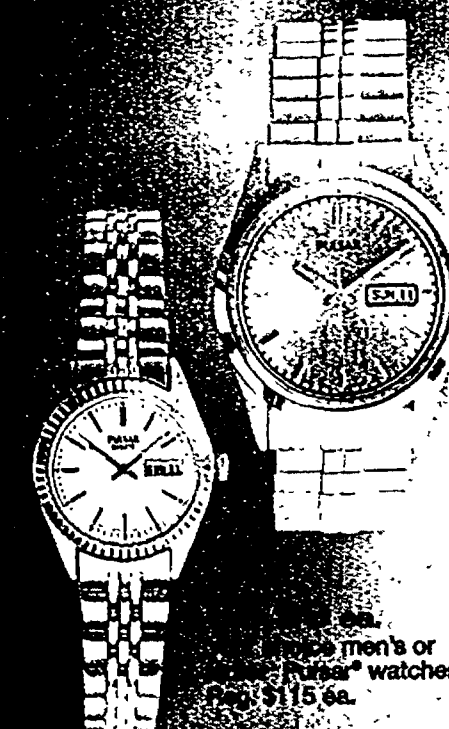
daisy fuentes<sup>®</sup>  
fashion jewelry  
Orig. \$8-\$32,  
sale 5.60-22.40

# 25-40% off entire stock watches

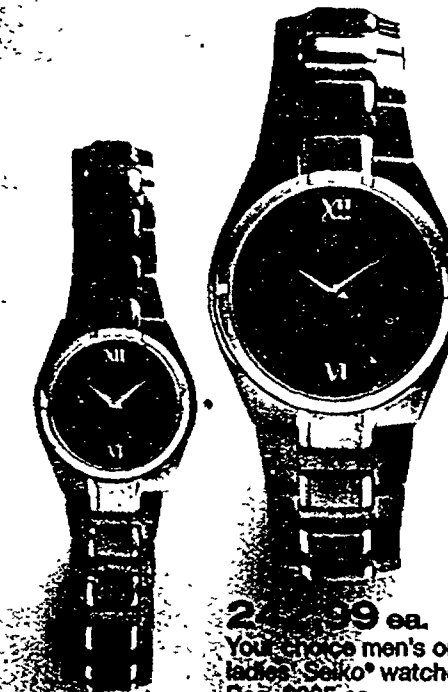
Reg. 19.95-675.00, sale 14.96-506.25 Q selected items online F999

**167.99**  
Ladies' Citizen  
watch.  
Reg. \$225

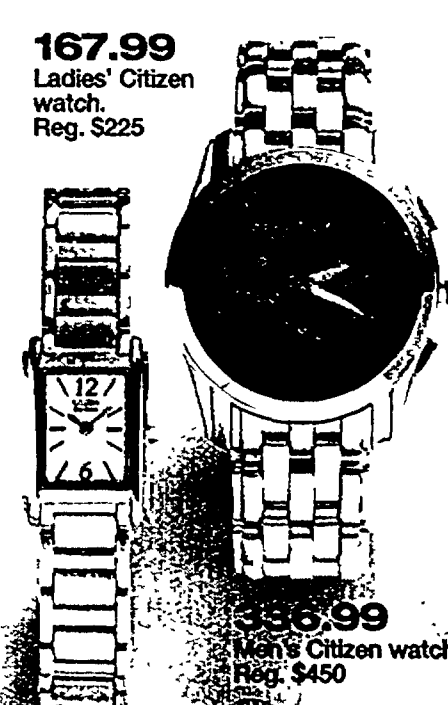
**373.99**  
Ladies' Bulova  
watch.  
Reg. \$499



**249.99** ea.  
Your choice men's or  
ladies' Seiko<sup>®</sup> watches.  
Reg. \$115 ea.



**249.99** ea.  
Your choice men's or  
ladies' Seiko<sup>®</sup> watches.  
Reg. \$325 ea.



**336.99**  
Men's Citizen watch.  
Reg. \$450



**223.99**  
Men's Bulova watch.  
Reg. \$299

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BULOVA

# A Month of Mom Sweepstakes

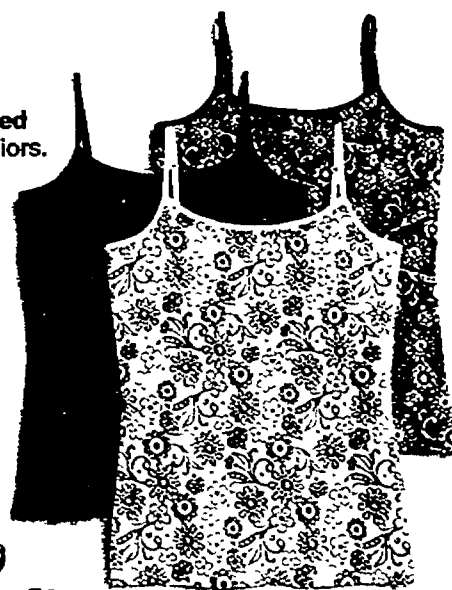
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6<sup>99</sup>

\$0  
satin-trimmed  
cami for juniors.  
Orig. \$12



9<sup>99</sup>

\$0 active  
bermudas  
for juniors.  
Orig. \$18



7<sup>99</sup>

\$0  
halter tops  
for juniors.  
Orig. \$14



15<sup>99</sup>  
ea. pc

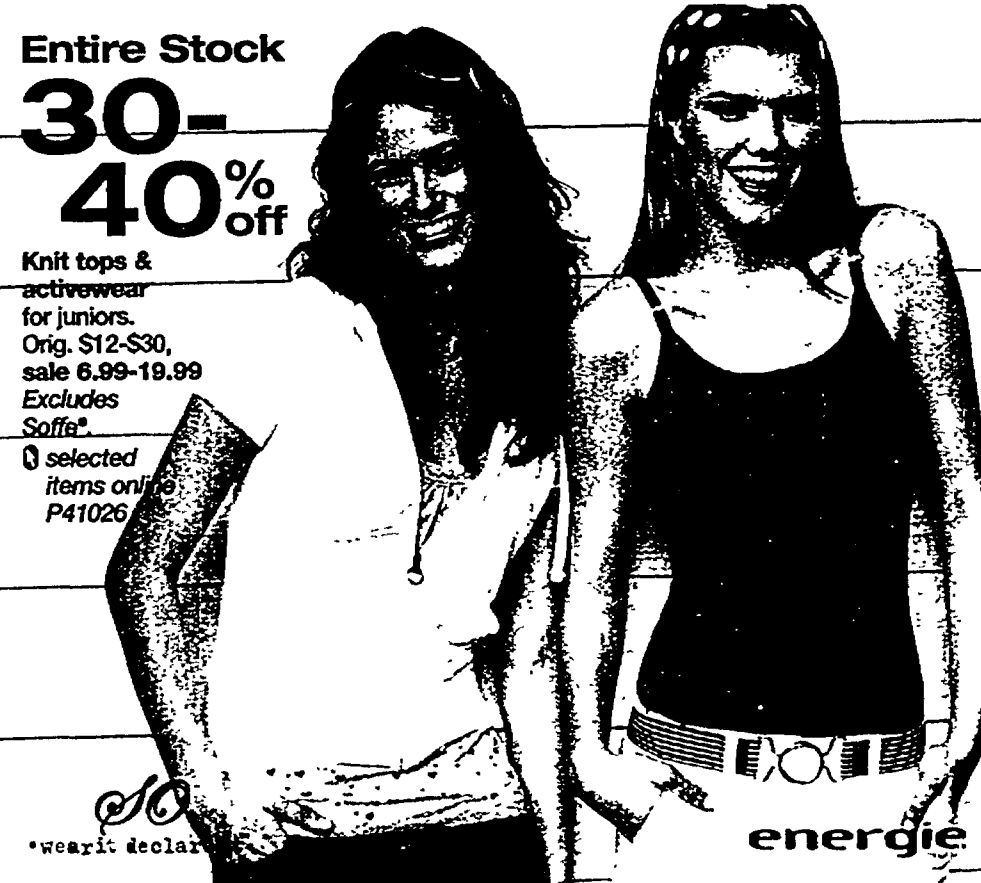
\$0 swim  
separates  
for juniors.  
Orig. \$28 ea. pc  
selected  
items online  
P41029



Entire Stock

30-  
40% off

Knit tops &  
activewear  
for juniors.  
Orig. \$12-\$30,  
sale 6.99-19.99  
Excludes  
Soffe®.  
selected  
items online  
P41026



Entire Stock

14<sup>99</sup>

\$0 poplin  
capris  
for juniors.  
Orig. \$28



Entire Stock

19<sup>99</sup>

Shorts and  
bermudas  
for juniors  
from Bongo®,  
Angels & i.e.l.®.  
Orig. \$26-\$30  
selected items  
online P41027

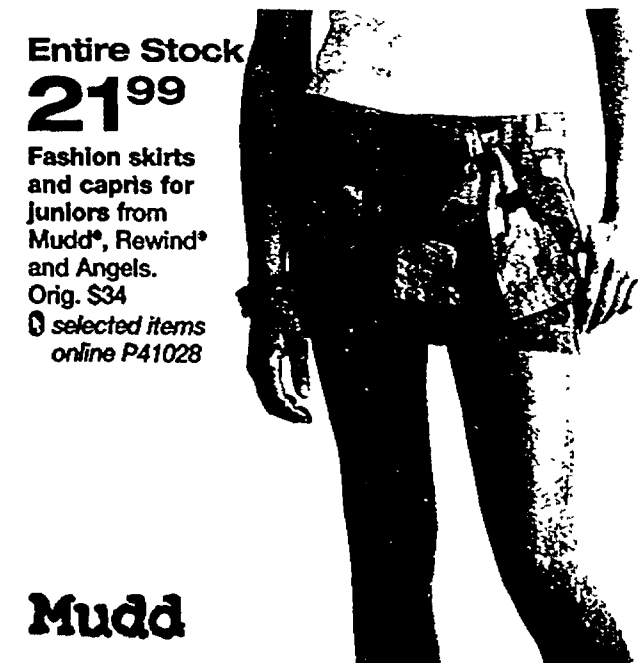
FREE FLIP-FLOPS  
with the purchase  
of selected Bongo®  
shorts for juniors.



Entire Stock

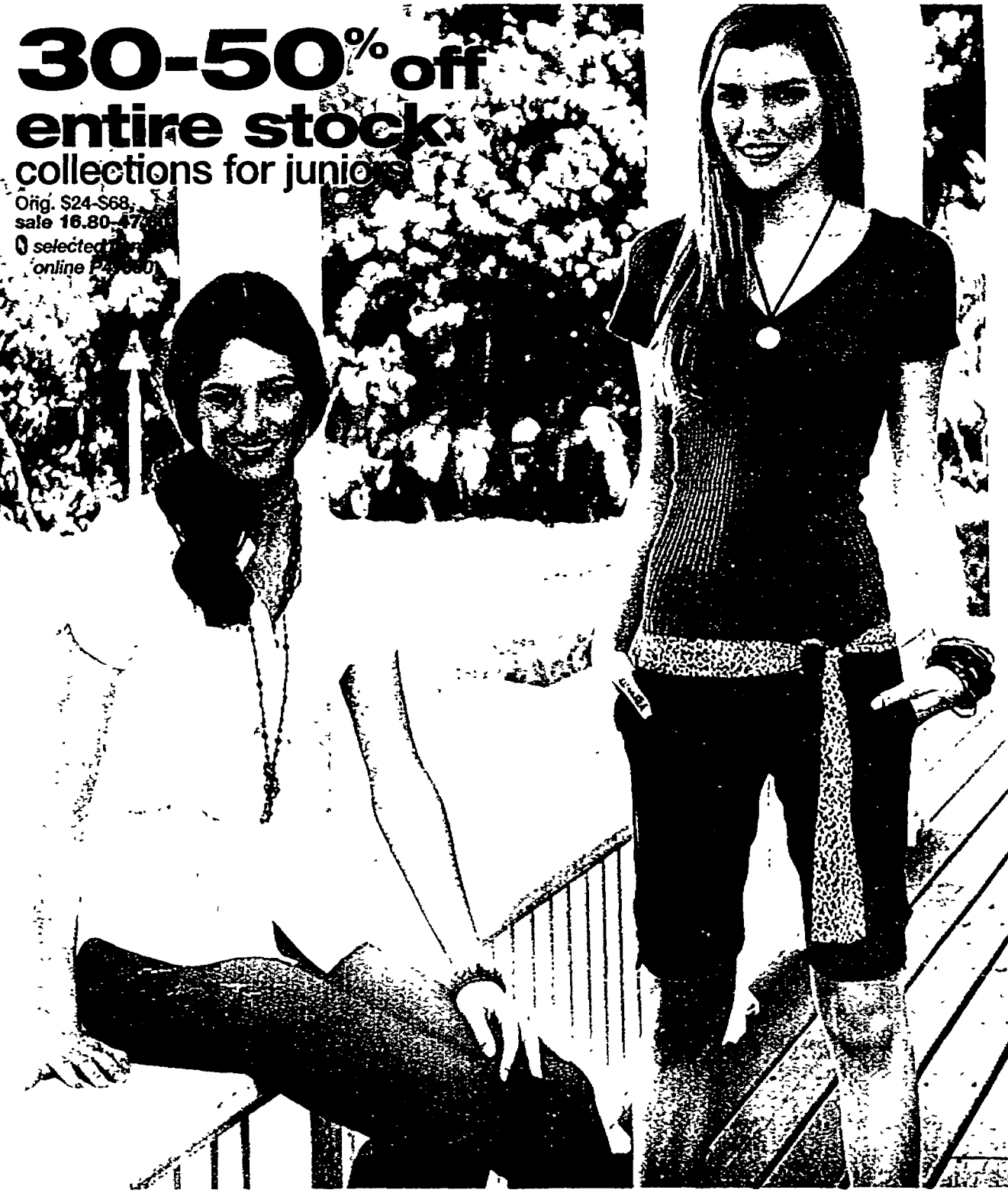
21<sup>99</sup>

Fashion skirts  
and capris for  
juniors from  
Mudd®, Rewind®  
and Angels.  
Orig. \$34  
selected items  
online P41028



30-50% off  
entire stock  
collections for juniors

Orig. \$24-\$68,  
sale 16.80-47.99  
selected  
items online  
P41030



30% off  
entire stock  
dresses

for juniors. Orig. \$36-\$58,  
sale 25.20-40.60



Entire Stock

40% off

Separate  
skirts for juniors.  
Orig. \$26-\$34,  
sale 15.60-20.40



Entire Stock

40% off

Separate  
capris for juniors.  
Orig. \$26-\$34,  
sale 15.60-20.40



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# 30-40% off all Chaps dress clothing & sportswear collection

for men. Orig. \$28-\$225, sale 15.99-125.00 selected items online M1860



## CHAPS

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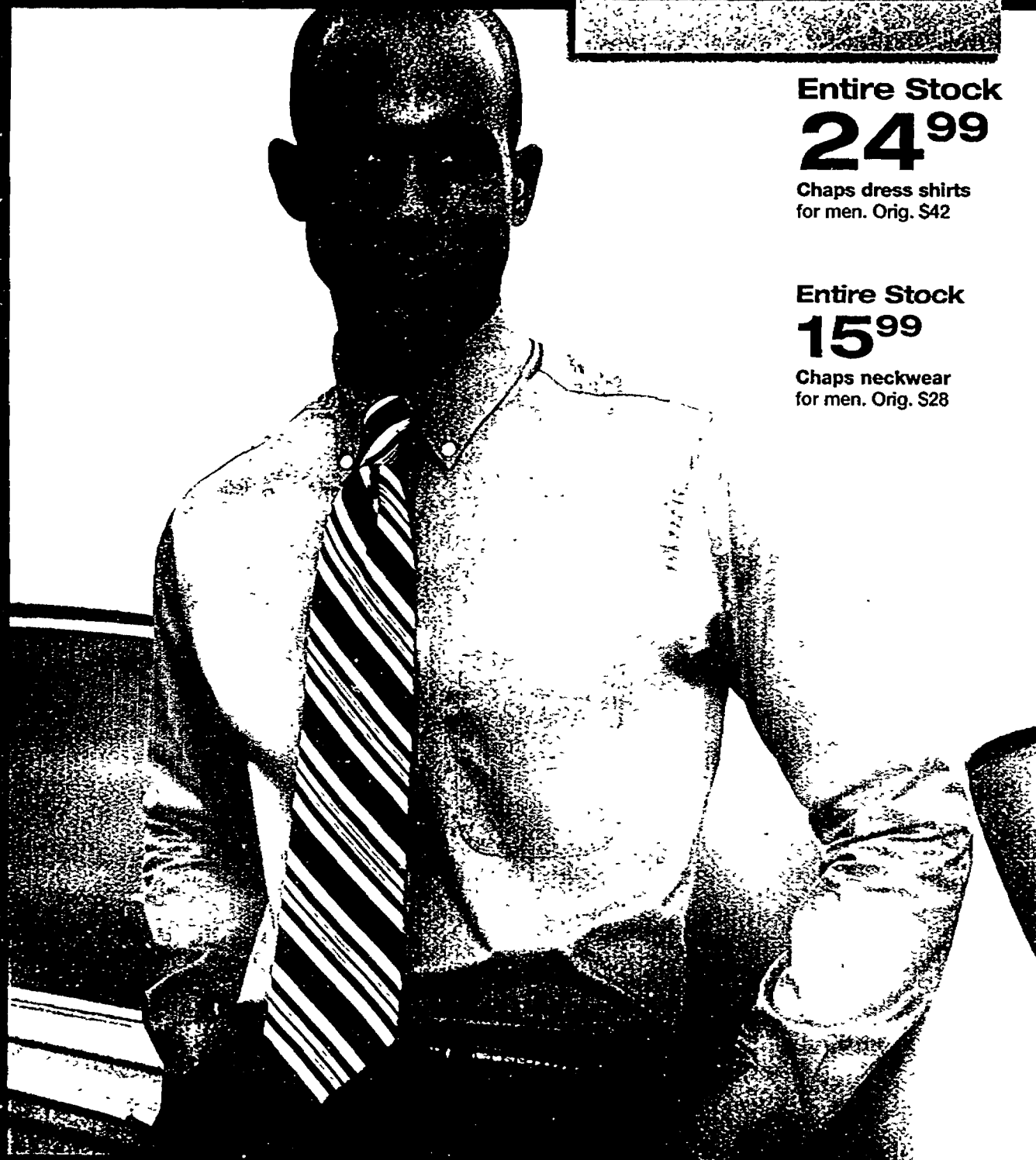
Entire Stock  
**109<sup>99</sup>**

Chaps sport coats  
for men.  
Orig. \$225



Entire Stock  
**24<sup>99</sup>**

Chaps dress shirts  
for men. Orig. \$42



Entire Stock  
**15<sup>99</sup>**

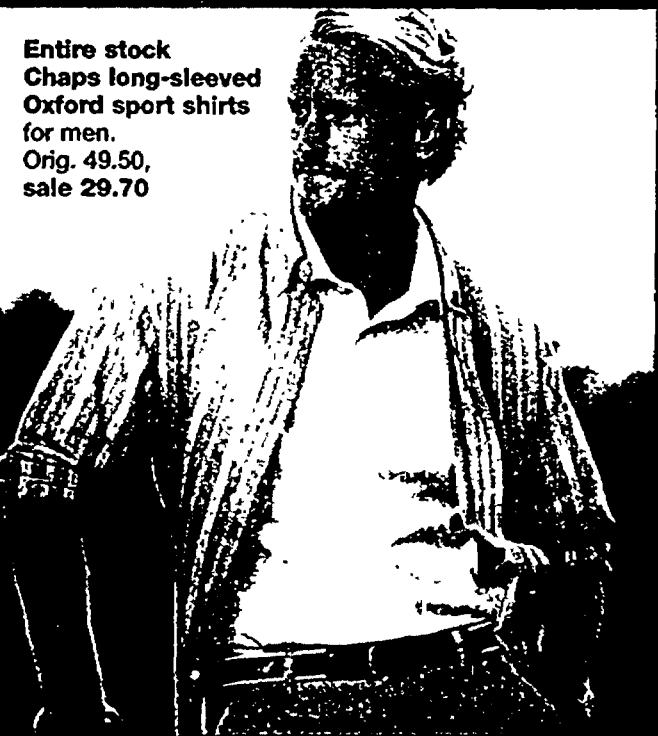
Chaps neckwear  
for men. Orig. \$28

Entire Stock  
**139<sup>99</sup>**

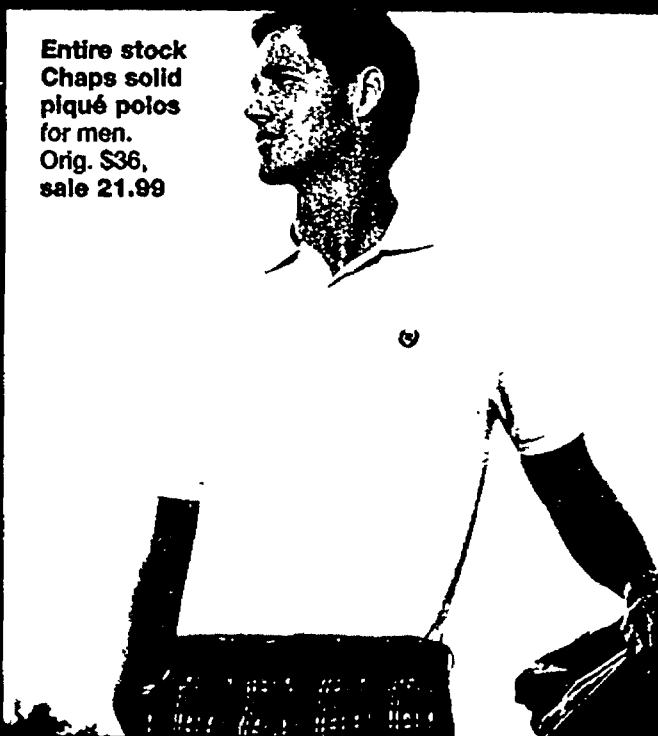
Chaps seasonal suit  
separates for men.  
Jacket Orig. \$200,  
sale \$105  
Pants Orig. \$65,  
sale \$34.99



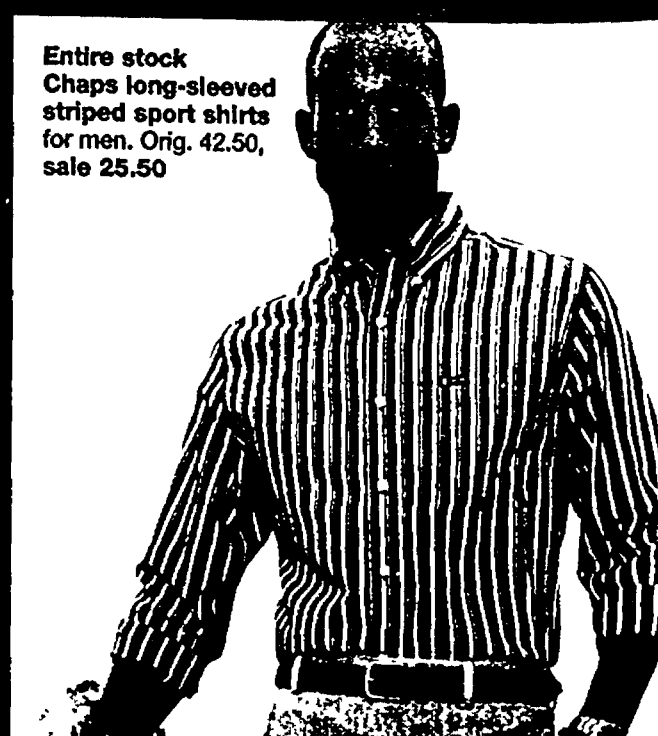
Entire stock  
Chaps long-sleeved  
Oxford sport shirts  
for men.  
Orig. 49.50,  
sale 29.70



Entire stock  
Chaps solid  
piqué polos  
for men.  
Orig. \$36,  
sale 21.99



Entire stock  
Chaps long-sleeved  
striped sport shirts  
for men. Orig. 42.50,  
sale 25.50





40% off all suit separates, dress shirts

**169<sup>99</sup>**  
**entire stock**

wool suit  
separates  
from Chaps  
& axcess

for men.  
Jacket  
Reg. \$220,  
sale \$125  
Pants  
Reg. \$80,  
sale 44.99

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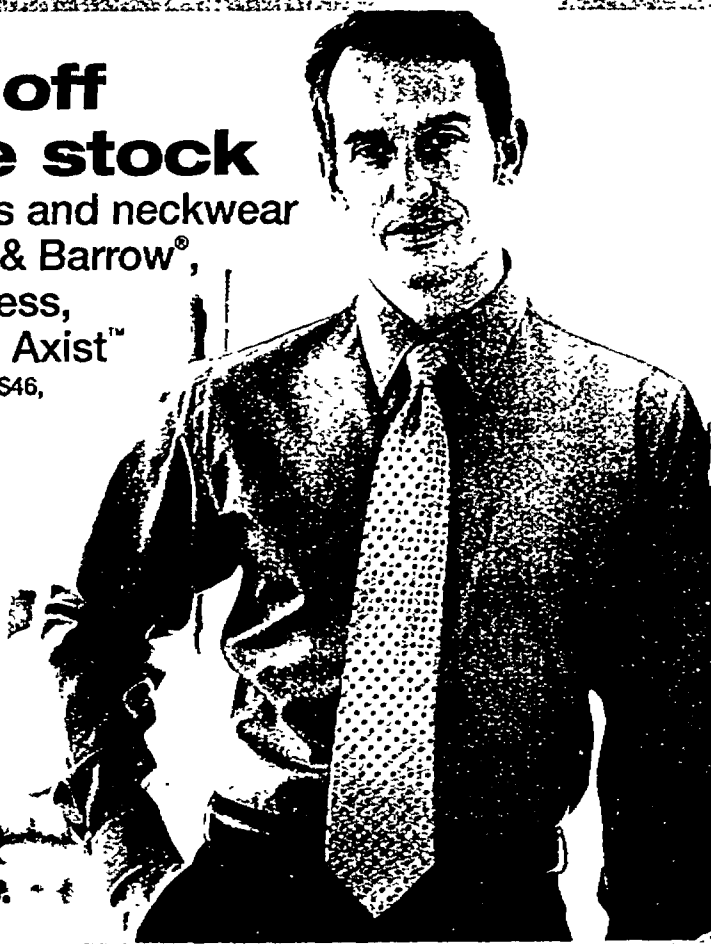


**40% off**  
**entire stock**

dress shirts and neckwear  
from Croft & Barrow®,  
Arrow, axcess,  
apt. 9® and Axist™

for men. Orig. \$25-\$46,  
sale 14.99-27.60

**croft & barrow**



**Entire Stock**  
**40% off**

Dress pants  
for men  
from Chaps,  
Braggi®  
and Axist™  
Orig. \$45-\$70,  
sale 24.99-  
44.99

selected  
items  
online  
P41033



**Entire Stock**  
**30% off**

Underwear for men  
from Hanes®, Sonoma  
and Croft & Barrow®.  
Reg. \$10-\$32,  
sale 7.00-22.40  
**SONOMA life+style™**  
selected items  
online P41034

**CLASSICS**



**Entire Stock**  
**30% off**

Dress, casual &  
athletic socks  
for men.  
Reg. \$6-\$18,  
sale 4.20-12.60  
selected  
items  
online  
P41035

**DOCKERS**

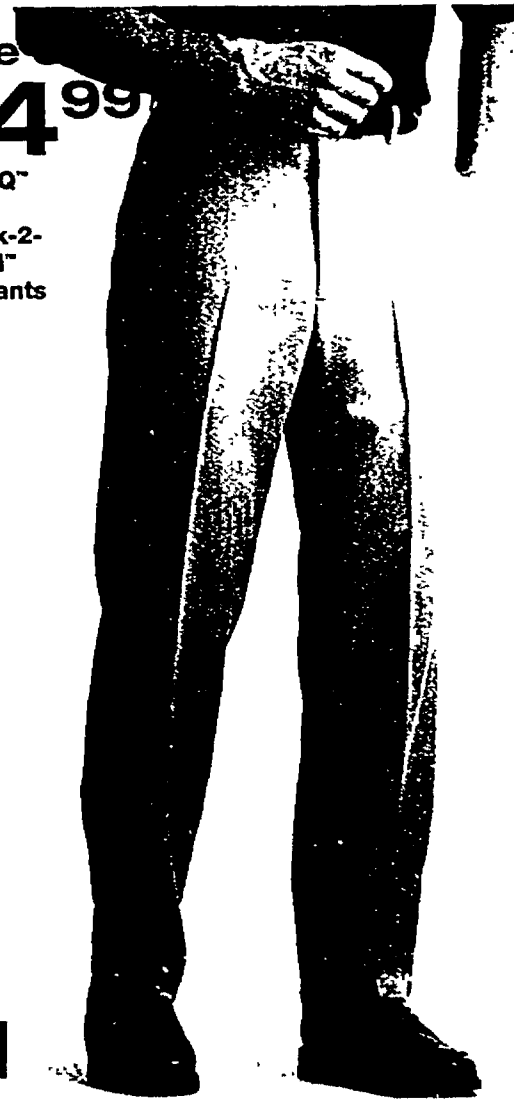
**adidas**



**Entire Stock**  
**34<sup>99</sup>**

Haggar® Q-  
Cool 18®  
and Work-2-  
Weekend™  
casual pants  
for men.

**haggar**



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DOCKERS



DESTINATION

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for work, weekend and golf pants

selected items online P41036



Entire Stock  
**21<sup>99</sup>**

Dockers®  
short-sleeved  
performance  
sport shirts  
for men.  
Orig. \$36

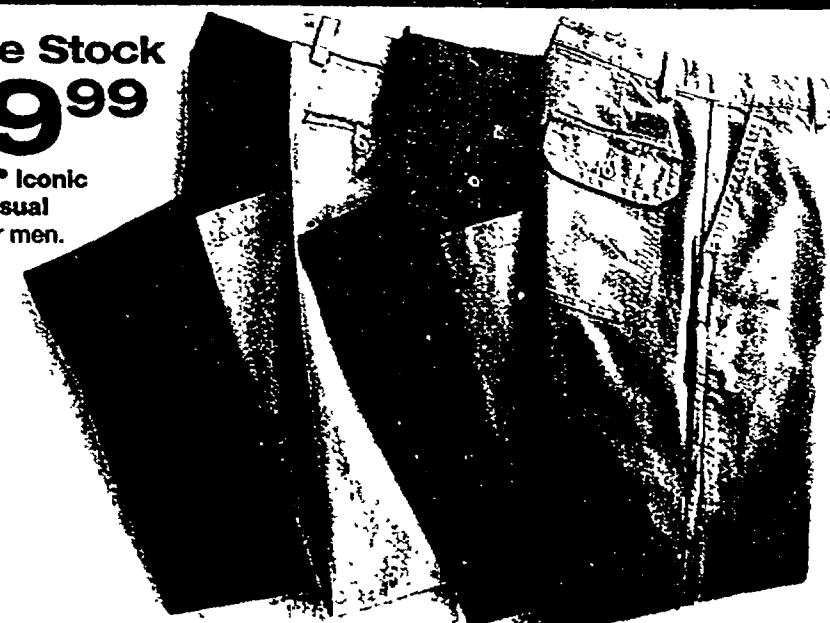


Entire Stock  
**29<sup>99</sup>**

High  
waist,  
Khaki  
Custom Fit  
casual pants

Entire Stock  
**29<sup>99</sup>**

Dockers® iconic  
khaki casual  
pants for men.



**39<sup>99</sup>**  
entire  
stock  
Dockers®  
Iron Free  
casual pants  
for men



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USA-1857

Entire Stock  
**30-50% off**

Sport shirts for men from Arrow, Axiat®,  
Haggar®, Croft & Barrow®, Sonoma and Dockers®.  
Orig. \$30-\$45, sale 17.99-31.50 SONOMA life+style™.  
selected items online P41037



croft&barrow®

Entire Stock  
**30-50% off**

Knit and golf tops for men from Croft & Barrow®,  
Sonoma, Axiat®, Arrow, Dockers® and Wedge®.  
Orig. \$14-\$42, sale 9.80-29.40  
selected items online P41038



access

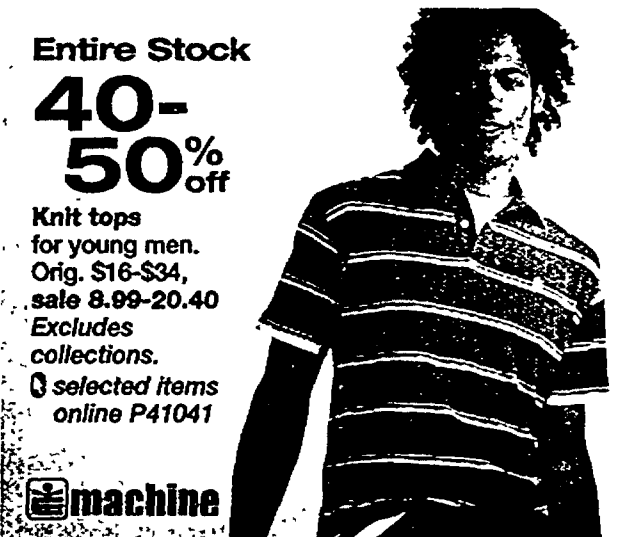
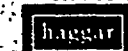
Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Sportswear collections for men  
from access and apt. 9®.  
Orig. \$24-\$50, sale 9.60-27.99  
selected items online P41039



Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Shorts for men  
from Haggar®,  
Dockers®,  
Croft & Barrow®  
and Sonoma.  
Orig. \$28-\$44,  
sale 15.99-27.99  
selected items  
online P41040



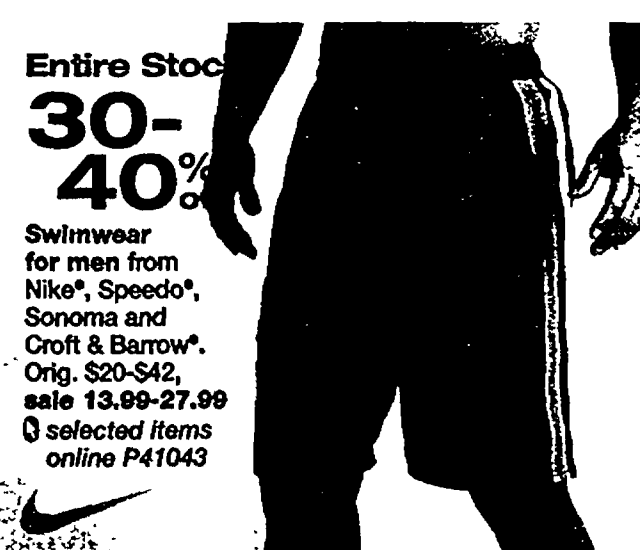
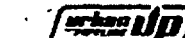
Entire Stock  
**40-50% off**

Knit tops  
for young men.  
Orig. \$16-\$34,  
sale 8.99-20.40  
Excludes  
collections.  
selected items  
online P41041



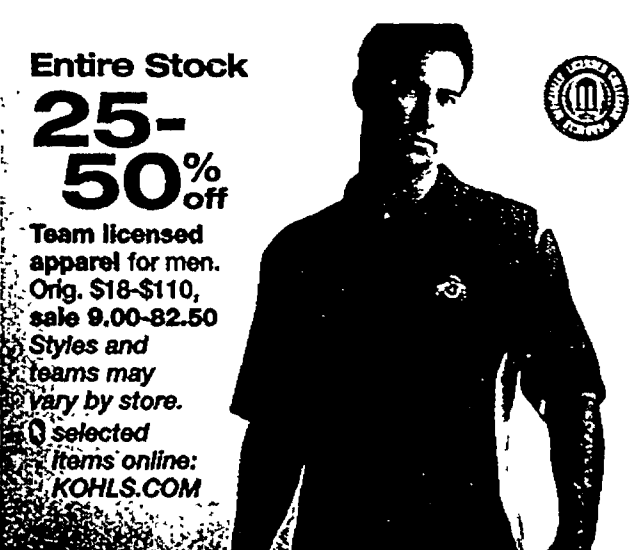
Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Shorts for  
young men from  
Urban Pipeline®,  
Lee® Dungarees,  
Unionbay®, Plugg®  
and U.S. Polo Assn.  
Orig. \$30-\$42,  
sale 19.99-24.99  
selected items  
online P41042



Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Swimwear  
for men from  
Nike®, Speedo®,  
Sonoma and  
Croft & Barrow®.  
Orig. \$20-\$42,  
sale 13.99-27.99  
selected items  
online P41043



Entire Stock  
**25-50% off**

Team licensed  
apparel for men.  
Orig. \$18-\$110,  
sale 9.00-82.50  
Styles and  
teams may  
vary by store.  
selected  
items online:  
KOHL'S.COM



Entire Stock  
**19<sup>99</sup>**

Lee® Regular  
and Relaxed  
Fit jeans  
for men.  
selected items  
online P41044



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Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Chaps sportswear collections for boys 4-20, girls 4-16, toddlers & infants.

selected items online CHAPS



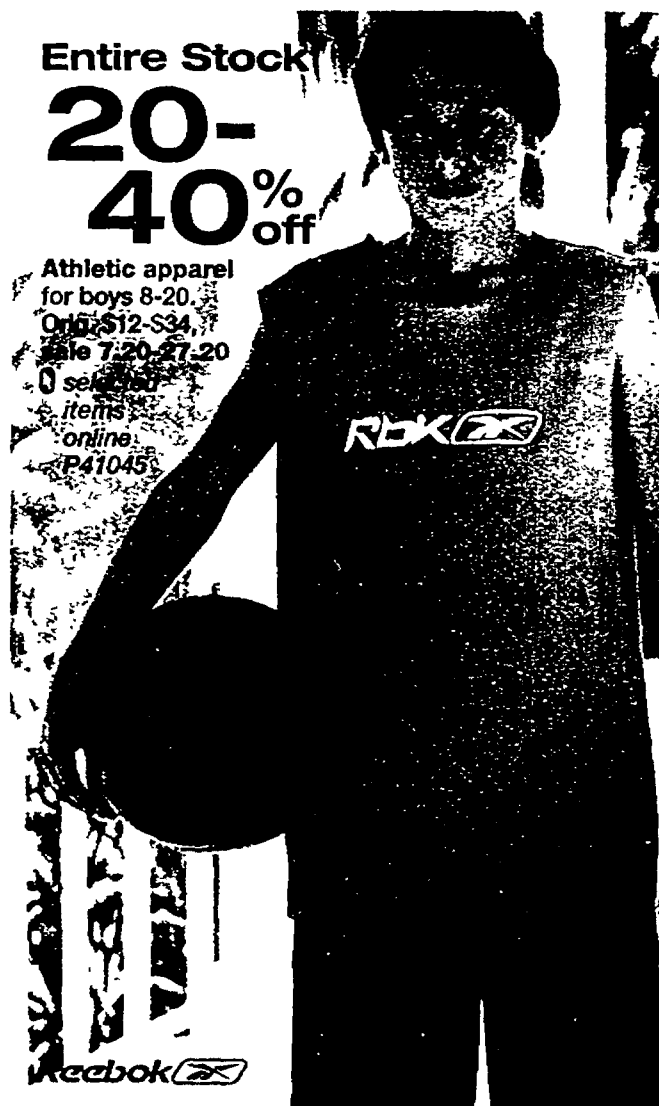
CHAPS

Entire Stock  
**20-40% off**

Athletic apparel for boys 8-20.

Orig. \$12-\$34, sale 7.20-27.20

selected items online P41045



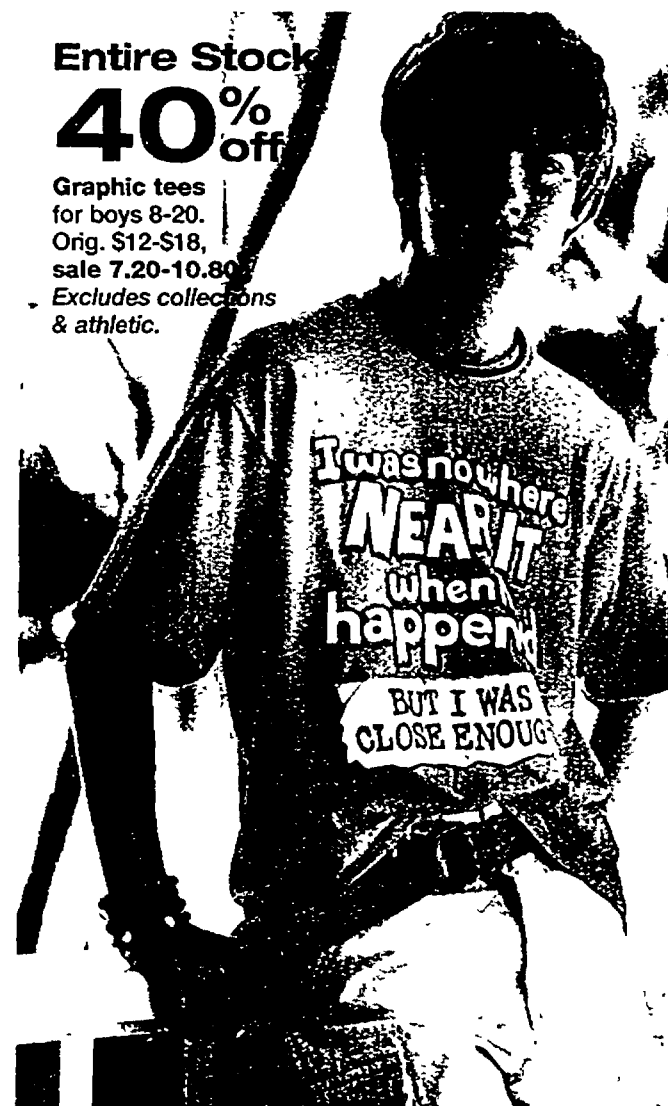
Reebok

Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Graphic tees for boys 8-20.

Orig. \$12-\$18, sale 7.20-10.80

Excludes collections & athletic.

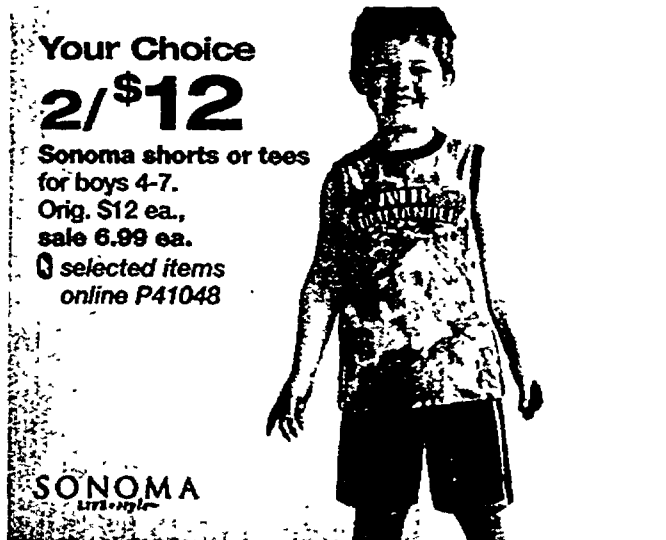


Your Choice  
**2/\$12**

Sonoma shorts or tees for boys 4-7.

Orig. \$12 ea., sale 6.99 ea.

selected items online P41048



SONOMA

Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Tops for boys 8-20.

Orig. \$12-\$26, sale 7.20-15.60

Excludes collections and athletic.

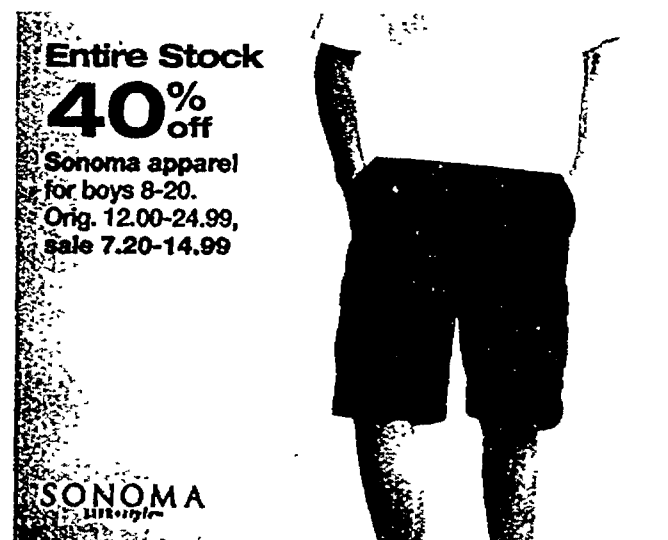


urban UP

Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Sonoma apparel for boys 8-20.

Orig. 12.00-24.99, sale 7.20-14.99



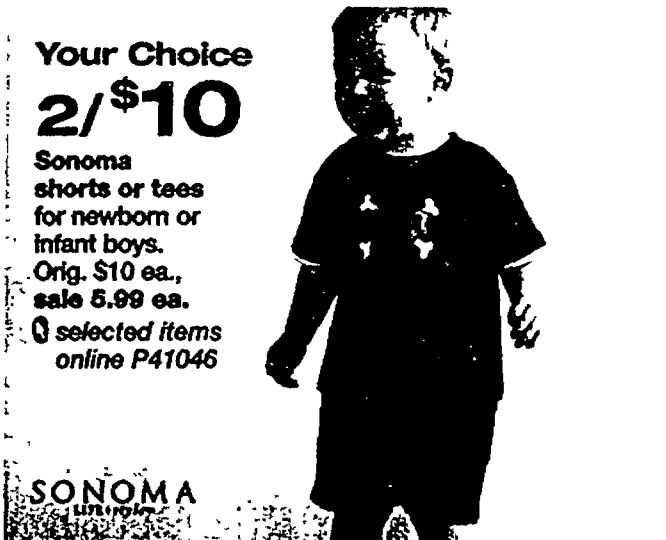
SONOMA

Your Choice  
**2/\$10**

Sonoma shorts or tees for newborn or infant boys.

Orig. \$10 ea., sale 5.99 ea.

selected items online P41046



SONOMA

Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Playwear for toddler boys, infant boys & boys 4-7.

Playwear not intended as sleepwear.

selected items online KOHLS.COM



carter's

Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Sleepwear for boys 4-20.

Orig. \$16-\$32, sale 9.60-19.20

selected items online P41047



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Boynton

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Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Fashion tops  
and bottoms  
for girls 4-16.  
Excludes collections.

selected items  
online P41049



Your Choice

**2/\$12**

Sonoma  
tees or shorts  
for girls 4-6x.  
Orig. \$12 ea.,  
sale 6.99 ea.



Entire Stock

**40% off**

Playwear  
for toddler girls  
and girls 4-6x.  
selected items  
online P41050



Entire Stock  
**30% off**

Swimwear  
for girls 4-16,  
boys 4-20,  
toddlers &  
infants.

selected items  
online K3300

Malibu



Your Choice

**2/\$10**

Sonoma  
tees or shorts  
for toddler girls.  
Orig. \$10 ea.,  
sale 5.99 ea.

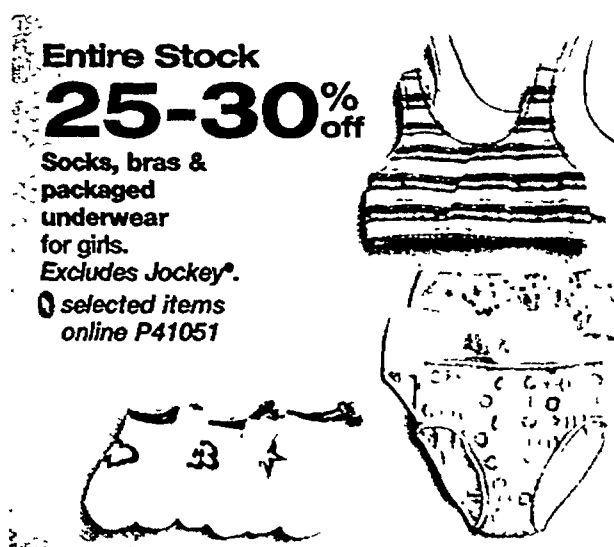


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**25-30% off**

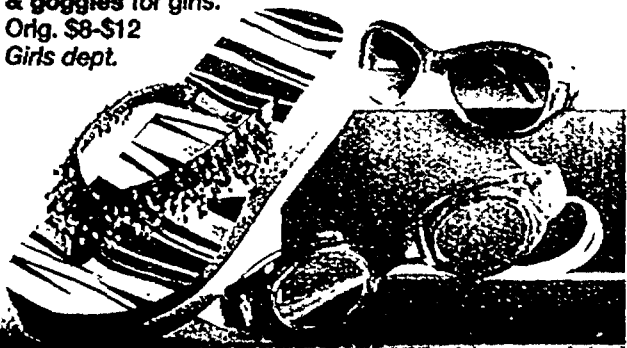
Socks, bras &  
packaged  
underwear  
for girls.  
Excludes Jockey®.

selected items  
online P41051



Entire Stock  
**6.99**

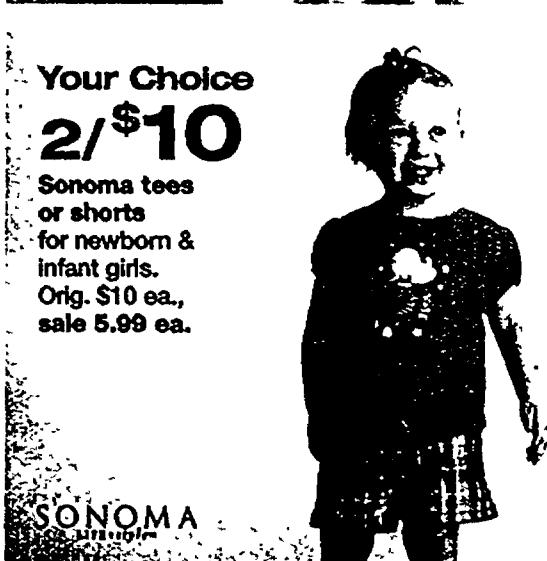
Sunglasses, flip-flops  
& goggles for girls.  
Orig. \$8-\$12  
Girls dept.



Your Choice

**2/\$10**

Sonoma  
tees or shorts  
for newborn &  
infant girls.  
Orig. \$10 ea.,  
sale 5.99 ea.



Entire Stock

**25-40% off**

Carter's®  
fashion layette  
for newborns.  
selected items  
online P41052



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# all sandals, dress & casual shoes for the family on sale

Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Dockers® sandals and shoes  
for women. Orig. 44.99-54.99,  
sale 29.99-37.99  
selected items  
online P41053

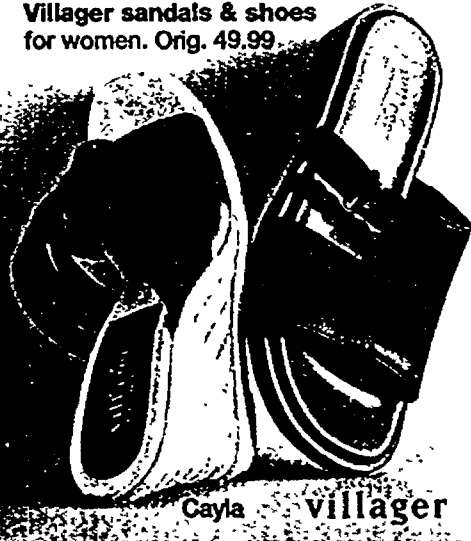
Odele  
Daytona



Entire Stock  
**32.99**

Villager sandals & shoes  
for women. Orig. 49.99

Palace



**29.99**

Keds® shoes and sandals  
for women.  
Orig. 39.99  
Selected styles



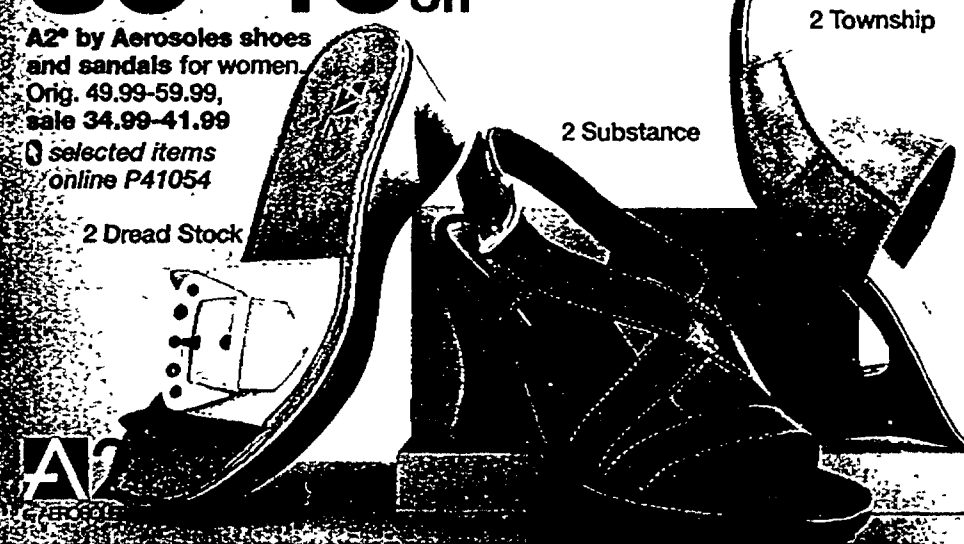
Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

A2® by Aerosoles shoes  
and sandals for women.  
Orig. 49.99-59.99,  
sale 34.99-41.99  
selected items  
online P41054

2 Dread Stock

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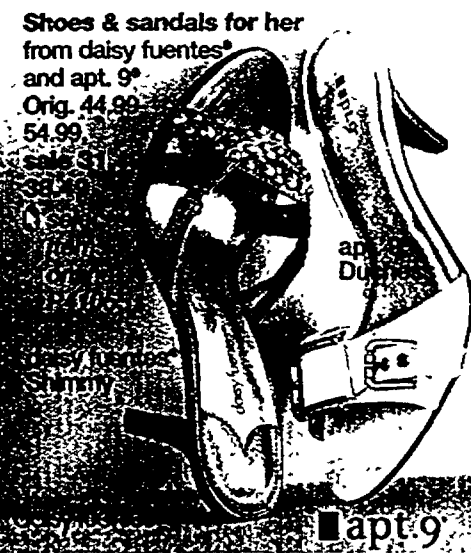
2 Substance



Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Shoes & sandals for her  
from daisy Fuentes®  
and apt. 9®  
Orig. 44.99-54.99,  
sale 31.99-41.99

**43.99** Skechers® shoes  
for juniors. Orig. 54.99  
Selected styles.



**39.99**

Shoes for men.  
Orig. 54.99-69.99  
Selected styles.

Skechers®  
Harvard

Skechers®  
Mariner



Entire Stock  
**17.99**

Shoes and sandals  
for kids from OSHKOSH®,  
Carter's® and Sonoma.  
Orig. 24.99-29.99

OSHKOSH® Clipper  
for boys

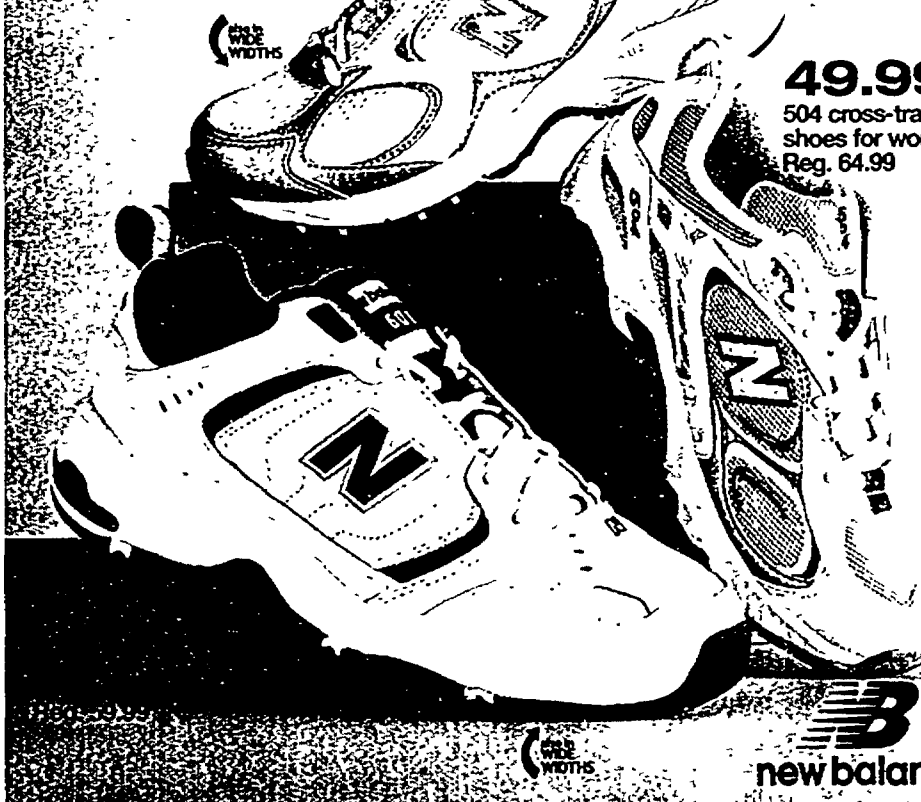
Carter's® Niomi  
for girls



## New Balance® athletic shoes for men and women.

**39.99**

409 running shoes  
for women.  
Orig. 59.99



**49.99**

504 cross-training  
shoes for women.  
Reg. 64.99

## Nike® athletic shoes for men and women.

**49.99**

N'sight II running  
shoes for men.  
Orig. \$60

**49.99**

Alvord IV running  
shoes for women.  
Reg. \$60



**39.99**

Air VXT II shoes  
for men.  
Orig. \$55

## Asics® athletic shoes for men and women.

**49.99**

Gel-Equation  
running shoes  
for men.  
Orig. 69.99



**39.99**

Gel-Kanbarra 2 running  
shoes for women.  
Orig. 59.99

## Reebok® athletic shoes for men and women.

**29.99**

Tempo Flyer II  
running shoes  
for men.  
Reg. 59.99



**39.99**

Swift Step running  
shoes for women.  
Orig. 59.99

## adidas® athletic shoes for men and women.

**49.99**

Nova Trail running  
shoes for women.  
Reg. 69.99



**49.99**

Kundo shoes  
for men.  
Orig. 64.99

Entire Stock  
**40-50% off**

Sandals for men & women  
from Speedo®  
and Ocean Pacific®.  
Orig. 14.99-29.99,  
sale 8.99-16.99

**14.99**

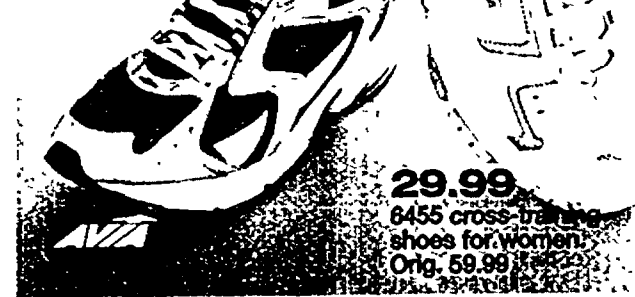
Speedo®  
Beachwalker  
for women.  
Orig. 24.99



## Avia® athletic shoes for men and women.

**29.99**

6753 running  
shoes for men.  
Orig. 59.99



**29.99**

6455 cross-training  
shoes for women.  
Orig. 59.99

**29.99**

Running shoes  
for kids.  
Orig. 39.99-44.99  
Selected styles.



save **30%** or **20%** or **15%**

on everything in store and online  
every time you use your Kohl's Charge. Subject to credit approval. See page 27 for details.

Wednesday-Monday, April 11-16, 2007

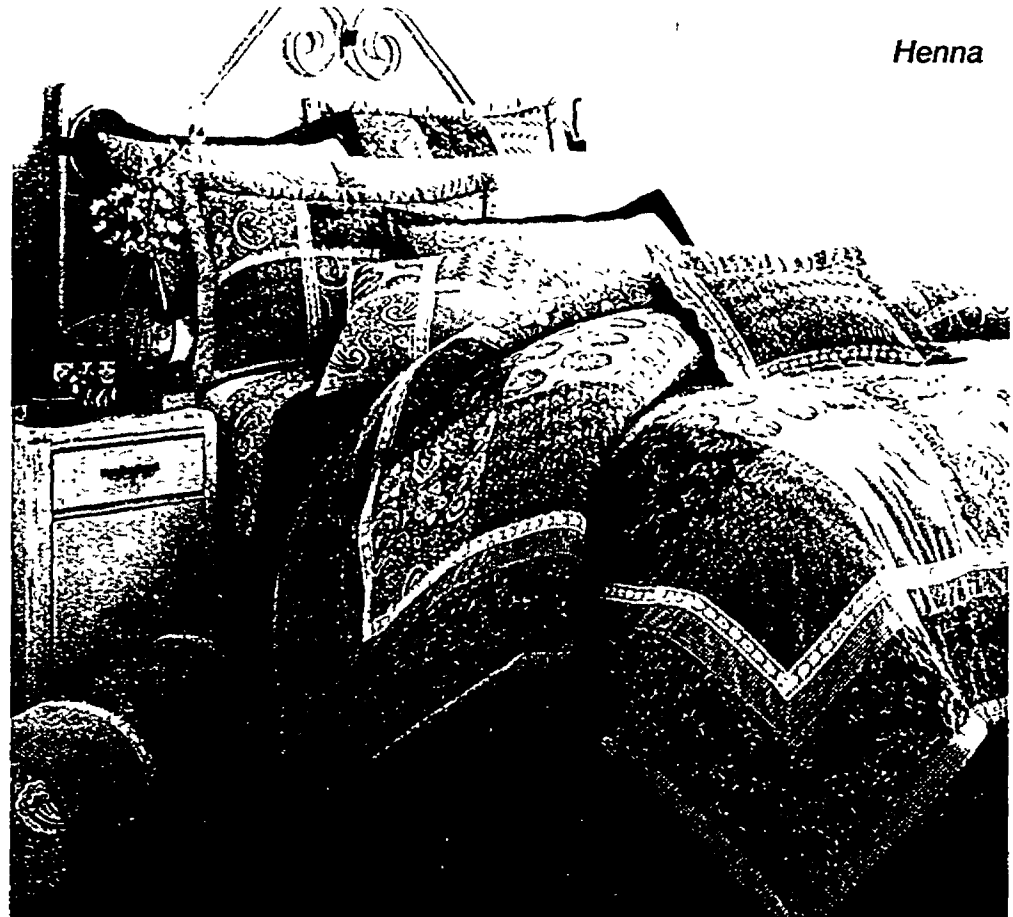
# 30-50% off entire stock

comforter sets, coordinating accessories & bed in one bag sets

selected items online: KOHLS.COM



Safari



Henna

## Twin Set

**59<sup>99</sup>**

Orig. 109.99

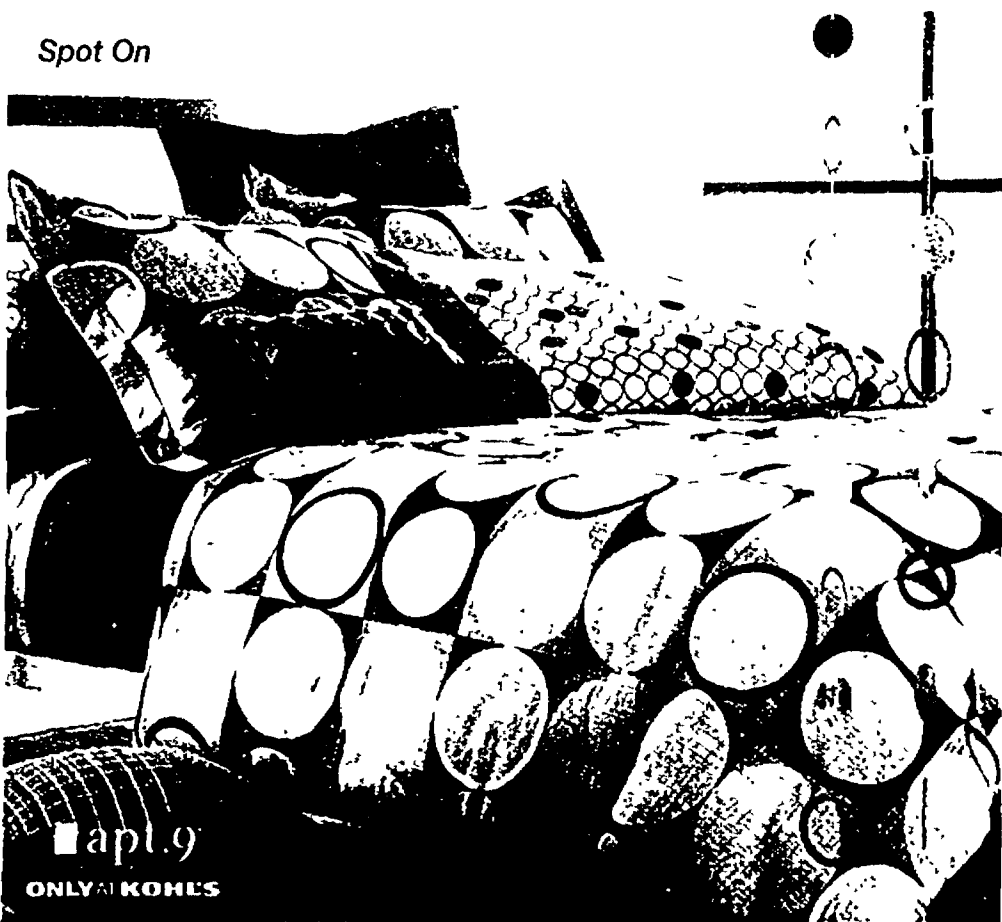
Bed in one bag sets by The Big One™  
Includes comforter, sham(s), bedskirt and 200-thread count sheet set.  
-Available in full-king  
Orig. 119.99-149.99, sale 71.99-89.99

## Twin Set

**79<sup>99</sup>**

Orig. 139.99

Comforter sets by Bed Threads®  
-Coordinating accessories available  
-Available in full/queen  
Orig. 29.99-169.99,  
sale 19.99-99.99



Spot On



Victoria Inn

## Twin Set

**99<sup>99</sup>**

Orig. 149.99

Comforter sets by apt. 9®  
-300-thread count coordinating sheet sets & accessories available  
-Available in full-king  
Orig. 29.99-249.99, sale 19.99-169.99

## Twin Set

**99<sup>99</sup>**

Orig. 179.99

Comforter sets by Laura Ashley Lifestyles  
-Coordinating sheet sets & accessories available  
-Available in full-king  
Orig. 29.99-289.99, sale 19.99-169.99



# 30-40% off all Park Avenue Luxury Collection bedding plus, bonus coverlet

PARK AVENUE  
LUXURY COLLECTION

**ONLY AT KOHL'S**

Empire



Queen or King Set

**189.99**

Orig. 279.99-299.99

Comforter sets by Park Avenue Luxury Collection  
-400-thread count coordinating sheet set and  
accessories available

Orig. 26.99-129.99 sale 18.99-79.99

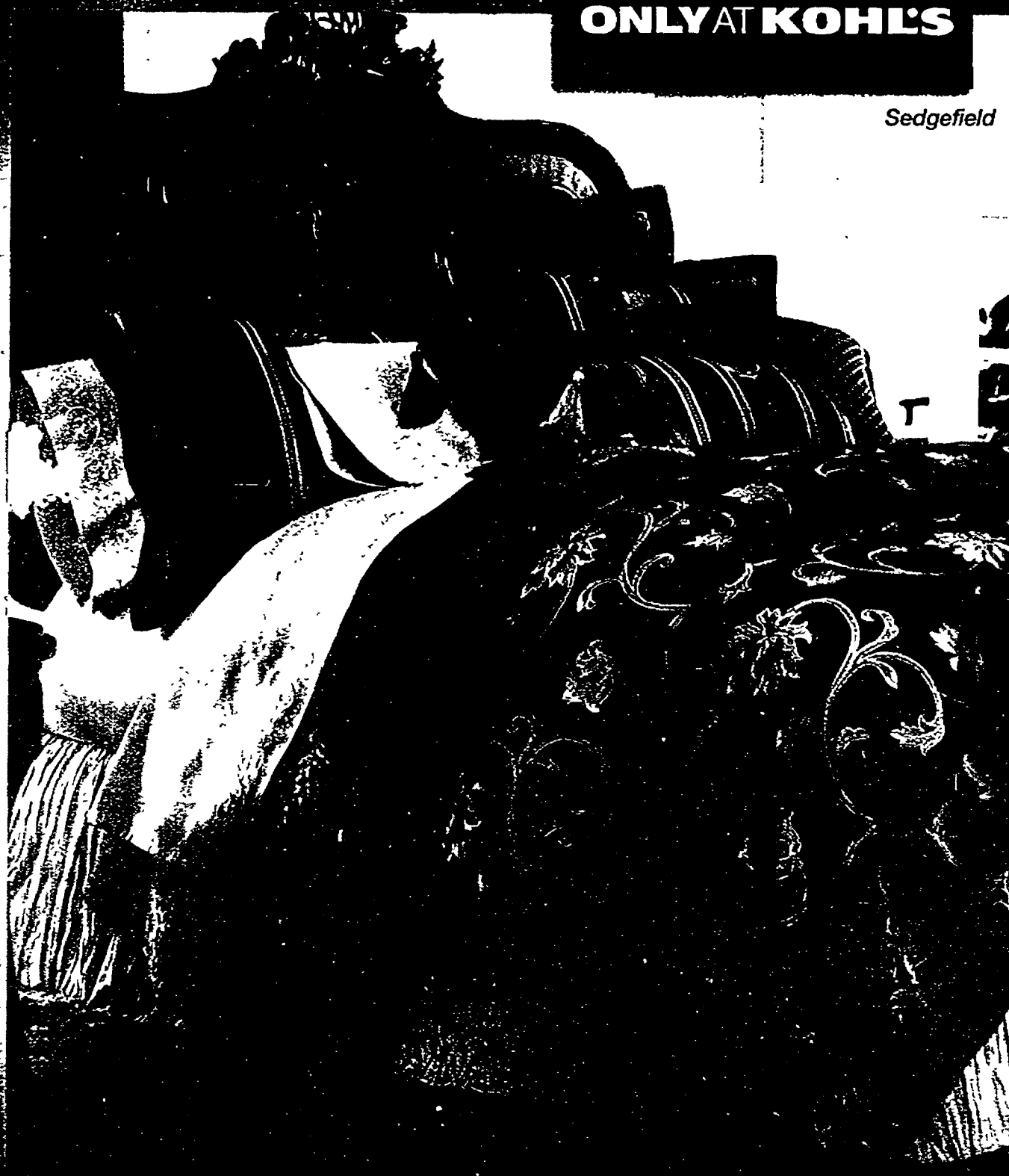
**PLUS, RECEIVE A FREE  
COORDINATING COVERLET**

with the purchase of a Park Avenue Luxury Collection  
comforter set.

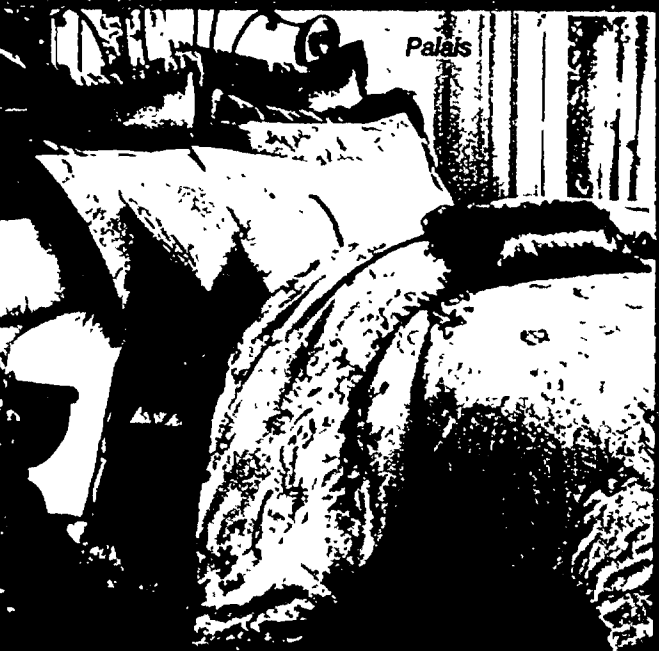
A \$109.99-\$119.99 value Available in store only.



Sedgefield



Palais



Bradford



West



# 40-50% off all bath towels & bath rugs

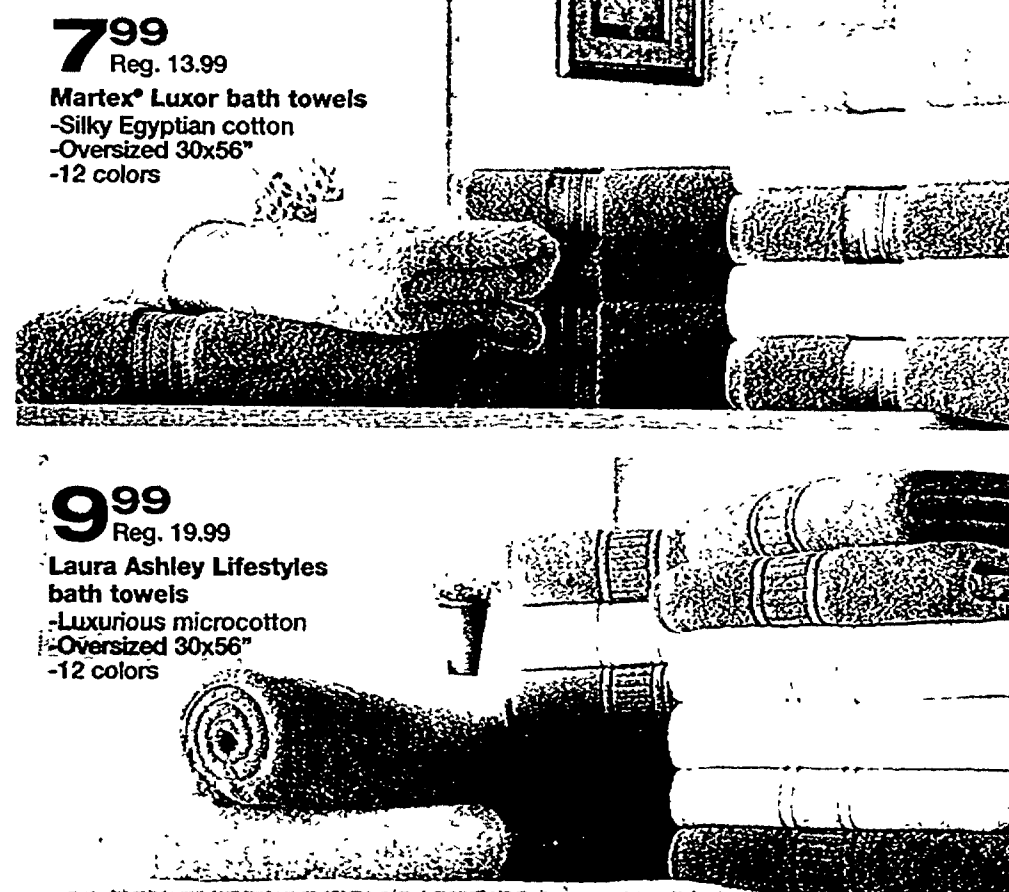
Excludes embellished bath towels and decorative bath collections. Q selected items online P41057

**6<sup>99</sup>**  
Reg. 13.99  
**Casa Cristina**  
bath towels  
-Ultra-absorbent  
zero-twist cotton  
-30x54"  
-10 colors

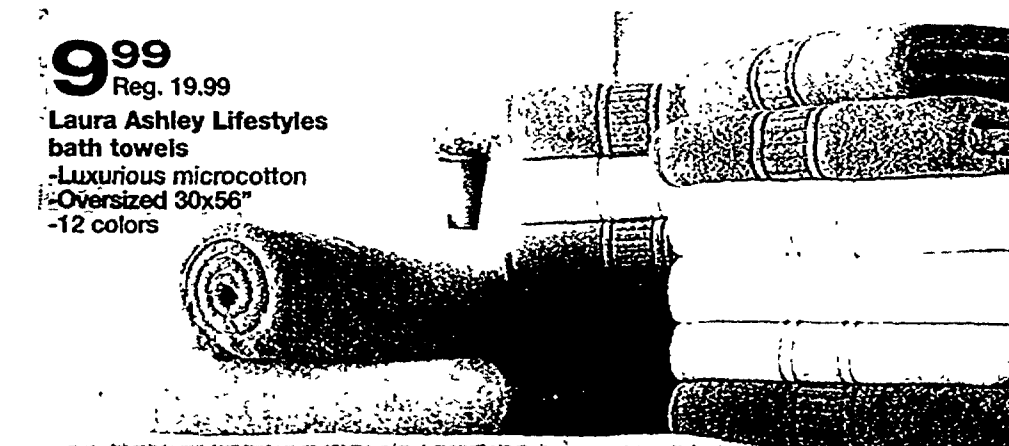


*Casa Cristina*  
**ONLY AT KOHL'S**

**7<sup>99</sup>**  
Reg. 13.99  
**Martex® Luxor bath towels**  
-Silky Egyptian cotton  
-Oversized 30x56"  
-12 colors



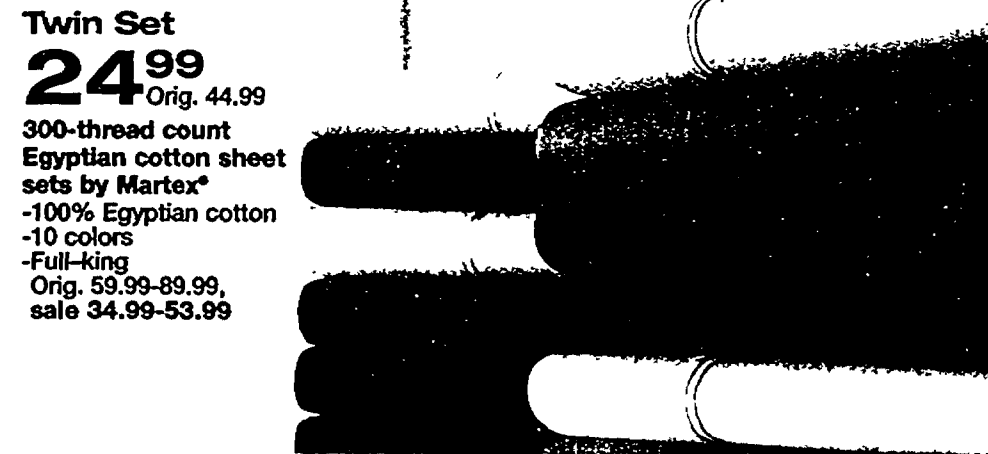
**9<sup>99</sup>**  
Reg. 19.99  
**Laura Ashley Lifestyles bath towels**  
-Luxurious microcotton  
-Oversized 30x56"  
-12 colors



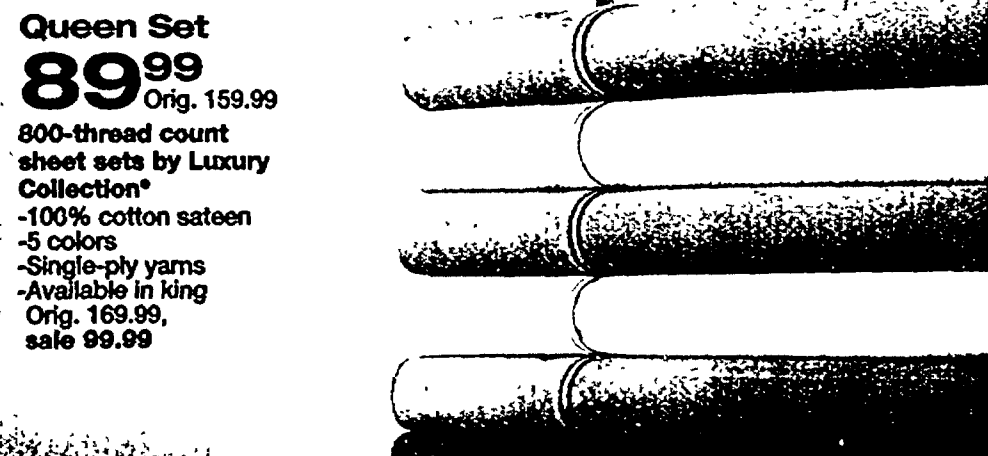
# 40-50% off all sheet sets

Orig. 19.99-209.99, sale 11.99-109.99 Excludes coordinating sheet sets. Q selected items online P41056

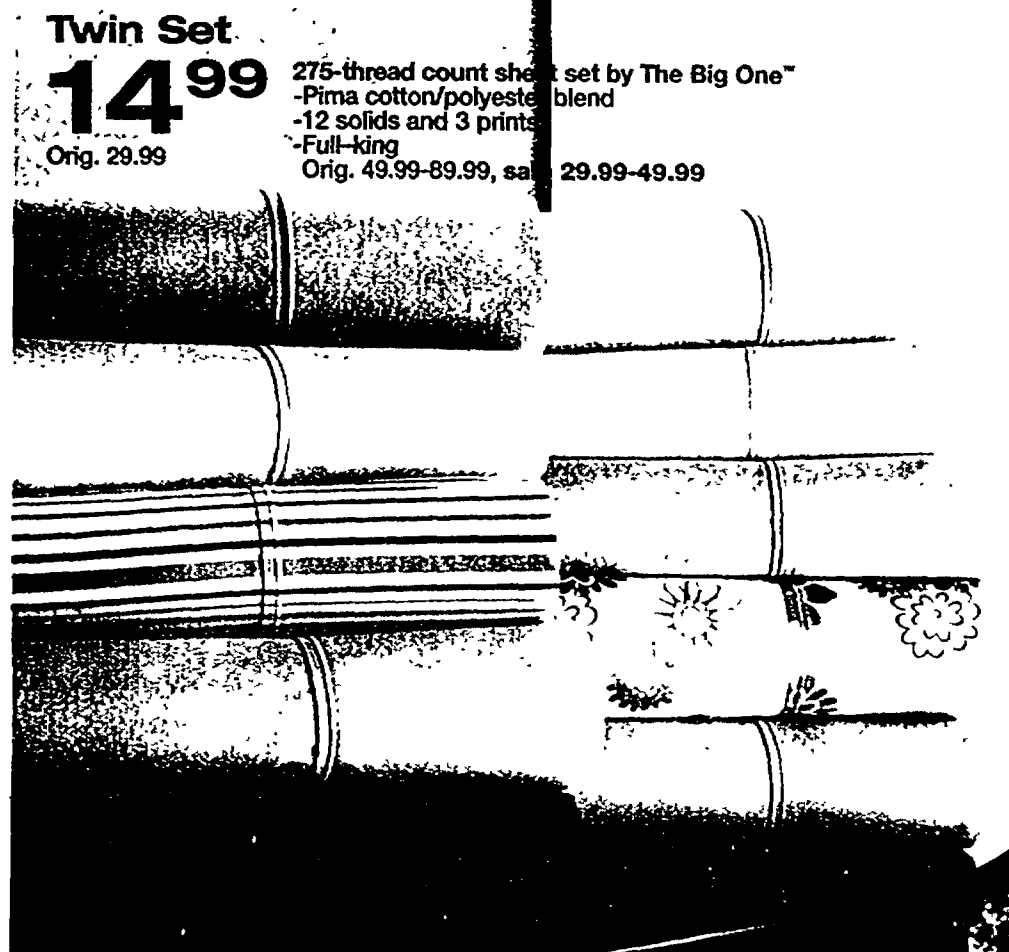
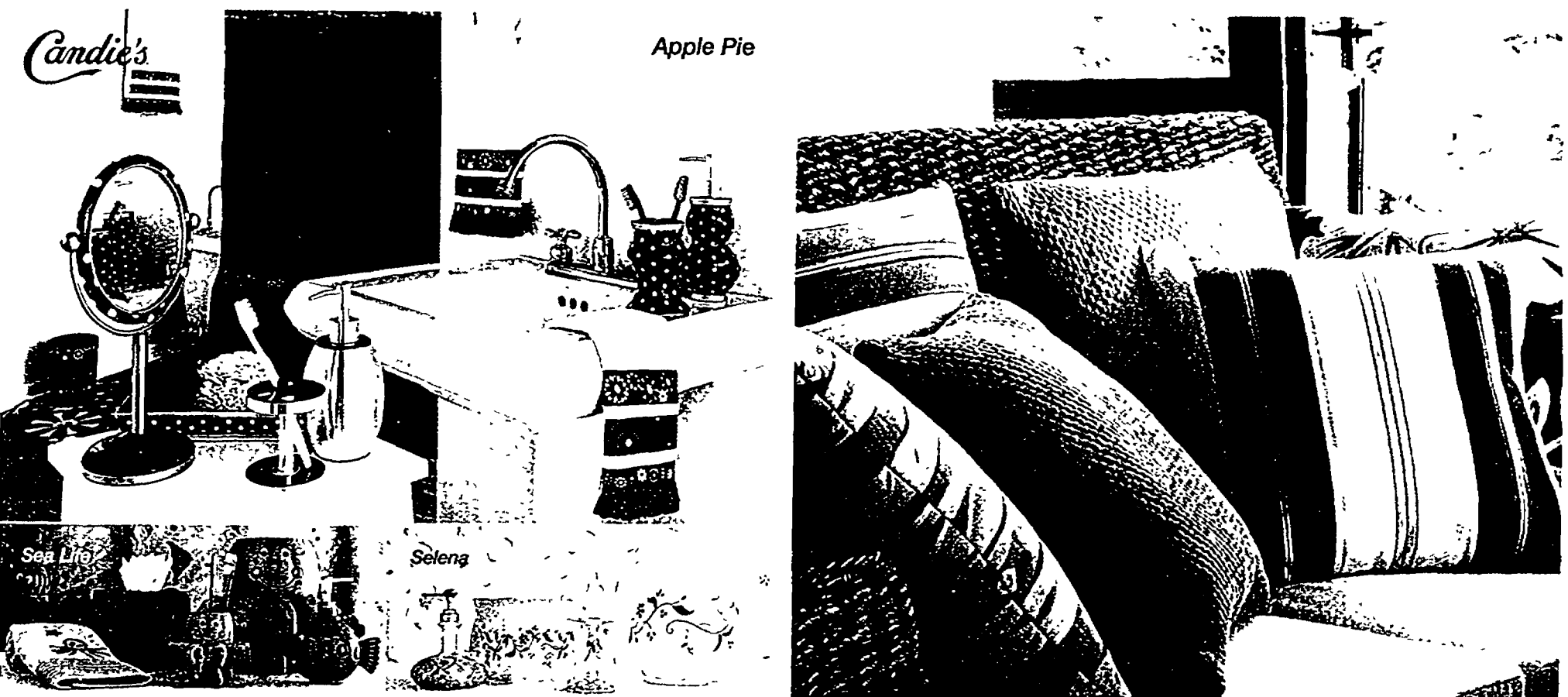
**Twin Set**  
**24<sup>99</sup>**  
Orig. 44.99  
**300-thread count Egyptian cotton sheet sets by Martex®**  
-100% Egyptian cotton  
-10 colors  
-Full-king  
Orig. 59.99-89.99, sale 34.99-53.99



**Queen Set**  
**89<sup>99</sup>**  
Orig. 159.99  
**800-thread count sheet sets by Luxury Collection®**  
-100% cotton sateen  
-5 colors  
-Single-ply yarns  
-Available in king  
Orig. 169.99, sale 99.99



**Twin Set**  
**14<sup>99</sup>**  
Orig. 29.99  
**275-thread count sheet set by The Big One™**  
-Pima cotton/polyester blend  
-12 solids and 3 prints  
-Full-king  
Orig. 49.99-89.99, sale 29.99-49.99

*Candie's*  
*Apple Pie*  
*Sas Lito*  
*Selena*

**30-50% off entire stock**  
decorative bath collections  
Reg. 4.99-64.99, sale 3.49-45.49  
Q selected items online H1130

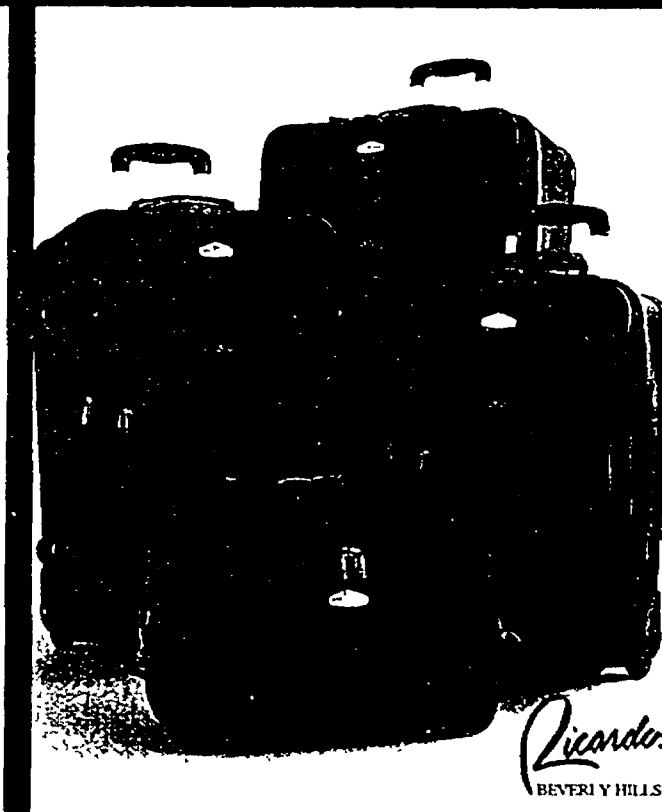
**40-50% off entire stock**  
decorative pillows  
Orig. 14.99-44.99, sale 8.99-26.99  
Q selected items online P41058

# 50% off entire stock luggage

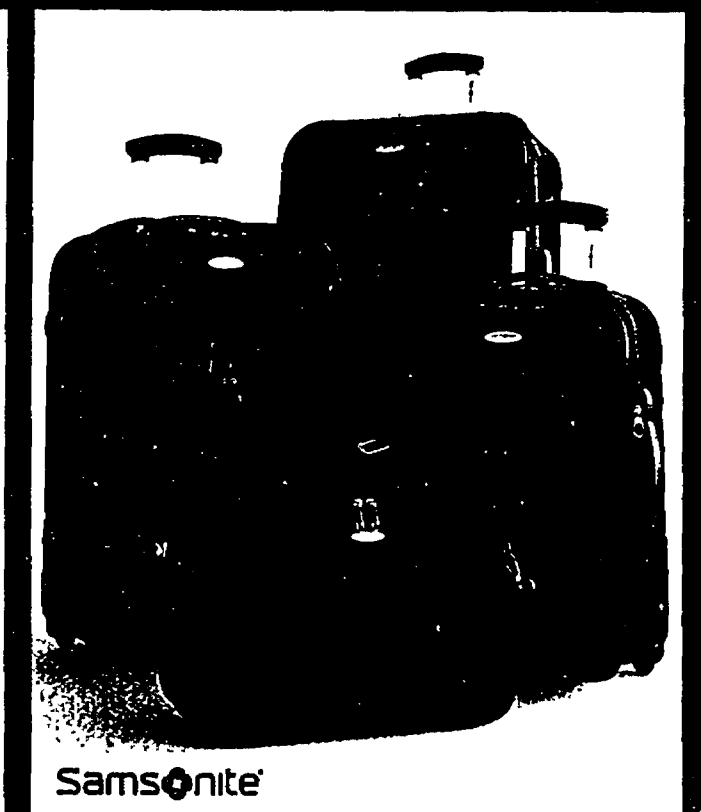
Reg. 29.99-379.99, sale 14.99-189.99 Q selected items online H1740



Entire stock American Tourister® luggage  
Orig. 69.99-199.99, sale 34.99-99.99



Entire stock Ricardo® luggage  
Reg. 29.99-199.99, sale 14.99-99.99



Entire stock Samsonite® luggage  
Reg. 49.99-379.99, sale 24.99-189.99

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**clearance**

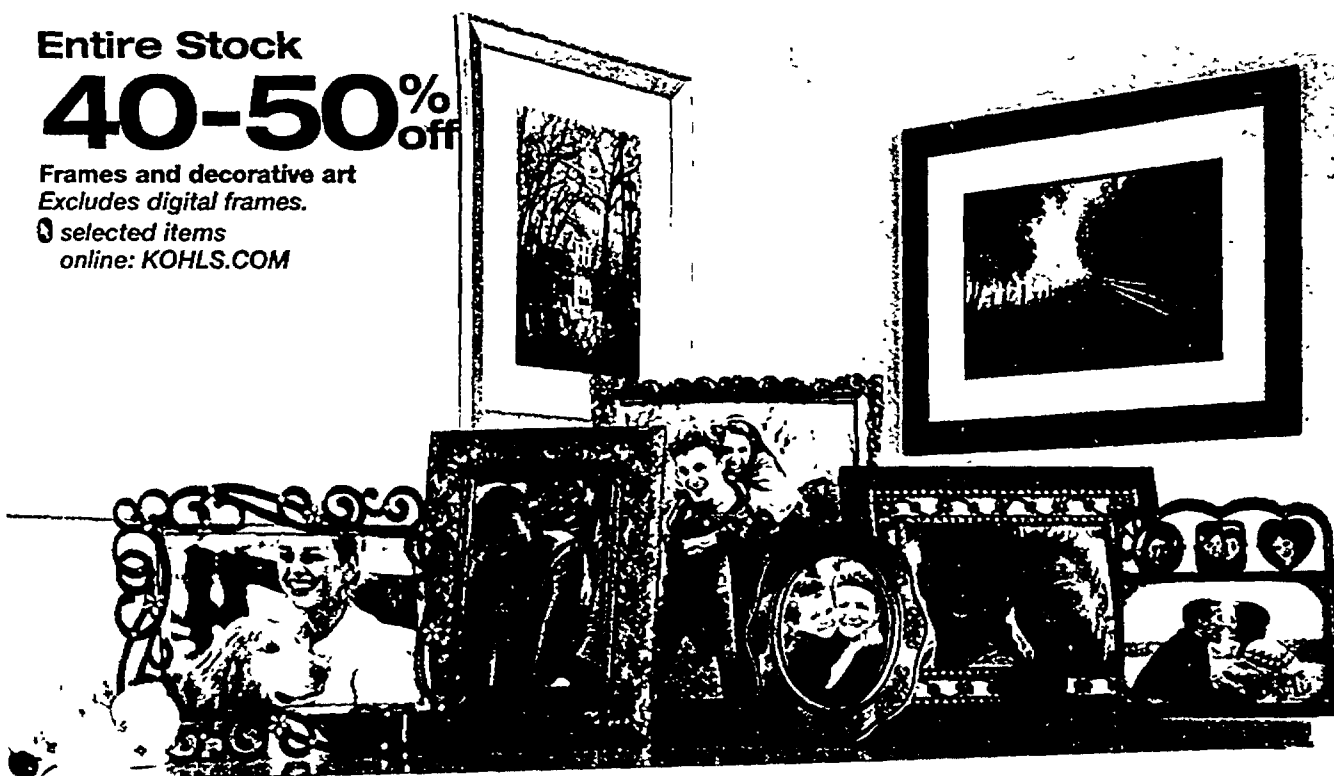
save **60-80%** We've made it easy.  
Final price is marked on the ticket.  
We do the math. You enjoy the savings.

Clearance prices represent savings off original prices. Selection varies by store. Interim markdowns may have been taken. Sorry, no price adjustments given on prior purchases.  
Q selected items online: clearance

Entire Stock  
**40-50% off**

Frames and decorative art  
Excludes digital frames.

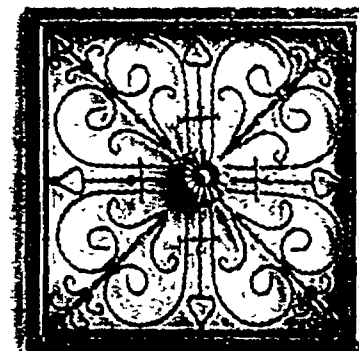
selected items  
online: KOHLS.COM



**14<sup>99</sup>**

4-arrow  
ornamental  
metal art  
Reg. 24.99

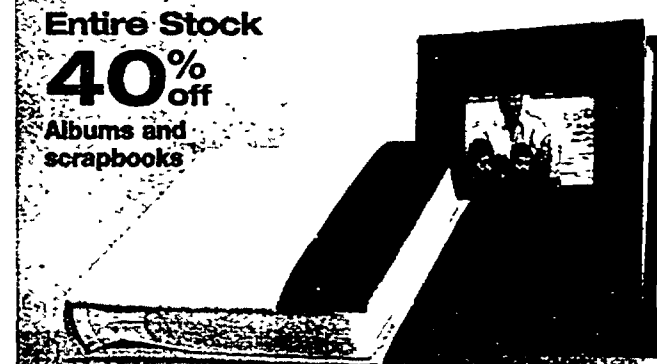
40% off  
all other  
New View art



Entire Stock

**40% off**

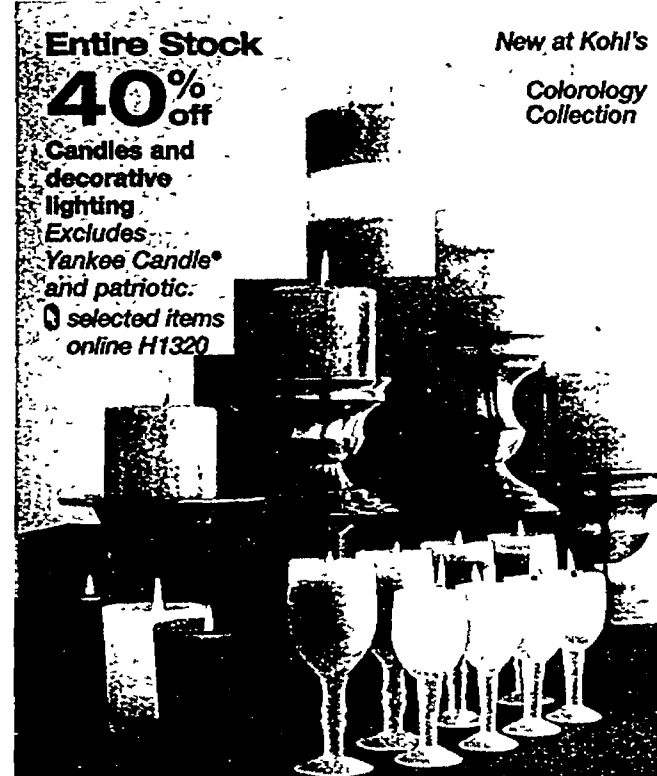
Albums and  
scrapbooks



Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Candles and  
decorative  
lighting

Excludes  
Yankee Candle®  
and patriotic.  
selected items  
online H1320

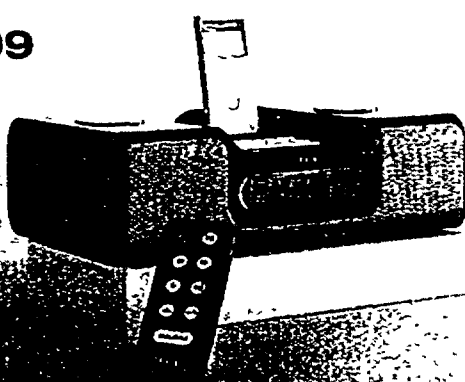


New at Kohl's

Colorology  
Collection

**99<sup>99</sup>**

iHome™  
clock radio  
Charge your  
phone while  
you sleep. Wake  
and sleep to  
your favorite  
music.



**save on kitchen electrics**

selected items online D1900

**299.99**

KitchenAid® Artisan™  
Stand Mixer. 325 watts,  
10 speeds, 5-qt. bowl.  
Additional colors and  
attachments available  
in store and online.  
Reg. 359.99

**39.99**

Rival® 6-qt. oval  
programmable  
Smart-Pot™  
slowcooker.  
Reg. 59.99



**49.99**

Cuisinart®  
Grind 'N Brew  
10-cup  
automatic  
coffeemaker.  
Features  
brewing pause.  
Orig. 99.99

**save on floor care**

selected items online H1400

**149.99**

Bissell® Total  
Floors® Velocity  
upright vacuum.  
Orig. 179.99

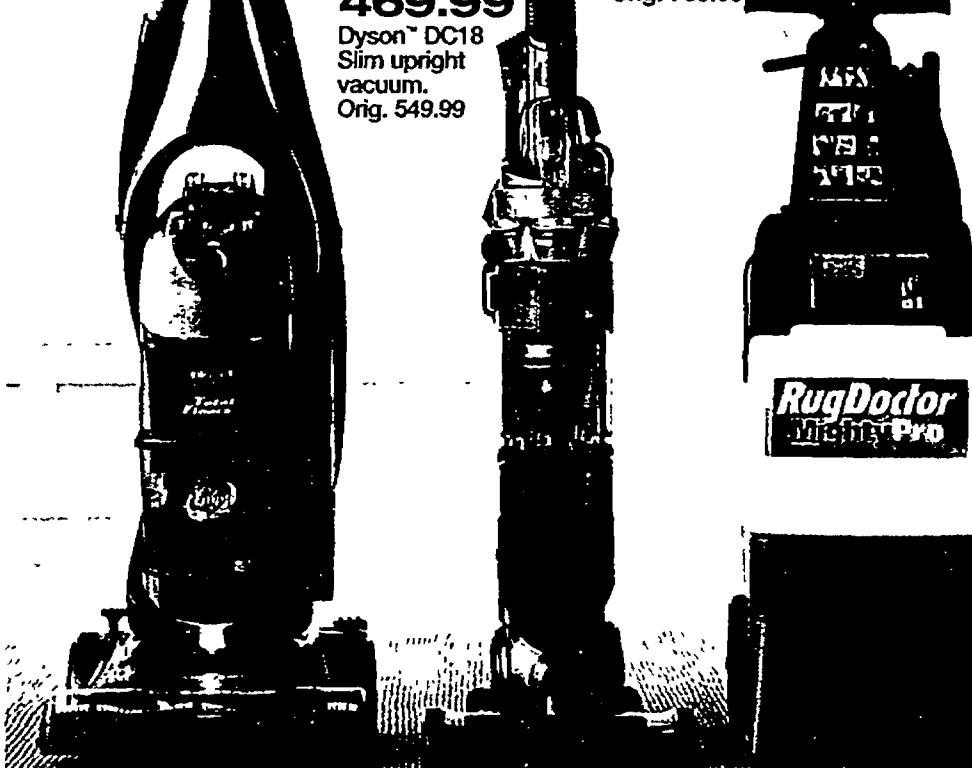
New at Kohl's

**469.99**

Dyson™ DC18  
Slim upright  
vacuum.  
Orig. 549.99

**699.99**

Rug Doctor® Mighty  
Pro deep cleaner.  
Up to twice the  
power of other name  
brand machines.  
Orig. 799.99



**40-50% off entire stock**  
**Summer Living® Shop**

selected items online H4500

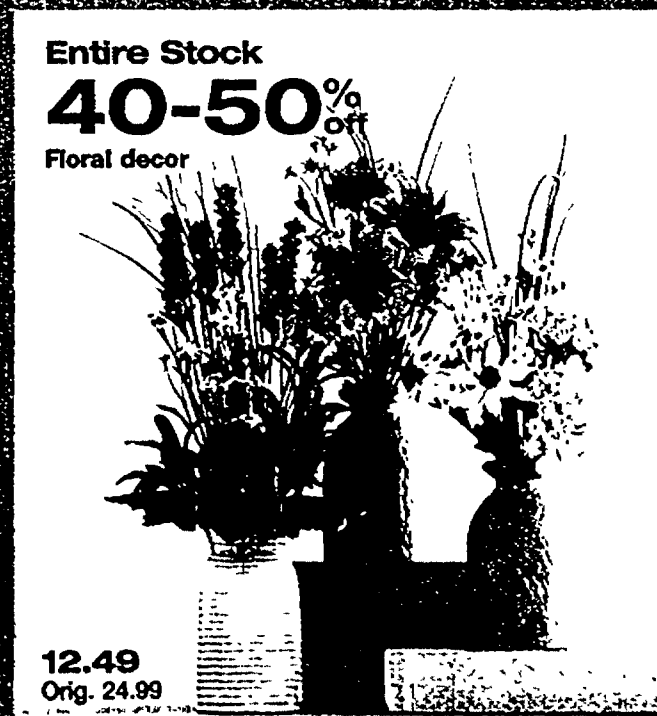
SUMMER LIVING

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Entire Stock

**40-50% off**

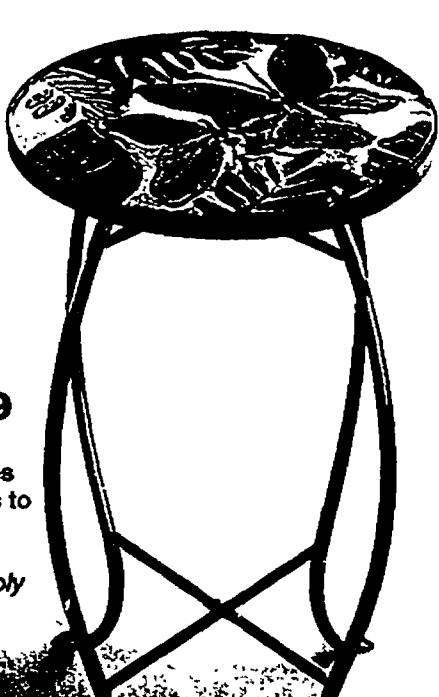
Floral decor



**12.49**  
Orig. 24.99

Entire  
Stock  
**19<sup>99</sup>**

Accent tables  
Several styles to  
choose from.  
Orig. 39.99  
Some assembly  
required.



Entire Stock

**25-50% off**

Kitchen gadgets  
selected items  
online P41060



Entire Stock

**40-50% off**

Cutlery  
selected items  
online P41061

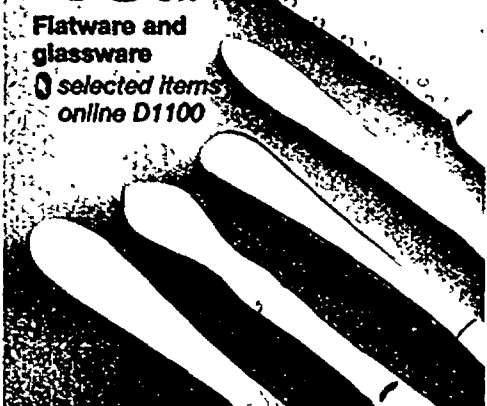
**99.99**  
Cuisinart® 15-pc.  
triple-riveted  
cutlery set with  
bonus 7" santoku.  
Reg. 169.99



Entire Stock

**40% off**

Flatware and  
glassware  
selected items  
online D1100

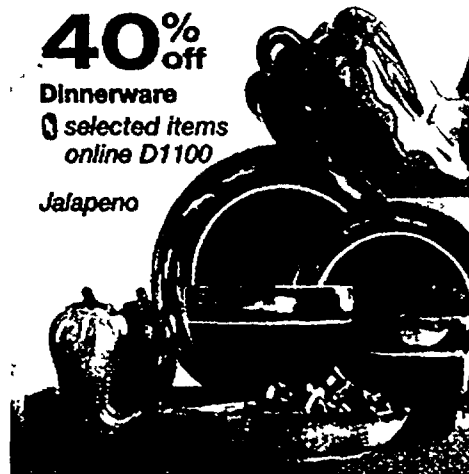


Entire Stock

**40% off**

Dinnerware  
selected items  
online D1100

Jalapeno



save  
an extra **30%** or **20%** or **15%**

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# 17<sup>99</sup> bras

from Maidenform®, Bali®, Lily of France®, Playtex®, Warner's®, Olga®, barely there® & Vanity Fair®

Reg. S20-S31 Selected styles. Selected items online: KOHLS.COM

33% off entire stock panties, innerwear & shapewear. Excludes Jockey® & bra coordinates. Reg. 3/\$15 to \$52 ea., sale 3/10.05 to 34.84 ea.



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expect great things

For the Kohl's store nearest  
you call 1-800-837-1500 or  
visit us on the web at [Kohls.com](http://Kohls.com)

Prices good Wednesday, April 11-Saturday, April 21, 2007.

Store Hours: Wednesday-Saturday, April 11-14 8am-11pm; Sunday, April 15  
9am-9pm; Monday-Thursday, April 16-19 8am-10pm; Friday, April 20 8am-11pm;  
Saturday, April 21 7am-10pm Fargo & Bismarck, ND and Utah stores open Sunday Noon-9pm

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**\$5** standard  
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Higher Standards

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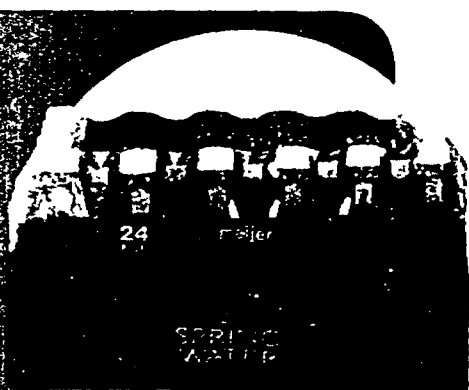
Prices good 6 a.m. Friday, April 13  
thru Saturday, April 14, 2007

## STOREWIDE SUPER SALE

SAVE  
1.30

**2.99**

Meijer Spring Water  
24/5 liter bottles



SAVE  
\$10



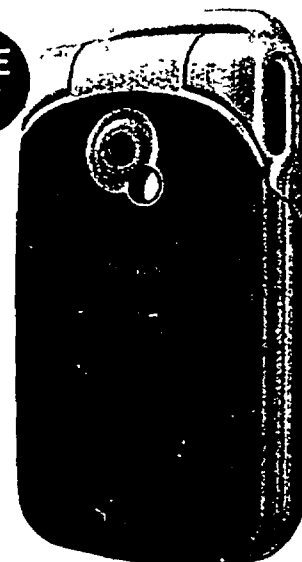
Buy one  
Fuji A400 Digital  
Camera. Get one  
Aquamask  
**FREE**

**FREE**

**89.99**

Fuji Finepix A400 Digital Camera  
Reg. 99.99.  
• 4.1 megapixels  
• 3X optical zoom

SAVE  
\$40

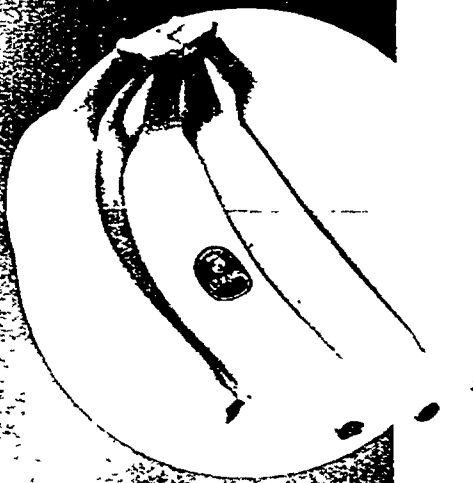


**59.99**

XE® Mobile Sony®  
Ericsson W300i Prepaid Cell Phone  
Reg. 99.99. While 1,200 last chainwide. No rainchecks.  
• Walkman • MP3 player • FM radio • camera all in one

**25¢**

Chiquita Bananas  
Limit 5 lb.



SAVE  
1.81

**1.59**

USDA Choice Boneless  
Beef Round Tip  
Sold whole in the bag.  
Sliced free.



SAVE  
\$50

**99.99**

Shop Force 1000W  
Generator  
While 2,000 last chainwide.  
No rainchecks. Reg. 149.99.



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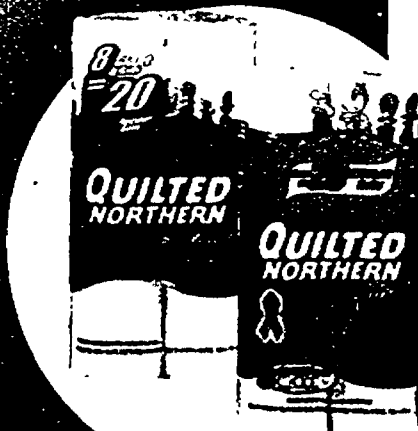
**50% off**

Entire Stock of Sunglasses  
Reg. 5.99-29.99, now 2.99-14.99.



Buy One  
Get One  
**FREE!**

Northern Bath Tissue  
8 giant rolls



**19.99**

Men's Spring Outerwear  
Reg. 24.99.

Women's Spring Outerwear Reg. 39.99. SAVE \$10.. 29.99

Falls Creek® Boys' Lightweight Jacket

Sizes 4-18. Reg. 16.99-24.99..... 9.99

Falls Creek® Girls' Spring Jacket

Sizes 4-16..... 12.99

Artic Quest® Girls' Jacket Reg. 24.99. SAVE \$15..... 9.99



Run in to **Save on Shoes!**



- Spend \$25 in Shoe Dept. **Save \$5** instantly in Shoe Dept.
- Spend \$50 in Shoe Dept. **Save \$15** instantly in Shoe Dept.
- Spend \$75 in Shoe Dept. **Save \$25** instantly in Shoe Dept.
- Spend \$100 in Shoe Dept. **Save \$35** instantly in Shoe Dept.

Discount taken at register.

# 2 Day SUPER SALE

Friday, April 13 thru  
Saturday, April 14, 2007

**Buy One  
Get Two  
FREE!**

Meijer Cooked  
Tail-On Shrimp  
16 oz. pkg. 50-60 ct.  
Frozen. Limit 2 purchases.

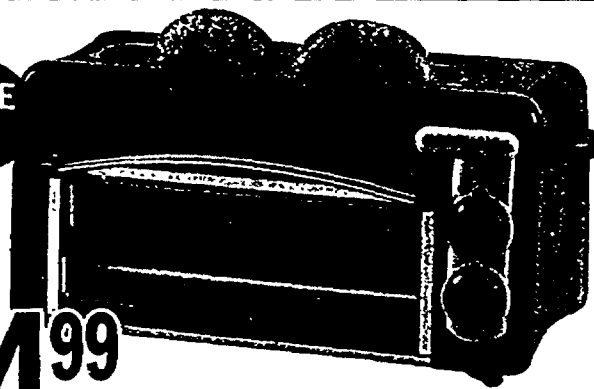
SAVE  
**21.98**  
on 3



SAVE  
**\$5**

**34<sup>99</sup>**

Hamilton Beach Toastation  
2 In 1 Toaster and Oven  
No.22708.



HAMILTON BEACH

**Buy Any 4**  
Coca-Cola Brand 2 liter  
bottles, all varieties  
**Get Any 1 Vault**  
2 liter bottle  
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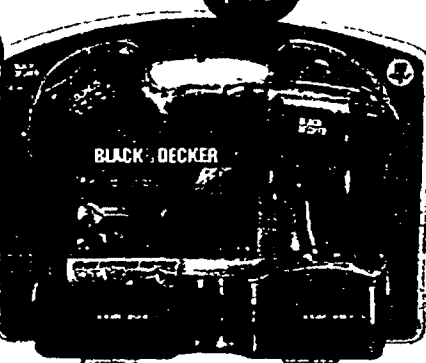
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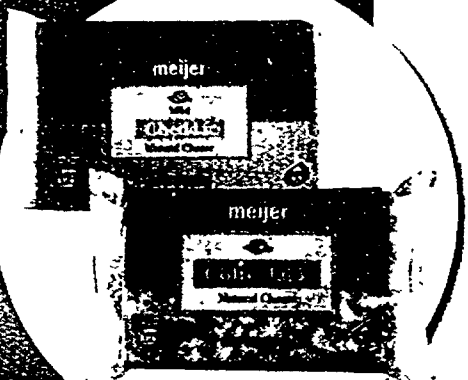
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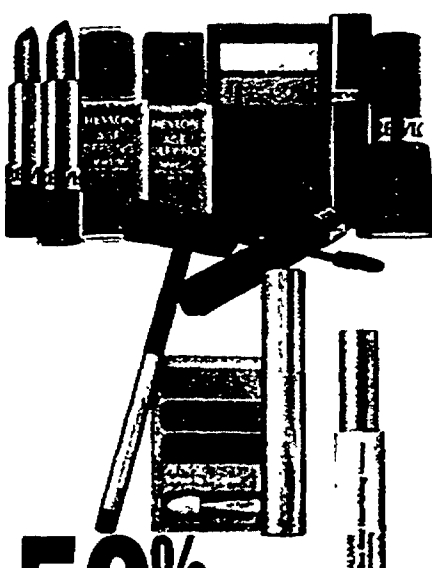
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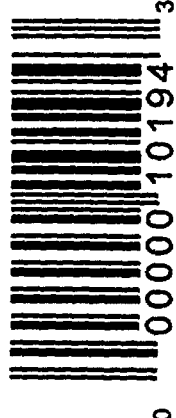
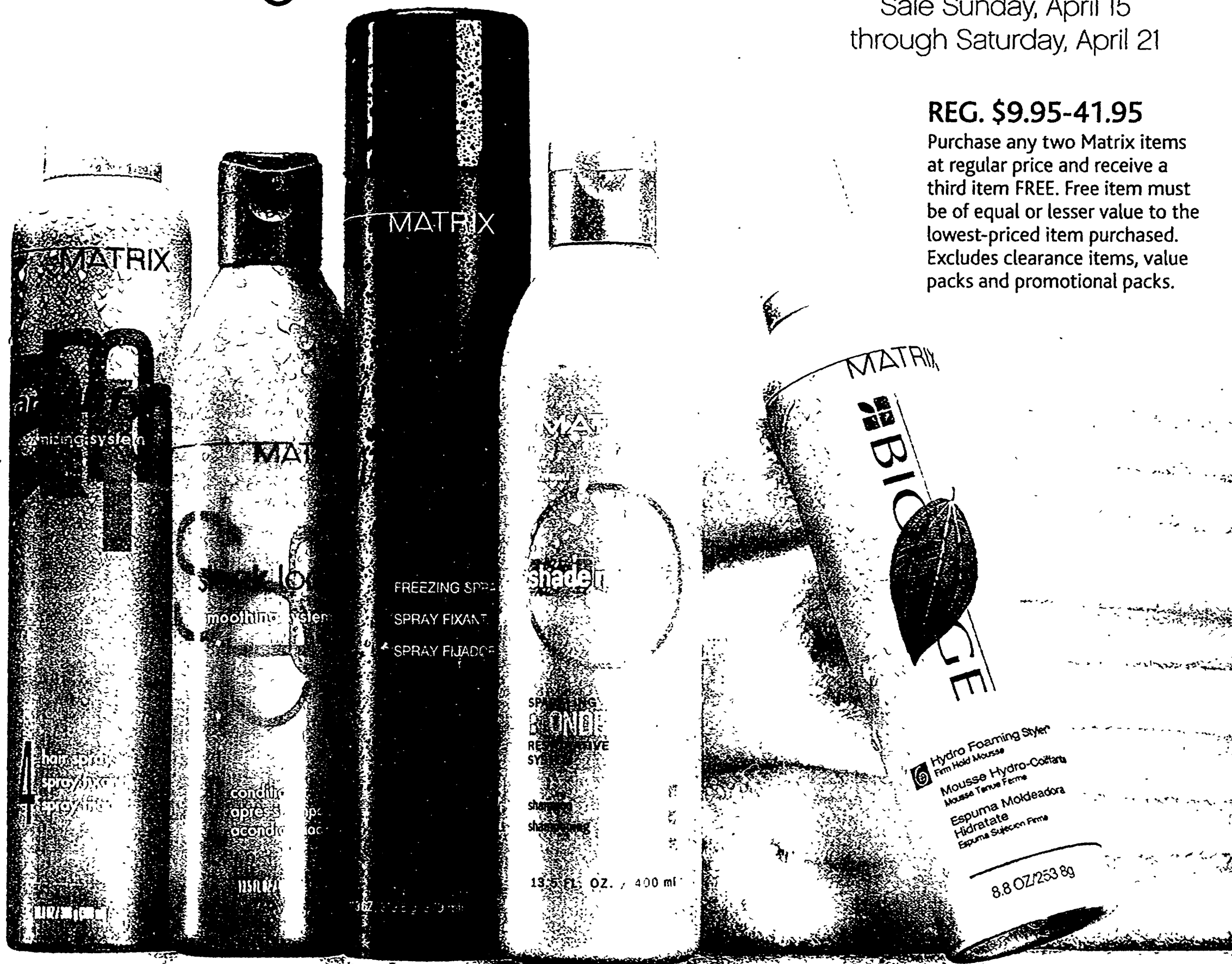
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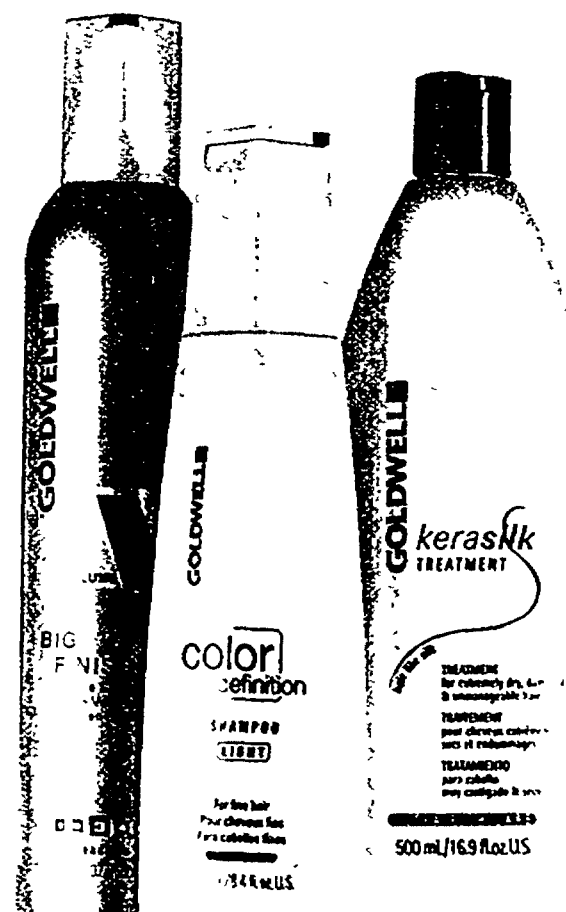
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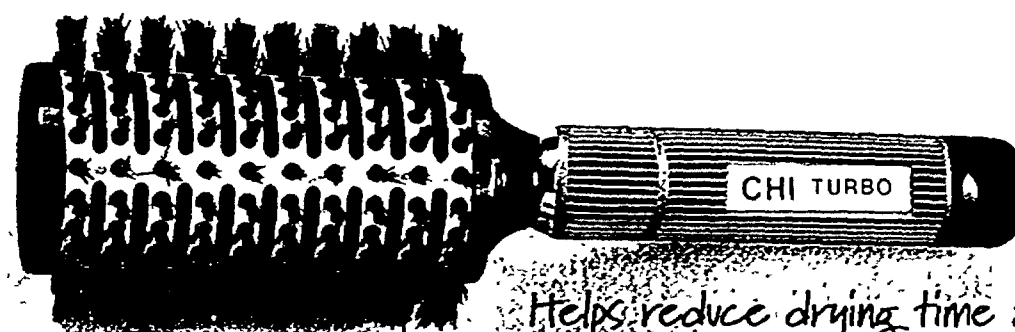
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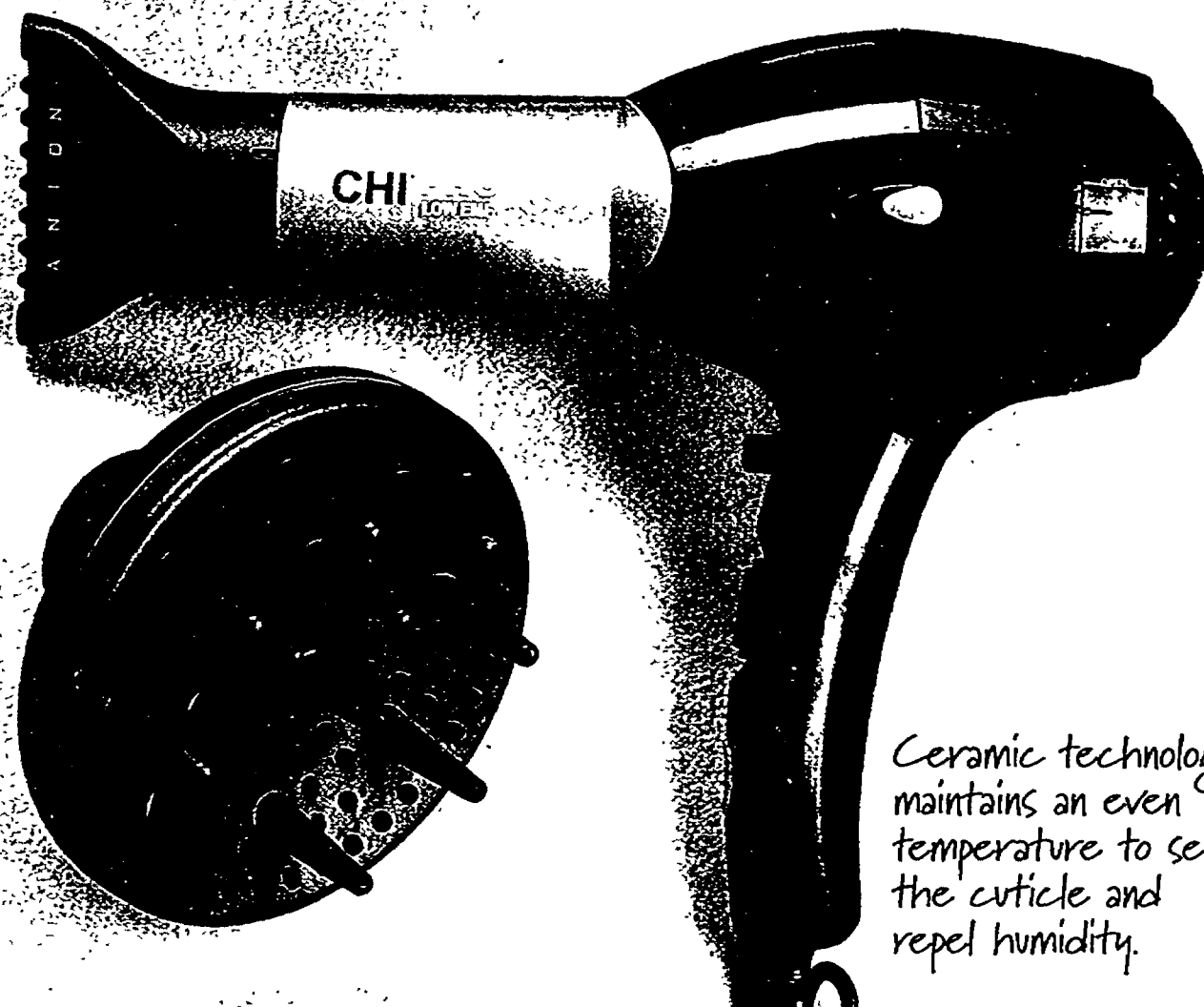
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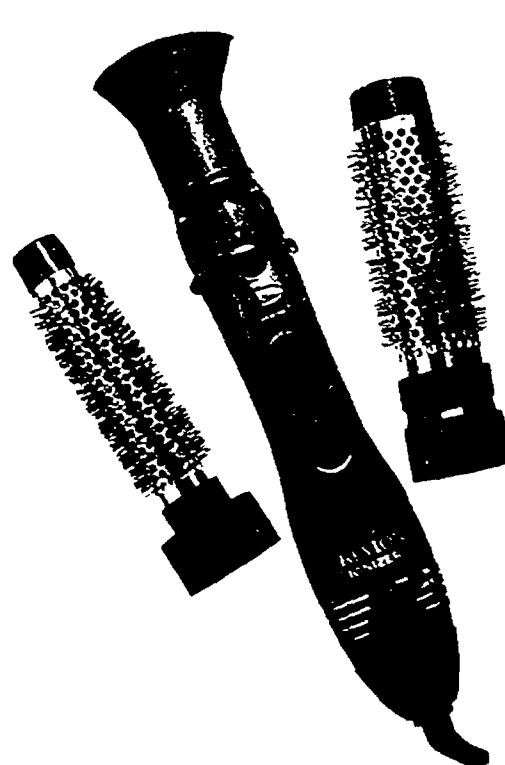


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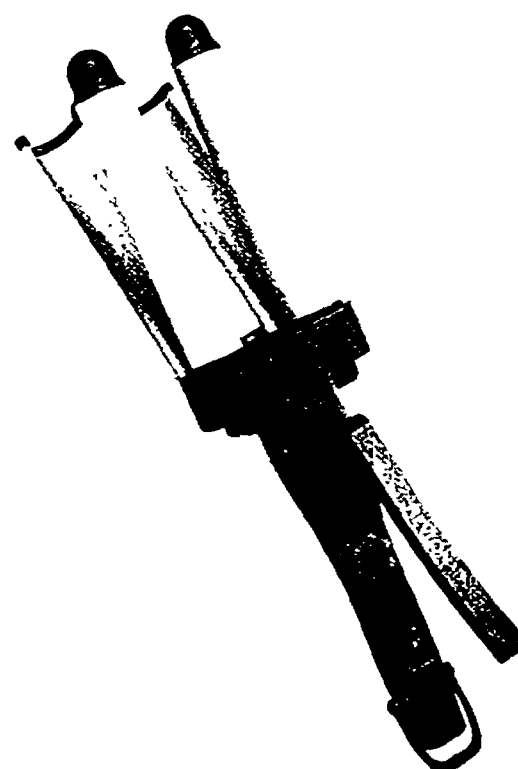


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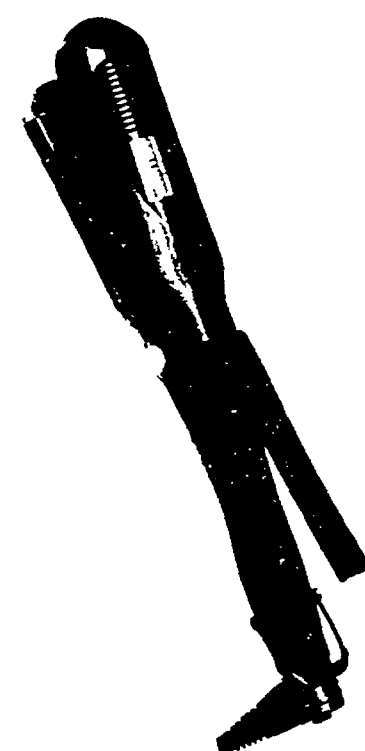


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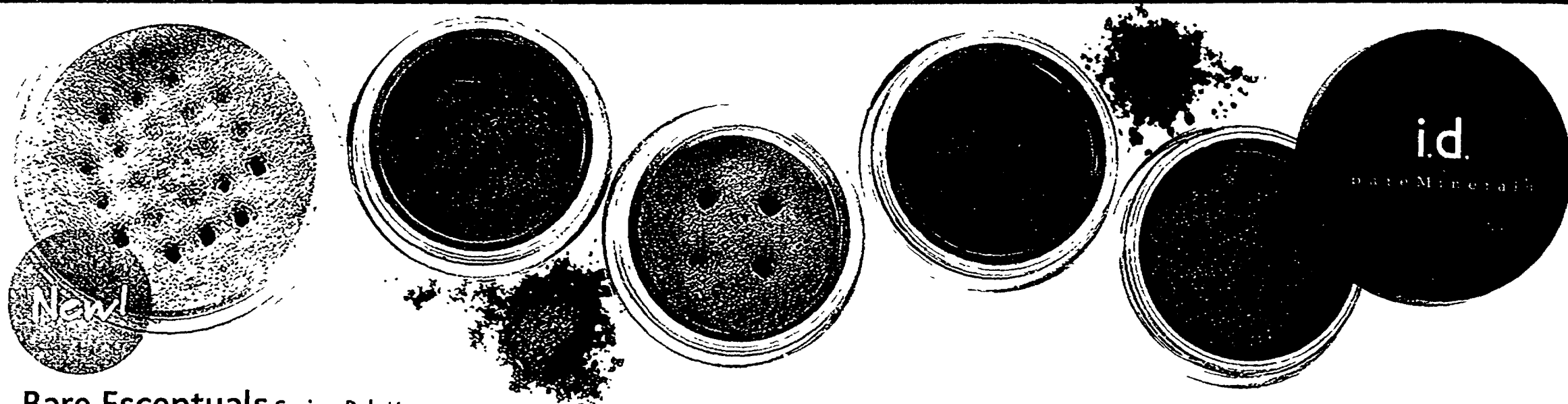
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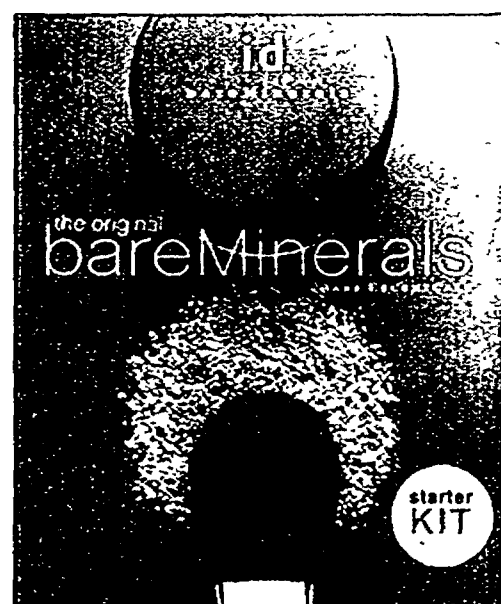


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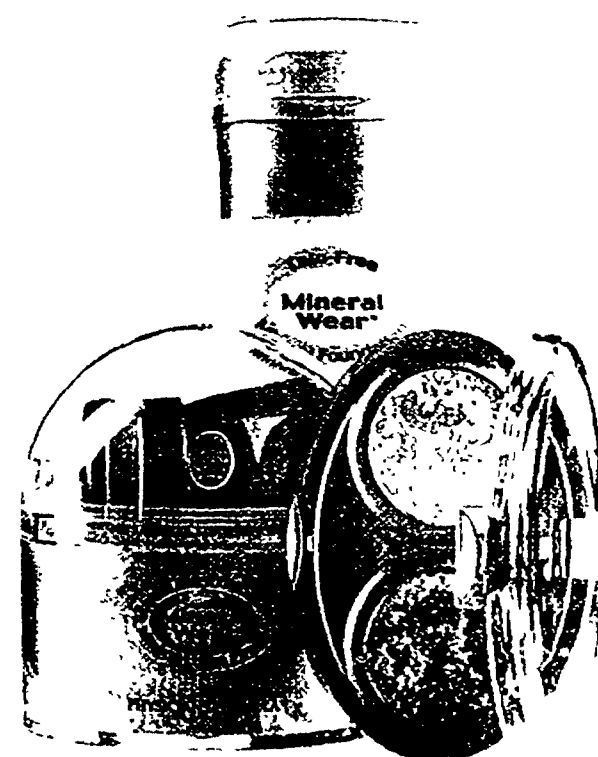
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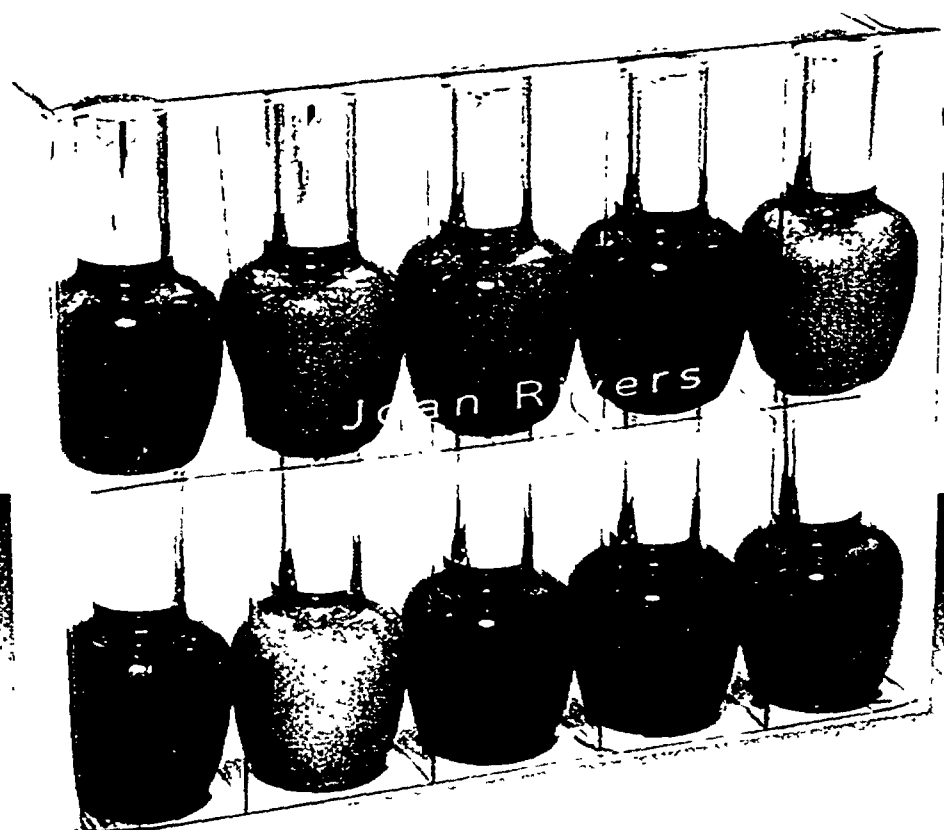
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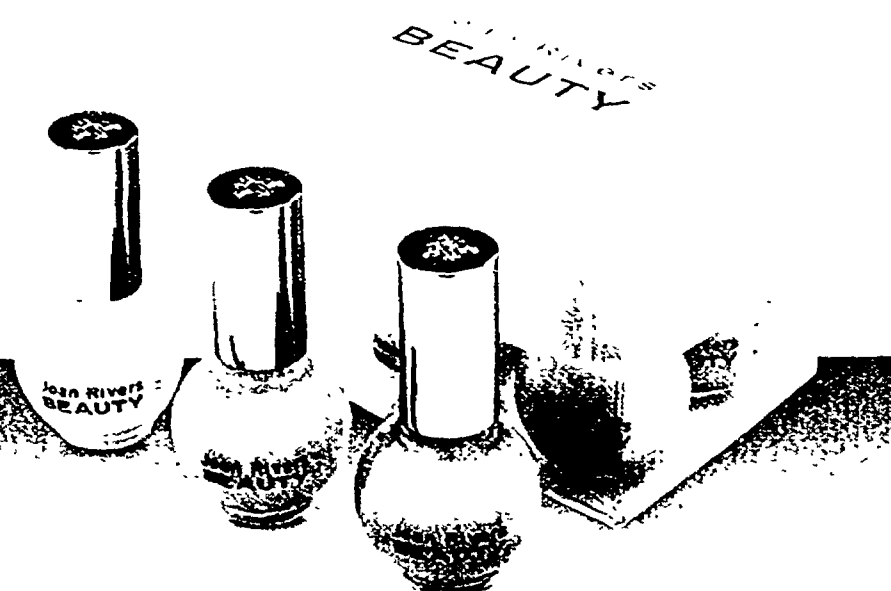
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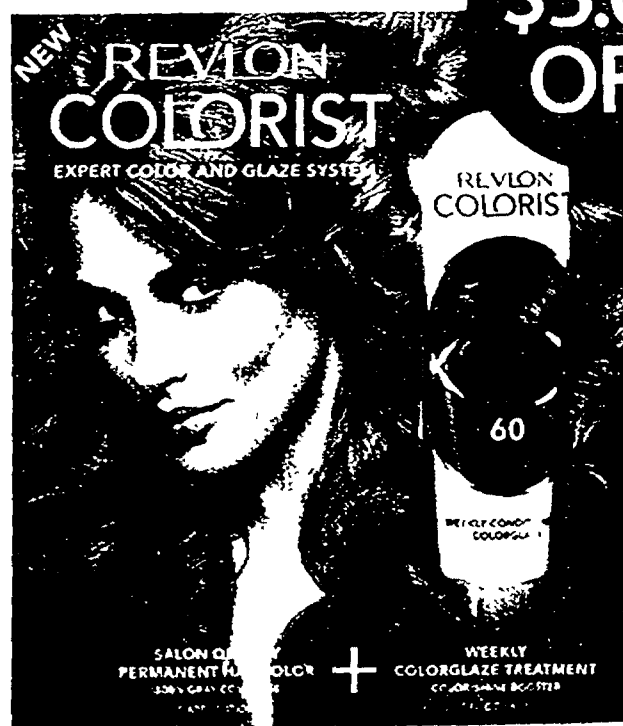
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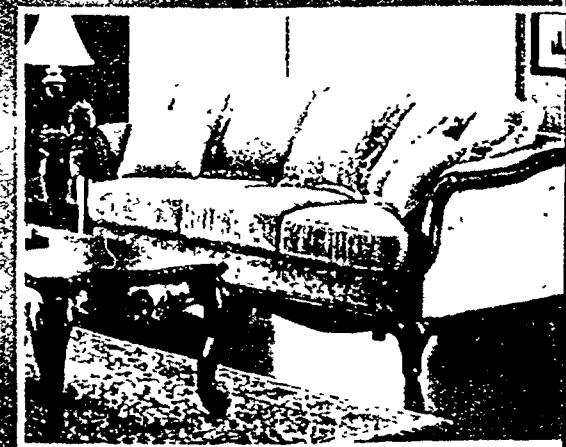
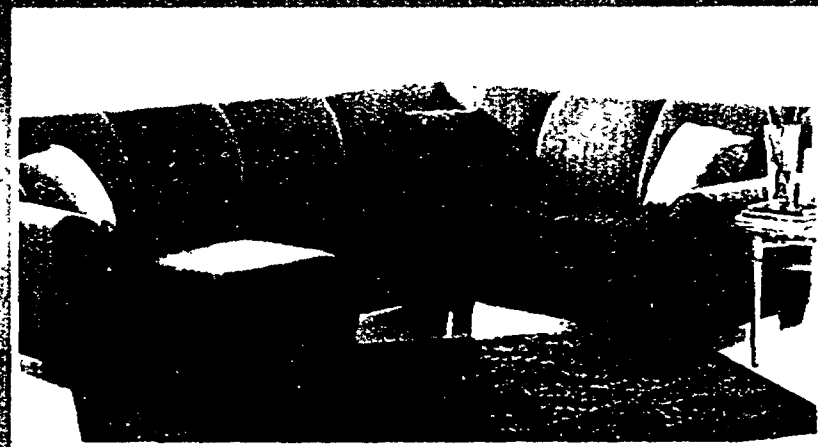
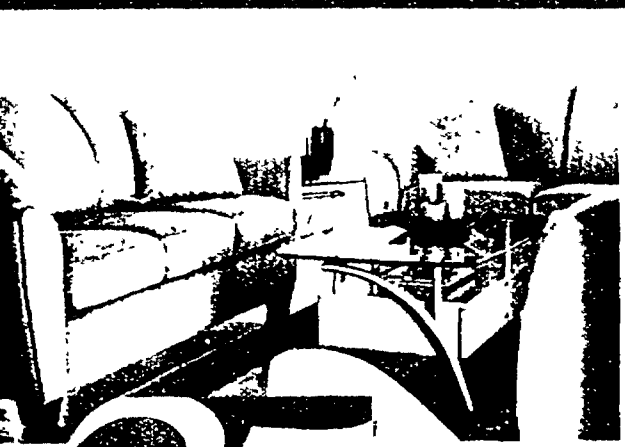


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**Q** The actress who plays *Natasha* on the new comedy *What About Brian* looks so familiar. Has she been in any other shows or movies?

—Andy Anderson, Fontana, Calif.

Actress-Tiffani Thiessen

That's Tiffani Thiessen, 33, who practically grew up on TV. In front of the cameras since she was 8 years old (doing a TV commercial for Barbie), she's a former Miss Junior America who got her first big acting breaks playing teens on episodes of *Charles in Charge*, *Blossom* and *Married With Children*, then recurring roles on *Saved by the Bell* (as perky cheerleader Kelly Kapowski) and *Beverly Hills 90210* (as conniving Valerie Malone). You also may have seen her in TV's *Just Shoot Me!*, *Good Morning, Miami* and *Fastlane*. Married since 2005 to actor Brady Smith, she was ranked 43rd in last year's *100 Greatest Teen Stars* countdown special on VH1.

**Q** Is it true Mickey Gilley, the Rev. Jimmy Swaggart and Jerry Lee Lewis are cousins? Have they ever recorded together?

—Ed Will, Marion, Ill.

Yes, they are cousins. The country crooner, the televangelist and the rock 'n' roll wild man grew up together in Ferriday, La. (pop. 3,723), where Swaggart's grandmother was the sister of Gilley's mom and Lewis' dad. Other than informally gathering around the piano a few times, none of them can recall ever recording or performing together publicly.

Musical cousins (from left) Mickey Gilley, Jimmy Swaggart and Jerry Lee Lewis in the 1980s

**Q** Whatever happened to L.A. Low's real-life married couple, Michael Tucker and Jill Eikenberry? —Sandra Peterson, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Tucker and Eikenberry are touring in a new musical called *Life Is a Dream*. "It's our story," says Eikenberry, 60. "The ups and downs of having one career hot and one cold, getting *L.A. Law* together and, right after the pilot, discovering that I had breast cancer. It's a love story about how we have a great marriage, despite some things that have not been so easy." Tucker, 62, has a book in the works called *Living in a Foreign Language*.



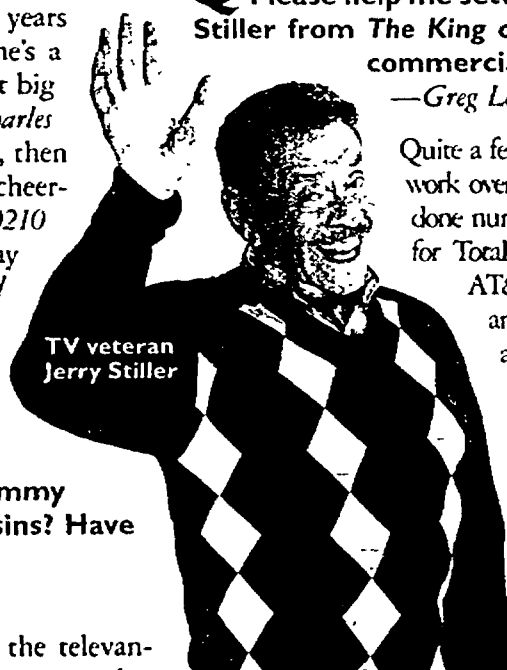
Michael Tucker and Jill Eikenberry

**Q** Please help me settle a disagreement. Has Jerry Stiller from *The King of Queens* ever done any TV commercials?

—Greg Leo, Lake Worth, Fla.

Quite a few! In addition to his TV and movie work over the last six decades, Stiller, 79, has done numerous commercials, including spots for Total cereal, Glad Cling Wrap, Nissan, AT&T, AOL, Pizza Hut, Marriott Hotels and Nike, in which he played legendary football coach Vince Lombardi. He's probably best known, however, for his roles in two of the most successful comedy series in history: *Seinfeld* and *The King of Queens*, which wraps up its ninth and final season May 28 as one of TV's longest-running live-action sitcoms.

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TV veteran Jerry Stiller

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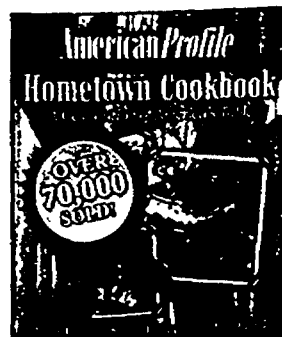
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# Producing Locks Since Lincoln

by VIVIAN  
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Using a machine that slices through metal, workers cut long brass bars into lock-shaped pieces at the Wilson Bohannon Padlock Co. factory in Marion, Ohio (pop. 36,494).

As the brass pieces travel through production, they are stamped with the company's "WB" logo, polished, shaped and fitted with the internal mechanisms that turn them into padlocks, which will safeguard truck cargo, security gates and utility sheds around the world.

"You wonder where they all go," says Jackie Dawson, 51, who has assembled the security devices at Wilson Bohannon since 1977. "You think about that when you put so many together."

Wilson Bohannon—the nation's oldest operating family-owned padlock manufacturer—has produced locks for more than 140 years.

The company got its start when Wilson Bohannon and his son, Todd Wilson, began tinkering with padlock designs

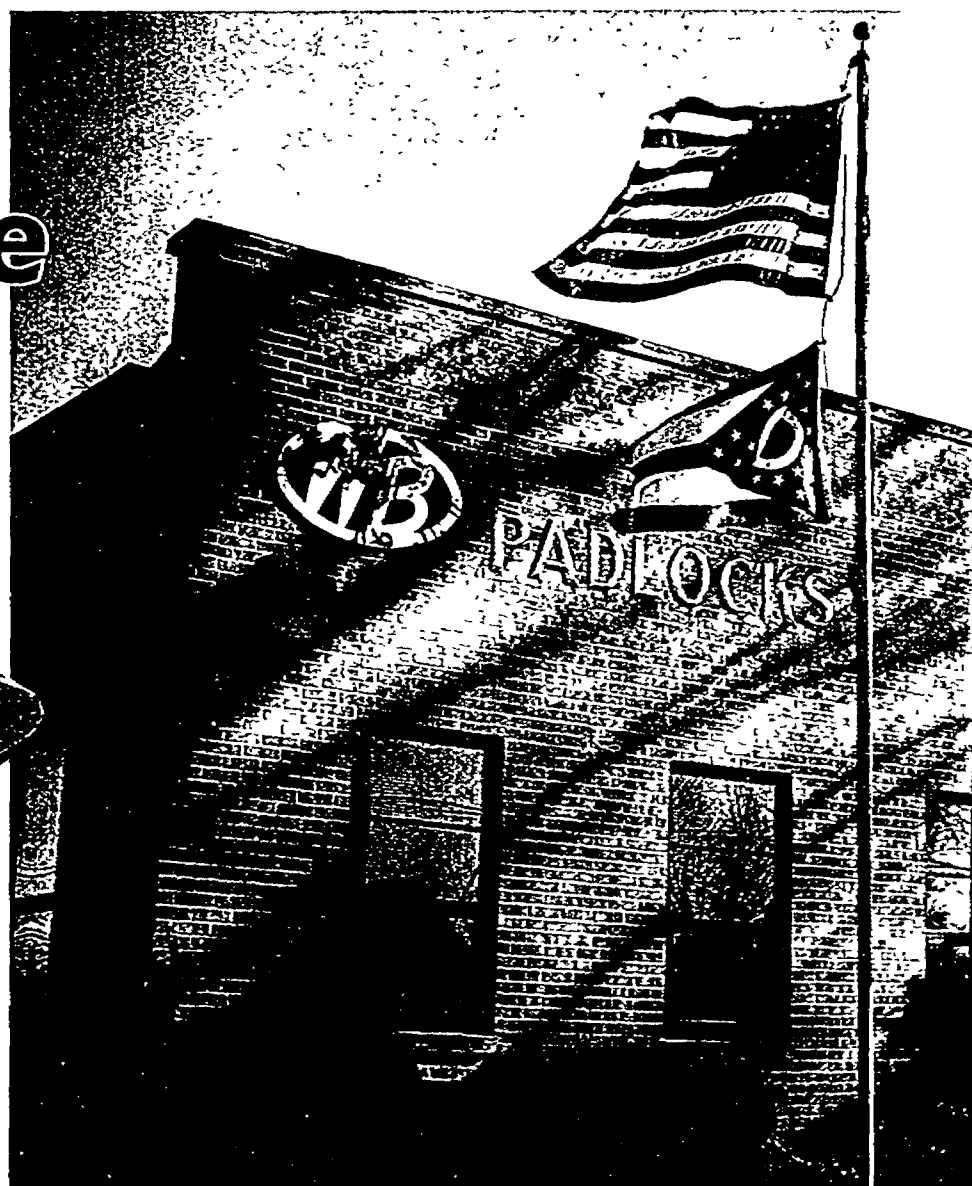


Wilson Bohannon (inset) received his first padlock patent in 1860, a decade before he opened his first factory (above) on Kossuth Place in Brooklyn, N.Y.

in a small shop behind their Brooklyn, N.Y., home. Bohannon received his first padlock patent in 1860, the year President Abraham Lincoln was elected to his first term. Hence, the company's motto, "Locks since Lincoln."

Back then, the Wilson Bohannon Co. produced locks that secured the contents of railroad cars, storage bins and ballot boxes. In 1927, Bohannon's grandson, Wilson Bohannon Tway, moved the company to Marion and, with the decline of the railroad industry, turned his attention to supplying locks to utility—electric, gas, water and sewer—companies, which remain a large part of the business's customer base.

Now owned by the great-great-granddaughter of Wilson Bohannon, Pam Smith, along with her husband and company president Howard Smith, the lock factory employs 60 people and produces 5,000 padlocks a day for customers around the world. And in an era when many American manufacturers have moved their operations overseas, Wilson Bohannon officials remain committed to keeping their factory in Marion.



"They really have a lot of pride in their workmanship," says John Grist, owner of North Georgia Security in Clayton, Ga., who has sold Wilson Bohannon locks to commercial and residential customers for 20 years.

Grist, who has a private collection of Wilson Bohannon locks dating back to 1860, likes supporting an American company that still manufactures its products in the United States. "We're supporting our own economy when we buy them," he says.

Wilson Bohannon's customizable padlocks feature rustproof solid brass bodies and brass, steel or stainless steel U-shaped shackles that range in size from less than an inch to 8 inches. The locks sell for \$5 to \$25 each.

Custom lock designs remain key to the company's success, and one of the brains behind those designs is Mark Williams, the company's chief engineer, who began working as a shipping clerk for Wilson Bohannon in 1977.

"A lot of the machines we use in the assembly process we design and build in-house," says Williams, 48. "When we build a new one, we just keep improving it. It's a learning process."

As Williams works at his desk, he flips a three-dimensional image of a lock on his computer screen, modifying the design and



Howard Smith, company president

Wilson Bohannon  
Padlock Co.'s plant  
in Marion, Ohio



changing its size and shape. He says he values the company that allows him to develop and contribute his creative talents.

"I really feel like I'm a big part of the company," Williams says. "I feel like I have some input in the way things happen around here."

The designs dreamed up by Williams eventually become Wilson Bohannon's time-tested padlocks, which have provided security and protection since Lincoln was president.

"We're proud of our heritage," says Howard Smith, 60. "We're 100 percent American-made, and we want to keep it that way." ☆

Vivian Wagner is a writer based in New Concord, Ohio.

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Brief Summary of Prescribing Information  
**INDICATIONS AND USAGE**

SPIRIVA HandiHaler (tiotropium bromide inhalation powder) is indicated for the long-term, once-daily, maintenance treatment of bronchospasm associated with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), including chronic bronchitis and emphysema.

## **CONTRAINDICATIONS**

SPIRIVA HandiHaler (tiotropium bromide inhalation powder) is contraindicated in patients with a history of hypersensitivity to atropine or its derivatives, including ipratropium, or to any component of this product.

## **WARNINGS**

SPIRIVA HandiHaler (tiotropium bromide inhalation powder) is intended as a once-daily maintenance treatment for COPD and is not indicated for the initial treatment of acute episodes of bronchospasm, i.e., rescue therapy.

Immediate hypersensitivity reactions, including anaphylaxis, may occur after administration of SPIRIVA. If such a reaction occurs, therapy with SPIRIVA should be stopped at once and alternative treatments should be considered.

Inhaled medicines, including SPIRIVA, may cause paradoxical bronchospasm. If this occurs, treatment with SPIRIVA should be stopped and other treatments considered.

## **PRECAUTIONS**

### **General**

As an anticholinergic drug, SPIRIVA (tiotropium bromide inhalation powder) may potentially worsen symptoms and signs associated with narrow-angle glaucoma, prostatic hyperplasia or bladder-neck obstruction and should be used with caution in patients with any of these conditions.

As a predominantly renally excreted drug, patients with moderate to severe renal impairment (creatinine clearance of  $\leq 50$  mL/min) treated with SPIRIVA should be monitored closely (see CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, Pharmacokinetics, Special Populations, Renally-impaired Patients, Information for Patients).

It is important for patients to understand how to correctly administer SPIRIVA capsules using the HandiHaler inhalation device (see Patient's Instructions for Use). SPIRIVA capsules should only be administered via the HandiHaler device and the HandiHaler device should not be used for administering other medications.

Capsules should always be stored in sealed blisters and only removed immediately before use. The blister strip should be carefully opened to expose only one capsule at a time. Open the blister foil as far as the STOP line to remove only one capsule at a time. The drug should be used immediately after the packaging over an individual capsule is opened, or else its effectiveness may be reduced. Capsules that are inadvertently exposed to air (i.e., not intended for immediate use) should be discarded.

Eye pain or discomfort, blurred vision, visual halos or colored images in association with red eyes from conjunctival congestion and corneal edema may be signs of acute narrow-angle glaucoma. Should any of these signs and symptoms develop, consult a physician immediately. Miotic eye drops alone are not considered to be effective treatment.

Care must be taken not to allow the powder to enter into the eyes as this may cause blurring of vision and pupil dilation.

SPIRIVA HandiHaler is a once-daily maintenance bronchodilator and should not be used for immediate relief of breathing problems, i.e., as a rescue medication.

### **Drug Interactions**

SPIRIVA has been used concomitantly with other drugs commonly used in COPD without increases in adverse drug reactions. These include sympathomimetic bronchodilators, methylxanthines, and oral and inhaled steroids. However, the co-administration of SPIRIVA with other anticholinergic-containing drugs (e.g., ipratropium) has not been studied and is therefore not recommended.

### **Drug/Laboratory Test Interactions**

None known.

### **Carcinogenesis, Mutagenesis, Impairment of Fertility**

No evidence of tumorigenicity was observed in a 104-week inhalation study in rats at tiotropium doses up to 0.069 mg/kg/day in an 83-week inhalation study in female mice at doses up to 0.145 mg/kg/day, and in a 101-week inhalation study in male mice at doses up to 0.002 mg/kg/day. These doses correspond to 25, 35, and 0.5 times the Recommended Human Daily Dose (RHDD) on a mg/m<sup>2</sup> basis, respectively. These dose multiples may be over-estimated due to difficulties in measuring deposited doses in animal inhalation studies.

Tiotropium bromide demonstrated no evidence of mutagenicity or clastogenicity in the following assays: the bacterial gene mutation assay, the V79 Chinese hamster cell mutagenesis assay, the chromosomal aberration assays in human lymphocytes in vitro and mouse micronucleus formation in vivo, and the unscheduled DNA synthesis in primary rat hepatocytes in vitro assay.

In rats, decreases in the number of corpora lutea and the percentage of implants were noted at inhalation tiotropium doses of 0.078 mg/kg/day or greater (approximately 35 times the RHDD on a mg/m<sup>2</sup> basis). No such effects were observed at 0.009 mg/kg/day (approximately 4 times the RHDD on a mg/m<sup>2</sup> basis). The fertility index, however, was not affected at inhalation doses up to 1.689 mg/kg/day (approximately 760 times the RHDD on a mg/m<sup>2</sup> basis). These dose multiples may be over-estimated due to difficulties in measuring deposited doses in animal inhalation studies.

### **Pregnancy**

#### **Pregnancy Category C**

No evidence of structural alterations was observed in rats and rabbits at inhalation tiotropium doses of up to 1.471 and 0.007 mg/kg/day, respectively. These doses correspond to approximately 660 and 6 times the recommended human daily dose (RHDD) on a mg/m<sup>2</sup> basis. However, in rats, fetal resorption, litter loss, decreases in the number of live pups at birth and the mean pup weights, and a delay in pup sexual maturation were observed at inhalation tiotropium doses of  $\geq 0.078$  mg/kg (approximately 35 times the RHDD on a mg/m<sup>2</sup> basis). In rabbits, an increase in post-implantation loss was observed at an inhalation dose of 0.4 mg/kg/day (approximately 360 times the RHDD on a mg/m<sup>2</sup> basis). Such effects were not observed at inhalation doses of 0.009 and up to 0.069 mg/kg/day in rats and rabbits, respectively. These dose multiples may be over-estimated due to difficulties in measuring deposited doses in animal inhalation studies.

There are no adequate and well-controlled studies in pregnant women. SPIRIVA should be used during pregnancy only if the potential benefit justifies the potential risk to the fetus.

### **Use in Labor and Delivery**

The safety and effectiveness of SPIRIVA has not been studied during labor and delivery.

### **Nursing Mothers**

Clinical data from nursing women exposed to tiotropium are not available. Based on lactating rodent studies, tiotropium is excreted into breast milk. It is not known whether tiotropium is excreted in human milk, but because many drugs are excreted in human milk and given these findings in rats, caution should be exercised if SPIRIVA is administered to a nursing woman.

### **Pediatric Use**

SPIRIVA HandiHaler is approved for use in the maintenance treatment of bronchospasm associated with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, including chronic bronchitis and emphysema. This disease does not normally occur in children. The safety and effectiveness of SPIRIVA in pediatric patients have not been established.

### **Geriatric Use**

Of the total number of patients who received SPIRIVA in the 1-year clinical trials, 426 were  $\leq 65$  years, 375 were 65-74 years and 105 were  $\geq 75$  years of age. Within each age subgroup, there were no differences between the proportion of patients with adverse events in the SPIRIVA and the comparator groups for most events. Dry mouth increased with age in the SPIRIVA group (differences from placebo were 9.0%, 17.1%, and 16.2% in the aforementioned age subgroups). A higher frequency of constipation and urinary tract infections with increasing age was observed in the SPIRIVA group in the placebo-controlled studies. The differences from placebo for constipation were 0%, 1.8%, and 7.8% for each of the age groups. The differences from placebo for urinary tract infections were -0.6%, 4.6% and 4.5%. No overall differences in effectiveness were observed among these groups. Based on available data, no adjustment of SPIRIVA dosage in geriatric patients is warranted.

### **ADVERSE REACTIONS**

Of the 2,663 patients in the four 1-year and two 6-month controlled clinical trials, 1,308 were treated with SPIRIVA (tiotropium bromide inhalation powder) at the recommended dose of 18 mcg once a day. Patients with narrow angle glaucoma, or symptomatic prostatic hypertrophy or bladder outlet obstruction were excluded from these trials.

The most commonly reported adverse drug reaction was dry mouth. Dry mouth was usually mild and often resolved during continued treatment. Other reactions reported in individual patients and consistent with possible anticholinergic effects included constipation, increased heart rate, blurred vision, glaucoma, urinary difficulty, and urinary retention.

Four multicenter, 1-year, controlled studies evaluated SPIRIVA in patients with COPD. Table 1 shows all adverse events that occurred with a frequency of  $\geq 3\%$  in the SPIRIVA group in the 1-year placebo-controlled trials where the rates in the SPIRIVA group exceeded placebo by  $\geq 1\%$ . The frequency of corresponding events in the ipratropium-controlled trials is included for comparison.

Table 1: Adverse Experience Incidence (% Patients) in One-Year COPD Clinical Trials

Body System (Event)	Placebo-Controlled Trials		Ipratropium-Controlled Trials	
	SPIRIVA (n=550)	Placebo (n=371)	SPIRIVA (n=356)	Ipratropium (n=179)
<b>Body as a Whole</b>				
Accidents	13	11	5	8
Chest Pain (non-specific)	7	5	5	2
Edema, Dependent	5	4	3	5
<b>Gastrointestinal System Disorders</b>				
Abdominal Pain	5	3	6	6
Constipation	4	2	1	1
Dry Mouth	16	3	12	6
Dyspepsia	6	5	1	1
Vomiting	4	2	1	2
<b>Musculoskeletal System</b>				
Myalgia	4	3	4	3
<b>Resistance Mechanism Disorders</b>				
Infection	4	3	1	3
Moniliasis	4	2	3	2
<b>Respiratory System (upper)</b>				
Epistaxis	4	2	1	1
Pharyngitis	9	7	7	3
Rhinitis	6	5	3	2
Sinusitis	11	9	3	2
Upper Respiratory Tract Infection	41	37	43	35
<b>Skin and Appendage Disorders</b>				
Rash	4	2	2	2
<b>Urinary System</b>				
Urinary Tract Infection	7	5	4	2

Arthritis, coughing, and influenza-like symptoms occurred at a rate of  $\geq 3\%$  in the SPIRIVA treatment group but were  $<1\%$  in excess of the placebo group.

Other events that occurred in the SPIRIVA group at a frequency of 1-3% in the placebo-controlled trials where the rates exceeded that in the placebo group include: Body as a Whole: allergic reaction, leg pain; Central and Peripheral Nervous System: dysphonia, paresthesia; Gastrointestinal System Disorders: gastroenteritis disorder not otherwise specified (NOS), gastroesophageal reflux, stomatitis (including ulcerative stomatitis); Metabolic and Nutritional Disorders: hypercholesterolemia, hyperglycemia; Musculoskeletal System Disorders: skeletal pain; Cardiac Events: angina pectoris (including aggravated angina pectoris); Psychiatric Disorder: depression; Infections: herpes zoster; Respiratory System Disorder (upper): laryngitis; Vision Disorder: cataract. In addition, among the adverse events observed in the clinical trials with an incidence of  $<1\%$  were: atrial fibrillation, supraventricular tachycardia, angioedema, and urinary retention.

In the 1-year trials, the incidence of dry mouth, constipation, and urinary tract infection increased with age (see PRECAUTIONS, Geriatric Use).

Two multicenter, 6-month, controlled studies evaluated SPIRIVA in patients with COPD. The adverse events and the incidence rates were similar to those seen in the 1-year controlled trials.

The following adverse reactions have been identified during worldwide post-approval use of SPIRIVA: dizziness, epistaxis, hoarseness, palpitations, pruritus, tachycardia, throat irritation, and urticaria.

### **DOSE AND ADMINISTRATION**

The recommended dosage of SPIRIVA HandiHaler (tiotropium bromide inhalation powder) is the inhalation of the contents of one SPIRIVA capsule, once-daily with the HandiHaler inhalation device (see Patient's Instructions for Use).

No dosage adjustment is required for geriatric, hepatically-impaired, or renally-impaired patients. However, patients with moderate to severe renal impairment given SPIRIVA should be monitored closely (see CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, Pharmacokinetics, Special Populations and PRECAUTIONS). SPIRIVA capsules are for inhalation only and must not be swallowed.

### **HOW SUPPLIED**

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# Gardening

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## Tips from a Professional

Even novice gardeners can create a backyard showplace with some help from a professional. Here are a few tips from Harold Taylor, who has worked as the outdoor display gardener at Longwood Gardens, a 1,050-acre horticultural center in Kennett Square, Pa. (pop. 5,273), for three decades:

- **Plan ahead**—Before buying plants, determine the sun's exposure on the planting area. Will the garden receive full sunshine or partial shade? Select your plants accordingly.

- **Determine your gardening goal**—A landscape garden of bushes and shrubbery will give you maximum coverage with minimal maintenance. To brighten the area, a patch of annual flowers will provide a long season of color. For purposeful planting, choose a vegetable or fruit garden that will allow you to literally reap what you sow.

- **Start small**—Make sure you enjoy gardening before digging up the entire lawn. Remember, you always can build upon your success.

- **Novices should select native plants**—Instead of purchasing tropical transplants, invest in the area's native plants, flowers and vegetables. These already are tested with the climate and soil, so your chances of success are increased.

- **Know your soil**—Beginners may get away with digging a hole and dropping in seeds, but if you want to dramatically improve your results, you'll have to learn about the soil. A soil test will determine the pH (acid and alkaline) level of the earth, as well as the basic nutrients present. You can do the test yourself using a kit from a garden center, or most county extension services will test your soil for a small fee.

Finally, once you've planted your garden, visit it often. It's the only way to stay a step ahead of pests, make sure the plants are receiving adequate water and eradicate weeds quickly. "It's always a lot easier to remove a small weed than a bigger one," Taylor says. ☆

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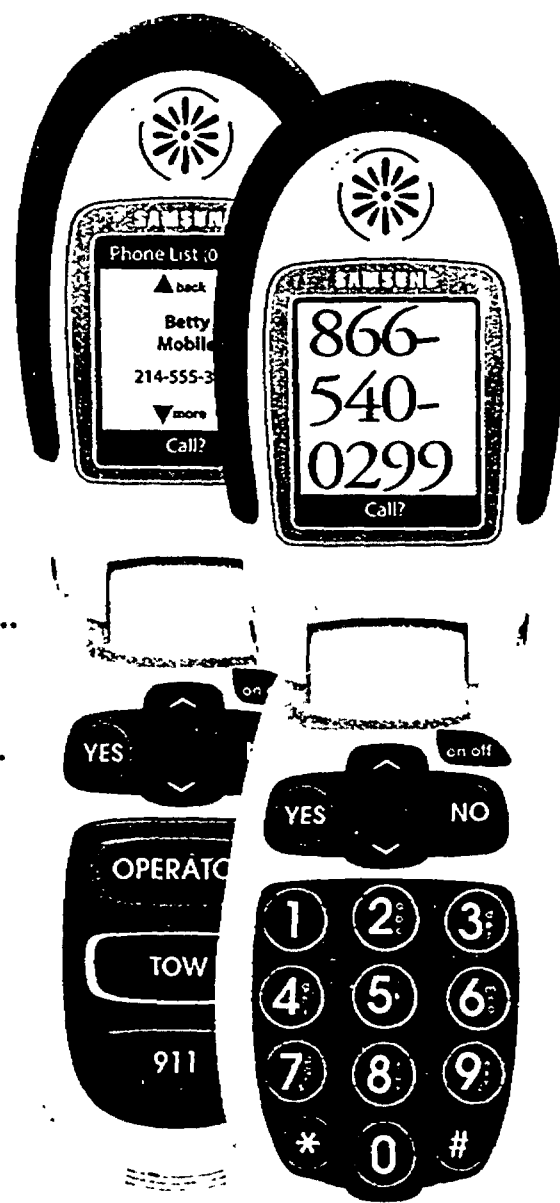


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## Did You Know...

**ILLINOIS**—The state's oldest operating hotel is the DeSoto House, opened in 1855 in Galena (pop. 3,460). Guests have included Abraham Lincoln, Stephen A. Douglas and William Jennings Bryan.

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**IOWA**—In 1897, Thaddeus Cahill patented the telharmonium, or dynamophone, which has been called the first electronic musical instrument. The immense keyboard instrument, which used rotating electromagnetic generators, weighed more than 200 tons and was 60 feet long. Cahill transmitted music by telephone to businesses and homes. He was born in 1867 in Mount Zion.

**KANSAS**—Visitors to the Four State Lookout in White Cloud (pop. 239) can see parts of Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska and Iowa.

**MICHIGAN**—In 1928, Belgian immigrants

Arthur and Julia VanHoutteghem couldn't find darts and targets from Belgium, so they founded the Standard Target and Dart Co. Today, their grandchildren run the company in St. Clair Shores. The Belgian dart game originally was called Vogelpik.

**MINNESOTA**—The original Lois Lane in *The Adventures of Superman* movie in 1948 was Noel Neill, born in 1920 in Minneapolis. Thirty years later, she played Lois Lane's mother in *Superman: The Movie*, and last year, Neill played dying heiress Gertrude Vanderworth in *Superman Returns*.

**MISSOURI**—In 1818, St. Rose Philippine Duchesne founded the Academy of the Sacred Heart in St. Charles (pop. 60,321), the first free school west of the Mississippi River. A bronze bust of Duchesne was added last year to the Hall of Famous Missourians in Jefferson City (pop. 39,636).

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**OHIO**—Guests sleep in the original grain silos of the Quaker Oats Co. at the Crowne Plaza Quaker Square Hotel in Akron.

**SOUTH DAKOTA**—Daktronics, headquartered in Brookings (pop. 18,504), designs and manufactures electronic scoreboards and computer-programmable displays used worldwide at sporting events, airport terminals, and in electronic voting and display systems.

**WISCONSIN**—Founded in 1922, Allen-Edmonds Shoe Corp., headquartered in Port Washington (pop. 10,467), is one of the last shoe manufacturers in America. The company presented President George W. Bush, who is a regular customer, with a pair of red, white and blue wingtip shoes when he visited the factory last year. ☆

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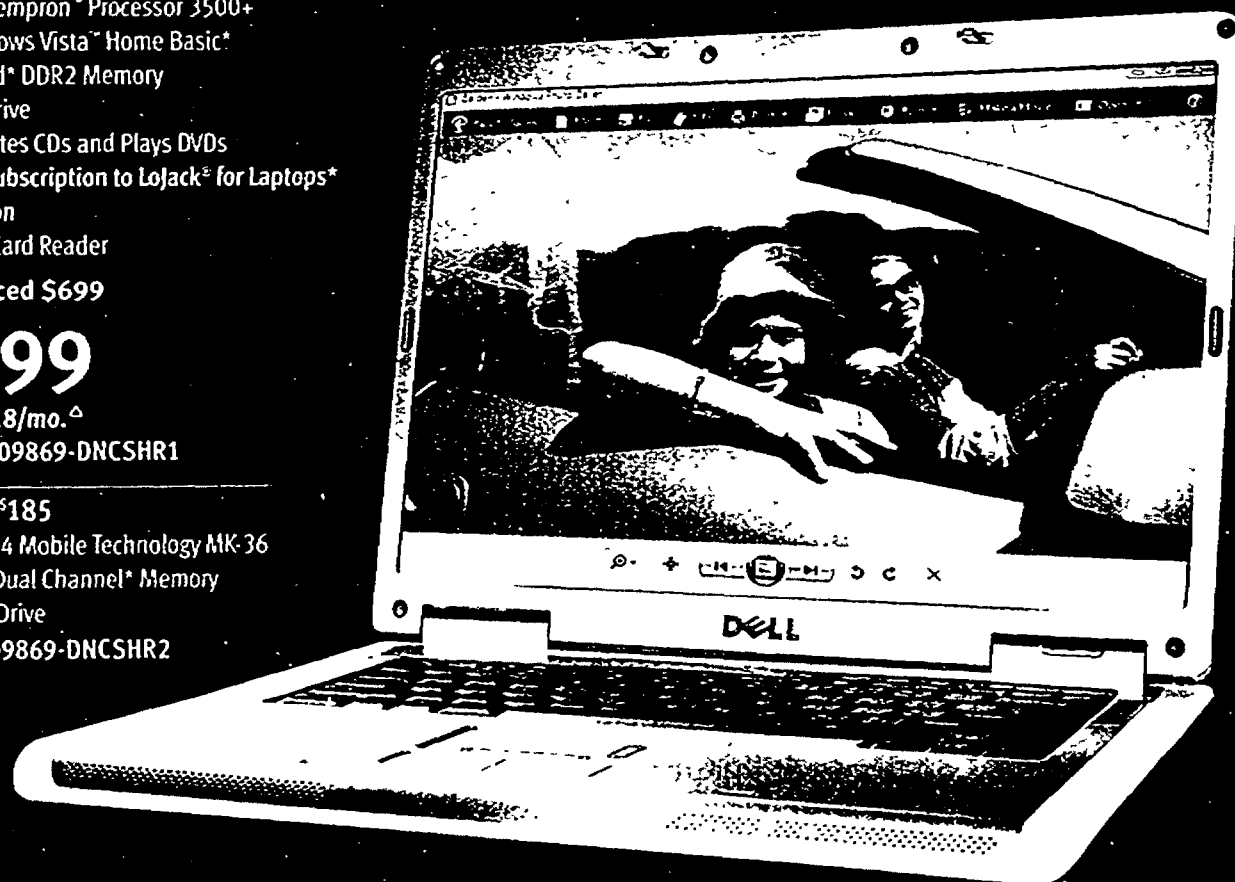
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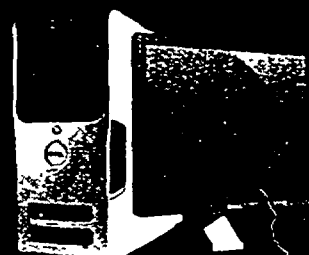
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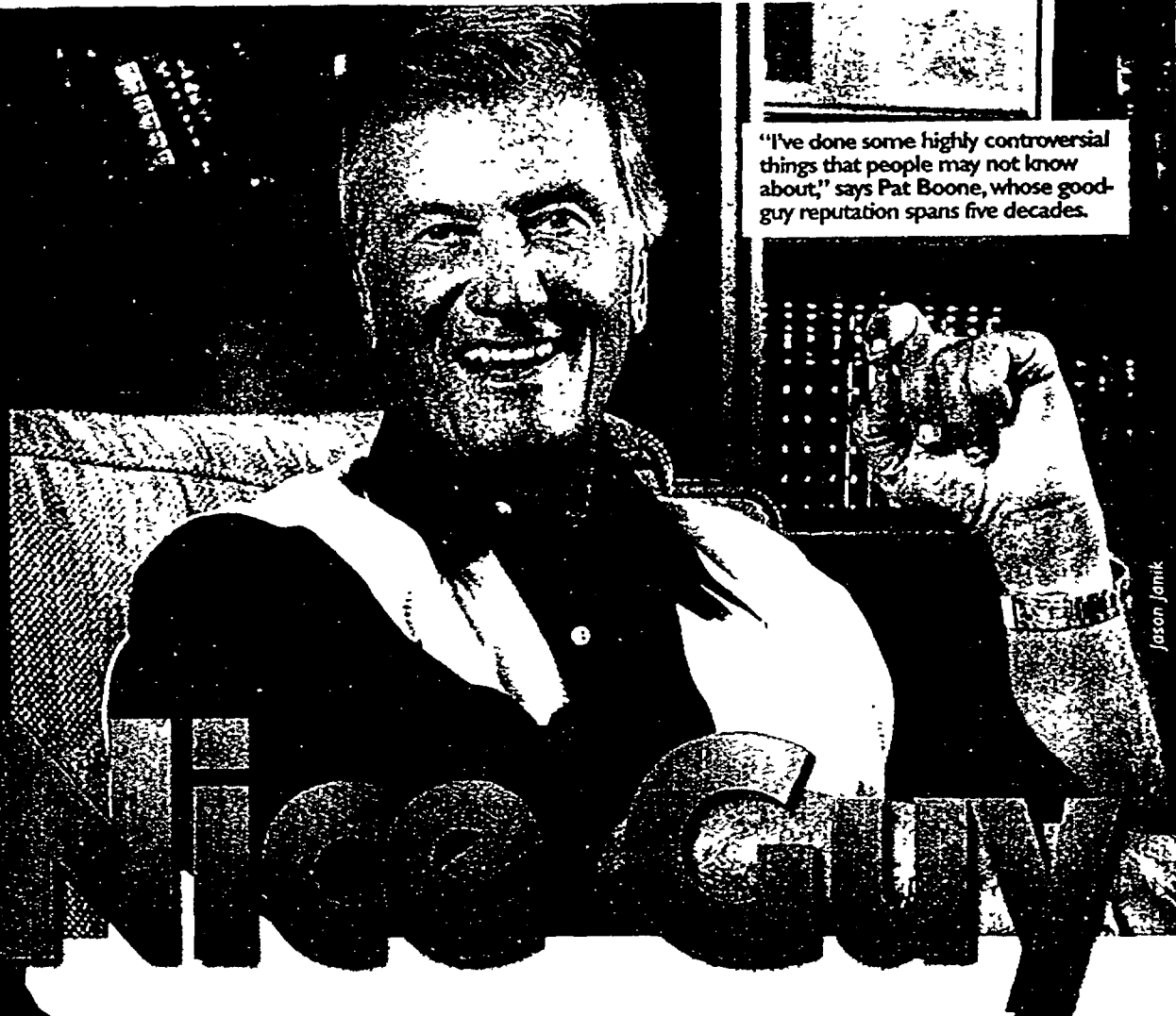
# Pat Boone celebrates 50 years of wholesome show-biz

## Mr. Nice Guy

by  
LETTIE  
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Boone's first publicity photo was taken when he was 14 years old.



"I've done some highly controversial things that people may not know about," says Pat Boone, whose good-guy reputation spans five decades.

Jason Janik

Pat Boone is running a few minutes late as he walks into his office in a high-rise on Hollywood's famed Sunset Strip, casually dressed in a T-shirt, navy sweat pants and trendy white athletic shoes that bring to mind the trademark white bucks he sported in the 1950s.

"Sorry," he apologizes, flashing his still-dazzling trademark smile. "I have so much on my schedule."

Boone, 72, who made his mark in American pop culture with music, movies, television and books, is in the middle of promoting a multitude of projects marking the recent milestone of his 50 years in the entertainment industry. Among them are his autobiography, *Pat Boone's America: 50 Years*, and five recent albums, each covering a different musical genre: patriotic, gospel, country, love songs and R&B.

"I consider it like a fireworks display at the end of the fair," he says. "That's it—the smoke, and everything settles down. The headliner waves goodbye and disappears. That is really what I am planning. The book and all these albums are sort of my finale."

### A strong foundation

Whether making records in the 1950s that made "white" America familiar with "black" music or writing books that helped others benefit from his own spiritual growth, Boone has stood for five decades upon a strong foundation of personal and religious conviction.

He's a "man of remarkable good humor," says his pastor, Dr. Jack Hayford of the Church on the Way in Van Nuys, Calif., "a man of exceeding breadth, a man who can be a good Christian and not be condescending toward people of other traditions or even unbelief."

His reputation as Mr. Nice Guy was honestly earned, but not always as bland as the title might seem. "I have done some highly controversial things that people may not even know about," says Boone, who once successfully pressed to perform to a mixed-race South African audience back in the heated, violent days of apartheid in the 1970s. In the '90s, his album

of heavy-metal rock songs—crooned Par-Boone style—incensed some of his Christian fans to the point that the Trinity Broadcast Network dropped his popular faith-based TV show. His refusal to accept certain movie roles almost ended his acting career just as it was getting started.

"Making decisions based on conscience did not end my career," declares the man who twice turned down opportunities to make a movie with the legendary sexpot Marilyn Monroe. "My agents told my manager, 'Send this boy back to Tennessee. He just isn't made for this business. Let him be a schoolteacher.'"

Teaching was indeed Boone's career goal before he took a side trip down a road that eventually led him to the top of the entertainment world. Born June 1, 1934, in Jacksonville, Fla., he was 2 when the family relocated to Donelson, Tenn.

### Teaching plans detoured

Even as a young man, Boone didn't always play it safe. One early daring deed was his elopement—against his parents' wishes that he finish college first—with Shirley Foley, daughter of Country Music Hall of Fame member Red Foley, in 1953.

Shortly after they married, the couple relocated to Denton, Texas, where Boone enrolled at North Texas State University, planning to become a schoolteacher after graduation.

But before their move to Texas, the wheel had been put in motion for something else. Boone, a naturally gifted singer, had taken top honors at a local talent show, which qualified him to be flown to New York to perform on *Ted Mack's Original Amateur Hour*. While there, he auditioned for and won *Arthur Godfrey's Talent Scouts*, the *American Idol* of its day. His win brought him to the attention of Dot Records, which made arrangements for Boone to record.

That wheel turned slowly, however. It was a year later when the young father got the call in Texas to record "Two Hearts," his first single. And just in time—Shirley was pregnant with their second child, and they needed the money.

The family moved to New York to follow Boone's good fortune. He became a regular on Godfrey's show, continued releasing hit records, began hosting his own TV show and resumed his education at Columbia University. "Shirley and I both resolved that getting married was not going to keep me from finishing college," he says.

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When he graduated magna cum laude in 1958, he also was a best-selling author. "I was getting 5,000 letters a week and had to hire secretaries to handle it," he recalls. "So many letters were asking my advice about teen problems. I thought, 'I'll write a book and try to address as many of the problems as possible in a beneficial way.'"

*Twist Twelve and Twenty* was a runaway bestseller. It became an epiphany for the young entertainer, who saw that he could reach more teenagers through show business than he ever could in a classroom. "Before I was out of college, I had realized my dream of standing in the crossroads of young people's lives," he says. He never applied for a teaching position.



With wife Shirley and the Rev. Billy Graham in 1975



Pat, Shirley and daughters (from left) Laury, Debby, Lindy and Cherry

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"Many white artists took songs from blacks and never gave them credit, nor associated with them," the Rev. Jesse Jackson says. "Pat shared the credit and the association."

While Boone has some concerts scheduled to promote his latest music, he concedes he's ready to slow down. "I'm starting to say no to marginal concert dates and trying to keep my schedule more and more open for free time with Shirley, leisure and writing," he says. "That probably sounds like retirement to most people, and it may very well be."

As he looks back fondly on his wide-ranging career, he wants to be remembered as a good singer, a good family man and a good Christian.

"I didn't jettison my upbringing because I was in the entertainment industry," he says. "I made tough decisions, I risked suspension, I risked criticism and dismissal—and being called 'nice,' which I thought was the kiss of death. But my responsibility to God, my wife, my kids and my fans kept me considering everything I did in regard to the consequences to others rather than myself." ☆

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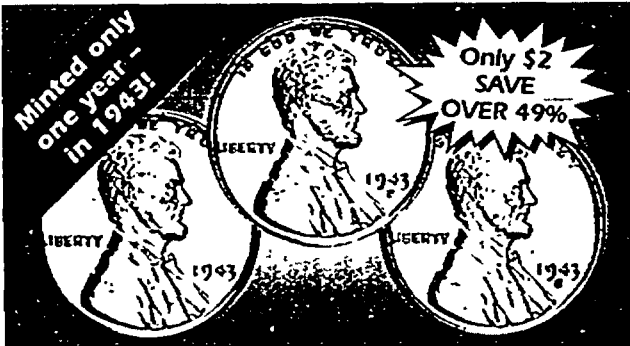
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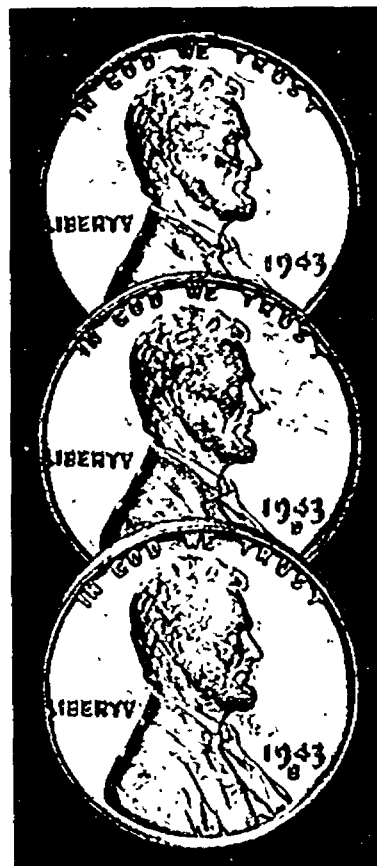
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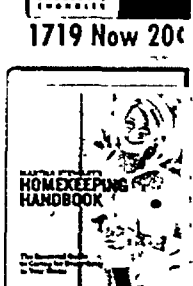
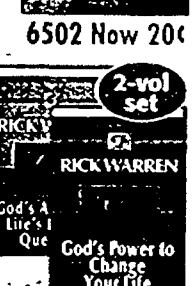
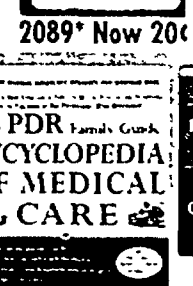
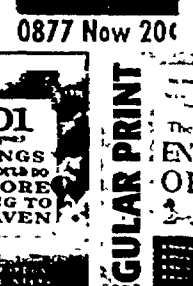
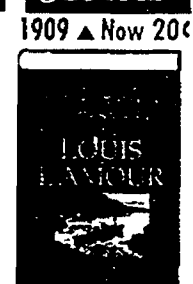
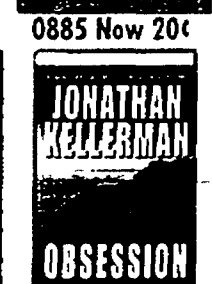
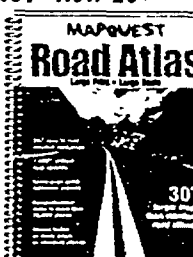
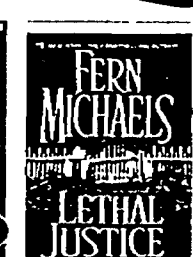
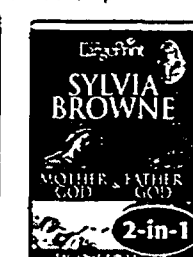
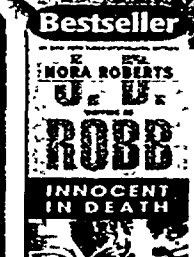
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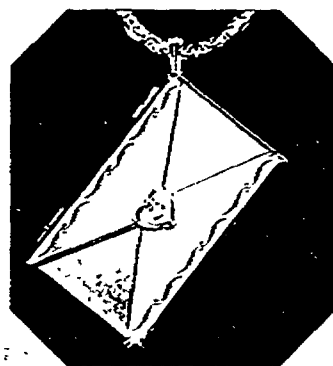
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*Send a special delivery  
of love...*



Front and back of  
Letter Locket closed



Richly accented with gleaming  
24k-gold plating



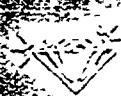
**A GREAT  
GIFT IDEA**

**for a Graduation,  
a Birthday,  
or any Special Event**

*Send a special delivery  
of love...*

*Dear Daughter*

## BETTER OF LOVE LOCKET

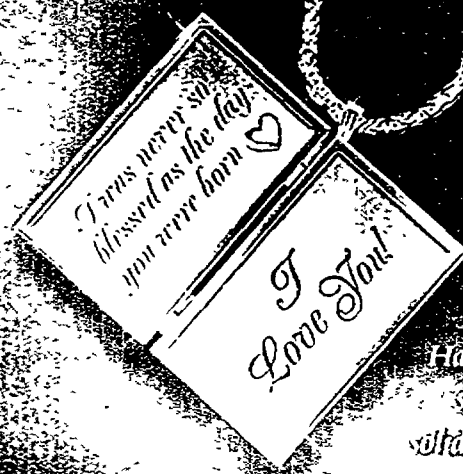


*Finely engraved with  
a loving sentiment.*

Dear Daughter,

*I was never so blessed as  
the day you were born.*

*I Love You!*



Shown with  
locket open

Hand-crafted in shimmering  
vibrating colors.

She has enriched your life and brought you joy ... your wonderful daughter. Now, send a message of love to her with the "Dear Daughter Letter of Love Locket"—a striking jewelry creation as precious as your special bond.

**Exclusive Design ... Exquisite Craftsmanship ...  
with Genuine Diamonds ... Silver and Gold**

Hand-crafted, the pendant features a shimmering sterling silver locket in the shape of a letter. The front of the locket is engraved with the loving greeting "Dear Mom" and is hand-set with a genuine diamond in place of the letter "o". The back of the letter is sealed with a 24k gold-plated heart and a second diamond. Open the locket to reveal another 24k gold-plated heart and the words "I love you more & blessed as the day I was born." The matching solid sterling silver chain is 18" long.

**A Remark** *is available for a limited time only.*

With Certificate of Authenticity and custom engraving, "Dear Daughter Letter of Love Locket" is an exquisite piece of jewelry with a value at \$99\*, and you can pay for it in 4 installments of \$24.75. To reserve your locket—backed by our unconditional 120-day guarantee—send no money now; just fill out and mail the Reservation Application today!

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**LIMITED-TIME OFFER**

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Shown actual size

## RESERVATION APPLICATION

## THE BRADFORD EXCHANGE

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*Yes. Please reserve the "Dear Daughter Letter of Love Locket" for me as described in this announcement.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Mr. Mrs. Ms. \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Please Print Clearly)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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