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**NO FOLLIES?** The Plymouth Community Arts Council still is looking for a director for the 1988 Follies. Friday, May 15, is the deadline the PCAC faces for finding a Follies director. If a director cannot be found by Friday, the 1988 Follies will be cancelled.

**WHO TO CALL:** Developer Robert DeMattia appeared before the Plymouth Township Board recently to obtain final plat approval for the "15 Quonset huts and 15 McDonald's" he's constructing off M-14 between Beck and Ridge roads. DeMattia, who actually is building an expansive technology park, said he cut his vacation short to attend the meeting. He was explaining to board members how he'd been delayed earlier that day at Detroit's Metropolitan Airport.

"It took me two hours to get from the airport to my car. They were feting the county exec. And all over the airport were signs that say, 'If you have airport complaints, call Ed McNamara,'" laughed DeMattia.

There were festivities at Metro that day but McNamara wasn't the focus of them, said Carol Steffanni, McNamara's executive assistant.

"The county executive attended a big inauguration ceremony for Northwest Airline's new non-stop service to Tokyo that morning," she said.

As for the airport signs: "Within the last month, the county executive has made airport services a new priority. I know it's real important to him that the airport be a friendly, service-oriented place. He felt that wasn't happening," Steffanni said.

**WHO ANSWERS:** George Wiland may no longer be employed at 35th District Court but the former court administrator's services still are coming in handy.

The Observer called the court recently, only to hear Wiland's recorded voice saying, "You have reached the 35th District Court. I'm sorry but the court is closed at this time. Regular business hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. . . . " Funny, but it was only 4:25 at the time.

Nearly 20 individuals from as far away as the Upper Peninsula have applied for the court administrator job, to be filled shortly after May 21, said District Judge John McDonald.

**TALES LISTED:** "Tonquish Tales, Vol. 2," by Helen Gilbert of Plymouth, received a complimentary notice in the current edition of Michigan History.

In the March/April edition of the magazine, writer Richard Hathaway gives a summary of nine historical books on Michigan. Referring to Gilbert's work, Hathaway writes: "These well-written, entertaining historical sketches, which first appeared in the author's newspaper column, relate to the French and English colonial period in the Great Lakes area."

**NAMED SCHOLAR:** Holly Quick, seventh grader at Central Middle School and daughter of Jan and Ron Quick of Provincetown Lane in Plymouth, has been chosen from nearly 3,000 nominees to be an Eminent Young Scholar at the Joseph Baldwin Academy in Missouri for three weeks this summer. Her area of study will be German.

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## Olympians compete



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Plymouth Canton High was the site Friday of the track and field competition for the Wayne County Special Olympics. In this photo Michael Pilotto glances back at volunteer Robyn Makowicz for sup-

port as he starts the 440-yard relay — a scene repeated many times during the day. For more photographic coverage of the Special Olympics, see Page 3A.

## City will hire 8 more cops for summer

By Doug Funke  
staff writer

As many as eight additional full-time police officers will be hired by the city of Plymouth to help deal with problems resulting from young people cruising downtown streets.

The officers — who must be certified at the time of employment — could be working within five weeks, said Paul Sincok, assistant to the city manager.

"These new officers will be with the city of Plymouth as long as the problem exists and the city budget can sustain the cost," said Henry Graper, city manager.

It's expected that most, if not all, of the new hires will be laid off by fall. "That will be made clear to all applicants," Sincok said.

Applications are available at the police desk, 201 S. Main.

"We're making contact with police academies and we'll probably be advertising in metropolitan newspapers," Sincok said.

THE POLICE department currently has a roster of 18 sworn officers including the chief.

An additional eight officers on the payroll from mid-June through September would cost about \$65,000, Sincok estimated.

Police Chief Richard Myers declined to say specifically how the new officers would be used other than that most would work weekends and nights.

"We're in the process of procuring now whatever equipment we'll need," he said.

Police have issued a couple of hundred tickets so far this spring to young people, primarily on weekends, for traffic offenses, trespassing and other disorderly conduct charges.

"Obviously the city has a situation that needs some additional attention and we need to be in a position where we can supplement our existing police force with additional manpower," Sincok said.

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## Rotary is cool to admitting women

By M.B. Dillon  
staff writer

A U.S. Supreme Court decision permitting states to order service organizations to accept female members is being greeted with little enthusiasm by area Rotary Club officials.

The ruling — expected to have far-reaching impact in many states, including Michigan — forbade Rotary International from ousting a California chapter because it admitted women.

Justice Lewis Powell, writing for the court, held that Rotary's right to exclude women is outweighed by the state's right to fight sex discrimination.

Rotary counsel William Sutter had

argued that California's law banning discrimination interfered with the constitutional right of freedom of association.

States were left to implement the decision on a case-by-case basis.

LOCAL ROTARY officers are reacting coolly.

"This issue has been on the Rotary International docket year after year," said Larry Oldford, Canton Rotary president.

"Basically in the past it has not passed simply because Rotary is an international club and it has been characteristic that other nations outside of the U.S. have turned it down."

The community service organization has 1 million members in coun-

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## Steel firm locating in Canton

By Diane Gale  
staff writer

A \$17 million steel stamping plant will be the first tenant to break ground in the Canton International Commerce Park, an industrial-commercial site south of Michigan Avenue and west of Haggerty.

The company, to be called ProCoil Corp., will supply steel pieces to General Motors, Ford and Chrysler, as well as Japanese auto firms and auto part suppliers.

The 105,000-square-foot plant will

be on a 15-acre site purchased by Pittsburgh-based National Steel Corp. and Marubeni Corp., a Japanese trading and finance company. Office space will be on 5,000 square feet.

CONSTRUCTION IS expected to start next month and the plant will open sometime between January and March 1988. The plant will employ about 50 people.

The pollution that is often spewed from steel manufacturing companies will not be a problem at this

plant, said Robert Toothman, National Steel director of communications.

"There will be no smoke, and no steam — we're only cutting the steel, not making it," Toothman said.

The company will take steel from coils and press it into various shapes, which will be further designed into parts by the company's customers.

"It will avoid the waste and processing step in the plant," Toothman said.

One of the reasons Canton was chosen for the site is its central loca-

tion between two National Steel companies. They are: Great Lakes Steel in Ecorse, which will manufacture the steel to be used by ProCoil Corp., and Product Application Center in Livonia, which houses employees who work on steel-related problems for National Steel customers, Toothman said.

THE NEARBY I-275 freeway makes Metropolitan Airport and the automotive industry plants it will be serving easy to reach. A railroad line also is close.

## More bus service for handicapped

A subsidized transportation program is now available for handicapped persons in a seven-community consortium including the township and city of Plymouth.

Individual users can ride anywhere within the limits of Livonia, Farmington Hills, Farmington, Northville, Northville Township and both Plymouths for a fare of 50 cents per mile.

That same rate also applies to two sites in Westland — the Northwest Wayne Skill Center and Tri-City Therapeutic Recreation.

There are no age restrictions. "We're really excited about this," said Diane Kimber, administrative assistant in Livonia's Department of Community Resources. She oversees transportation programs for the consortium.

"An aide or spouse travels free with the handicapper," Kimber said.

WHILE OTHER transportation programs of-

fer subsidized rates for handicapped persons, few provide vehicles that can accommodate wheelchairs.

The shuttle service for the handicapped will be provided by Alternative Community Transportation.

To qualify, participants must complete an application from ACT (474-6222) and pay an annual membership fee of \$10.

Rides generally are offered 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. weekdays. Reservations are suggested.

USERS WILL be billed on a weekly basis.

The seven municipalities in the consortium will apply credits provided by state law to help subsidize handicapped riders. Those credits have been used to help subsidize a dial-a-ride taxi shuttle for senior citizens.

That program will continue as the service is reviewed, Kimber said.

But the Plymouth Township Board, dissatisfied with the shuttle taxi service for a variety of reasons, has passed a resolution of intent to take its credits elsewhere starting July 1.

PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP probably will allocate part of its credits to the handicapped program even if it affiliates with the Nankin Transit Commission for other subsidized transportation programs, said Catherine Broadbent, executive assistant to Supervisor Maurice Breen.

"We are part of the consortium until July 1," Broadbent said. "After July 1, we can contract with that (handicapped) service if we want but not contract with dial-a-ride."

"We're still reviewing senior transportation programs and I assume they'll be on the board agenda within 30 days — what to participate in and how much," Broadbent said.

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## HOME AND GARDEN II



SPECIAL SECTION  
IN TODAY'S ISSUE

# Community Fund leaders develop 'Pacesetter' plan

Marcia Buhl and Minnie Johnson are fund campaign leaders this year for the Plymouth Community Fund/United Way.

Buhl, corporate affairs manager of Michigan Bell, has been elected chairperson for the 1987-88 fund drive. Johnson, Plymouth-Canton district manager for National Bank of Detroit, is the vice-chairperson.

The Community Fund also has named division leaders for the coming campaign.

AS CHAIRPERSON, Buhl said her goals are to:

- Increase community awareness of the agencies supported by the Plymouth Community Fund;
- Double the volunteer help for the drive;
- Train more people for leadership roles in the campaign;
- Implement a "Pacesetter" program in an ongoing effort to increase donations for the Plymouth Community Fund/United Way agencies.

Pacesetter is a pre-campaign program designed to spur other firms and employees to dig deeper during the general campaign drive to keep pace, Buhl said.

Pacesetter firms are those that have been supportive in the past but have "growth potential" in their overall contributing.

The concept has been successful in Detroit and Washtenaw County, Buhl said.

Benefits to companies that participate as a Pacesetter include greater employee awareness of community services, increased motivation and recognition, an opportunity to conduct a campaign with increased volunteer support, and identification of a company as a community leader willing to accept a challenge.

Pacesetter companies will be given special recognition and a merit award at the annual kick-off. Buhl and Johnson hope to implement the program with ten firms by Aug. 1.

THIS YEAR'S division leaders are:

- Industry — Jon C. Huneke, plant controller for the Ford Motor Co. Sheldon Road Plant;
- Business — Duke Morrow, vice president of engineering for Multi-Feed Inc., and Kris Rautio, vice president of First of America-Plymouth;



Minnie Johnson  
Vice-Chairperson



Marcia Buhl  
Chairperson

Professional — Beverly Farley, University Circle director at Eastern Michigan University;

Education — Carol Rundio, teacher and president of the Plymouth-Canton Education Association, and Judy Stone, principal of West Middle School;

Government — Pete Pellerito, director of community and state relations, University of Michigan;

Clubs and Foundations — Dr. Greg Ferman, D.O.;

Residential — Ester Powell, Officers of the Plymouth Community Fund Board of Directors are

Fred Hill, president; Mickey Edell-Cotner, vice president, Rautio, secretary; Dr. Donald J. Davies, treasurer.

Board members are: Mary Childs, Gerald Kania, Kenneth Currie, Sy Kernicky, 35th District Judge James Garber, the Rev. John Grenfell Jr., Dennis Siegner and Mary Breen.

Clarence DuCharme is executive director and Marie Morrow administrative assistant.

Correspondence to the Community Fund can be mailed to Plymouth Community Fund/United Way, 595 Forest Avenue, P.O. Box 356, Plymouth 48170; or call 453-6879.

## 'Dreams' is lecture topic

Dr. David Klimek, clinical psychologist, will discuss dreams and creativity at the sixth and final program in a series of lectures sponsored by the Parent Support Group of the Steppingstone Center for Potentially Gifted Children.

The program will begin at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, at the school, which is in the Deiter Recreation Center building at 15525 Sheldon just north of 5 Mile in Northville. His topic will be "Dreams, Symbols and the Development of Creativity."

Klimek specializes in psychotherapy with children, adolescents, families and adults.

He also does speeches, workshops and seminars on various topics such as marriage, mate selection, parent-child relationships, parenting the

gifted child and the process of successful living.

Klimek has made frequent guest appearances on radio and television shows, and does ongoing research that results in publication of a book-length manuscript every five years.

A question-answer period will follow Klimek's lecture, and then refreshments and general discussion. Admission is \$3 per person or \$5 a couple. The meeting is open to the public.

Steppingstone was founded in 1981 in response to needs in the Plymouth-Canton area but also serves families of Livonia, Westland, Novi and Southgate.

The Parent Support Group was formed in the spring of 1986 to share ideas and experiences of raising gifted children.

# Festival schedule is set

By Diane Gale  
staff writer

A lot of people were disappointed last year when the annual parade was removed from the lineup of the Canton Country Festival.

But the cherished event is high-stepping back onto the roster this year.

Clowns, floats, antique vehicles and bands including Celtic and Scottish groups are scheduled to begin marching 11 a.m. Saturday, June 13.

The parade will assemble at the Meijer Thrifty Acres parking lot on Ford Road and Canton Center Road and proceed east to the Rose Shores Racquet Club on Ford just west of Haggerty.

The festival will be held the following weekend — June 19-21.

This year will be a whole new festival — old events have been canned and new events added.

"We're trying to make it more interesting and add more events and make it worthwhile," said Sue Fannin, Canton Country Festival board publicity chairwoman.

THE HIGHLY controversial Cow Chip Fling was flung off the agenda this year, Fannin said.

In past years this event had a group of supporters promoting the event. Others argued the idea stunk — maintaining it gave Canton a bad image.

The carnival will be put on by Pugh Shows this year — replacing Wade Shows. It will run Friday through Sunday at the Canton Rec-

reation Complex on Canton Center and Proctor.

Here's what the Canton Country Festival roster tentatively looks like:

### FRIDAY, June 19

- 6 p.m. — 2 a.m. Millionaire's Party
- 8 p.m. — Midnight Rock & Roll, Battle of the Bands

### SATURDAY, June 20:

- 9 a.m. — Five Mile Run
- Noon — Horse Shoe Tournament
- Noon to 1 p.m. — Dance Demonstration by La Dance Studio
- 1-2 p.m. — Kiddie Pet Show (ages 5-10)
- 2-3 p.m. — Clown & Magic Show
- 3-4 p.m. — Rock & Roll Band

— Penny Scramble sponsored by Beginner's Inn (children ages 1-5)

— Diaper Derby (the baby who crawls to his/her mother first wins)

— Husband Calling Contest

— Watermelon Eating Contest (ages 13-19)

• 5-7 p.m. — Swat Team Demonstration

• 7 p.m. — Karate Demonstration

• 8 p.m. to midnight — D.J. Dance — George Gardell

**'We're trying to make it more interesting and add more events and make it worthwhile.'**

— Sue Fannin  
publicity chairwoman

• 3 p.m. - 2 a.m. — Millionaire's Party

### Sunday, June 21:

- 11 a.m. Golf Scramble — Fellows Creek Golf Course
- noon to 5 p.m. — Tug O' War
- 2-2:45 p.m. — Calico Banjo Band
- 3-5 p.m. — Detroit Blue Grass Band

For more information about the events, call Canton Township Hall at 397-1000 and ask for the recreation department.

Arts and Crafts exhibitors also will be available for viewing.

Board members are looking for more members, as well as more participation during the festival — especially people willing to work on the concession and meal stands, Fannin said.

Dave Bone, who is on the special events and entertainment committee, is looking for acts to perform during the festival. If you are interested, call Bone at 981-2657.

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## Charges are filed in theft from victim

A warrant for the arrest of a Wayne County Medical examiner employee was issued last week involving alleged stolen jewelry from the body of a Canton Township suicide victim.

Canton Township Police received a warrant for the arrest of a Detroit man who worked for the Wayne County Medical Examiner, according to Dave Boljesic, Canton Police information officer.

The charge is one count of embezzlement of more than \$100, he said. A \$2,300 ring and \$300 pendant were reported missing.

The alleged stolen jewelry was worn by a 31-year-old woman, who committed suicide April 25 in her Canton home. It was determined the jewelry was missing April 27.

Canton police investigated the case with the Wayne County Medical Examiner's investigators office and a warrant was obtained May 5.

The arrest had not been made by May 8.

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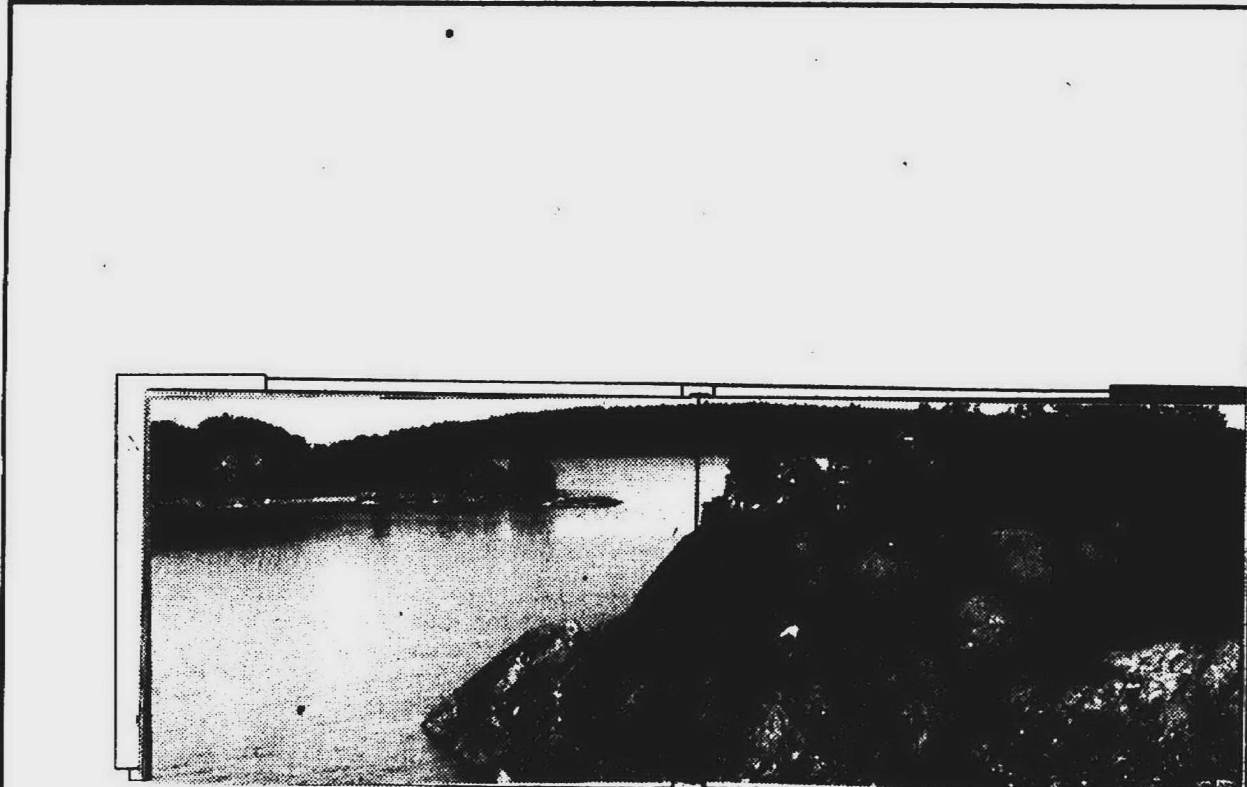
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# Every athlete can win here

**S**OME 200 athletes gathered Friday at Plymouth Canton High School for the Wayne County Special Olympic Games.

Special Olympics is a year-round program of physical fitness, sports training and athletic competition for mentally retarded children and adults. Nationally more than 1 million mentally impaired individuals participate each year in Special Olympics.

The major difference between these games and other sports programs is that every athlete has an equal chance to win. No participant goes unrecognized or unrewarded.

Mentally impaired people age 6 and older are eligible to participate; there is no upper age limit. The International Special Olympics are held every four years.

Each year in June from each county in Michigan some 2,000 olympians participate in the summer

games of Central Michigan University. In Michigan, Special Olympics started in 1982 at Western Michigan University. Since then 25 counties in Michigan have developed local programs for more than 27,000 mentally impaired adults and children.

For Plymouth Canton, special financial support was received this year with a \$700 contribution from employees at Kroger's in Ann Arbor. Coach May Kay Barr also credits Fox-Hills Chrysler-Plymouth and Demary Ford with being important supporters of Special Olympics.

Wayne County Special Olympics have been developed and organized through the Wayne, Westland, Livonia, Plymouth-Canton, Dearborn and Dearborn Heights Civitan Clubs. Plymouth-Canton Civitans hosted the 1987 games.

Special Olympics is known for its oath: "Let me win, but if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt."



Runners leave the starting line of the 50-meter dash.



Tony Witt heads for the finish line in the 50-meter run.

Staff photos  
by Bill Bresler



Lonnie King competes in the softball throw as volunteer Loretta Poshadlo watches.

## brevities

### DEADLINES

Announcements for Brevities should be submitted by noon Monday for the Thursday issue and by noon Thursday for the Monday issue. Bring in or mail announcements to the Observer, 489 S. Main, Plymouth 48170.

### PLYMOUTH LIBRARY MEETING

Monday, May 11 — Plymouth Library Board will meet at the Dunning-Hough Library at 7:30 p.m. for its regular monthly meeting. The meeting is open to the public.

### MONEY MANAGEMENT

Tuesday, May 12 — A Successful Money Management Seminar will be held from 6:30 to 10 p.m. on Tuesdays for three weeks in the Plymouth Community Family YMCA office at 248 Union, Plymouth. The fee is \$29 for an individual, \$39 for a couple.

### MEMORY WORKSHOP

Thursday, May 12 — A memory workshop to help senior citizens remember plans, schedules and important activities is being offered by the Plymouth Community Council on Aging from 2-4 p.m. at the Plymouth Cultural Center. Elizabeth Shuster, gerontologist at Eastern Michigan University, will discuss the problem of memory and provide answers and tips on forgetfulness and memory lapses.

### EAST PARENT GROUP

Wednesday, May 13 — "Adolescent Depression and Teenage Suicide" is the topic at the meeting of the East Middle School Parent Support Group beginning at 10 a.m. in the library. Speakers will be Nancy Britton, Jay Callahan and Gary Risbridger. The discussion will end with suggestions of how to deal with this issue. The meeting is open to the public.

### 'BUDDY' POPPY SALE

Thursday-Sunday, May 14-16 — Mayflower-Lt Gamble VFW Post 6695 of Plymouth will be selling "Buddy Poppies" in the Plymouth community. Veteran Buddy Poppies are assembled by disabled veterans in hospitals throughout the U.S. Funds raised through Buddy Poppy sales by VFW posts and auxiliaries are used exclusively to aid veterans and their dependents.

Members of the American Legion Passage-Gayde Post 391 will be on the streets May 14 offering Veteran Poppies to residents. Donations received are used for local veterans who are in need of assistance. More than 1,300 children of veterans have been or are being cared for in the

VFW National Home in Eaton Rapids, Mich. A portion of the cost is raised through the annual Buddy Poppy Sale.

### CARRIAGE HILLS GARAGE SALE

Thursday-Saturday, May 14-16 — Carriage Hills Homeowners Association will have a subdivision garage sale.

### GUILD GARAGE SALE

Thursday, May 14 — The Oakwood Canton Health Center Volunteer Guild is sponsoring a one-day garage sale under the tent at Warren and Canton Center roads from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Proceeds will go toward the new mammography unit at Oakwood Canton Health Center.

### BLOOD CROSS BLOODMOBILE

The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be accepting donations of blood at the following locations:

Friday, May 15 — From 1-7 p.m. at K mart, Ann Arbor Road at Haggerty in Plymouth. For an appointment call Bob McLaughlin or Dennis Dely at 455-5000.

Friday, May 15 — From noon to 6 p.m. Plymouth-Canton school employees at 650 Church, Plymouth. For an appointment call Dick Egli at 451-3188 or Dr. John Hoben at 451-3140.

### LANGUAGE CONFERENCE

Michigan Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages will hold its Bilingual Education 1987 Spring Conference from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the Plymouth Hilton Inn. Public is welcome.

### YOUTH SYMPHONY CONCERT

Sunday, May 17 — Livonia Youth Symphony will have its final series concert of the season beginning 1:30 p.m. at Orchestra Hall, Detroit. Canadian violinists Scott and Lara St. John will be featured performers. Tickets are \$6 for adults, \$3 for senior citizens and students.

### 'SEEING MICHIGAN'

Wednesday, May 20 — The annual meeting of the Friends of the Plymouth Dunning-Hough Library will feature "Seeing Michigan," a sesquicentennial slide presentation by photographer, lecturer, instructor Joseph Messana beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the Plymouth Cultural Center. Admission is \$3 at the door or by a Friends membership card. No charge for students.

Messana will take viewers on a journey to many parts of the state on its 150th birthday to view points of

interest, historical and modern works of architecture and sculpture, the Mackinac Bridge and Mackinac Island, Tahquamenon Falls, Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore, historic Fayette, historic lighthouses, and visits in Petoskey, Traverse City, Harbor Springs, Grand Rapids, Holland, Kalamazoo, Lansing and Frankenmuth.

### DENTAL CARE

Wednesday, May 20 — Plymouth dentist Dr. Patrick Houlihan, a graduate of the University of Michigan and University of Detroit Dental College, will give a talk to parents from 10:30 to 11 a.m. about the importance of dental care for the small child. Houlihan will discuss how to select a dentist, at what age to begin taking a child to the dentist, techniques of good oral hygiene, what to do in dental emergencies and advances in dentistry. To register call the library at 453-0750.

### EXPECTANT ADOPTIVE PARENTS

Friday, May 22 — A series of four Expectant Adoptive Parent Classes will be offered at 7 p.m. in Botsford Hospital, Farmington Hills. The classes, for families waiting to adopt an infant up to age 2, will provide information on the physical care of an infant, growth and development, selecting infant clothes and accessories, common infant health problems, and child safety. To register or for information call Terry or Jim Alor of Plymouth, directors, at 459-7383.

### FIEGLE FESTIVAL

Thursday, May 28 — Fiegle Elementary School will hold its Festival and Ice Cream Social 5-9 p.m. The festival will offer games, prizes, rides, balloons, hot dogs and ice cream. Fiegle is on Joy Road just east of I-275. Tickets at four for \$1 will be sold at the door.

### PSYCHIC TALK

Thursday, May 28 — An Evening With a Psychic will be presented from 7-10 p.m. in Room B101 of West Middle School, Sheldon and Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, by the Plymouth Community Family YMCA. Psychic Diane Martina will speak about psychic phenomena and how it is alive in each of us. The program will include a group "visualization" trip and psychic answers to questions about personal experience.

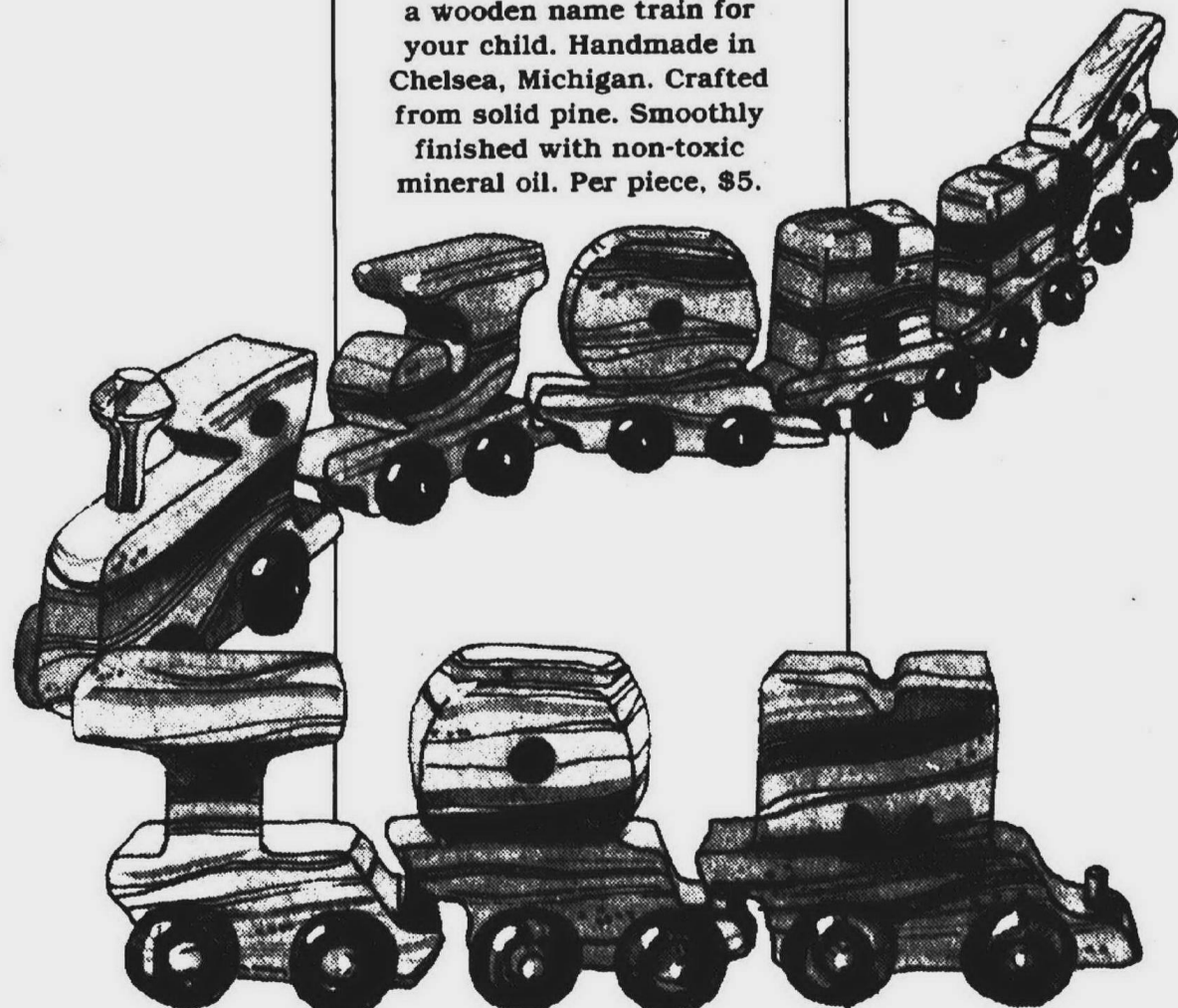
### SANDBOX FILL

Saturday, May 30 — The Plymouth Jaycees is holding its annual Sandbox Fill through May 30. The price of sand is \$3.50 per wheelbarrow delivered to the home. For more information or to place orders call 453-7868 after 3:30 p.m.

## the Young individualists

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**TOPS IN ARTS:** Shannon Silye, a student at Plymouth Salem High School, is among top high school seniors recognized for their ability in the performing arts by the Michigan Youth Arts Festival Board and the Detroit News. Silye, honored for performances in high school theater, was among students statewide showcased in the Michigan Youth Arts Festival May 8-10 at Western Michigan University.

**EMPLOYEES HONORED:** Employees who have served St. Mary Hospital for more than 10 years will be honored Wednesday at the second

annual awards banquet in the Madonna College Dining Hall. Michael Burns of Plymouth, chairman of the St. Mary Board of Trustees, will serve as master of ceremonies. Among the employees eligible for their 20-year awards are Shirley Tavis of Plymouth. Fifteen-year award recipients include Gladys Gyorko, Mary Stratton, Anna Yuen and Dian Zyika from Plymouth, and Alvis Tutor of Canton. The 10-year award recipients include: Clara Aldrich, Gary Cifaldi, Nancy Fabbri, Joanne Finazzi, Judith Knight, Dorothy Kontas and Sally Monroe of Plymouth; Lester Borromeo, Bruce Gorie, James King and Dawn Lang of Canton.

# Rotarians cool to court ruling

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tries throughout the free world. "The decision in the past has been not to admit female members... so I at this time don't see where there are going to be any changes made," said Charles Olson, Plymouth Rotary president-elect. "As far as I know, any wives of Rotarians are automatically Rotary Annes. I haven't heard of any of them that decided that they wanted to be a Rotarian."

**JUDY MORGAN** is outgoing president of the 150-member Plymouth Rotary Annes, one of the most active Rotary auxiliary clubs in the state. "Because we are the counterpart

of Rotary, we really don't see a need for women being in Rotary," said Morgan.

"I would hate to see it taken on as a crusade. Certainly both groups do worthwhile things for the community."

"I hope this doesn't discourage anyone from joining."

The Rotary Annes raise and donate money to community groups such as the Plymouth Community Fund and Straight Inc. The Canton Rotary Annes disbanded last year after interest dwindled.

**Oldford.** "I don't really have a hang-up about women getting in or getting out of community clubs like this. But I think on the surface of things it's like me wanting to be a member of the La Leche League."

Olson hesitated "to speak for the whole club, but Rotary is one of only a few clubs where it's all men. Women have their clubs, so I don't know, I just think it's a general feeling that you'd like to have things left alone."

**MURRAY ELDER** of Canton, Ro-

tary District 600 governor-elect for an area encompassing metropolitan Detroit and Essex County in Ontario, has mixed feelings.

"I really haven't had to decide. I work very closely with a number of women who are extremely competent in their field. If they can provide the time and effort and meet Rotary qualifications that the men meet — and we don't accept every man — there's no reason they wouldn't be a credit to their community and club," Elder said.

# City will hire more cops

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**AN AGREEMENT** with the city's police union will enable the new officers to be scheduled for eight-hour rather than 12-hour shifts. Otherwise, the hires will be covered by provisions of the city/police labor contract now in effect.

Entry level salary is \$15,740 annually, jumping to \$16,380 as of July 1.

Graper had talked about hiring part-time officers earlier this spring, but that plan apparently was modified when the union expressed concerns.

"He (Graper) has the support of the city commission on this project," Sincoc said.

The commission will have the opportunity to show that support for the record by approving budget amendments if actual departmental expenses exceed projections.

The first court appearance dates for tickets issued during cruise-ins this spring were last Friday and this Monday and Tuesday.

At that time, defendants are formally charged and explained their rights to a lawyer and a trial.

A guilty plea during arraignment could result in immediate sentencing, said Ronald Lowe, city attorney.

Otherwise, sentencing will await a background report.

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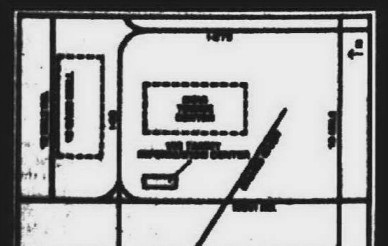


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# Beard balks at hospital sale

By Wayne Pool  
staff writer

Wayne County Commissioners ended more than a century of county-administered health care Thursday by approving Westland Medical Center's sale to a private hospital consortium.

County medical care dates back at least as far as 1881, when the first physician was hired to administer the county asylum.

Rising health costs and a county debt estimated at \$300 million prompted the change, supporters said.

Even though the county is bound by its charter to provide health care, programs will be "outsourced" to private health care agencies.

A consortium including Garden City Osteopathic, Oakwood and Southwest Detroit hospitals and the five-member People's Community Hospital Authority will pay \$7.5 million for the 25-year-old Westland site. Southwest Detroit has leased the center since 1984. Westland Medical Center is the former Wayne County General Hospital.

Wayne County Commissioners approved the sale 11-2.

"We're very pleased," assistant county executive Michael Duggan said. "We're particularly pleased such an overwhelming number of commissioners voted for it."

A four-year agreement with the new owners on indigent health care



was the key to the sale, according to Duggan.

"There's no doubt it was critical," he said.

Indigent services once provided at the Westland Center will now be divided among consortium hospitals. The new owners seek to double the center's 46-bed mental health care unit.

Not everyone was pleased with the sale. Commissioner Kay Beard, D-Inkster warned it could prove "the biggest, most regrettable mistake" in commission history.

"I implore you to look at the facts,

to reject this contract and to regain and retain our county hospital," said Beard, whose district includes Westland and Garden City.

But other commissioners said the county's estimated \$200 million debt makes it impossible to re-establish the Westland Center as a full-service hospital.

"We just can't afford it," Commissioner Susan Heintz, R-Northville, said. Heintz, who represents Livonia, Plymouth and Plymouth Township, has proposed creating a countywide health maintenance organization

(HMO) to cover future health care needs.

Commissioner Milton Mack, D-Wayne, a 10-year member of the People's Community Hospital board, obtained from voting.

"I don't believe it was a conflict of interest, but it might have given that impression," said Mack, who represents Canton Township.

Mack said he favored the sale. "My feeling is it's a very good agreement for the people of Wayne County," he said.

Commissioner Richard Manning, D-Redford, was absent from Thursday's meeting. Manning criticized the sale during committee review sessions. He also said county officials needed at least two more weeks to sort through alternatives.

Beard, the most outspoken sale critic, said the county should retain the site for AIDS patients. She also suggested re-establishing a trauma center for major emergencies and wondered aloud whether indigents would be turned away from consortium hospitals.

Commissioner Curt Boller, D-Trenton, joined Beard in voting against the sale.

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**Ann Arbor Summer Festival 87**

# Condo corridor

## Development called response to demand

By M.L.B. Dillon  
staff writer

The Edward Hines Park corridor, once the province of recreation seekers, bunny rabbits and birds, is becoming the stronghold of condo commandos.

One of the newest projects is Meadow Hill Condominiums — a \$3.5 million complex under construction ¼ mile east of the park on Wilcox Road.

Of the 34 units, only four remain unsold. The \$100,000, ranch-style condominiums feature basements, first-floor laundry rooms and two-car, attached garages.

All units include two bedrooms, two baths, great rooms with cathedral ceilings and wood windows.

Each has a private entry off a wooden deck.

THE PROLIFERATION of condominium development in Plymouth Township comes in response to local demand, said Jim Anulewicz, township planning director.

"I think one of the things we're finding, and we get requests constantly, is that there a number of people who've lived in the community for a considerable period of time who would like to maintain a residence in the township but have reached the period in their life where they don't want to maintain a rather large structure and site that normally goes with it," Anulewicz said.

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"These are the people who are looking for the kind of living you may find in a condo project."

The first Meadow Hill residents moved in Thursday. The remainder should be unpacking between now and August, according to developer and Plymouth Township firefighter Clayton Miller. Other Meadow Hill developers are Dawn Miller, (wife of Clayton Miller) and Plymouth businessmen Kal Jabara and Dave Phipps.

It's the Millers' first foray into development.

"We were looking for one acre to build eight condominiums on, when we found this six-acre site," said Clayton Miller. The group purchased the land, valued at \$40,000 per acre, from Drs. Cliff McClumpha and Richard Kirchgatter. The doctors staff Parkway Veterinary Clinic, which neighbors the site.

The new condos have brought some jobs to Plymouth. Architects for the modified colonial complex are R.G. Myers and Associates of Plymouth. R.O. Scramstad and Associates of Plymouth are the project engineers.

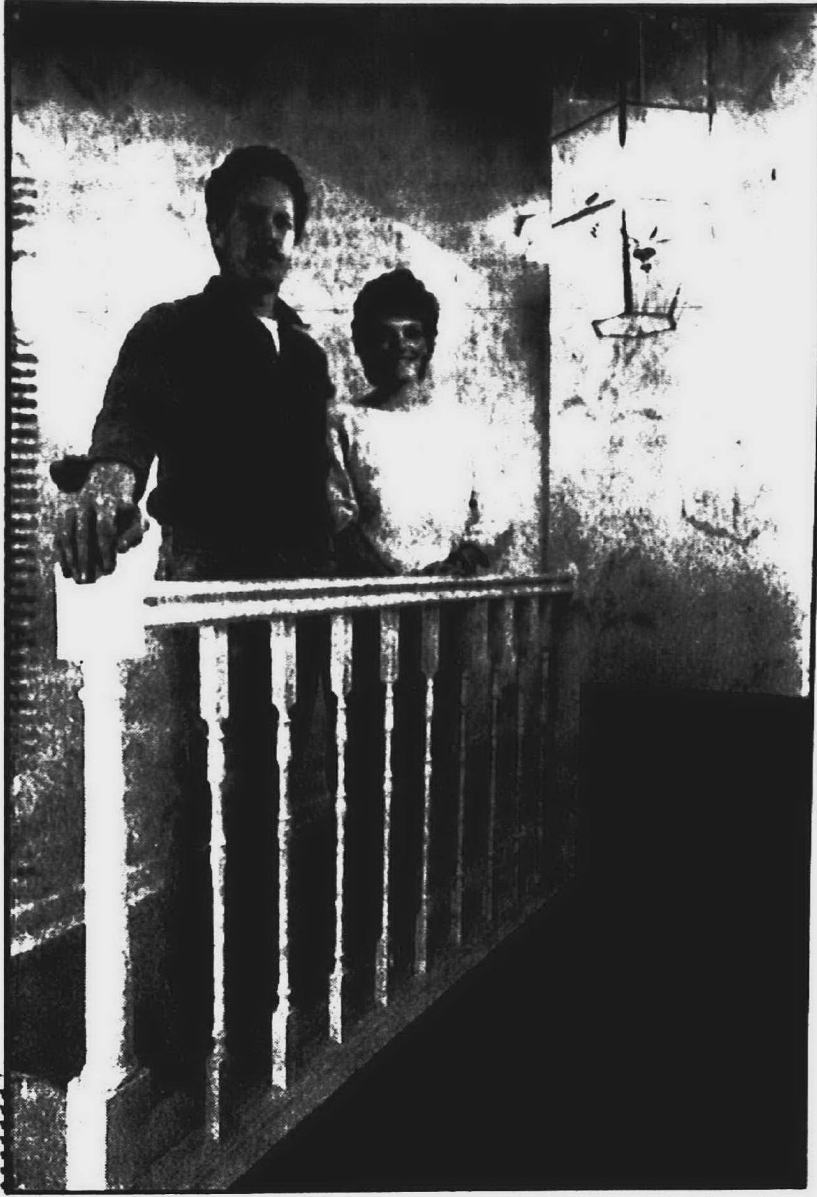
substantially a single-family residential community.

"If there are certain objectives to be reached of benefit to the community — such as retention of wood lot areas or residences in locations that otherwise would produce more intense zoning classifications such as commercial and office — then we probably will see (more condo development)."

THE TOWNSHIP has yet to reach its condominium saturation point, said Anulewicz.

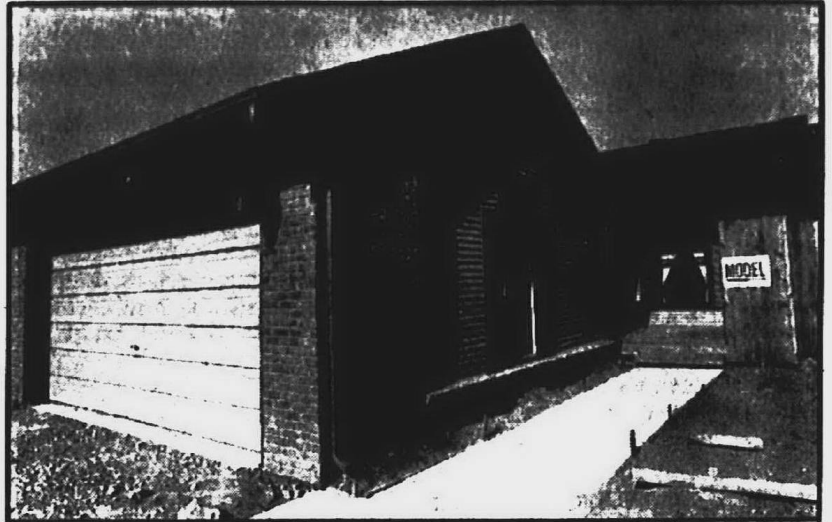
"I think the community has said over a period of time, and in their zoning ordinance, that we're going to look at the community as being

"We're looking for a good mixture of housing units with a majority falling in the single-family class," Anulewicz said.



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Clayton and Dawn Miller show some of the decor features in one of the units on Wilcox Road.



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# Exam day: Students give Rouge a test

By Wayne Peal  
staff writer

Erin English took a look at the green-brown river that slowly flowed beneath her feet.

"It looks sick," she said. But Jason and Grant Patterson could think of a place where the Rouge River looked even worse.

"We're originally from Detroit and there, you've got tires and all kinds of debris in the river," Jason said. "This doesn't look too bad."

Determining where Rouge pollution is worst — and best — was the goal last Thursday. The three science students were among more than 500 high schoolers who took samples from the environmentally damaged river.

STUDENTS from Wayne and Oakland counties participated.

Donning gloves, Erin and the Patterson brothers drew water while their Redford Union classmates analyzed contamination levels in their samples.

The scene was repeated from Birmingham to Plymouth as students from Detroit Country Day, Garden City, Livonia Churchill, North Farmington, Plymouth-Salem, Southfield, Troy Athens and eight other high

## Rouge Rescue '87 is set for Saturday, June 6.

schools also sampled the Rouge in their communities.

Results will be entered into the University of Michigan's massive computer system, providing a first-ever index of contamination levels at various points along the Rouge.

ALL HIGH schools in M and the Detroit Water Dept. will all have access to the computerized data. Students will be able to ask each other questions through the computer, Friends of the Rouge Director Bonnie Anderson said.

Selected students from each school will also meet for a face-to-face discussion May 16.

"It will get the kids to communicate about a resource they all share," Anderson said. "We'll have kids from Troy talking with kids from River Rouge. Obviously, there's differences in the river between those communities. So they'll be asking questions about why it's different and what they can do to change it."

WHILE UPSTREAM areas are

only mildly contaminated, some downriver sites are clogged with bubbling, black waste, Anderson said.

Last week's event precedes the Saturday, June 6, Rouge Rescue '87. On that day, an expected 5,000 volunteers will clear debris from the river and its banks.

Friends of the Rouge believes the sampling and clean-up projects will help spur government support for new sewers and expanded treatment plants.

"It's important for people to realize they can make a difference, not only by participating but by becoming better educated about the river," Anderson said. Toward that end, Friends of the Rouge recently received an \$80,000 donation from Ford Motor Division. Anderson said \$30,000 will be earmarked for education programs.

Cleanup won't be accomplished in a day or even a decade, Friends of the Rouge members concede. But they hope today's high schoolers will someday return as adults to use the Rouge for recreation.

"We projected it would take 20 years to clean up the Rouge," Anderson said. "And in 20 years, guess who the decision makers are going to be."



Grant Patterson (left) and Erin English were among area high school students who tested Rouge River water quality last week. Their

data will be transmitted to the University of Michigan computer system for further analysis.

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# Monument maker among local businessmen in 1916

One of the most prominent community residents in 1916, the year the Plymouth Mail published its special Booster Edition, sold monuments to mark graves.

William H. Hoyt, a part of the business scene here for the preceding 44 years, owned the Plymouth Monument Works which he established on Main Street in 1870, a year before the railroads came to town.

A 1904 map shows that Hoyt owned three pieces of property on Main Street. One faced the high school, one was at what is now the corner of Main and Church streets, and the third was opposite today's public library. Because the latter two backed up to the old cemetery that stood behind the Presbyterian Church until 1915, one can assume that Hoyt exhibited his monuments on one of those lots.

In 1911, when Presbyterians were looking for a lot close to the church on which to build a new manse for the Rev. B.F. Farber and his bride, church member Hoyt sold them his Lot 192 at 178 N. Main for \$750.

The manse occupied that spot until 1936 when the church was de-

stroyed by fire. The manse was then moved to Church Street and located behind the new church building.

Hoyt was active in politics at the local, county and state level. He was Plymouth Township Supervisor for five terms, from 1891 to 1896 (when the township included all of what is now Northville Township). He served the village of Plymouth as president and a member of the council, and for more than 20 years was a member of the cemetery committee.

Hoyt also served as chairman of the Wayne County Republican Committee. For six years he was a member of the State Tax Commission, of which he was chairman for two years. He also was president of the Masonic Building Association and of the Business Men's Club.

**THE OLDEST** retail store in Plymouth in 1916 was Gayde's, established in 1870 in north village by Peter Gayde.

Gayde was dead by 1916 and the store was being run by two of his sons, Albert and Edward Gayde. Peter Gayde had served on the board of education. Edward Gayde was a

member of the Michigan Legislature in 1914.


The Mail declared that the Gayde brothers were "real live boosters for Plymouth and every movement that spells progress for the village will find them with their shoulders to the wheel."

Gayde's was the oldest store in 1916 but the merchant with the longest continuous service was John L. Gale. Gale had a pharmacy and grocery store at the corner of Main and Penniman where the National Bank of Detroit is now located.

Gale had been in business here for 46 years when the Booster Edition appeared.

A registered pharmacist, when he was 21 he had bought out Dr. Coleman's interest in the store, and taken an active interest in local affairs. He had served on the village council and was treasurer of the Masonic Building Association.

Along with the pharmaceuticals, Gale carried a line of groceries including Chase and Sanborn's teas and coffees and "Detroit bread." He also sold wallpaper, school supplies, garden and field seeds, china and



past and present  
**Sam Hudson**

glassware. His advertisement in the Mail's special issue indicated that orders of \$5 or more would be delivered within a radius of three or four miles.

Gale either had excess space in this store, or went out of business shortly after the special issue of the Mail appeared. For whatever reason, after the fire that destroyed Plymouth High School on March 30, 1916, John Gale's store served as a study hall and restroom for students after school resumed in the fall. Gale's corner later became the home of the Plymouth United Savings Bank, followed by NBD.

**ANOTHER GROCER**, D.A. Jolliffe and Son, was located in a brick building on Main Street, opposite to-

day's City Hall. In the 1950s, the ground floor of the building was occupied by Orin Scrimger's barber shop. The building was built in 1909 by the elder Jolliffe who took his son, Robert, as partner. D.A., who had served on the village commission, sold men's clothing in addition to groceries.

The firm's advertisement in the Mail in 1916 offered all-wool, tailor-made suits for \$13. Jolliffe's also carried the Edisco line of made-to-order suits "for more expensive buyers."

Also on Main Street was the Carney and Mills Grocery Store. In addition to fancy and staple groceries, the firm carried china, glassware, stationery and school supplies. The store promised to deliver your order

any hour of the day. Frank Rambo's Central Meat Market was located on Penniman Avenue. Rambo, who opened his shop in 1912, had four employees in addition to himself. He sold "tender, juicy steaks; strictly fresh fish; old-fashioned sausage that tastes like sausage; and frankfurts like they used to make." Rambo suggested that farmers who had anything in the meat line to sell should contact him.

**BROWN AND** Pettingill, whose slogan was "The White Front Grocery," also advertised in the Mail's Booster Edition.

The firm offered groceries, fine teas and coffees and "oysters in season."

Senior member of the firm was C.C. Brown. The junior partner, W.T. Pettingill, had served as a member of the village council.

Pettingill was among those who promoted free band concerts and moving picture shows on the streets during the summer to attract people into the village center.

(To be continued.)

# Washington struggles to drive French from Ohio Valley

A rough, hazardous footpath ran along the riverbank into the beautiful valley between the mountainous passes.


This ancient Indian trail stretched for hundreds of miles from Wills Creek (now Cumberland, Pa.) to the little stockade at the forks the British were trying to build.

It is April 18, 1754, and 44 discouraged Virginia militiamen have surrendered their frail stockade to an army of about 800 French and Indians from the fort at d'Etroit, and the other French enclaves from here to Montreal. (For more details about this phase of the struggle, read *Tonquish Tales* in the Observer March 26).

**ENSIGN EDWARD WARD** had a humbling story to tell when he and most of his 40 men straggled in to Washington's bivouac near Great Plains.

Ward had two documents to deliver. He put as good a face on the defeat as he could, stressing that the British were outnumbered 100 to one. This was an exaggeration. (Actual evidence indicates that the French numbered about 500, and they were supported by perhaps as many as 300 Indians).

Ward said that the French had 300 canoes that held four men each and 80 batteaux, and they had 18 cannon including three nine-pounders on



Tonquish tales  
**Helen Gilbert**

swivels — a modern weapon in 1754. Ward added that they had no choice, no option. Surrender was inevitable. Washington agreed, and congratulated him for getting out alive.

Washington may have mentioned last year's trip to Fort LeBoeuf with Christopher Gist when they found more than 200 French canoes hidden away in a cove near the fort. (For the story of this discovery read *Chapter 24 of Tonquish Tales*, Vol. 2.)

Boeuf, as you probably know, means beef in French but Fort LeBoeuf did not mean acres of Holsteins, Guernseys, and Herfords. The beef referred to was buffalo meat. Thousands of buffalo roamed in the Middle West. They were not as plentiful as they were on the plains of the far west, but they were a common sight in Michigan and Ohio in those early days.

Clothing and blankets made from buffalo skins were prized by both settlers and Indians. It also is interesting to note that at the initiation of Chief Tongah, a successor to Chief

Tonquish, buffalo stew was one of the delicacies served at the feast. The story of the "Green Corn Ceremony" for Telonga or Tongah is told in Chapter 4 of the book *Tonquish Tales*, Vol. One.

**WASHINGTON MUST** have been pleased to hear from Ward of his old Seneca friend Half King or Chief Monakaduto as he was named by his Seneca tribe. (He was called Half-King because his royal title was shared with another Iroquoian Chief).

According to Ward, Half-King shouted his defiance of the French as he marched out of the burning fort. Shaking his fist at the young French commanding officer Coulon de Villiers, named Jumonville.

Born and bred in St. Joseph, Mich., where his father had been commandant of Fort St. Joseph near Niles, young Jumonville was one of the brightest and most energetic young officers in the French command. He regarded Half-King as a dirty, insolent old Indian who had sold out to

the British, and he was not surprised when Half-King shouted at him.

Several historians of this era claim that Half-King yelled at Jumonville as he walked out: "I ordered this fort built and I laid the first log of it. By my God, Deganwidi, I shall walk this way again and I will build here again. Damnation to you!" Or words to that effect.

Upon hearing this, Washington exclaimed, "Good for him!" And he added, "I shall write him words of encouragement."

Washington sent a carefully worded letter to Half-King in which he said, "This young man will inform you where he found a small part of our army making toward you, clearing the roads for a great number of our warriors, who are ready to follow us, with our great guns, our ammunitions and provisions."

Washington signed his name and added the Indian title Half-King had given him, "Caunotaucarius" meaning the brave and resolute one.

Washington was bluffing and he knew it. It rained almost every day, and torrents rushing down the mountainside washed out some of the road they had struggled to build. Quarrels broke out among the men.

The rate of pay for the regular troops differed from that of the volunteers, and in as much as they were all doing the same work, the pay rate was a constant bone of conten-

tion. There were troublemakers in the camp who balked at doing anything until the governor settled the issue.

Washington settled this problem by separating them from the others and told them to stay with Ensign Ward until they heard from Williamsburg. Most of them, after a few days behind the lines, departed. This was an educational but disillusioning experience for the 22-year-old Washington.

**IN THE MIDST** of the gloom word came that North Carolina was sending 350 men, 200 more were coming from Maryland.

Although the Quakers of Pennsylvania would not furnish soldiers they would contribute 10,000 pounds — a large sum for those days. Governor Shirley promised to march 600 troops to harass the French in Quebec.

And a letter came from Half-King. It was an amazing document. Written in English by the Irishman John Davison, whose translations always bore the sound of County Cork, it read:

"To the forist, His Majesties Commander Offiververs to hom this meay concern: On acct' of a french army to meat Miger Georg Wassonitton therefore my Brotheres I desir you to be awar of them tor deisain' to strik yet forist English they see ten days since they marchd I cannot tell

what number the half-King and the rest of the Chiefs will be with you in five days to counsel, no more at present but five my serves to my Brothers the English."

This was a clear warning and also evidence of the Indian's loyalty. Washington was much encouraged by the good news of more support on the way and he trusted Half-King's warning. In a day or two he went with a scouting party in an effort to get a glimpse of the French but they were not found.

When he returned Washington settled down to write a letter to Williamsburg. He mentioned Half-King's warning letter, and the reports that French had been seen from time to time approaching the Great Meadows area where the British were camped. He asked for a few hundred pounds of goods sent to him because they would "tend more to our interest than a lump sum given at a treaty."

He added, "I have been paying in ruffled shirts for what they have done and I can not continue to do so."

Christopher Gist started back to Wills Creek with this letter as a heavy spring rain settled down on the Great Meadows. About 9 o'clock that evening an Indian runner known as Silverheels ran into the camp with some startling news for George Washington — news that would ultimately change the face of the globe.



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### MICHIGAN CUE CLUB

The Michigan Cue Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. May 12 in St. John Neumann Catholic Church on Warren between Sheldon and Canton Center roads in Canton. The group meets the second Tuesday of each month to promote the continued use of cued speech.

### ON MEDICARE

A special McAuley MediCare Information Session is being presented for residents of Plymouth and Canton at 2 p.m. Wednesday, May 13, in the Arbor Health Building in Plymouth. For a reservation call 747-9410.

### OSTEOPOROSIS

"Osteoporosis: The Bone Thief" will be the focus of a free women's health presentation from 10:30-11:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 13, at Tohquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan, Plymouth. Sponsored by Catherine McAuley Health Center, the program will look at osteoporosis (a softening of the bone most common in older women). There will be information about prevention and treatment. Free blood pressure screening will be from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

### COPING WITH ILEITIS

"Coping with Ileitis (Crohn's disease) and Ulcerative Colitis" will be the topic of a four-week mutual self-help program from 7-9 p.m. Wednesday, May 13, in Plymouth. Sponsored by the Michigan Chapter, National Foundation for Ileitis & Colitis, the program is open to inflammatory bowel disease patients, their families and other interested persons. Advance registration is necessary and may be made by calling 424-8656.

### BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

Catherine McAuley Health Center will offer free high blood pressure screening tests during May in observance of National High Blood Pressure Month. Free hypertension screening will be offered from 10

a.m. to 3 p.m. Thursday, May 14, at Standard Federal bank at 4660 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, and Monday, May 18, at First Federal of Michigan at 41401 Ford Road, Canton.

### SPEECH DEVELOPMENT

Tuesday, May 19 - The speech therapy department of Oakwood Canton Health Center will sponsor a free parent lecture on "Speech Development of Your Child" from 7-9 p.m. To preregister call 458-7030.

### CLASS FOR PARENTS OF TODDLERS

A free class for parents with toddlers, "You and Your Toddler: Surviving the Terrible Twos," will be presented 4-6 p.m. Sunday, May 17, at the Henry Ford Medical Center, 261 S. Main, Plymouth. Reservations are required because of limited seating and may be made by calling 452-5600.

Dr. John Howard, a pediatrician at the Plymouth Center, will begin the class with a discussion of health during the toddler years. Wiley Rasbury, a child psychologist at Henry Ford Hospital, will discuss behavior management of toddlers. There will be time for questions and answers. Refreshments will be available.

### SPEECH AND HEARING

A Speech and Hearing Consultation Day will be held on Wednesday, May 20, at Oakwood Canton Health Center, Warren at Canton Center Road. Free consultations of about 15 minutes each may be scheduled from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. by calling the center at 458-7030. The consultations will address questions people have about speech or hearing. Children may accompany a parent, at the parent's discretion.

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### FOOT CARE SERVICE

A foot care service for senior citizens in Plymouth is offered the second and fourth Thursday of each month 1-5 p.m. in the community room of the Arbor Health Building at Ann Arbor Trail and Harvey in Plymouth. The treatment includes foot assessment, soaks, nail trimming, pumicing, massage and education for proper hygiene, exercise and footwear. Appointments may be made in advance by calling 455-1908. A nominal fee will be charged at the time of the service.

### HELP-A-HEART

Barb Kibler of Canton is chairwoman of the Help-A-Heart. Save a Label drive being conducted by The Ticker Club of Children's Hospital in Detroit. For each Heinz baby food, juice and instant food label turned in, 6 cents will be donated to the hospital for medical equipment. Labels may be mailed to: Barb Kibler, 1127 Canterbury Circle, Canton 48187. This will be an ongoing project.

# Laureate winners honored

Young writers awarded the 1986 Laureate Prizes for Literature were honored last week by the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education in ceremonies at Field Elementary.

The writers received Laureate prize medals and bookplates by principals and school board members at the ceremony the evening of May 6. Medal recipients in the primary division were: Courtney Stevens, Farrand School, Virginia McIntyre, teacher; Ben Davidson, Field School, Fran Snyder, teacher.

Intermediate division medal recipients were: Lindsay Larson, Smith School, Don Smith and Joan Davis, teachers; Kristi Mallon, Smith, Joan Davis, teacher; Sandy Miller, Central Middle, Ron Zang teacher; and Scott Martin, Farrand, Helen Meyer, teacher.

A special award went to Chris Wuorinen of Hulsing whose teacher is Lois Stuart.

Primary runners-up were: Todd Hunter, Field, Helen Sholansky teacher; Eric Stabb of Isbister, Cheryl Klee, teacher.

Intermediate runners-up were: Chris Weyerer of Hulsing, Joyce Silber teacher; David Knight of Field, Patee Rupert, teacher.

Primary honorable mention went to: Rebecca Knight of Field, Shirley

Wako teacher; Kelli Knight of Field, Helen Sholansky; Nicole Cummings of Field, Phyllis Mitchell.

Intermediate honorable mention went to Meredith Hild of Field, Sh Raben teacher; Hilary Archbold of Central, Ron Zang teacher; Paul Williams of Tanager, Evelyn Marchio teacher; Scott Ludwig of Allen, Terri Michaels teacher.

For the 1986 prizes, the Laureate jury read and judged books submitted from the young authors attending elementary schools in Plymouth-

Canton. The Laureate jury consisted of: Leah Brownlee, Field; Tom Fox, Allen; Diane Lynn, Plymouth; Ann Finckelstein, Farrand; Barbara Schuchman, Galloway; Beth Allen, language arts coordinator; Tom Owens, assistant principal; Cheryl and Wade Starr, members-at-large.

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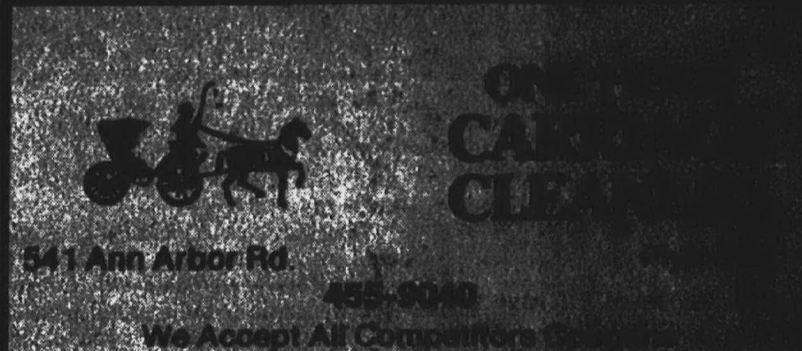
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# Commission delays loan request

By Wayne Peal  
Staff writer

Wayne County Commissioners delayed approving a \$60 million loan request last Thursday. The action hands a temporary setback to County Executive Edward McNamara, who pushed for quick approval.

McNamara said the county couldn't meet its June payroll without borrowing the money.

Commissioners delayed their decision after questions about cost and a potential conflict of interest emerged during a committee hearing on Wednesday. Commission chairman Arthur Carter said the loan couldn't be approved until the questions were resolved.

The loan is expected to be discussed during a special commission meeting May 14.

"The county does indeed have a financial need," Carter said. "It is my desire that the county executive and county commission continue to work together."

McNamara said money could be raised by selling \$60 million in tax anticipation notes through the Michigan State Bond Bank. The notes would be sold at a discount, with county taxes collected in February.

"We've already sent the information to the Bond Bank in anticipation it would be approved," assistant county executive Michael Duggan said. "If it's approved Thursday, we haven't really lost anything. If it isn't we could be facing payless paydays."

The Bond Bank was selected from private and public financial agencies bidding on the notes. Questions center on the role of the

county's bond council in overseeing the selection process.

Miller, Canfield, Paddock & Stone, an acknowledged expert in municipal finance, would apparently pull triple-duty. In addition to advising the county, the firm also advises the Bond Bank. A Miller, Canfield representative also sat on an ad hoc panel created by McNamara to screen applicants.

It is the third duty that caused concern for commissioner Susan Heintz, R-Northville.

"I don't understand why they needed to be on the selection committee," Heintz said.

Questions also center on the issue's cost.

County executive's staffers said the county could receive an additional \$40,000-\$85,000 by dealing

with the state. A tax law loophole would apparently allow the Bond Bank to invest holdings for an additional month.

A representative of a private lending institution said his company could save the county \$60,000 by charging less for its services.

County executive's staff members said they believed both concerns could be quickly eliminated.

"We're confident that they (commissioners) will see this is the best program for the county," Duggan said.

The questions emerged during a ways and means committee hearing last Wednesday. Committee members passed the issue to the full commission without recommending approval or denial.

## Schoolcraft offers fitness seminar

"Think Trim" a one-day fitness seminar will be held from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Saturday at Schoolcraft College. Therapist Lorraine Stinson will discuss a seven-point program emphasizing diet, exercise and postural correction. Fee and registration information is available by calling 591-6466, Ext. 409.

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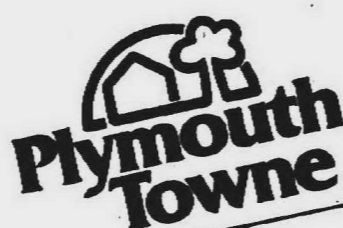
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## Red-hot Chili lovers brave burned tongues to sample entries

Complete list of Chili Cook-Off winners, 2B

By Rebecca Haynes  
staff writer

A slow burn... According to the "experts" this is what any good chili does to the mouth of those who eat it.

And at the recent Chili Cook-Off in Saline, sponsored by the National Kidney Foundation of Michigan, it was the end result each cook tried to attain. The weekend event drew more than 120 avid chili cooks and many more who came just to sample their fare.

Annette Horn, 27, of Plymouth was this year's big winner, taking first place in Saturday's Sanctioned Cook-Off and winning a spot to represent the Foundation at the International Chili Society Cook-Off this fall in California.

"I started going to the (Kidney Foundation Chili) cook-offs a few years ago and thought it looked like a lot of fun," she said. "In 1985 I entered my first competition and placed eighth. I was just tickled pink, because when you place in the top 10 you're automatically invited back the next year."

IN 1986 she made a few minor

changes in her recipe and placed third.

"I thought it needed to be hotter," she said. "So I did more experimenting and really purified the recipe. Instead of getting store-bought chili powder I'd use fresh vegetables and make my own."

Chili-making is down to a science with Horn and her husband, Kenneth, who frequently host parties to serve the spicy stuff and test new ideas on their ever-willing friends.

"My husband is my nose. He can tell just by smelling it if the chili is going to be good," Horn said. "The chili I made at this cook-off was the best I've ever made. On a scale of one to 10 (for hotness) it was probably an 8 1/2."

"Good chili should give a good, slow burn," she said. "It shouldn't be like drinking a bottle of hot sauce. My husband always says if you want to take another bite it's good chili."

Getting a nice combination of spices is Horn's key to success. She said she plans to use her same basic recipe for "Fireworks Chili" in the International Cook-Off.

"I'm so privileged and honored that I get to go," she said, adding she is looking for people to sponsor her trip to Rosemond, Calif. "I'm just so excited. I almost wanted to make another batch of chili on my way home from the cook-off."

**'Good chili should give a good, slow burn. It shouldn't be like drinking a bottle of hot sauce.'**

— Annette Horn

SUNDAY'S RENEGADE Cook-Off, which has an "anything goes" philosophy when it comes to the chili's ingredients, was won by Steve Dill, 29, of Union Lake.

"It was the first time I entered, and I was surprised, to say the least," Dill said of his win. "I'd been going to the cook-off for the last several years and decided it looked like fun."

The win secured a spot for Dill in next year's Saturday Sanctioned Cook-Off and also won him a trip for two to Toronto.

The Union Lake chili cook is very relaxed in his attitude toward the hot stuff.

"I'm not very exact when I'm adding ingredients," he said. "It's kind of whatever ends up on the spoon."

Although many cooks are nervous about tampering with their recipes on competition day, Dill went ahead and added three new ingredients to his Dr. Dilly's Preparation H(ot) concoction.

"I had a lot of friends and neighbors who were there screaming and rooting for me," he said. "I wasn't nervous but I hoped I would place."

"When they kept reading down the list and announced the second-place winner, I thought my chances were shot. I couldn't believe it when they announced my name."

EACH CHILI competitor dresses up to fit the theme of their chili's name. Accordingly, Dill and his helpers wore surgical garb, while Horn

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photos by RICK SMITH/staff photographer

Annette Horn of Plymouth took top honors in Saturday's Sanctioned Cook-Off with her "Fireworks Chili." This was the third year Horn and her husband Kenneth entered the

Kidney Foundation competition. Last year they placed third. The win entitles Horn to travel to Rosemond, California to compete in the International Chili Society Cook-Off.



George Bielis, left, and John Colley, both of Livonia, let their Saturday entry of "Heavy Hitter Chili" simmer before the judging began. The event not only enabled the serious to put their recipes up for scrutiny, but also provided a day of fun and laughter for those who participated.



Walter and Claire Hunter of Plymouth took second place in Saturday's Sanctioned Cook-Off. The Hunters, with their "Fire on the Mountain" chili recipe took the top honors at last year's event. They came close to repeating that win this year, as the two top entries tied in the first round of judging.



Look out tastebud! Judges for Saturday's cook-off had to taste more than 30 entries of chili. Rebecca Haynes, Observer & Eccentric staff member was among this group. Twenty judges were used in Saturday's event, including Taste food columnist Larry Janes, while 10 helped to make the final decision in Sunday's contest.

## Tex-Mex offers welcome treat

Looking for food that's assertive and exciting? Tired of friends inviting you over, only to burn the top two layers of skin from your mouth and make you wish you had stock in Roloids?

Tex-Mex cooking is different. People from all over Mexico came to the San Antonio area and brought their own regional recipes. Of course, that's not to mention the French, German and Jewish immigrants adding their own heritage. Some Tex-Mex breads are like crusty french loaves, others are similar to German sweet rolls and they even have some unleavened breads that probably came from Jewish immigrants!

Many people think all Mexican food is HOT but the native knows that true poblano chilies can be very mild. Did you know that flour, eggs tomatoes and tomatillos (Mexican tomatoes that are a little more firm and green than their American counterparts) all neutralize the heat of hot chili peppers? In true Tex-Mex cooking, you search for the essence of chili flavor — not the heat.

To begin where it all began, this writer suggests that you first take a little ride down to old Mexico. (At Bagley Ave. between 12th and 15th, right off of the Ambassador Bridge but across the Fisher freeway).

If you get there around 11 or 11:30 a.m., start

with a small Botana from the Xochomillico restaurant. I love to sit in the back bar section where gringos plop quarters in the jukebox to hear "Down Mexico Way." I shouldn't even mention the famed Margaritas, but get one, not a pitcher, because you need your faculties for the walk afterward.

When leaving the restaurant, head east (right) down the block to the Tortilla and maybe, if you're lucky, Fernando will throw out a hot-from-the-oven tortilla.

Then, drop by the Fuente D'Elena for the best Quesadillas and the Mexican soup-du-jour. Venture back west down the block to the Mexican grocery where you can get fresh poblano peppers, masa harina (corn flour) prepared sopas and chalupas, cilantro and fresh chili wreaths.

If still hungry, stop into the old Mexico for a great combination plate that we split for two. On a hot summer evening, their frozen Margaritas are by far the best. Kiddy-Corner across the street is the Koch gift shop where you can purchase authentic Mexican pinatas and serapes.

End it all with a leisurely ride around the beautiful Clark Park that is at its peak in color right now. If you're a real down-towner, you might enjoy this quaint Mexican area during the evening hours. Waiting for tables with about 200

taste buds  
chef Larry  
Janes



other city dwellers, all partying and drinking and roaming the well-lit streets is a sure-fire fun way to spend an evening.

By the way, if you're thinking about experimenting with some different chilies, remember these few tips: When handling, wear gloves or generously oil your hands to avoid burning and skin irritation. Always wash hands with soap after handling chilies.

From the: "Don't make the same mistake as I did department" I was making some jalapeno jelly and using my food processor to chop the chiles. Do not look down the food tube of processor or blender while grinding as the fumes can be very irritating.

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## Cooks offer chili recipes to public

The following recipes were given by the chili cooks to share with our readers. "Fireworks Chili" took top honors at the Kidney Foundation's Sanctioned Cook-Off, while "Dr. Dilly's Preparation H(ot) Chili" won its Renegade event.

### FIREWORKS CHILI

1/4 cup olive oil  
5 lbs. cubed beef  
3 lbs. cubed pork  
2 lbs. hot Italian sausage  
3 yellow onions  
12-14 cloves minced garlic  
4 celery stalks  
3 green peppers  
13 jalapeno peppers  
1 tsp. black pepper  
2 tsp. MSG  
Chili powder  
1 1/2 tsp. oregano  
1 tsp. celery salt  
1 tsp. allspice

1 1/2 tsp. Italian seasoning  
7 tbsp. beef bouillon  
2 tbsp. chicken bouillon  
Dash of tobasco  
1 (15 oz.) can tomato puree  
3 cans tomatoes (drained)  
5 1/2 tsp. ground cumin  
1 1/2 tsp. honey  
24 oz. beer  
4 bay leaves  
1 tbsp. mole powder  
4 tbsp. masa flour

In large stock pot heat olive oil, add onions, garlic, celery, green pepper and jalapenos. Cook until tender. In separate skillet, brown meats in beer (sprinkle meats with garlic powder while browning). Add to stock pot. Combine all remaining ingredients. Simmer two hours.

—Annette Horn,  
—Plymouth

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## Researchers develop a cold, spreadable butter

AP — A new type of butter that can be taken out of the refrigerator and spread with ease may reach kitchen tables in about a year, Wisconsin Milk Marketing Board officials say.

The cold, spreadable butter was the result of an 18-month research project by the board and Land O'Lakes Inc., a butter producer.

The process involved separating hard fat crystals from soft fat crystals in production, said Leslie Lamb, the board's research director.

"We want to move this technology into the hands of interested manu-

facturers as quickly and efficiently as possible," Lamb said.

Lamb said the process was being reviewed by several major butter-makers.

Lamb said there are added manufacturing steps in the process, but did not know whether it would add to the retail price of the product.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has reviewed the product and ruled that it qualifies as butter, even though the process involves a change in the makeup of regular butter, the Wisconsin Dairy Products Association said.

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### DR. DILLY'S PREPARATION (HOT) CHILI

- 2 large onions
  - 1 green pepper
  - 8 cloves garlic
  - 6 lbs. hamburger
  - 3 lbs. Italian sausage
  - 1 can beer
  - 2 cans green chilies
  - 3 jars hot salsa
  - 12 oz. tomato paste
  - 3 (28 oz.) cans stewed tomatoes
  - 74 oz. tomato sauce
  - 2 tsp. oregano
  - 3 tsp. coriander
  - 3 tsp. cumin
  - 1 tsp. cilantro
  - 21 tsp. chili powder
- Brown meat with onions, green pepper and garlic. Drain. Add everything else and simmer one to two hours.
- Note: The spice measurements

only reflect the amounts that hit the spoon. Accuracy is not in my book.

-Steve Dill, Union Lake

### RICK'S BODACIOUS CHILI

- 1 large heavy pot
- 2 bottles beer
- 5-7 lbs. chuck roast (course chili grind)
- 3 tsp. olive oil (extra virgin)
- 2 limes
- 4 medium onions (chopped)
- 4-5 cloves garlic (chopped)
- 2 (28 oz.) cans whole tomatoes (drained and chopped)
- 3 (14 1/2 oz.) cans Mexican style stewed tomatoes (drained and chopped)
- 4 (8 oz.) cans Progresso Tomato sauce
- 1 (12 oz.) bottle hot picante salsa (Old El Paso)

- 1 sweet bell pepper (yellow, red, or purple — seeded and chopped)
- 5 green chilies (seeded and chopped)
- 4 yellow hot banana peppers (seeded and chopped)
- 5 marinated jalapeno peppers (seeded and chopped)
- 2 fresh jalapeno peppers, optional (seeded and chopped)
- 4 tsp. cumin (divided)
- 1 1/2 tsp. paprika (divided)
- 1 1/2 tsp. hickory salt (divided)
- 2 tsp. chili powder
- 1 tsp. chili oil
- 2 tsp. vinegar
- 1 tsp. oregano (powdered)
- 1 tsp. cracked black pepper
- 1 1/2 tsp. brown sugar
- 3-4 tbsp. beef bouillon
- Masa corn flour, optional (2 tsp. mixed into 1/4 cup water)

Squeeze lime juice over beef. Add half of garlic and one-half to 1 tsp. black pepper and mix into beef. Let

stand 20 minutes. In cooking pot place cooking oil, 1/4 of chopped onion and remaining garlic, plus 1/2 tsp. hickory salt; cover and bring to full heat, then add meat and gear for approximately 5 minutes stirring occasionally. Turn off heat.

In separate container mix together tomatoes, all peppers, sweet and hot and divided spices (one-half of cumin and paprika) and sauces. Add vegetables to pot with remaining ingredients except flour mixture. Stir well and bring to a boil; reduce heat and simmer one to two hours. Add more cumin, salt and pepper to taste and let simmer another 60 minutes if desired. Thicken with flour mixture last 15 minutes of cooking time.

Makes approximately 1 1/2 gallons of Rick's Bodacious Chili.

-Rick Reid, West Bloomfield

# Chili experts strut their stuff at charity cook-off

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dressed in the patriotic red, white and blue. Dill tied for third in Sunday's "Best Booth" competition.

Ten judges were used on Sunday and 20 for Saturday's event. Judges were asked to

use the criteria if they were on a deserted island and could only have one type of chili for the rest of their lives, which would it be.

Although Rick Reid of West Bloomfield didn't place in Saturday's chili contest, he did place first in the "Showmanship" category. His band of supporters, called the "Rub-

ber Elvis and the Where is Your Daughter Band," performed their rendition of "Blue Suede Shoes" and "Hound Dog," with the words altered to fit the occasion.

"They really rocked," Reid said. "It was so much fun. Each act got up on stage to do a skit in support of their chili."

Reid said he enjoys cooking as relaxation when he comes home from work. About a month before the cook-off he began making a batch of chili every other night to practice and test his ideas. Friends and co-workers became his taste testers.

"I discovered through trial and error a

hickory flavor that I really liked a lot," he said. "I think I overdid it (at the cook-off). I used too many different ingredients."

"Next year I'm going to simplify it and cube the meat instead of grinding it," Reid said. "I'm there. I can't wait to try it again."

# Sweet and sour meatballs have Oriental twist

AP — Try this recipe for meatballs with an Oriental twist.

### SWEET AND SOUR MEATBALL BAKE

- 1 beaten egg
- 2 tsp. wheat germ
- 1 tsp. soy sauce
- 1/4 tsp. garlic powder
- 1/8 tsp. pepper

- 12 oz. lean ground pork
- Non-stick spray coating
- 2 medium carrots, cut into julienne pieces
- 1 medium onion, cut into thin wedges
- 1 small green pepper, cut into 1-inch squares
- 2 cups hot cooked rice
- 1 1/2 cups apple juice
- 1 tsp. vinegar
- 2 tsp. brown sugar

- 4 tsp. cornstarch
  - 1/2 tsp. grated fresh ginger root
  - Dash salt
- Combine egg, wheat germ, soy sauce, garlic powder and pepper. Add pork; mix well. Shape into 24 meatballs. Spray a large skillet with non-stick spray coating. Add meatballs. Cook over medium heat until browned on all sides, about 5 minutes. Drain on paper towels. Cook

carrots and onion, uncovered, in boiling lightly salted water for 2 minutes; add green pepper and cook 1 minute longer. Drain well. Divide meatballs and vegetables among 4 individual baking dishes. Place 1/4 cup of cooked rice at one end of each dish. Meanwhile, combine apple juice, vinegar, brown sugar, cornstarch, ginger root and salt. Cook and stir over medium heat un-

til sauce is bubbly. Pour sauce over the meatball mixture in each dish. Cover with foil, label and freeze. Makes 4 single-serving entrees.

Conventional oven: Bake, covered, in 375° oven 50-55 minutes or until hot, stirring after 40 minutes.

Microwave oven: Remove foil; cover with vented microwave-safe plastic wrap. Cook 1 serving at 70

percent power (medium high) 5-6 minutes, stirring after 3 minutes.

Nutrition information per serving: 349 calories, 19 g protein, 48 g carbohydrates, 9 g fat, 104 mg cholesterol, 816 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 84 percent vitamin A, 35 percent vitamin C, 49 percent thiamine, 17 percent riboflavin, 23 percent niacin, 25 percent iron, 27 percent phosphorus.

# Local residents win at cook-off

The following is a list of the first through 16th place winners at the Kidney Foundation's Sanctioned Chili Cook-Off, held Saturday, May 2.

1. Annette and Kenneth Horn, Plymouth.
2. Walter and Claire Hunter, Plymouth.
3. Robert Vargo, Milford.
4. Ramsey Jiddou, Ann Arbor.
5. Randal Robinson, Columbus, Ohio.
6. Norbert Bischoff, Ft. Thomas, Kentucky.

7. Phil Lamka, WWW Country.
8. Ron Hanson, West Bloomfield.
9. Sharon Freitag, Darien, Illinois.
10. United Steelworkers of America District 29 team of Zolly Dioszegi and Maddog Sinnott.
11. Steve Mitchell, Taylor.
12. Ken "King Chili" Calvert, WRIF.
13. Wayne Zibel, Berkley.
14. Carole Percell, Warren.
15. Tom Krips and David Hart, Ann Arbor.

Best Booth award went to Ed "Chili" Roberts of Brighton. Showmanship was won by Rick Reid of West Bloomfield with his "Rubber Elvis and the Where's Your Daughter Band."

In the Sunday, May 3 Renegade Cook-Off judges awarded ribbons to the top 10 finishers.

1. Steve Dill, Union Lake.
2. Phil and Maria Janness, Troy.
3. Joe Wnuk and Curt Rellinger, Westland.

4. Ronald Chuby, Allen Park.
  5. Randy Moore, Saline.
  6. John Beadle, Ada.
  7. Norm Yassay and Sandy Resler, Belleville.
  8. Carole Percell, Warren.
  9. Ed "Chili" Roberts, Brighton.
  10. Linley Vance, Ann Arbor.
- Best booth went to Leo Buk of Trenton and Showmanship went to Ed "Chili" Roberts of Brighton.

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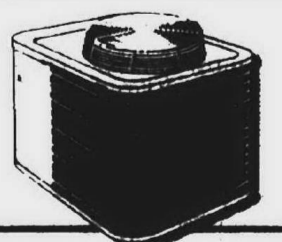


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# Tex-Mex recipes a tempting culture blend

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Hope you enjoy these not-too-hot, Tex-Mex recipes. Drop me in a note in care of this paper if you have a favorite. Bon Appetit!

**SOPES, CHALUPAS & TORTILLAS**  
Makes 12  
2 cups masa (available at Mexican grocery)  
1/4 cup stone ground cornmeal  
1 1/2 tsp. sugar  
1 tsp. solid vegetable shortening  
1 tsp. baking powder  
1 tsp. salt  
About 1 cup warm water

**Peasut oil (for frying)**  
Combine dry ingredients. Mix well by hand or in processor. Cut in shortening. If processing, drizzle in warm water while machine is running. If mixing by hand, add water slowly. Mix well. Cover tightly. Allow to rest at room temperature for 1-2 hours. Break off walnut sized piece of dough and roll out between plastic wrap. Peel plastic from dough. Dip into hot (375 degree) fat about 2 inches deep. Cook until puffed and brown, about 1 minute. Remove with a slotted spoon.

**GREEN CHILE SALSA**

Wonderful in an omelette or as a taco sauce

6 tomatoes, quartered  
5 poblanos chilies, stemmed and seeded  
2 cloves garlic  
1/2 avocado, peeled  
1 cup sour cream  
1/4 cup loosely packed cilantro leaves  
1/2 tsp. salt

Place tomatoes in a medium skillet, cook over low heat until softened with garlic. Transfer to processor blender. Add remaining ingredients and puree until smooth. Serve warm or cold.

**TEX-MEX BEAN SOUP**

Great with tortillas to top up the bowl!

2 cups black beans  
8 cups hot water  
1 tsp. salt (or to taste)  
8 oz. tomato sauce  
1 large clove garlic, chopped  
2 oz. salt pork, sliced  
1 small dried hot red pepper  
12 oz. fresh pork cubed  
8 oz. Mexican sausage, cubed (Italian or polish will suffice but nothing like Mexican)  
1/4 tsp. black pepper

Soak beans in water for 4 hours. Add salt, tomato sauce, water and garlic and salt pork. Simmer for 45 minutes over medium heat. Add remaining ingredients, cover, bring to a boil, reduce to a rolling simmer and cook 2 hours until beans are cooked but still hold their shape. Discard red pepper before serving. Serves 6-8.

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(Little Mexican doughnuts that a friend couldn't believe were easy to make and tasted great!)

2 cups flour  
2 tsp. baking powder  
1 tsp. salt  
2 cups shortening  
1/2 cup warm water  
Oil for frying

Sift all the dry ingredients together. Cut in shortening and gradually add the water until a good dough is formed. Roll out on a floured surface. Cut into squares. Drop into hot oil, cook until golden and puffed. Drain on paper towel. Dip in honey and roll in cinnamon and powdered sugar. Mmmmmmm!

## Freeze-ahead

Cheese, veggie quiche tastes like it's just-made

AP - This quiche tastes fresh as just-made even though the crust filled with cheese and vegetables is a convenient freeze-ahead. Wrap and store the pastry carefully so it does not break or crack. To serve, beat and pour in the egg-cream mixture and bake. Don't try to freeze the egg-cream mixture with the crust and vegetables; the outside of the quiche will overcook before the center is done.

**VEGETABLE QUICHE**

1 1/4 cups all-purpose flour

1/4 tsp. salt  
1/2 cup shortening or lard  
3-4 tbsp. cold water  
1/2 cup shredded Swiss cheese  
1/2 cup shredded cheddar cheese  
1/2 cup shredded carrot  
1/2 cup sliced green onion  
1 tsp. all-purpose flour  
4 slightly beaten eggs  
1 1/4 cups light cream or milk  
1/4 tsp. salt  
1/2 tsp. pepper  
1/2 tsp. garlic powder

In a bowl combine flour and 1/4 tsp. salt. Cut in shortening until pieces

are the size of small peas. Add water 1 tbsp. at a time, tossing with a fork until flour is moistened. Form into a ball. On a lightly floured surface roll dough into a 12-inch circle. Fit into a 9-inch pie plate. Trim pastry to 1/2 inch beyond edge of pie plate; flute edge high. Do not prick pastry. Line pastry shell with a double thickness of heavy-duty foil. Bake in a 450° oven for 7 minutes. Remove foil; bake 3-5 minutes more or until pastry starts to brown. Cool. Toss together Swiss and cheddar cheeses, carrot, green onion and 1 tsp. flour. Sprinkle over bottom of

pastry shell. Seal, label and freeze. To serve, combine eggs, cream, 1/4 tsp. salt, pepper and garlic powder. Pour into frozen shell. Bake in a 375° oven for 35-45 minutes or until a knife inserted near center comes out clean. Let stand 10 minutes. Makes 6 servings. Nutrition information per serving: 449 calories, 14 g protein, 26 g carbohydrates, 33 g fat, 242 mg cholesterol, 136 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 67 percent vitamin A, 16 percent thiamine, 23 percent riboflavin, 25 percent calcium, 12 percent iron, 25 percent phosphorus.

## Citrus adds savory garnish to dish

Take a tip from professional chefs and add a garnish to the platter before presenting it to your guests. A savory garnish is more than just an embellishment, it's an integral part of the completed dish.

Florida citrus fruits make perfect decorative additions — they add piquance and color as well as nourishment to dishes when they arrive fresh from the sunny Florida groves. By practicing your strokes — you will soon develop the technique and add a new dimension to the enjoyment of food with orange and grapefruit garnishes.

**ZEST**

Start simply with orange or grapefruit rind, the zest of the fruit. Use a zester to take off the rind, then chop finely. Grated peel keeps well if wrapped and frozen. Candied citrus peel used as a garnish adds an interesting and sharp contrast — a surprise — to both sweet and savory dishes. To candy peel, carefully cut peel removing as little white as possible. Cut in thin julienne strips. Simmer in water for 20 minutes. Drain and repeat, then simmer in a sugar syrup (2 cups sugar, 1 cup water) until most of the syrup has evaporated. Dry on racks; then toss in sugar.

**CITRUS SHELLS**

Hollowed out citrus shells serve as decorative containers for accompanying vegetables, or on their own containing salads or desserts. Shells may be stacked and frozen.

For a fluted effect, pencil a zig-zag guideline around the center of the fruit. Insert a small knife into the core of the fruit at an angle to make one side of a point. Remove the knife; insert to form the opposite side of the point. Do not push the knife in more than halfway. Continue around the fruit following the line to keep halves equal in size. To separate, gently pull halves apart.

**PEELING**

Chill oranges and grapefruit before peeling. Slice off both ends of the fruit. Remove peel by cutting strips from the top of the fruit to the bottom. Peel can also be removed by using round strokes in spiral fashion. Cut deep enough to remove white membrane or pith.

**SECTIONING**

Use chilled, peeled fruit. Cut along the side of each dividing membrane to the core. Remove sections over a container to catch juice.

**GRAPEFRUIT HALVES**

Cut fruit in half between stem and flower ends. Remove seeds, if any, insert sharply pointed paring knife in the center at the core, close to the membrane. Cut along membrane from the center to the rind, along the rind and the other membrane back to the center. Repeat for all segments. Be careful not to cut the membrane. To keep fruit steady slice off bottom.

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## clubs in action

### ● ROSE SOCIETY

The Huron Valley Rose Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 12, at the Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro Road, Ann Arbor. For more information, call Gary Hausman, 453-8163.

### ● CAR CARE

"Maintaining Your Car" will be the topic for the 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 12, meeting of WISER-Widowed in Service. The session will be held in Room 170 of the Applied Science Building at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia. WISER is sponsored by the Women's Resource Center at the college. Jim Taylor will be the speaker. Attendance is free and advance registration is not required. For more information, call 591-6400 Ext. 430.

### ● SPRING THEATER

The Womencenter of Oakland Community College will present its third annual spring theater event Wednesday, May 13, at the Smith Theatre on the Orchard Ridge Campus, 27055 Orchard Lake, Farmington Hills. Performances will be at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Proceeds will go to the Sadie M. Davis Afro-American Scholarship Fund. Ticket prices are \$5 for the general public, \$3.50 for students and seniors. The theme of the program will be women, children and world peace. For more information, call the Womencenter at OCC, 471-7602.

### ● TOPS PROGRAM

Plymouth TOPS No. 238 will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 13, at Central Middle School in Plymouth for a 25th anniversary celebration. All members and former members may attend.

### ● GARDENERS

The Thursday, May 14, meeting of the Lake Pointe Village Branch, Women's National Farm and Garden Association, will be a tour of Sunshine Farm in Milford. There will be a plant exchange for members. Following the tour, new officers will be installed at a meeting at Bill Knapp's Restaurant in Plymouth. Lenore Howe is evening chairwoman. Hostesses are Ernestine Reddeman, Darlene Somerville, Sue Porter and Mary Ann Wolf. For more information, call 453-3905.

### ● FASHIONS

A spring/summer fashion show will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 14, at Chris' California Concept in the Golden Gate Shopping Center, 8515 Lilley Road, across from Mettetal Airport in Canton. The public may attend. For more information, call 459-1080.

### ● LOCAL NOW

The Western Wayne County Chapter, National Organization for Women, will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 14, at the IMC Room of Emerson Junior High School, 89100 W. Chicago, east of Middlebelt in Livonia. NOW's last spring 1987 meeting will feature homemaker feminists. The public may attend. For more information, call 691-9344.

### ● LA LECHE

The La Leche League of Plymouth-Canton II will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 14, at 10650 JoAnn, Plymouth. The topic will be "Nutrition and Weaning." All women who are interested in breastfeeding may attend. Women attending may bring their babies. For more information, call 453-9171.

### ● LUNCHEON OUT

The Canton Newcomers will meet at 12:45 p.m. Friday, May 15, for a

luncheon at Fellows Creek Golf Club, 2936 S. Lotz, Canton. For reservations, call Julia, 459-8039.

### ● THEATRE GUILD

The Plymouth Theatre Guild will present Herb Gardner's "A Thousand Clowns" at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 15-16. Performances will be at Central Middle School, Church and Main streets in Plymouth. Ticket price is \$5 for adults, \$4 for students and seniors. Tickets will be sold at the door. Group discounts are available. For more information, call 397-3779.

### ● WESTSIDE

Westside Singles II will hold a dance from 8:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, May 15, at the Livonia Elks Lodge, on Plymouth Road east of Merriman. For more information, call the hot line, 562-3170.

### ● BUTTONS

The Michigan State Button Society will hold its spring meeting from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 16, at the Plymouth Salvation Army, 9481 S. Main St. The public may attend. For more information, call 453-7078.

### ● CHILDBIRTH

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association will offer a seven-week Lamaze series starting at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 16, at the Garden City Health Education Center, 6701 Harrison, Garden City. Early registration is advised. To register or for more information, call 459-7477.

### ● CHORUS FUN

The Plymouth Community Chorus will present "A Night on Broadway" at 7:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, May 16-17, in the auditorium of Plymouth Salem High School, 46181 Joy Road, Canton. The annual spring concert will include accompaniment

by the Plymouth Symphony. Donation is \$6 for adults, \$4 for children 12 and younger and senior citizens. Tickets are available from chorus and symphony members. They are also available at the Sideways Shop in Plymouth and the Gifted Music Store in Northville. Reduced rates are available for groups. For more information, call 455-4000.

### ● PHOENIX I

Phoenix I will hold a dance and party for singles at 8:30 p.m. Sunday, May 17, at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill at Venoy. Price is \$4. Music will be by Chico. Hors d'oeuvres will be served. For more information, call Ruth or Jill, 471-1248.

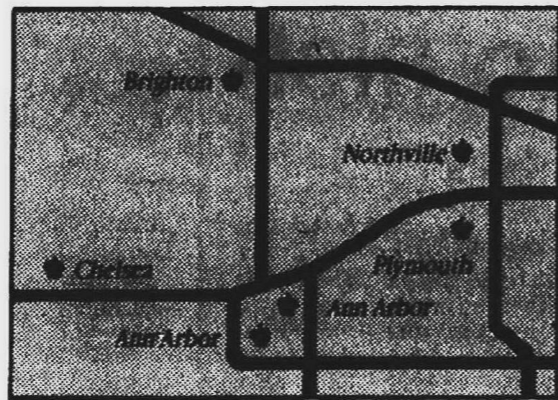
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## clubs in action

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tion, will meet at noon Monday, May 18, at the home of Mrs. Albert Heindryckx for a sandwich luncheon. The program will be on resolutions adopted during the 98th Continental Congress in Washington, D.C. It will be presented by Mrs. Robert Wiloughby, who serves on the national resolutions committee. For more information, call 453-4423.

### ● LOCAL NURSES

The Plymouth Registered Nurses will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, May 18, at Plymouth Township Hall, 42380 E. Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. The meeting will include a salad potluck with dessert and beverages provided. Price is \$3 per person or two for \$5. Al Woods, a registered pharmacist at Annapolis Hospital, will present a program on handwriting analysis.

### ● ORIENTATION

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association will offer a Lamaze orientation class at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 18, at Newburg Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. This introduction to the Lamaze birth technique will feature a film, "Saturday's Children." Advance registration is not required. There is a \$1 per person charge at the door. For more information, call 459-7477.

### ● MOMS OF TWINS

The Western Wayne County Mothers of Twins Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 18, at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 30650 Six Mile, between Middlebelt and Merriman in Livonia. A "Grandma's Night" and potluck dinner are planned. A short business meeting will follow. For more information, call Marilyn Coleman, 728-7144.

### ● COFFEE TIME

The Plymouth Newcomers will hold a neighborhood coffee at 10 a.m. Tuesday, May 19. Those attending will be able to learn about the organization and to meet new friends. For reservations, call 453-0852 or 459-8318.

### ● NEWBORN CARE

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association will offer a two-week course for expectant couples on newborn care. The course will begin at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 19, at Geneva Presbyterian Church, 5835 N. Sheldon Road, Canton. The classes give information on care and development of the newborn from birth to the age of 3 months. To register or for more information, call 459-7477.

### ● CANTON GOP

The Canton Republican Club will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 19, at the Canton Historical Museum, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton.

### ● REFUNDERS

The Refunders Club will meet at

8:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 20, at the Plymouth Grange Hall, 273 Union St. Those attending should bring refund forms, proofs of purchase and complete deals to trade. New members may attend.

### ● EXERCISE CLASS

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association is offering a six-week prenatal exercise class beginning at 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 20. The class will continue through June 24 and will be held at Newburg Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. Classes include non-aerobic exercises for toning and strengthening. To register or for more information, call 459-7477.

### ● TALENTED

The Plymouth-Canton Association for Academically Talented (PCAAT) will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, at the cafeteria of Central Middle School in Plymouth. Those attending will discuss reorganization of the group. The meeting will also include presentation of an appreciation award. The public may attend. For more information, call Cindy Hillquist, 455-7132, or Mary Jane Weidenbach, 981-4639.

### ● STATE'S ARTIFACTS

The Plymouth branch, American Association of University Women, will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 21, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St. State Sen. Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills,

will speak on preservation of Michigan's artifacts. For AAUW membership information, call 459-6113.

### ● THESPIANS

A reunion banquet is planned for all former members of the International Thespian Dramatic Honor Society, Troupe 354 of Plymouth Salem/Canton High School. The event is planned for Friday, May 22. For more information, call Gloria Logan, 451-6600 Ext. 243. Logan is also looking for addresses of alumni.

### ● LET'S DANCE

Westside Singles will hold a dance from 8:30 p.m. to 3 a.m. Friday, May 22, at Roma's of Livonia, on Schoolcraft Road west of Inkster Road. Dressy attire should be worn. For more information, call the hot line, 562-3160.

### ● DIVORCE GROUP

The Women's Divorce Support Group will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, May 26, in the conference room of the Lower Waterman Campus Center at Schoolcraft College, 18400 Haggerty Road, Livonia. Attorney Jacqueline Theis will discuss legal aspects of divorce. The support group is sponsored by the Women's Resource Center at the college. Advance registration is not required. For more information, call 591-6400 Ext. 430.

### ● WISER

WISER-Widowed in Service will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 26, at

St. David's Episcopal Church, 37000 Margolin, off Inkster between Ford and Cherry Hts in Garden City. The speaker will be Margaret Wells, former teacher and founder of the "New Stars" group for widowed people. Advance registration is not required. The support group is sponsored by the Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College in Livonia. For more information, call 591-6400 Ext. 430.

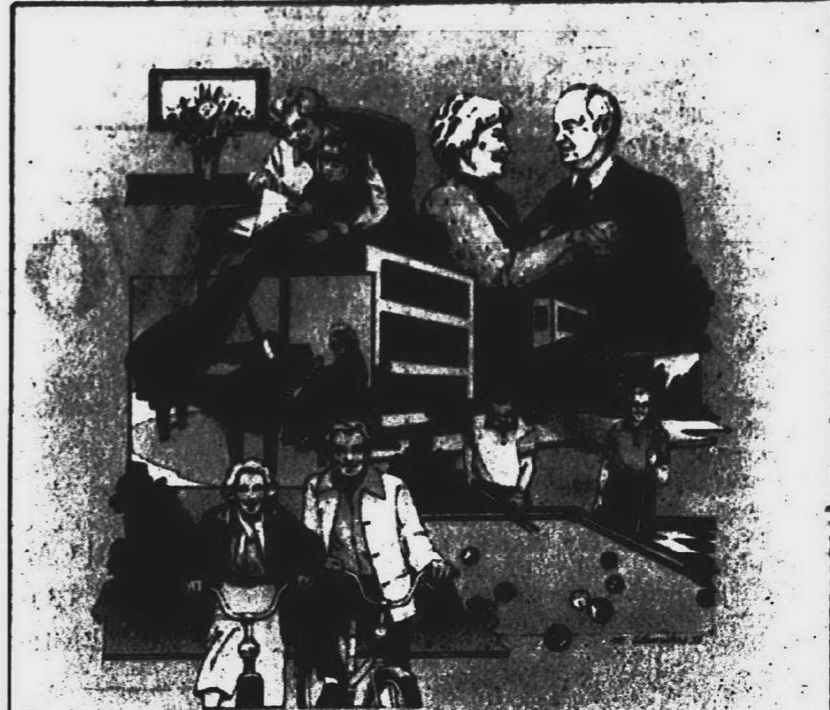
### ● BIRTH SERIES

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association will offer a seven-week Lamaze series starting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 28, at Geneva Presbyterian Church, 5835 N. Sheldon, Canton. Early registration is advised. To register or for more in-

formation, call 459-7477.

### ● HARASSMENT

A sexual harassment workshop will be held Saturday, May 23, in Room 104 of the Administration Building at Madonna College, 26400 Schoolcraft, Livonia. The program is sponsored by the Detroit Area Chapter, Association for Women in Science. The first session will begin at 9 a.m. Topics to be covered include harassment in the workplace, in high school and in academia. An attorney will discuss sexual harassment and the law. A panel discussion is planned for 12:45 p.m. The public may attend; there is no admission charge. For more information, call 349-3161 or 370-3463.



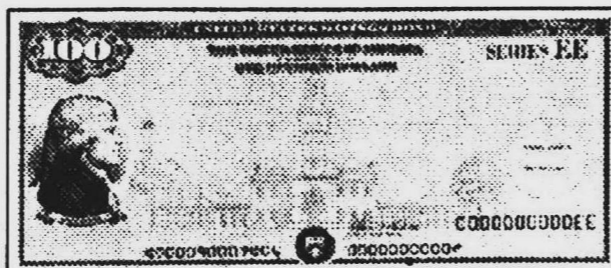
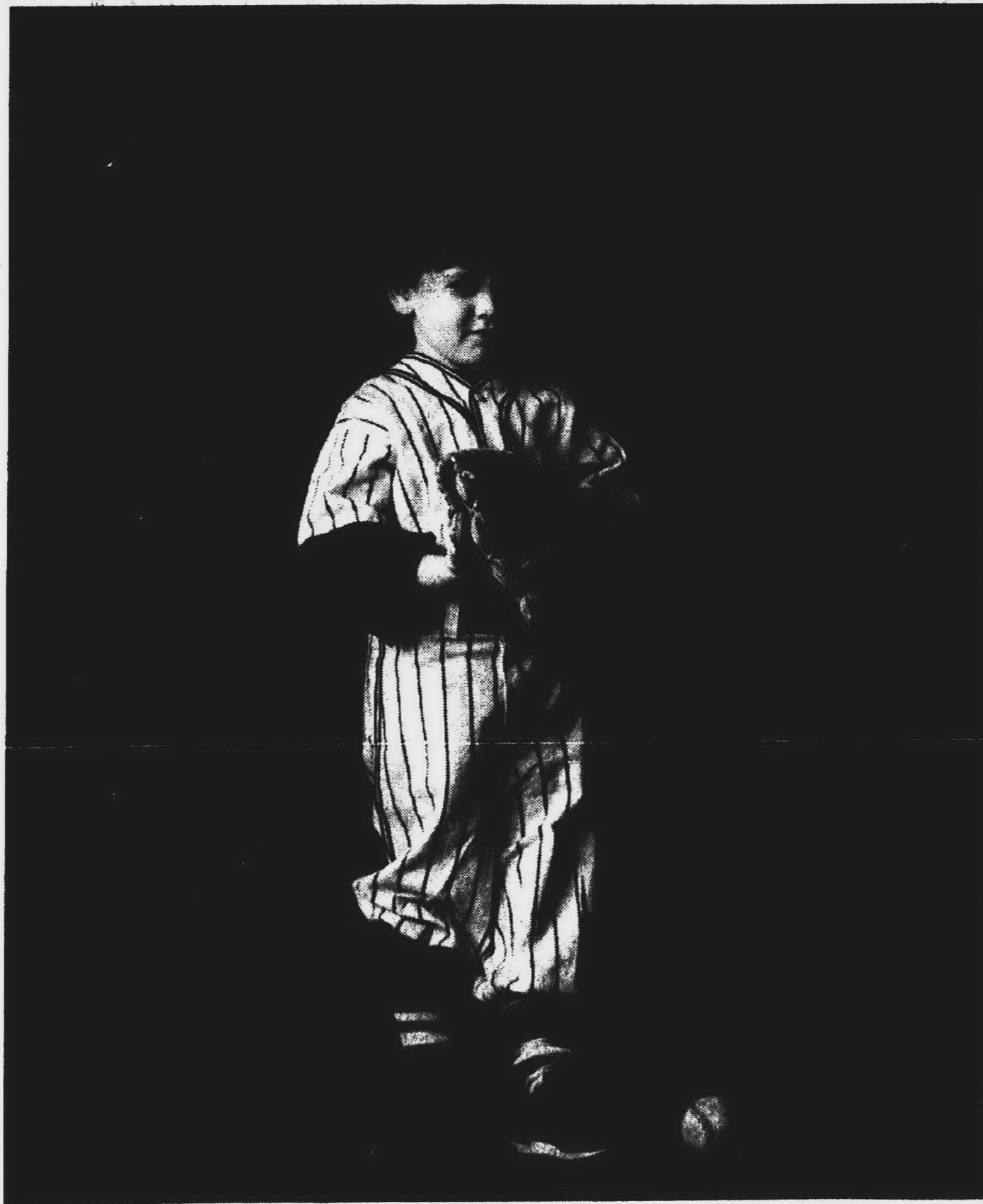
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# Petition drive backers seek special election

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

It's one thing for a judge to rule your way on a point of constitutional law. It's quite another to get a special election called.

Ask John Lauve and Dean Fitzpatrick.

They want Oakland Circuit Judge Alice Gilbert to order special elections on several petition drives, most notably the one to allow the death penalty.

"We understand the attorney general will appeal," said Virginia Cropsey, a Libertarian Party activist who is working on the case.

**WHAT THE** petition circulators have today is a favorable opinion from Judge Gilbert saying the 1973 Michigan Legislature acted too hastily in passing two petition laws — so hastily that it violated the state constitution. She declared the laws "null and void."

Hanging in the balance are three drives to seek elections on amending the constitution:

- Oakland Prosecutor L. Brooks Patterson's petition drive for the death penalty.

- Brighton businessman Richard Chrysler's for a part-time legislature.

- The Michigan Citizens' Lobby's to restrict utilities' rights to build power plants.

At issue was the "stale signature" law, which says petition signatures must be collected within 180 days to place an issue on the ballot.

**ON PAPER**, the winner is plaintiff Fitzpatrick, a self-employed tool salesman from Troy who belongs to no political party but likes to work on petition drives.

## Bus riders to be quizzed

Bus riders will be surveyed by the Southeastern Michigan Transportation Authority in mid-May. SEMTA is seeking to plan better transportation services in Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties.

SEMTA conducted a similar passenger survey in 1980. Those results will be compared with this year's to determine what changes in ridership and travel patterns may have occurred.

Some areas on which the survey will focus are the origins and destinations of users, the times they use buses, various characteristics of users and their opinions of SEMTA services.

His attorney is David Raaflaub of Ann Arbor, the Libertarian nominee for state Supreme Court last year.

Raaflaub argued the Legislature violated the constitution by 1) ignoring the five-day provision for enacting a law and 2) tacked on amendments that changed the entire meaning of the bills.

Among the backers are Lauve, an auto company engineer who seeks to recall Gov. James J. Blanchard, and Chrysler, who ran second for the Republican gubernatorial nomination last year.

Loser is Secretary of State Richard Austin, whose office rejected the petitions because of the "stale signature" law. In court he was represented by assistant attorney general Richard Gartner.

To Lauve's great disappointment, Judge Gilbert let stand a 90-day law on recall petitions.

**GILBERT HEARD** oral arguments the last week in January, promised a quick written decision, and issued it April 30.

The law began life as a House bill requiring county clerks to transmit precinct election results to the Secretary of State. The Senate, however, amended it to a 90-day "stale signature" law. The House quickly concurred.

Gilbert observed: "Only two days passed from the time the Senate in-

roduced the substitute until it returned the bill to the House," where it was given immediate effect.

"(Such hasty consideration of an entirely new substitution made only seven days before the bill was passed on for gubernatorial approval seems patently unconstitutional."

**LATER IN** the 1973 session, the law was even more swiftly amended to 180 days. Again it was the Senate which, "in a flurry of activity," amended an obscure bill in committee, suspended its own rules, pushed the bill on to third reading and passed it in a single day.

The House concurred, suspending its own rule and passing it in a single day.

"This court," wrote Gilbert, "believes that procedural details affecting election administration differ substantially and significantly from a limitation on a basic constitutional right such as the right to petition for ballot access."

"Further, even if the substitution were found to be germane to the purposes of the original bills, the hasty consideration of those substitutes may not comport with the constitutional mandates of this state . . . These expedited legislative ac-

tions failed to provide an adequate opportunity for the public to respond to, or be aware of, the content of the proposed legislation."

**BUT SHE DENIED** Lauve's effort to overthrow the 1967 law on recalls, which has a 90-day "stale signature" provision.

A Senate bill originally dealt with registration times, and the House added the recall limitation.

But Gilbert found that "each time a bill is amended, it need not go through the 'five-day/three-readings' process all over again as long as the added provisions do not substantially alter the bill's intent."

"Wrong," commented Lauve. "The original bill deals with office hours to register voters. A long way to adding a 90-day limit to a constitutional right."



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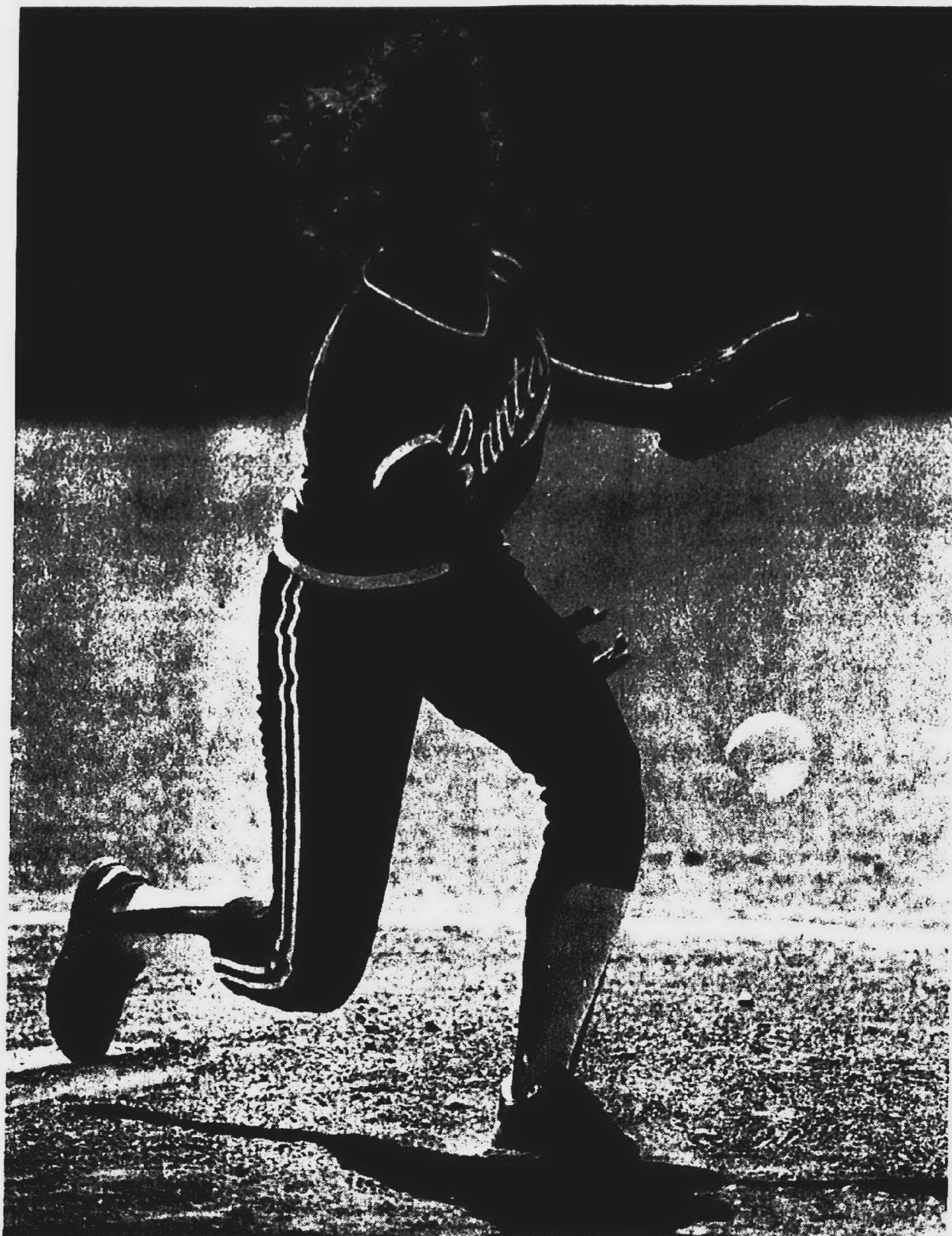
# Sports

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Sherrri Aiello hurls a pitch toward home plate in Plymouth Canton's softball game with Livonia Stevenson. Aiello allowed only four hits, but the Chiefs went hitless against Stevenson pitcher Trish Kosikowski

BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

## Chiefs victimized by softball no-hitter

Plymouth Canton was the victim of a no-hitter by Livonia Stevenson's Trish Kosikowski Friday as the Spartans defeated the Chiefs 15-8 in softball.

Kosikowski, however, walked 14 batters to give Canton something to work offensively.

Shari Aiello went the distance for the Chiefs and allowed only four hits. She walked six and struck out none.

Canton won the second game of the double-header, 18-14, but only the first game counts in the Western Lakes Activities Association standings.

Kelly McUmbler's sixth-inning triple brought in two runs, Jen Hawkins had a two-run, bases-loaded single and Kim Schulte hit a two-run double during a three-run third.

Debbie Smith, who has been Canton's catcher all season, made her first appearance on the mound and earned the win. She walked nine and had no strikeouts.

SALEM 1-12, NORTHVILLE 0-13: Kim Berrie pitched a three-hitter and scored the game's only run Friday as Plymouth Salem fought off Northville for a one-run victory in the first game of a softball double-header.

The Rocks' usually potent batting order produced only five hits.

Darlene Gaglead was two-for-three and knocked in Berrie, who walked in the fifth inning, moved up on a wild pitch and scored on Gaglead's single to center field.

"In the last couple games, we've really been hitting the ball," Salem coach Rob Willette said, "so I gave the girls a day off this week."

"But every time I give them a day off they come out flat. I guess I should have known better."

The Rocks lost the second game of Friday's double-header, 13-12. However, the defeat doesn't affect the league standings, though it counts in

### softball

the overall record. Salem is 11-0 in the league, 11-2 overall.

Denice Tackett hit a three-run homer for the Rocks, and Missy Viele had a double and a triple. Sheryll Gildo and Jessica Handley also had two hits apiece.

On Wednesday, five players had at least two hits apiece as Salem downed Walled Lake Central 9-4.

Gaglead led the Rocks' 12-hit attack by going three-for-three. Marcie Walker, Tackett, Sandy Oberlesen and Bonnie Waller were two-for-four. Both of Tackett's hits were doubles.

Berrie scattered nine hits but issued only one walk. She struck out six while going the distance.

Dawn Marszelac was the loser. She struck out five and walked two.

NORTHVILLE 5, CANTON 2: Northville scored twice in the top of the first inning and stayed in front all the way Wednesday en route to a 5-2 win over Plymouth Canton.

Yvonne Livernois had two hits and knocked in both runs for the Chiefs.

She had an RBI double to make it 2-1 in the bottom of the first, but Northville had a 4-1 lead before the Chiefs scored again.

In the fifth inning, Kim Schulte and Kelly Lingenfeiser hit safely and moved up on Kelly McUmbler's sacrifice. Livernois then singled to score Schulte.

Laurie Madsen started and pitched 3 1/2 innings for Canton, taking the loss. She allowed four of Northville's six hits, walked eight and struck out one.

CHRISTIAN 31, MANOOGIAN 0: It took only two innings for Plymouth Christian Academy to compile 31 runs, and the contest was terminated at the end of the second inning.

Kris Southward, Jen Wyrsta and Alison Schram had two hits apiece, and Schram, the winning pitcher, had four RBI.

Trish Tilly and Becca Chester stole seven bases each, and Tilly and Shelley Oxley both stole home once. Oxley, Chester, Wyrsta, Schram and Tilly scored four runs apiece.

Manoogian had no hits and committed nearly 20 errors in the game which improved Christian's record to 7-6.

On Friday, Christian swept a double-header from Warren St. Anne, 16-0 and 16-1. Both games were five-inning contests ended because of the 10-run mercy rule.

For the two games, Oxley and Nicole Hopper had three hits apiece, Schram drove in three runs and Wyrsta had two RBI.

Elaine Priebe won the first game, striking out 11 batters, and Hopper got the decision in the second game.



Kim Schulte slides safely into third base for Canton.

BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

## Rocks shoot for soccer crown

It appears the wacky Western Lakes Girls Soccer League race is finally being sorted out.

Plymouth Salem can wrap up its first title ever with a victory today at home over Farmington, its closest pursuer.

Through Friday, the Rocks led the circuit with a 9-1-2 record. Right behind was Farmington at 8-1-3. Then, three other teams were in a logjam for third — defending champ Livonia Churchill (10-2-2), Plymouth Canton (9-2-2) and Northville (9-2-2).

On Wednesday, Salem took a giant step toward the title with a convincing 7-3 victory at Livonia Stevenson. It was the Rocks' second straight win over the Spartans this season.

Coach Ken Johnson was ecstatic with his team's play, particularly in the first half as the Rocks built a commanding 4-0 lead.

Sophomore Jill Estey continued her assault on opposing goalies, scoring four times. Michelle Minton added two goals and an assist

**CLASS A DISTRICT GIRLS SOCCER TOURNAMENT**  
ANN ARBOR HURON  
Monday, May 11: Ann Arbor Pioneer (A) at Plymouth Canton (B), 7 p.m.  
Wednesday, May 13: Ann Arbor Huron at Plymouth Canton, 6 p.m.; Belleville at A-D, 7 p.m.  
Saturday, May 16: Championship final, 2 p.m. at Ann Arbor Huron (winner advanced to the Lansing Western regional vs. Brighton district champion, May 23).

**SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE**  
Monday, May 11: Livonia Ladywood (A) vs. Farmington Hills Mercy (B), 4 p.m.  
Wednesday, May 13: Livonia Stevenson at Livonia Churchill, 7 p.m.; Farmington at site of A-D, 7 p.m.  
Saturday, May 16: Championship final, 10 a.m. at Schoolcraft College Field No. 8 (winner advanced to the Troy Regional vs. Northville district champion, May 23).

**LEANS CENTRAL (C) vs. NORT (D), TBA.**  
Wednesday, May 13: COD winner at North Farmington, 4 p.m.  
Friday, May 15 or Saturday, May 16: Championship final to be announced (winner advanced to the Troy Regional vs. Schoolcraft College district champion, May 23).

**SOUTHFIELD**  
Wednesday, May 13: Redford Bishop Borgias at Livonia Franklin, 4:30 p.m.; Redford Union at Southfield, 4 p.m.  
Saturday, May 16: Championship final, noon at Southfield (winner advanced to the Sterling Heights-Ford regional vs. Dearborn Eden Ford district champion, May 23).

and Teri King added another goal. Karen Carney scored twice for Stevenson and Lori Green had a goal and two assists.

On Friday, Salem travelled to Livonia Franklin and came away with a 4-1 win as Estey notched her 22nd goal of the year. Minton, the freshman, scored twice to up her total to 17. Sara Hayes scored in the second half to give the Rocks a 4-0 lead.

Toni Stiglmaier scored the lone goal for Franklin, which dropped to 5-7-1.

CANTON 2, CHURCHILL 1: In one of the biggest surprises of the year Wednesday, Plymouth Canton upended visiting Livonia Churchill as Shannon Meath scored twice, both on assists from Jenny Russell.

The Chiefs got superb defensive play from Tricia Greenhalge, Cheryl Nippa, Renee Rice and Molly Menard to help make things easier for goalie Jen Saul. "I think the Stevenson win last Friday gave us a shot in the arm and

picked us up a little bit," said Canton coach Don Smith. "If you let Churchill score a couple on you early they're really tough, but we scored early and it really picked us up. I thought we could stop them from scoring a lot on us, but I didn't know if we could score on them."

On Friday, Canton got a pair of goals from Michelle Lonigro in a 4-0 triumph at Walled Lake Central.

Russell and Julie Stabnick also scored for the Chiefs, while Michelle Fortier and Lori Stoecklein drew assists.

On Thursday, Canton blanked visiting North Farmington, 2-0, as Stabnick and Amy West scored on corner kicks from Lonigro and Russell, respectively.

FARMINGTON 7, W.L. WESTERN 0: On Friday, the Falcons kept pace with Salem by dumping host Walled Lake Western.

Farmington, which outshot the Warriors 20-5, got two goals each from sisters Leslie and Margaret Martin.

Amy Trunk added a goal and two assists, while Jennifer Misaros and Carrie Maier also scored.

Farmington is 10-1-3 overall.

On Wednesday, the Falcons got three goals from Maier in a 4-2 non-league win at West Bloomfield.

Misaros scored the other Farmington goal.

Falcon goalie Cyndi Rieden stopped eight shots, including one penalty kick.

CHURCHILL 2, STEVENSON 0: In a Livonia city tussle Friday, Dana Dugan and Jamie Kubacki scored for the victorious Chargers, now 11-2-2 overall.

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## Canton slips by Spartans

Mike LaSota's two-run single in the eighth inning broke a 4-4 tie and enabled Plymouth Canton to defeat Livonia Stevenson 7-4 in the first game of a baseball double-header Friday.

Stevenson led 4-0 before the Chiefs scored a pair of runs in the fourth and fifth innings to tie.

Tom Waite pitched the last five innings and got the win in relief of Derek Darkowski.

Pete Mazzoni hit a two-run double to put the Spartans in front early, and Ted Shaymanshi had two doubles and an RBI.

The second game was halted after five innings because of darkness. The split left Canton with a 9-3 overall record.

CANTON 5, NORTHVILLE 0: Mike Sulak turned in a strong pitching performance Wednesday to offset what was a shortage of hits for Canton and lift the Chiefs to a 5-0 shutout of Northville.

Sulak, a sophomore with a 3-1 record, scattered four hits while striking out nine and walking one.

"He gets stronger with every start," Canton coach Fred Crissey said. "We would like to have given him more support, but he does what a pitcher ought to do. He throws strikes and moves the ball around."

The Chiefs had only two more hits than Northville, 6-4, but they made theirs count for more.

Vince Fox had a two-run double during a three-run fifth inning. Joel Riggs had two doubles and two RBI and Tony Boucher added a sacrifice fly for an RBI.

"We have been so hot with the bats," Crissey said. "We didn't go stone cold, but all of a sudden we're looking for some hits. We hit the ball, but we hit it at them."

"It was just nice that Riggs and Fox were able to do what they did."

"When you have only two strikeouts in a high school ball game, you should get more than five runs," he added. "We were glad to get out of there with a 5-0 win."

## Trackmen charge past Patriots

Plymouth Canton evened its boys dual-meet track record at 2-2 Thursday with a 77-60 victory over Livonia Franklin.

Roger Trice, Larry Allman and Brian Carney each won an individual event and helped the Chiefs to two of their three relay victories.

Trice captured first place in the long jump (20-6 1/2), Carney the 100-yard dash (10.26) and Allman the 120 high hurdles (15.73).

Allman, Carney and Trice teamed up with Tyrone Reeves to win the 440 relay (45.7), and the trio combined with Eric Reeves to take the 880 relay in 1:34.11.

CANTON'S JAY SWIECKI was a double winner, capturing the mile and two-mile runs in 4:40.0 and 10:29.0, respectively.

Matt Littleton also had two firsts, one coming in a relay. He was the 440 dash winner (53.3) and was a member of the Chiefs' mile relay team, which included Craig Pitwko, Ron Ziemba and Dave Martin and posted a 3:40.3 time.

### boys track

Canton's other winners were Mike Stutzman in the shot put (44-10 1/2) and Steve Genyk in the high jump (6-0).

"It was a good win for us, coming back from the Salem loss," Chiefs coach Rob Neu said. "We had 15 personal records, so the boys are still working hard and getting better."

BRIAN NEUHARDT and Chris Hill had three first places apiece Thursday to help Plymouth Salem win a showdown with Farmington in Western Lakes Activities Association boys track.

Neuhardt took top honors in all three dashes, winning the 100-meter race in 11.0 on Farmington's track, the 200 in 22.5 and the 400 in 50.6.

Hill won the 300-meter low hurdles in 40.1 and anchored the Rocks' victories in the 400 and 800 relays.

Garrett Bowie, Greg Pahl and LaMar Crayton combined with Hill to win the 400 in 45.6, and Chris Turnbull, Shawn Simms and Bowie carried the baton prior to Hill's anchor run in the 800, which Salem won with a 1:33.9 time.

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## Team balance carries Canton past Franklin

Plymouth Canton got a balanced effort in girls track Thursday as the Chiefs chalked up an 88-60 victory over Livonia Franklin.

Seven athletes won individual events, and Canton defeated the Patriots in three relays.

In the first event, Janet Armstrong won the 100-meter dash (14.94). Tracy Carney the 200 (32.5), Marissa Smith the 400 (1:02.5) and Lori Fontana the 800 (3:01.5).

Canton also won the 400 relay (4:43), the 800 (10:15) and the 1,200 (15:07).

FARMINGTON DEFEATED Plymouth Salem 87-41 in girls track Thursday, dropping the Rocks to 0-4 in dual meets. The Falcons are 2-0.

Salem's Dana Head won the 200-yard dash (32.97) and also anchored the Rocks' victory in the two-mile relay. Nicole Wyrsta, Lee Park, Kristin Hayswood and Head posted a 10:28.45 time in the relay.

Salem's Shelley Maier won the 400 (1:15.4) and Tracy Carney, Lee Park, Amy Hayswood and Kim Maier captured the 800 relay in 3:54.

Farmington's Jennifer King won the mile (6:11.5) and the two-mile (15:22).

# Harrison stays undefeated

Farmington Harrison was every field event to crown Hartsville 94-93 and remain undefeated in boys track with a 4-0 record in dual meets.

In the field events, the Hawks, 3-0 in their division, had double winners in Mark Bennett and Brian Seoder. Bennett won the shot put (49-10) and discus (119-6), and Seoder captured the high jump (6-0) and long jump (20-3).

Harrison's Eric Cole and Eric Wise tied for first place in the pole vault as both reached a maximum height of 12-0.

IN ADDITION, WES Wood won the 300-meter low hurdles (41.1), Aaron Yaverki the 200 dash (23.4), Chad Burgess the 800 run (2:07.1) and Chris Hart the 1,000 run (4:37.6).

The Hawks accomplished their 31-point victory despite winning only one relay, that being the 3,200 in which Brian Mortz, Scott Ratson, Bob Widenhammer and Dave Foss posted a 9:09.3 time.

# Trio leads Canton to win over Patriots

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NORTH FARMINGTON was limited to victories in four events Thursday while losing to a formidable Westland John Glenn boys track team, 102-35.

The Raiders' Chad Henry won the high jump (6-0), Adam Kahn the 300-meter low hurdles (41.3) and Jeff Simpson the 3,200 run (10:33.0).

The North foursome of Bill Krall, Doug Cohen, Henry and Kahn also captured the 800 relay with a 1:39.3 clocking.

John Glenn's Dan Liedel won the 800 (2:08.8) and mile (4:46.4) runs, and Marcus Lowe won the 100 (11.4) and 200 (23.7) dashes.

## the week ahead

PREP GOLF  
Monday, May 11  
Farm. Harrison at Fly. Canton, 4 p.m.  
L.V. Franklin at Northville, 4 p.m.  
W.L. Western at L.V. Churchill, 4 p.m.  
Fly. Salem at Farmington, 4 p.m.  
N. Farmington at L.V. Stevenson, 4 p.m.  
W.L. Central at Wald. Glenn, 4 p.m.  
Red. Thurston at Allen Park, 4 p.m.  
Lutheran North at Clarenceville, 4 p.m.  
U-D High vs. St. Agathe (Post Field), 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 12  
Lincoln Park at Wayne Memorial, 4 p.m.  
Garden City at Dear. Edsel Ford, 4 p.m.  
Inkster Temple at Redford Union, 4 p.m.  
St. Florian vs. St. Agathe (Ford), 4 p.m.  
Catholic Cent. at Harper Woods, 4 p.m.  
Oak Park at L.V. Stevenson, 4 p.m.  
Grandon at Farm. Harrison, 3:30 p.m.

Wednesday, May 13  
L.V. Churchill at Farm. Harrison (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Farmington at N. Farmington (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Fly. Churchill at Farm. Harrison (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Fly. Canton at L.V. Franklin (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Wald. Glenn at Fly. Salem, 4 p.m.  
Fly. Stevenson at W.L. Central (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Trenton at Garden City (2), 3:30 p.m.  
D.H. Crestwood at Red. Thurston, 4 p.m.  
Clarenceville at Harper Woods, 4 p.m.  
Bishop Borgess vs. Warren DeLaSalle at Redford's Capital Pl., 4 p.m.

Thursday, May 14  
Wayne Memorial at Dear. Fordson, 4:15 p.m.  
Wald. Glenn at L.V. Franklin (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Clarenceville at Avondale, 4 p.m.  
St. Agathe at Redford Union, 4 p.m.  
Dearborn at Catholic Cent. (Capital), 4 p.m.  
W.L. Western at N. Farmington, 4 p.m.

Friday, May 15  
N. Farmington at Fly. Canton (2), 3:30 p.m.  
W.L. Central at L.V. Churchill (2), 3:30 p.m.  
L.V. Stevenson at Farm. Harrison (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Fly. Salem at W.L. Western (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Farmington at Northville (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Redford Union at Garden City, 4 p.m.  
Taylor Kennedy at Red. Thurston, 4 p.m.

Saturday, May 16  
(Class A pre-district)  
Garden City at Wayne Memorial, noon.  
(All double-headers unless noted)  
Wald. Glenn at Ypsilanti, 11 a.m.  
Bish. Borgess vs. Brother Rice, 11 a.m.  
St. Agathe at Pontiac Catholic, 11 a.m.  
Catholic Central vs. Warren DeLaSalle at Redford's Capital Park, 11 a.m.

GIRLS SOFTBALL  
Monday, May 11  
Fly. Canton at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.  
Northville at L.V. Franklin, 4 p.m.  
L.V. Churchill at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.  
Farmington at Fly. Salem, 4 p.m.  
L.V. Stevenson at N. Farmington, 4 p.m.  
Wald. Glenn at W.L. Central, 4 p.m.  
Allen Park at Red. Thurston, 4 p.m.  
Clarenceville at Lutheran North, 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 12  
Wayne Memorial at Lincoln Park, 4 p.m.  
Garden City at Dear. Edsel Ford, 4 p.m.  
Inkster Temple at Redford Union, 4 p.m.  
Bish. Borgess at Harper Woods, Regina, 4 p.m.  
L.V. Ladywood at Bish. Gallagher, 4 p.m.  
Farm. Mercy at Elm. Martin (2), 4 p.m.  
St. Agathe at Waterford Our Lady (2), 4 p.m.

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L.V. Franklin at Fly. Canton (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Farm. Harrison at L.V. Churchill, 3:30 p.m.  
N. Farmington at Farmington (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Fly. Salem at Wald. Glenn (2), 3:30 p.m.  
W.L. Central at L.V. Stevenson (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Red. Thurston at D.H. Crestwood, 4 p.m.

Hopewell Woods at Clarenceville, 4 p.m.  
Dear. Edsel Ford at Redford Union, 4 p.m.  
South Lyon at Garden City, 4 p.m.  
Thursday, May 14  
L.V. Franklin at Wald. Glenn (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Dear. Fordson at Wayne Memorial, 4:15 p.m.  
Clarenceville at Avondale, 4 p.m.

(Class A pre-district)  
Redford Union at Farmington, 4 p.m.  
(Class B pre-district)  
Dearborn at Farm. Harrison, 3:30 p.m.  
Friday, May 15  
Fly. Canton at N. Farmington (2), 3:30 p.m.  
L.V. Churchill at W.L. Central (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Farm. Harrison at L.V. Stevenson (2), 3:30 p.m.  
W.L. Western at Fly. Salem (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Northville at Farmington (2), 3:30 p.m.  
Redford Union at Garden City, 4 p.m.  
Red. Thurston at Taylor Kennedy, 4 p.m.  
Bish. Borgess at Elm. Martin (2), 4 p.m.  
Farm. Mercy at L.V. Ladywood (2), 4 p.m.  
St. Agathe vs. Center Line St. Clement at Redford's Capital Park (2), 4 p.m.

Saturday, May 16  
Dearborn at Wald. Glenn (2), 11 a.m.  
Fly. Salem at Garden City (Park), 7 p.m.

BOYS TRACK  
Monday, May 11  
St. Agathe at O.L. St. Mary's, 4 p.m.  
Catholic Cent. at Harper Woods, 4 p.m.  
Bishop Borgess vs. Warren DeLaSalle at Redford Thurston H.S., 4 p.m.  
Tuesday, May 12  
Wayne Memorial at Wyandotte, 4 p.m.  
Red. Thurston at Taylor Truman, 3:30 p.m.  
Avondale at Clarenceville, 4 p.m.

Wednesday, May 13  
Wald. Glenn at W.L. Central, 4 p.m.  
Farmington at N. Farmington, 4 p.m.  
Farm. Harrison at Fly. Canton, 4 p.m.  
L.V. Franklin at L.V. Churchill, 4 p.m.  
Dearborn at Redford Union, 4 p.m.  
Bishop Borgess vs. Catholic Central at Redford Thurston H.S., 4 p.m.

Thursday, May 14  
Monroe at Wayne Memorial, 4 p.m.  
D.H. Crestwood at Clarenceville, 4 p.m.  
Red. Thurston at D.H. Robichaud, 4 p.m.

GIRLS TRACK  
Monday, May 11  
Bish. Borgess, Merion at Ypsilanti, 4 p.m.  
L.V. Ladywood vs. Farm. Hills Mercy at Farmington H.S., 4:30 p.m.  
Tuesday, May 12  
Wyandotte at Wayne Memorial, 4 p.m.  
Red. Thurston at Taylor Truman, 3:30 p.m.  
Avondale at Clarenceville, 4 p.m.

Wednesday, May 13  
Garden City at Romulus, 3:30 p.m.  
W.L. Central at Wald. Glenn, 4 p.m.  
N. Farmington at Fly. Salem, 4 p.m.  
L.V. Stevenson at Farmington, 4 p.m.  
Fly. Canton at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.  
L.V. Churchill at L.V. Franklin, 4 p.m.  
Redford Union at Dearborn (Fordson), 5 p.m.

Thursday, May 14  
Wayne Memorial at Monroe, 4 p.m.  
D.H. Robichaud at Red. Thurston, 4 p.m.  
D.H. Crestwood at Clarenceville, 4 p.m.

GIRLS SOCCER  
Monday, May 11  
Farmington at Fly. Salem, 4 p.m.  
Wednesday, May 13  
Farm. Harrison at Dearborn, 4 p.m.  
Thursday, May 14  
Farm. Harrison at Redford Union, 4 p.m.  
Novi at Garden City, 4 p.m.  
Friday, May 15  
W.L. Western at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.

# Farmington takes track win

Farmington's girls track team remained undefeated in dual meets, extending its record to 3-0 with an 87-41 victory over Plymouth Salem Thursday.

Jennifer Kiel paced the Falcons with victories in the mile (5:51.3) and the two-mile (12:32.9).

Farmington won three field events as Kristi Devine captured the shot put (32-5), Amy Frontier the high jump (4-4) and Allison Frontier the long jump (14-2 1/4).

The Falcons also won both hurdles races, Tonya Bogdan winning the 110 hurdles in 18.3 and Lori Casaroli the 330 hurdles in 49.8.

In running events, Farmington's Jo Fox won the 100 dash (12.1), Allisha Richardson the 200 (38.37) and Anna Quenneville the 800 (2:30.45).

The Falcons also won the 440 re-

## girls track

lay in 55.4 and the mile relay in 4:38.01.

FARMINGTON HARRISON also kept its record perfect by defeating Northville 66 1/2-61 1/2 Thursday. The Hawks are 3-0 in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

Jane Peters paced Harrison with four first places. She won the 100- and 300-meter hurdles in 17.8 and 50.7, respectively, and was a member of two winning relay squads.

Colleen McGreevy, Peters, Stacy Roemer and Maria Chalogianis won

the 800 relay in 1:53.4 and the same foursome came back to take the 1,600 relay in 4:21.2.

Chalogianis had three first places as she also won the 400 dash (55.0). Harrison's Tracy Solomon won the high jump (4-4), and Deanna Pinzel captured the 800 run (2:44.0).

NORTH FARMINGTON won all but two events Thursday as the Raiders dominated Westland John Glenn 98-30 in girls track.

In the field events, North's Cindy

Cramer won the discus (100-10 1/2), Tammy Spengler the high jump (4-6) and Wendy Love the long jump (14-5).

Love also won the 400-meter dash (1:03.0), and Donna Chuba won the 1,600 and tied for first in the 3,200.

Chuba posted a 5:47.7 time in the 1,600, and teammate Alice Jewell matched her time of 13:12.0 in the 3,200.

In other events, North's Lori Wiegand won the 300 hurdles (54.3), DeDe Newman the 100 dash (13.15), Jennifer Stowe the 200 (27.99) and Julie Garczynski the 800 run (2:27.0).

The Raiders also swept the relays, winning the 400 in 54.4, the 800 in 1:52.4, the 1,600 in 4:32.3 and the 3,200 in 10:47.2.

North is 2-1 in the league, and John Glenn dropped to 0-3.

## golf

GIRLS GOLF SCORES  
Friday at Fellows Creek

Livonia Stevenson (256): Jenny Ryan, 61 (medalist); Tina Eklund, 63; Debbie Lorenz, 64; Susan Randall, 67. Dual meet record: 5-2.

Plymouth Canton (278): Stacy Drochechey, 62; Kendall Forresterling, 63; Kelly Theisen, 72; Jan Neasey, 81.

Thursday at Whispering Willows  
Farmington Hills Ripley (254): Linda Cummings, 55 (medalist); Anne Bonczak and Katy Crowley, 65 each; Paul Shotton, 68.

Livonia Franklin (282): JoAnn Hurst, 62; Donna Nelson, 64; Sandra LaJoy, 6; Sibohan Groless, 71. Dual meet record: 3-4.

Wednesday at Whispering Willows  
Livonia Stevenson (278): Tina Eklund, 65; Jenny Ryan, 68; Andrea Kline, 70; Debbie Lorenz, 72.

Livonia Churchill (288): Tracy Geary, 57 (medalist); Michelle Bryant, 69; Inna Simos, 65; Jennifer Luoto, 68.

May 4 at Whispering Willows  
Livonia Franklin (274): Donna Nelson, 65 (medalist); Almay Greens, 68; Darlene Kohn, 70; Sandra LaJoy, 71.

Livonia Stevenson (278): Debbie Lorenz and Andrea Kline, 68 each; Suzanne Randall and Summer Scaggs, 70 each.

## tennis

LIVONIA STEVENSON 4  
LIVONIA FRANKLIN 2

No. 1 singles: Jeff McCalla (LF) led George Gerigk (LS), 6-4, 2-6, 5-3 (halted by rain).

No. 2: Clement Diglio (LS) defeated Paul Fujimoto, 6-4, 4-6, 7-6.

No. 3: Scott Smith (LF) def. Vish Bhagat, 6-3, 6-2.

No. 4: Wally Stroyan (LF) def. Joel Soper, 6-2, 6-2.

No. 1 doubles: Tim Chanko-Kurt Waldner (LS) def. Aaron Tweedy-Chris Mazer, 4-6, 7-5, 6-4.

No. 2: John Bailey-Jeff Wiegall (LS) def. Doug Krause-Jos Collins, 6-0, 6-3.

No. 3: Bob Holycross-Dave Koblaitis (LS) def. Jamie Turner-Jim Miller, 6-0, 6-1.

Dual meet records: Stevenson, 7-4; Franklin 7-3.

LIVONIA CHURCHILL 7  
REDFORD UNION 0

No. 1 singles: Puneet Alawadi (LC) def.

Andy Williams, 6-3, 6-1.

No. 2: Ken Gibbide (LC) def. Todd Bayne, 6-4, 6-1.

No. 3: Nadeem Khan (LC) def. Scott Thomas, 6-0, 5-7, 6-1.

No. 4: Greg Reuter (LC) def. Jay Wilcox, 6-4, 6-1.

No. 1 doubles: Tom Fagan-Ed Yee (LC) def. Rick Hammond-Scott Ivey, 6-0, 6-0.

No. 2: Bob LaChance-Mike Schulte (LC) def. Robert Allen-Kurt Murray, 6-0, 6-0.

No. 3: Aaron Verant-Karl Nagy (LC) def. Marty Brazler-Jay Innes, 6-0, 6-0.

Dual meet records: Churchill, 6-5.

LIVONIA STEVENSON 6  
FARMINGTON HARRISON 1  
Friday at Stevenson

No. 1 singles: George Gerigk (LS) def. Ken Davidson, 6-1, 6-4.

No. 2: Clement Diglio (LS) def. David Jaffe, 7-6, 2-6, 6-3.

No. 3: Vish Bhagat (LS) def. Brian Frederick, 6-2, 6-4.

No. 4: Scott Farabee (FH) def. Matt Downer, 6-4, 6-4.

No. 1 doubles: Tim Chanko-Kurt Waldner (LS) def. Todd Herremans-Chris Sanford, 6-1, 6-0.

No. 2: John Bailey-Jeff Wiegall (LS) def. Chris Riggo-Jamie Ryke, 6-2, 6-2.

No. 3: Bob Holycross-Dave Koblaitis (LS) def. Brad Small-Jason Roenle/d, 6-2, 7-5.

Dual meet records: Stevenson, 6-4.

PLYMOUTH CANTON 3  
LIVONIA CHURCHILL 3  
Friday at Churchill

No. 1 singles: Mike Burt (PC) def. Mike Campbell, 6-0, 6-0.

No. 2: Puneet Alawadi (LC) def. Dan Orlandi, 6-4, 3-6, 7-6.

No. 3: Jim Gallagher (PC) def. Tom Fagan, 7-5, 6-1.

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North Farmington pitcher Rick Karcher held Livonia Churchill batters to only two hits in 4 1/2 innings, but he ended up taking the loss in the Raiders' 12-5 loss to the Chargers.

# Late-inning outburst lifts Chargers to win

## baseball

North Farmington matched Livonia Churchill hit for hit, but the Raiders couldn't equal the Chargers' six-run seventh inning Friday as they dropped a 12-5 baseball decision.

Churchill led 6-3 entering the final inning when it put the game out of reach. North got three runs in the bottom of the inning during a short-lived rally.

Both teams had eight hits, and the Raiders were led by Trent Hiner, who was two-for-three. Joe Sturtz had a double and scored two runs, and Rick Karcher contributed a two-run triple.

Karcher suffered the loss after working 4 1/2 innings. He allowed only two hits, and two of Churchill's two runs scored off him were earned. He walked four and struck out four.

Eric Opalach and Lance Sullivan drove in two runs apiece for the Chargers.

Churchill also won Friday's second game 10-2. North is 3-7 in league games and 3-8 overall.

Farmington's Art Eastman and Jason Connor hit first-inning home runs Friday to get the Falcons off to a fast start and lift their team to a 12-5 baseball win over Livonia Franklin.

Eastman and Connor hit two-run homers to give Farmington a 4-0 lead before the game was a half inning old.

Eastman also had two doubles, was three-for-four, scored two runs and had four RBI, and Connor was two-for-four and scored twice.

In addition, Steve Howell was two-for-three and knocked in three runs, and Brian Townsley had two hits, including a triple, and had two RBI.

Darin Magera, 1-2, was the winning pitcher in relief. He went the last 4 1/2 innings, allowed only one hit and struck out four.

THE FALCONS lost the second game 11-4, but it is the first one that counts in the league standings. Farmington is 2-4 in the division, 3-9 overall.

In the nightcap, the Falcons' Norm Cellinske, Bob Curtis and Dave Mote were two-for-four. Cellinske had a triple and two RBI.

Franklin was led by Brian Whalen, who was three-for-four, and Mike Wenczak and Tim Napier, who both had two RBI.

MIKE HAMMONTREE tossed a three-hitter and struck out 12 as Westland John Glenn defeated North Farmington 15-1 Wednesday.

Rob Knapp, Jerry Haight and Vasey Hill had the only hit off Hammontree, who also walked five in seven innings.

After Glenn had taken an 11-0 lead, the Raiders scored in the bottom of the fifth inning. Knapp and Hill had back-to-back base hits, and Jerry Hakala's sacrifice fly scored Knapp, who pitched the first three innings and suffered the loss.

Glenn's Tom Walker hitted four-for-five, and Clint Strub drove in three runs.

STEVENSON 3, FARMINGTON 1: Art Eastman singled home Farmington's lone run as Livonia Stevenson defeated the Falcons 9-1 Wednesday.

Brian Townsley, who scored as a result of Eastman's base hit, Eric Green and Jason Connor accounted for the remainder of Farmington's four hits.

Stevenson's Mark Wolter was three-for-five, and Rick Sivarakas had two singles and two RBI.

Darin Magera worked 1 1/2 innings for Farmington and took the loss.

## sports shorts

### RACE WINNER

Mike Caudill, a junior at Plymouth Salem High School, won the Bracket 8 championship at Milan Dragway in the Mo-Tech High School Invitational April 25.

Caudill drove a 1965 Ford pickup and ran a time of 17.62. The target time for the Bracket 8 competition was between 17.24 and 17.99.

Caudill had Centennial Educational Park's only first place, but it

helped CEP win the team championship.

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### SOFTBALL TRAVELERS

Any girls 14-16 years old interested in playing for the Mid-America Mustangs, a sponsored, 90-pitch softball travel team, this summer should call Ray Knickerbocker at 455-5893 for further information.

# Salem soccer team eyes championship

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On Wednesday, Stevenson got six goals from Allison Elchhorn and four from Denise Raphael in a 14-3 triumph at Walled Lake Central.

Mary Pelloni added a pair of goals, while Lori Green and Karen Carney contributed one each.

Stevenson is 8-4-4 in league play and 10-4-4 overall.

On Tuesday, Churchill squeaked past Walled Lake Western, 2-1.

N. FARMINGTON 7, HARRISON 0: Jean Anzlovlar led the host

Raiders with a pair of goals Friday in a Western Lakes win over Farmington Harrison.

Christi Aoki, Shelly Hall, Sandy Spahn, Donna and Mo O'Brien also scored for the winners, now 6-9 overall.

On Wednesday, North crushed visiting Walled Lake Central, 6-0, behind Anzlovlar's three goals and three assists.

Kristi McMinn added two goals, both in the first half.

Mo O'Brien also scored for the Raiders.

Goalie Leanne Adle preserved the shutout, stopping five shots.

# Vikings ground Hawks

A six-run fifth inning boosted Walled Lake Central to a 9-4 softball win over Farmington Harrison Friday.

The big inning broke a 1-1 tie and gave the Vikings a big enough advantage to fend off a three-run rally by the Hawks in the bottom of the sixth.

Harrison's Keri Prieskorn, a junior center fielder, had a two-run single in the sixth and was two-for-three for the game.

Sophomore catcher Lisa Donovan also was two-for-three for the Hawks, who slip to 3-4 in the division and 4-7 overall.

Heidi Reyst, 4-6, suffered the defeat, though only two of WLC's runs were earned. She walked four and struck out one.

DAWN MARSZELAC was the winning pitcher, striking out seven Hawks and walking four. Kelly Thayer was two-for-four and stole three bases for the Vikings.

On Wednesday, Harrison used a five-run fifth inning to gain a 7-4 victory over Walled Lake Western.

Aimee Katz' two-run single gave

## softball

the Hawks a 2-0 lead in the third inning, and a bases-loaded, two-run single by Stacie Kool was the big blow in the fifth.

Harrison also was active on the basepaths in the fifth. Katie Doll and Theresa Spisz each had two of the Hawks' five stolen bases in the inning, and Doll had three for the game.

Reyst was the winning pitcher. She recorded five strikeouts and walked one.

JOHN GLENN 1, N. FARMINGTON 0: North Farmington's Robyn Weatherford pitched a two-hitter Wednesday but got little hitting support as Westland John Glenn edged the Raiders.

North, which managed three hits off Glenn pitcher Dawn Williamson, had runners thrown out at home plate in the sixth and seventh innings.

Glenn scored the game's only run on Jenny Okon's sacrifice fly in the fourth inning.

FRANKLIN 5-12, FARMINGTON 3-9: Livonia Franklin rallied twice in the late innings Friday to sweep a softball double-header from Farmington.

In the first game, the Falcons led 2-0 when Franklin scored four times in the bottom of the fifth.

Farmington had a 9-8 lead in the nightcap, but the Patriots tied it in the fifth and won it with three runs in the sixth.

Lisa Rockafellow and Michelle Miller, two of four sophomores who play regularly for the Falcons, were on the losing end of the pitching decisions.

Rockafellow scattered five hits, walked four and struck out one in the first game. She also had an RBI single as did Kirsten Norman.

Farmington pounded out 14 hits

in the second game. Rockafellow, Miller, Becky Phelps and Linda Williams, another sophomore, had three hits apiece, and Rockafellow and Miller knocked in two runs each.

The losses dropped the Falcons to 4-8 in the league, 4-10 overall.

On Wednesday, Farmington's 11 hits did little damage as the Falcons dropped a 10-3 score to Livonia Stevenson, which had 12 hits.

Kelly Koss was two-for-two, Melissa Tisdale two-for-three and Tracey Schroen two-for-four for Farmington. Phelps lost the pitching decision.

MERCY 5-4, REGINA 3-7: Despite giving up 10 hits, Amy Edward pitched Farmington Mercy to a 5-3 victory over Harper Woods Regina in the first game of a double-header Thursday.

Edward struck out six and walked one, and she drove in two runs with a pair of hits. Molly McWood also had two RBI and scored two runs for the winners, 11-3.

## tennis

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No. 4: Steve Schmidt (PC) def. Nadeem Kahn, 7-5, 6-2.

No. 1 doubles: Ehren Koelsch-Rich Gursak (PC) def. Ken Gilbride-Ed Yee, 6-2, 6-3.

No. 2: Bob LaChance-Mike Schultke (LC) def. Jim Allen-Jeff Binder, 6-1, 6-3.

No. 3: Aaron Verant-Karl Nagy (LC) def. Rob Blanzey-Eric Cruz, 2-6, 6-1, 6-3.

PLYMOUTH CANTON 6 FARMINGTON 1 Wednesday at Canton

No. 1 singles: Mike Burt (PC) def. Jim Vanderhill, 6-4, 6-2.

No. 2: Dan Orlandi (PC) def. Scott Cameron, 6-0, 6-1.

No. 3: Jim Gallagher (PC) def. Mike Krygier, 6-4, 6-4.

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The applicant seeks approval under Section 6.2, Paragraph 1 of Zoning Ordinance No. 83. The land is currently zoned R-1-S, Single Family Residential District.

The application may be reviewed during regular business hours, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The Planning Commission will consider the request at its meeting of May 20, 1987, commencing at 7:30 p.m. Written comments concerning the request will be received prior to the meeting. The application review, meeting and address for comment is: Plymouth Charter Township, Department of Planning, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170. Telephone No. 453-3167.

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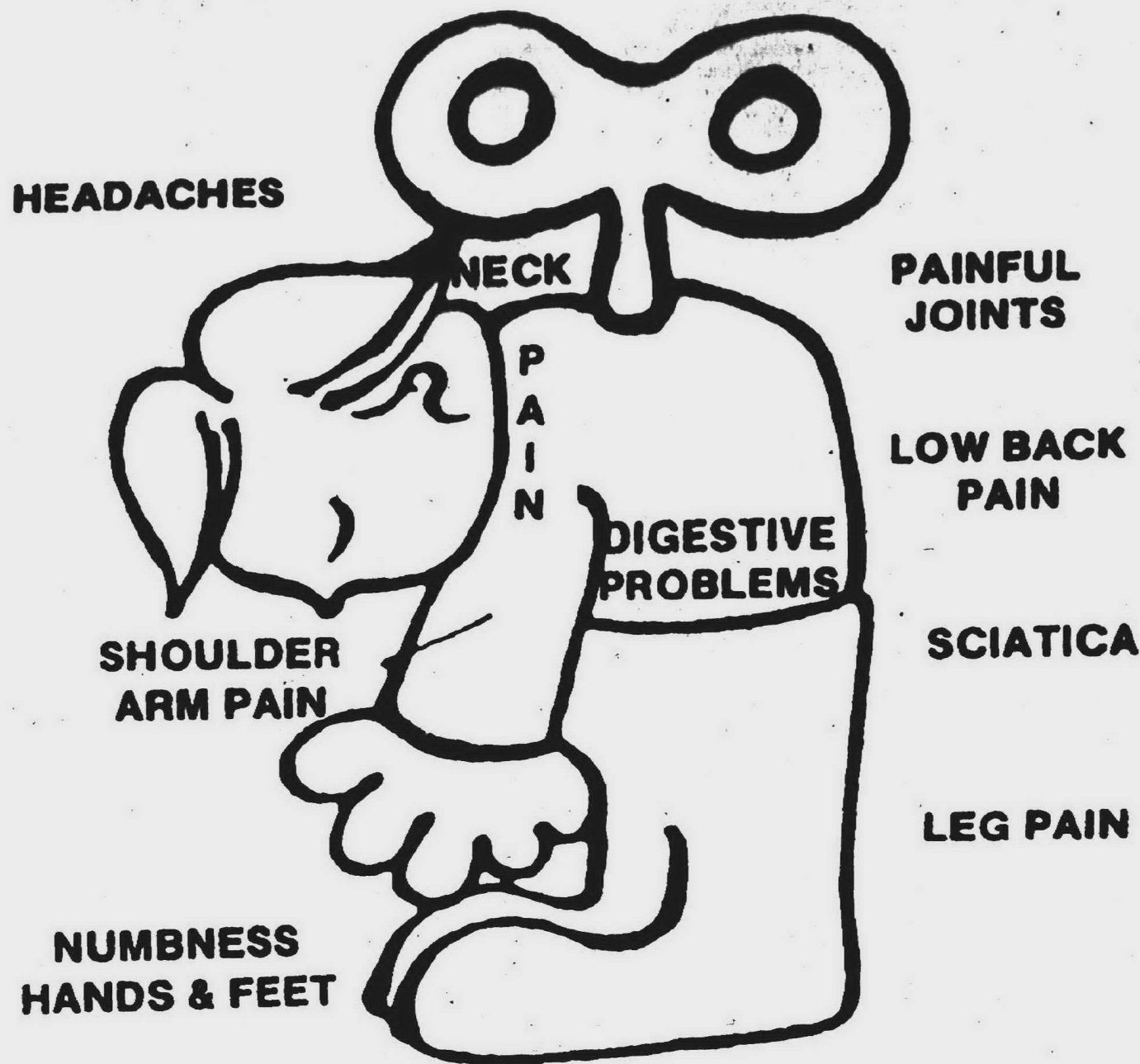
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American touches are three TV sets, with PASS and cable for sports fans. Entertainment includes Irish singer Charlie Taylor on Thursday nights. Pat's People, an internationally known recording and performing group, will perform Fridays-Saturdays beginning May 29.

The menu is highlighted by Ploughman's Lunch, which combines cheeses, relishes, a boiled egg and a petite loaf of french bread. Build-your-own burger is another specialty. Homemade soups, salads, corned beef and cabbage and a steak sandwich from top sirloin are other offerings.

Matthew McGee, who opened the new restaurant, studied culinary arts at Oakland Community College's Orchard Ridge Campus in Farmington Hills. He worked at Knollwood Country Club and Carlos Murphy's and was involved in the opening of Monroe's at Trappers Alley.

Beer and ale include Harp, Guinness, John Courage, Bass Ale, Watney's and 25-ounce cans of Foster Lager from Australia. Mr. McGee's is awaiting approval to serve Woodpecker Hard Cider (6 percent alcohol content) on tap.

The pub is decorated in Irish greens, with stained-glass windows, Irish memorabilia and brass. Hours are 11 a.m. to 2 a.m. Mondays-Saturdays.

**Lunch program**

A "10 to 1" lunch program has been introduced at Trappers Alley in Detroit. For every 10 lunches purchased, the 11th is free. Cards are available from participating food vendors. Applications for Preferred Customer Cards, good for discounts on valet parking and shopping, may be picked up at Trappers Alley.

**Summer menu**

A new menu geared to the spring-summer palate has been introduced by Chef Douglas of Restaurant Douglas in Southfield. Cold soups include gaspacho, vichyssoise and tomato herb bisque, each at \$3. One of the cold dishes is Menage A Trois - Three Salads, at \$9.95. There are hot soups, hot entrees such as Portuguese Egg Sandwich at \$4.50 and Grilled Lamb Chops Champavillon at \$18, and from the sea - selections ranging from Broiled Boston Scrod at \$7.95 to Broiled Braided Salmon at \$24.

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**Sunday Social**

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**'Working Girls' tells dull story**

Two current unrewarding, unentertaining and unpleasant film experiences - "Working Girls" (unrated) and "Gothic" (R) - are guaranteed, in the first instance, to bore you with dull, repetitive images and, in the second, to disgust you with ghastly, perverted fantasies of the night.

Both films indicate just how little restraint filmmakers presently exhibit. They also demonstrate the rating system's hypocrisy, for "Gothic" with its "R" is much more disgusting than the unrated "Working Girls" which, presumably, was not submitted for rating because it would have received an "X" - bad news at the commercial box office. There is no question that both deserve to be X'ed out.

"Working Girls" was co-produced, co-written and directed by former Birmingham resident Linnie Borden, whose first film, "Born in Flames," has been described as a controversial feminist drama. Certainly "Working Girls" presents a unique feminist view of prostitution.

Molly (Louise Smith), a sometimes photographer, is a fresh-faced prostitute whose sympathetic manner attracts customers. Part of her sprightly image involves bicycling to work. Molly lives with her black (female) lover and her daughter.

MOLLY IS ALWAYS in control in this sanitized situation which, according to the film's publicity, represents a significant trend, hygienic brothels where nice girls work their way through college under the aegis of pleasant, albeit greedy, madams - in this case, Lucy (Ellen McEl-duff), a rather silly caricature.

"Working Girls" intentionally avoids sensuality, eroticism and titillation, as Borden did not want to make a film "... that is sexually exciting to men. All the sex is shot from the women's point of view."

Demystifying and deromanticizing sex for sale is a very valid premise but in doing so Borden has drained not only the romance and excitement but the force and the energy of her message, leaving an empty hull.

While there are occasional moments of wit, humor and social commentary, it is hardly credible

that Molly is both unaffected by prostitution and totally in charge of her life. She seems so divorced from the entire process that viewers soon become just as indifferent as she is.

Judy Lurie's camerawork is restrictive and repetitive, boring by virtue of its self-conscious, arty style. Much of the acting and dialogue falls in the same category.

BORDEN DOES the feminist movement, and women in general, a great disservice in pretending that a prostitute can control her own life and, thereby, avoid tiresome office work. "Working Girls" creates a new mystique which denies that there is a qualitative difference between hiring one's brain and renting one's body.

"Working Girls" did not convince me that it is to a woman's advantage to prostitute herself or that such women are in control. Neither can I believe that a woman can cater to male perversity and remain untouched and indifferent. If she can, what does that tell us about the contemporary scene?

Even more damaging, "Working Girls" subtly assuages male guilt by asserting that prostituted women are untroubled by the experience.

YOU DON'T HAVE to be a professor of English Poetry to be offended at "Gothic's" portrayal of Lord Byron (Gabriel Byrne) and Percy Shelley (Julian Sands) as perverse drug addicts with obscene imaginations.

However historically accurate this pretentious British film may be, it is hardly worth the unpleasantness.

Director Ken Russell fails to justify his unending display of disgusting images which, purportedly, depict the genesis of the modern horror genre at the famous ghost-story session on June 16, 1816, at Villa Diodati.

That wicked evening inspired Mary Shelley (Natascha Richardson) to write "Frankenstein" and Dr. Polidori (Timothy Spall) to write "Dracula's" literary forebear, "The Vampire."

Just as "Working Girls" performs a disservice by pretending that prostitution is OK under certain circumstances, "Gothic" falls flat in its own



Louise Smith as Molly looks into the mirror in "Working Girls," a film about prostitution. In background is Marusia Zach as Gina.

crement by assuming that disgusting images equal a good ghost story.

Nightmares, as unpleasant as they might be, often provide interesting topics for conversation, at least with one's analyst. Some surrealist films are similar, the Bunuel-Salvador Dali "Andalusian Dog," for example, which only makes sense with careful scrutiny.

Bunuel and Dali had the good grace to keep their "Dog" under a half-hour but Russell's "Gothic" is

an interminable 90 minutes and no one in his or her right mind would watch it twice, much less try to make sense of it.

The British accents, speed of delivery and Byron's cynical romanticism are hard to follow and the film is an unpleasant trip into the darker reaches of the human mind. Not only does it give British poets a perverted image, it gives a bad name to the very horror movies it pretends to laud.

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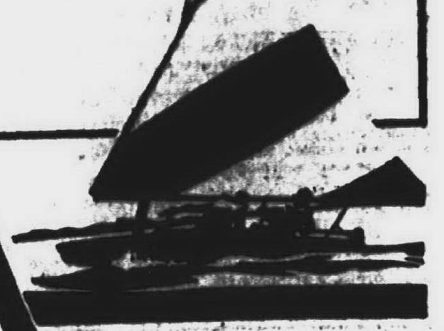
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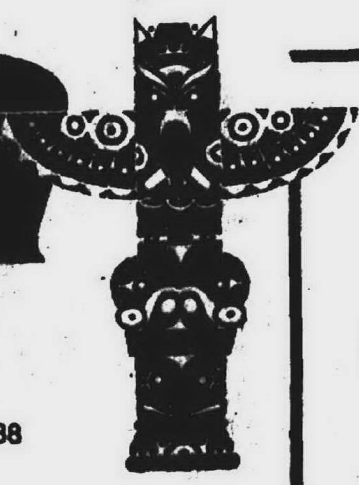
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Disc golfer Bill Phillips of Birmingham shoots from the rough.



## Disc golf

### Frisbees fly on the fairway



Signs map out each of the nine holes at the Wagner Park disc golf course.

By Larry O'Connor  
staff writer

A disc golfer lives for open spaces, a slight breeze at his back and the beauty of flight.

So who is this woman and her pedigreed pooch standing in the middle of the fairway on the dreaded fourth hole at Wagner Park in Royal Oak? Arnie Palmer, dammit, doesn't have to deal with such doggone distractions.

She doesn't realize that she's ruining the most serene moment in a disc golfer's existence when he launches the projectile into full and hopefully uninterrupted flight toward the metal chain basket 434 feet away.

Apparently, she's also unaware that if they don't move soon, a disc could become accidentally embedded in her or the dog's melon.

"Fore!" the disc golfer yelled, finally grabbing the woman's attention. The dog looks up, wags its tail before back pedaling out of the way with its master.

The disc golfer, not too teed off, gets back to the business of teeing off. It's just one of the bugs to be worked out in the fast-growing sport.

If it's not dogs and their owners in

the path, it's kids and bikes. If it's not kids and bikes, it's trees and branches.

In disc golf, there's always something in the way, ready to interrupt concentration.

"Yeah, especially when you go to launch a Frisbee and there's people camped right in the middle of the fairway having a picnic," said Duane Utech of Rochester Hills. "You have some unusual obstacles in this game."

**BUT THE FUN** of disc golf certainly transcends any barriers. Anyone who can heave a Frisbee can play.

The game is played like regular golf. You drive. You chip. You putt. You slice. You bogey.

And you swear. "You have the same type of frustrations like in real golf," added Utech.

Distances to each hole range from 100 to 450 feet. Most courses have nine holes, complete with tee-off area and fairways.

At the end of the fairway are chain baskets, which serve as the final resting place for the disc.

Disc golf has linked up with some growing popularity in its short history.

After roughly eight years of existence, there are 50,000 card-carrying members of the Professional Disc Golfers Association in the Midwest. (You don't have to be a professional to belong.) Darrell Lynn, membership coordinator for PDGA in Memphis, Tenn., said the majority of players are in the 21-35 age group.

There's even a PDGA tour with stops all across the United States and Canada.

"WE'RE GOING to be the sport of the '90s," Lynn proclaimed.

It won't take Mark Kearns, 34, of Southfield until the next decade to figure out what lures him to the disc golf course.

"Just watching the disc is a beautiful thing," Kearns said. "No matter how hard you throw it, the disc just floats in the air. It's a lot different than throwing a ball."

Indeed. Taking in a round of disc

golf at Wagner Park, one starts to feel tranquil as each disc rises and falls unhindered to its destination against the tree-lined backdrop.

No wonder some of the players seemed to be holdovers from the "peace, love — not war" generation of the '60s and '70s. Frisbee games, like Ultimate, are a remnant of that era.

And many disc golfers are current or retired Ultimate players.

"I PLAYED Ultimate Frisbee for awhile," said Scott Monchnik, 27, of Troy. "After I destroyed my body doing that, I decided I'd do something more casual."

For Ron Harris, 28, of Rochester it was the sign at the time that got him hooked on disc golf.

"I went to Stony Creek and I noticed all these signs and baskets," Harris said. "I found out what they were for and got involved with the sport. It's relaxing."

Bill Phillips, 29, an electrical engineer from Birmingham, agrees.

"I like being outside on a nice day and being with people," he said.

On Wednesdays at Wagner, players go off in groups of four. Fellow disc tossers offer praise after a good shot by a partner.

And, likewise, they are hush-hush after a bad shot.

Like regular golf, they carry their own bags. Joe Eagan, for example, has an arsenal of discs.

Eagan, who works in Troy, uses a different disc in various weather conditions. Wind can be a problem.

"Certain discs will cut right through it," he said.

But the engineers at NASA would have a hard time finding a disc that can go through trees. That, along with the human obstacles, give disc golfers fits.

Black and Decker could make a bundle if it got into the disc-making business. If it does, one player in the group is ready to buy stock.

After his drive was stopped cold by an elm, he displayed an uncharacteristic bit of anger for a disc golfer and, *gasp*, cursed.

"Yeah," he said, looking up with a smile. "See how relaxing it is?"



Staff photos by DAN DEAN

Phillips sends his disc toward the "hole" at the Wagner Park disc golf course in Royal Oak.

## Where the disc jockeys can tee off

For those who want to take a fling at disc golf, there are a few places in the area to play.

At some places, there are park fees. Stony Creek MetroPark charges \$2 per car. Rolling Hills Park in Ypsilanti Township charges \$4 for non-residents. There are no greens fees.

**THE STANDARD** piece of equipment is a flying disc. Golf carts or caddies are optional. Frisbees will suffice. But for the serious player, there are discs de-

signed specially for golf.

Golf discs, which are smaller and heavier than the basic Frisbee, are more aerodynamic. The discs, which cost around \$7, can be ordered through the mail.

Rules for the game are also available by mail. For more information, write to: Professional Disc Golfers Association, P.O. Box 2415, Little Rock, Ark., 72203.

But an aspiring player can bypass the post office and head to any one of the following nine-hole courses:

• Wagner Park, Rochester Road, between 12 and 13 Mile roads, Royal Oak.

• Raintree Park, John R Road, south of 17 Mile Road, Troy.

• Stony Creek MetroPark, 26 Mile Road, Shelby Township, 1-800-247-2757.

• Star Jaycee Park, 13 Mile Road, east of Dequindre, Royal Oak.

• Rolling Hills Park, Stony Creek Road, south of I-94, Ypsilanti Township.

## Inside



### In good taste

Food critic Gustibus joins Street Scene to give you a tasty look at how local restaurants stack up. This week he samples the down-home ambience of the Harbor Steak House.

### The Big Chili

A hot time was had by all when a bunch of "renewed" cooks got together at the Great Chili Cook-off in Saline. Where else could you sample "nuclear chili" — or view the site plan for the world's biggest pot of chili?

### Motown sound

Channel 4's "Saturday Night Music Machine" is beaming the Detroit sound to a national audience. Take a look behind the scenes at what makes this "machine" tick.

### Drive-ins drop out

Drive-in movie theaters are fast becoming as rare as '57 Chevys and poodle skirts. For posterity's sake, we've decided to collect a few memories of movies under the stars. So tune up the cheap speaker and fluff up your pillow as we visit drive-in memory lane.

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STEVE FECHT/staff photographer

Miniature golf can really run you through the mill, but it still leaves you laughing. Here Doug Parsons (left), 19, of Detroit and Matt Kujawski, 15, of Livonia joke about Matt's shot at the Yogi Bear course in Northville Township.

## Mini golf's proof is in the putting

By Brian Lysaght  
staff writer

Cheap green plastic carpet covers a concrete floor with a few mounds, curves and mini windmills added to challenge.

Oakland Hills, it ain't.

But where else can you play 18 holes of golf for three bucks?

It's miniature golf, a game some take seriously but, thankfully, most don't. It's a game that's as popular as it's ever been.

Take it from Tiffany Downer, 12, and Sierra Knotts, 13, both of Garden City. They play Ford Road Miniature Golf about once a week, and neither approaches the game or their putts seriously.

They play, in fact, with wreckless abandon, not so much lining up their putts as swatting them.

Why do they play? "Just for the fun of it," the two junior high students say with a giggle.

CHUCK HEIKKINEN, 19, an accounting ma-

jour at Lawrence Institute of Technology, plays for another reason: the challenge. He's serious but he doesn't always get respect.

Heikkinen plays the Wednesday night amateur tournaments at Putt-Putt Golf and Games in Farmington Hills. He putted his way last year to the course record, 95, over 54 holes. Par is 108.

He's thinking about turning professional (Yes — there are professional miniature golfers) but wants to be sure he's good enough. Professionals must slap down \$100 to enter a tournament.

"And that's a lot of money for me," Heikkinen said.

Despite his skill, people are skeptical about his miniature golf seriousness.

"When I talk to my friends, they say, 'You're wasting your time.' I say 'It's my time to waste.' But if I can ever bring back a trophy or a \$1,000 check, I could show them."

Others are just as serious. There are some 200 members nationwide of the Professional Putters Association (PPA). They compete in four major miniature golf tournaments each year.

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STEPHEN CANTRELL/staff photographer

The Harbor Steak House in Orchard Lake serves up good, plentiful food in a country atmosphere.

## Down-home eatery a treat

By D. Gustibus  
Special writer

Your traveling taster visits area eateries and rates them on a 100-point scale. Up to 30 points are awarded for ambiance, which includes general atmosphere and service; 55 points for food; and 15 points for price/value rating. A total count of 59 points or less indicates a restaurant is not recommended, 60-74 points signify from passing to good, 75-89 points designate very good with some extraordinary features, and 90-100 points show that a very special dining experience awaits you.

**HARBOR STEAK HOUSE** (3251 Orchard Lake Road, Orchard Lake; 682-0320) serves up good, plentiful food in a country atmosphere. This is a "down-home" place that caters to local regulars, but it is worth a visit — even if you don't live next door.

Both the bar area and the dining room are quite casual, with paper placemats and napkins. The decor is nautical and includes, for example, stained glass "porthole" windows, mermaid mastheads and mounted fish. An assortment of metal sculptures that are for sale adorn the walls. The overall impression is one of a lakeside tavern.

Television sets in strategic spots show sports events with local teams. Although the restaurant was generally clean, the walls at

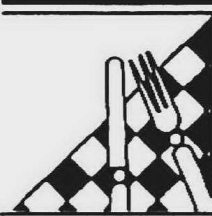
our booth were a bit dirty. We did not have a reservation but were seated immediately. Dinner took an hour and 15 minutes. **GENERAL ATMOSPHERE** — 15 points maximum. Points awarded — 12.

Our waitress was extremely cheerful, helpful and pleasant. She happily complied with our requests. Unfortunately, we did have to ask for water and table clearing. But although the level of service would have been disappointing at a "fancy" place, it was quite adequate for the setting here. In fact, our waitress was one of the most agreeable and enjoyable we have seen in some time. The attitude goes a long way in overcoming a lack of training, and she added to our enjoyment of the restaurant and its food. **SERVICE** — 15 points maximum. Points awarded — 13.

Come with a substantial appetite because the portions are very large. We particularly enjoyed the breaded mushrooms (\$2.75) which were all big, fresh and prepared in a delicious beer batter. The potato skins (\$4.25) were also quite tasty, with lots of potato, cheese and bacon, and a very crisp skin. One could make a meal on the appetizers alone.

There is also a basket of garlic toast with a flavorful, if greasy, appeal.

The mixed drink was average in strength, but the Bloody Mary was very good with a large pickle slice that hit the spot. The house salad that accompanies the entrees was



a counting for taste

D. Gustibus

the one disappointment of the meal. The lettuce was wilted, the dressing flat, and the ingredients showed no imagination. **BEFORE THE ENTREE** — 15 points maximum. Points awarded — 13.

For \$12.95, you get a slice of prime rib — with a bone if you ask — that is too big to finish. The mammoth portion was tender, juicy and very tasty. There is a choice of potatoes, and we tried the trail fries, which were quite good. Although the orange roughly special (\$9.95) was flaky and mild, it was ordinary; the beef was a better choice. But a large serving of glazed carrots added zest and interest to the fish. Although we did not order it, the strip steak also looked exceptionally large and juicy. **ENTREE, VEGETABLES AND GARNISHES** — 30 points maximum. Points awarded — 26.

There is a broad selection of desserts, and the two we tried really hit the spot. A personal favorite was the peanut butter pie (\$2.50), which had an honest-to-goodness, delightful peanut butter flavor. This dish — large as the portion was — could have been even big-

ger for this diner. The carrot cake (\$2), too, was large and satisfying, with almost a fruitcake richness. Leave room for dessert; it's well worth the calories. **DESSERTS** — 10 points maximum. Points awarded — 10.

We really overordered, even so, our bill was only \$45 per couple with tip. An equally satisfying meal could be had for considerably less. But even at the higher amount, this meal represented a good value, with loads of good food in a pleasing setting. **PRICE/VALUE** — 15 points maximum. Points awarded — 13.

**A COUNTING FOR TASTE** — 100 points maximum. Total points awarded — 87. The Harbor Steak House is a treat. Bring the family, a date or some friends, and eat up.

D. Gustibus welcomes your reactions, comments and suggestions of favorite restaurants in the Observer & Eccentric communities. Write to D. Gustibus, in care of Observer & Eccentric, Street Scene, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

## Boss' gifts offer no real benefits

I work for a company that does not provide benefits, insurance or a pension plan of any consequence. The owner is very generous to me as his office manager — tickets to shows, expensive crystal gifts, a good bonus at Christmas, etc. I feel out of line asking for improved benefits. How can I handle this without insulting him?



business  
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Joan K. Dietch

Darling, he is insulting you! The oldest game in business is to shower employees with perks — tax deductible to the employer of course — without providing yearly substantial benefits. Next time bonus or gift-giving occasions arise, say very graciously, "I love these perks, Mr. So and So. However, I find my insurance rates are climbing faster than I can keep up. Eyeglasses, dentists and physical checkups all have to be paid for in cash. I tried to pass on the theater tickets you gave me to my doctor, but he said, 'No thanks.' He preferred cash. It's important to me to discuss with you arranging a benefit program that would apply on a yearly basis. I know a man of your integrity and generosity understands my situation." If this doesn't work, then start looking for another job and make benefits a top priority.

I'm the office manager for a home health organization. Often I'm included in the discussion with people from outside the office staff concerning our services. The officers in our company, the personnel director, vice president of sales and the vice president of publication, all have appointments that come through my office. Then, I'm called in to discuss the details of the business transaction. The company officers never introduce me! You talk about no class. I feel discounted. Also, it makes the officers in the company look like clods. What can I do to give the place some class?

I sense your anger is reaching rage proportions. First of all, there is nothing you can do to change your superiors' behavior. When an outside client is brought through your office, stand up, walk over, offer your hand and say, "I'm Miss (Blank), the office manager for Home Health Organization. Welcome to our offices." When you are called into another office to discuss arrangements, again approach the visiting client (if you did not introduce yourself earlier), offer your hand and clearly state your name. You are totally within the boundaries of good business etiquette by introducing yourself and making your role with the company known. When superiors lack the social graces to make the business run smoothly, the understaffers need to supply the missing poise.

My supervisor has the habit of criticizing the people who work for him in front of others. I have lost respect for him because this seems like such showoff adolescent behavior. Yet, I don't know how to respond.

No wonder you've lost respect. Criticizing an employee in front of others is one of the worst mistakes a manager can make. The manager lowers his or her own image, not the employee's. The next time your supervisor starts to criticize, get up from your desk or wherever you are at the time and move toward the criticizer's office. Keep your eyes locked into his. The steady eye contact will make him instinctively follow you. When you get into the office say, "I always welcome constructive criticism. However, it is far more effective for me when given on a one-to-one basis." Thank the supervisor and leave his office. Do this as graciously as possible every time this unpleasant occurrence happens. You cannot turn a boss into a gentleman or lady. But you can make the situation as comfortable as possible for yourself. Treating rudeness with rudeness never pays. It only reinforces the bad behavior.

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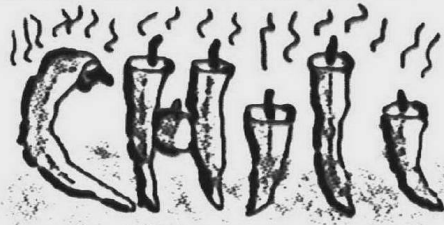
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# Street Scene spills the beans

By Richard Lech  
staff writer

It's probably happened to you. You're sitting around with friends, discussing things to do, and someone suggests, "Say, how about entering the unsanctioned 'renegade' competition at the Great Chili Cook-off in Saline." "A swell idea," you say, "because, unlike the previous day's sanctioned competition, beans and other fillers are allowed."

**SO WHAT** do you do next? Well, we — Street Scene, that is — can give you a few tips because we did exactly that, entered a team in the recent renegade chili cook-off. We didn't win anything, but it was a great learning experience.

First of all, it is a good idea to come prepared. You might want to try fixing a prototype chili at home beforehand, especially if you've never made chili before.

We cooked up three trial pots: regular, hot pepper and beer, and chocolate and raisin. Hot pepper and beer won over regular (too bland) and chocolate and raisin (the description "it doesn't taste as bad as it sounds" is not exactly the stuff of prize-winning chili).

**THE TYPE** of gear you bring also is important. A metal pot and a portable burner are musts. It also is a good idea to bring a cutting board. You do not want to be cutting onions on a pot lid while the rest of your chili crew rushes off to the Saline supermarket to buy a darned cutting board.

The choice of knife also is important. A steak knife may look formidable in your cozy kitchen at home but most competitors come with knives taken from the set of "Conan the Barbarian."

Bring lots of ingredients too. Bring more than you plan on using. You never know when the creative urge will strike. But more importantly, it just looks so intimidating to have rows and rows of spices lined up in front of your cooking spot.

**AFTER YOUR** chili has been bubbling away for several hours, the moment of truth arrives. You are given a tall Styrofoam cup to fill up with chili and take to the judges' tent. Taping a \$5 bill to the bottom of the cup is frowned upon.

After this, the public starts lining up to sample your chili. They pay 25 cents for a little plastic cup of chili, with the proceeds going

toward the National Kidney Foundation of Michigan. If you haven't tasted your chili, you'd better act quickly. The stuff goes faster than you can say "Hungarian banana peppers."

If you're lucky, some people smile and say, "I've come back for seconds." At this point, silently bless his/her/their little hearts. A hug is optional.

Finally, you wait around for the judges' decision. "It is not important who wins," you think. "We are just doing this for the fun. We are just doing this to help a good cause." But do keep any leftover chili peppers. You can crush them with your bare hands when/if you find you didn't win or place.

**SOME OTHER** vignettes from a chilly chili day: Practice made perfect for Phil and Maria Janness' second-place "North of the Border Chili." (Their first attempt, three years ago, was merely close to the border.)

"We cooked a lot of different batches," Phil said. "We cooked a batch for relatives, and I took a batch to work and we served it at a party. Oh yeah, I went on a fishing trip and took some."

The Troy couple refine their chili every year by experimenting with new ingredients, serving the results to family and friends and then by totally ignoring their reactions.

"We don't take a lot of suggestions," Phil admitted. "We enjoy cooking chili and we came here to spectate one year. We decided to develop our own recipe. We got the International Chili Cookbook to find out the rules and regulations and started experimenting."

"Chili started as meat, onions and spices. You're really not supposed to have tomatoes. In some places down South they don't like tomatoes in chili. But we have them."

The couple also add Labatt's Blue ("That's where we get North of the Border") and honey. The honey sweetens and takes the edge off the chili's peppery sting.

**IN HIS FIRST** time competing in a chili cook-off, Bill Fabeck of Bloomfield Hills had the natural misgivings of any beginner.

"I know I'm going to win it, that's why I entered," said Fabeck, who was wearing a red cowboy hat.

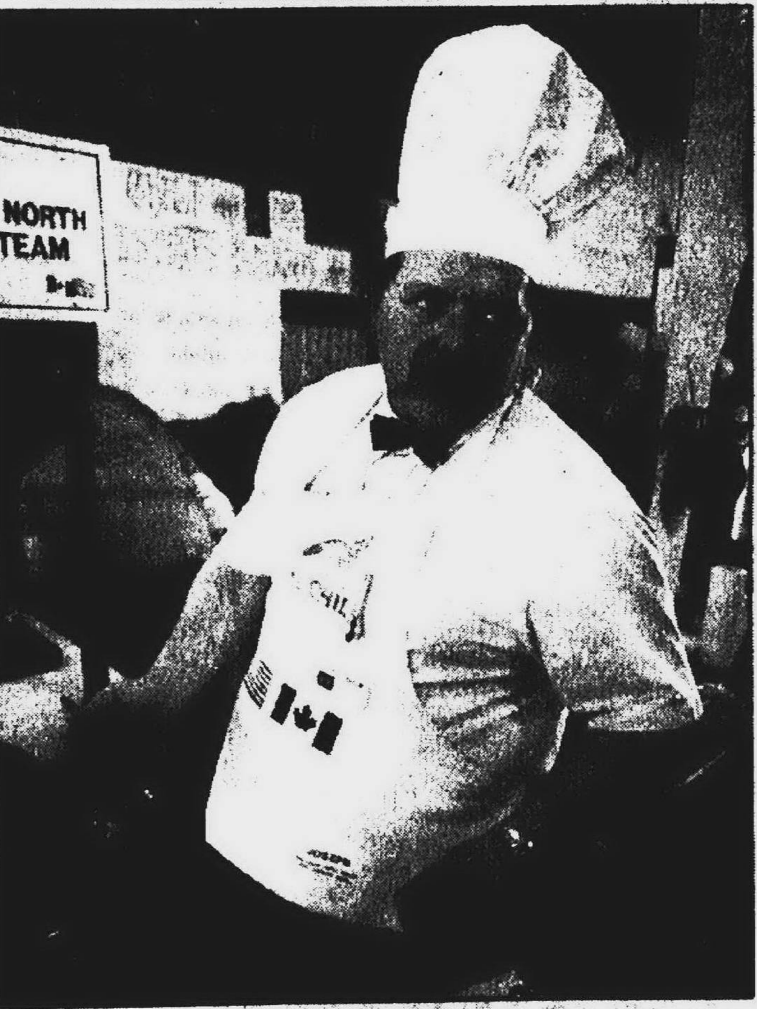
"The reason mine is the best is I have mushrooms and Bob Evans' hot and spicy sausage. That's the little kick on the side with the rest of the ingredients."

Sad to say, however, his "Willie's Chili" didn't win.

Sharon Dargay contributed to this article.



David Frank, Street Scene graphics coordinator, cooks up a batch of Street Scene chili. "People are going to bring in all kinds of arcane chilis," Frank was heard to say, "and they're going to taste ours and say, 'This is good chili.'"



Joseph Wnuk of Westland has drafted a site plan for the world's biggest pot of chili.

## Chili of the gods?

By Richard Lech  
staff writer

Recipe for the world's largest pot of chili (clip and save):

**Ingredients**  
1,000 pounds ground chuck  
200 quarts tomatoes  
Heaven knows how many onions, spices and other ingredients

**Directions**  
Take a pot, 6 feet tall by 6 feet in diameter. Toss in ingredients, let stew. Stir occasionally with canoe oars. Makes 3 tons. Feeds an army large enough to topple most banana republics. Afterward, authenticate the chili with the Guinness Book of World Records people. Then lord it over those polecats out West who sneer when someone mentions Michigan and chili in the same breath.

Just how big is the pot of chili Westland resident Joe Wnuk is planning?  
Why, it's so big that he actually has a site plan for it.  
It's so big that you'd have to climb a scaffold just to get a whiff of it.  
It's so big that the pot will have to be specially made in a machine shop — at a cost of \$4,000.

That is not your ordinary pot of chili. That is not your ordinary pot of anything.

**WNUK AND** his Great White North Chili Cooking Team hope to make this Paul Bunyan-size chili at this year's Michigan State Fair.  
What drives a man to want to make a chili like nothing mankind has ever seen before? Well, getting in that Guinness book, for one thing.

Wnuk, who spends his non-chili time designing cars for American Motors, intends to spend a total of \$10,000 in order to wipe smirks off some Western faces. At this point, he has gotten a preliminary OK from the State Fair people for his dream project, but not final approval.

If he doesn't do it there, though, he probably will do it somewhere. "The Big Chili" is an idea whose time apparently has come.

"I saw in the Guinness book that they had the largest salad and largest pancake, but there was nothing in there about chili," said Wnuk, who competed in both the sanctioned and unsanctioned cook-offs in Saline.

He already is on file with Guinness for setting a world record for putting the most ingredients in a pot of competition chili, two years ago at the Lark Restaurant in West Bloomfield. His team shoved 74 ingredients into that pot (nothing too unchili-like, except maybe the olives).

But there is something else inspiring Wnuk besides getting in The Book. What else dare we call it, in this, Michigan's sesquicentennial year, but pride of state?

"Here in the Eastern states, chili is not as popular as California or Texas," said Wnuk, who has been cooking chili competitively for six years. "A lot of people from here have been down there (to the chili cook-off nationals) but never won."

"That's one of the main reasons I'm doing it, to hype up our chili. People on other side of Mississippi, they laugh at Michigan, that's why I'm doing it."

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Steve Dill doctors up his chili with a surgeon's touch.

## Nuke chili: It's a blast

By Sharon Dargay  
staff writer

Dear Etiquette Adviser:

I'm serving chili to friends Saturday night and plan to set the table with a nuclear annihilation theme. I paneled the kitchen with portable lead containment walls, mapped out escape routes from the dining table to the bathrooms and alerted the Atomic Energy Commission.

Here's my dilemma: I was wondering whether the soup spoons should be placed buffet-style to the right or left of the cooling tower centerpiece?

Also, is it proper, etiquette-wise, to wear goggles and a belt-mounted fire extinguisher while serving? Or just my decontamination garb?

Please answer soon. My dessert (Nuclear Winter Baked Alaska) is beginning to melt down.

If you're searching for that extra decorating touch at mealtime, look no farther than the Great Chili Cook-Off contest.

You probably can't drive a pickup truck into your cooking area as one competitor did. Or create an exotic ambience with a caged Tasmanian Devil at the dining room table.

But you can try a few scaled-down versions.

**BESIDES** A cooling tower replica (to camouflage the chili pot), you'll need flashing yellow lights, atomic symbols and a welcome mat that

says "Entering Nuclear Chili Zone," if you plan to duplicate Leo Buk's winning "Nuclear Chili" booth. Instead of an apron, try a glow-in-the-dark yellow decontamination suit, a belt with fire extinguisher and goggles.

"I have some friends in the nuclear field and nuclear is confinement. So, this is confinement," the Taylor man explained, speaking through the plastic sheeting that separated spectators from the chili pot.

"It's gotten better every year. This year I put up the plastic and the cooling tower."

Buk won first place with the same booth concept in 1985.

"This is a blast, a riot, the best day of the year. You can make a fool of yourself and everyone loves it."

Just one word of warning before trying your own display at home: Be sure to check local zoning ordinances. There's nothing more embarrassing than the city building inspector raiding your dinner party because you forgot to get a site plan or variance.

**MEANWHILE,** if you're planning a chili theme party, don't worry about mixing food metaphors. If chili conjures up visions of surgeons in scrub suits instead of cowboys and senoritas, go for it.

Surgeons eat too, don't they? "Someone we know works in a doctor's office, so they got us all this," explained Elsie Landin, Union Lake, as her daughter-in-law ar-



Leo Buk's nuclear chili was safely contained behind plastic sheeting. Any nuclear spills were purely accidental.

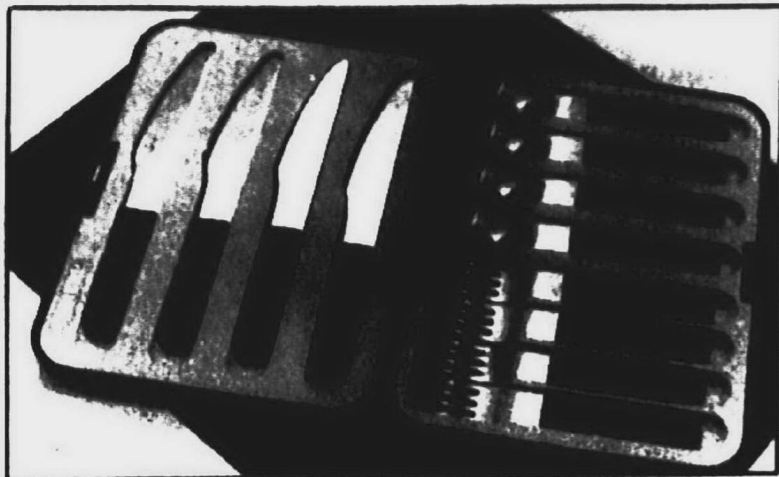
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Dishing It out

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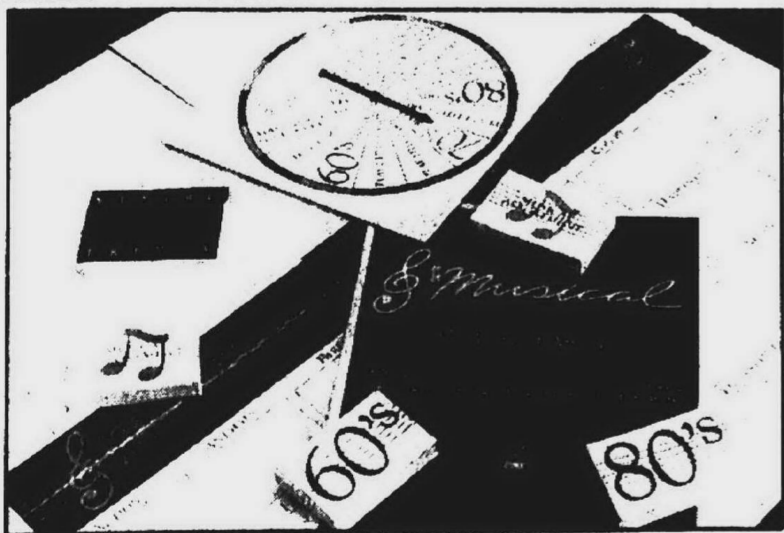
Art In motion

This contemporary ceramic sculpture is No. 9 of 200. Standing approximately 18 inches tall, the hip young man makes you want to move and groove along with him. Hand-signed by the artist, he's entitled "Dancer." The collection also includes a set of senior citizen tourists, a scuba diver and a body builder. Carried exclusively at Twigs, Birmingham. Dancer is \$328.



Ear Art

New York jewelry designer Eric Beamon does it again with these lightweight bone and silver tone earrings with antique bezels. The neutral light color makes them a smart addition to your summer wardrobe while the natural materials allow them to coordinate with your fall clothing as well. \$95 at Twigs, Birmingham.



Right on pitch

There's a new fun way to pass the time — thanks to two area women who have invented this musical trivia game. Free your mind of the dust and cobwebs and recall your favorite tunes and recording artists from the '40s, '60s and '80s. Great for family parties. Play it again, Sam... At the Birmingham Bookstore, \$31.95.

Head-topper eye popper

Look no further — here's the perfect summer head-topper for your favorite male charmer. This baseball style cap comes in a variety of colors featuring bikini clad cutie on top. Great Fathers Day gift that's sure to be a conversation piece on the golf course or behind a lawn mower. \$12.95 in a variety of colors at the Bobette Shop, Colony Square Shopping Center, Pontiac.



STREET WISE

Lyric strings

The Lyric Chamber Ensemble will continue its series of concerts at local churches with a performance at 7 p.m. Sunday at Northminster Presbyterian Church in Troy. The ensemble will perform Mozart's String Quartet K465 and Beethoven's String Quartet Opus 39. The church choir also will perform. Tickets are \$4, \$4 for senior citizens and students. (Northminster Presbyterian Church, 3633 W. Big Beaver, Troy; 357-1111.)

Chal there

The 10th annual Chal runs will be Sunday at the Jewish Community Center in West Bloomfield. The one-miler will start at 8 a.m., with three-, six-, 12- and 18-milers starting at 8:30 a.m. Registration is \$12. (Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple, West Bloomfield; 661-1000, Ext. 301.)

Come to the cabaret

A lineup of stars led by Whitney Mansion vocalist Kate Patterson will sing, dance, joke, act and mime its way through a "Salute to Michigan Performing Artists" Sunday at the Community House in Birmingham. Chanteuse Sheri Nichols and modern minstrel/producer Phil

Marcus Esser are among the other stars in this cabaret showcase. The program begins at 2:30 p.m. with hors d'oeuvres and wine in the Community House lounge. The event will benefit the Forum Foundation, a charitable foundation making gifts in Michigan's lesbian/gay community. Tickets are \$38. (Community House, 380 S. Bates, Birmingham; 569-3799.)

Rocking the computer

John Cascella, keyboard player for John Cougar Mellencamp, will be in Canton Township on Saturday to discuss using a personal computer to both write and play music. He will be speaking at a seminar scheduled for 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Arnoldt Williams Music. Computer Horizons, a Livonia computer store, is cosponsoring the event, called the MIDI Capability Seminar. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. The fee is \$10. (Arnoldt Williams, 5701 Canton Center Road, just north of Ford, Canton Township; 464-6502.)

Prints of a guy

Monte Nagler, photography columnist for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, will present his finest works and offer his expertise in photography at Foland's Third Annual International Camera Fair and Sale. He will be at Foland's Warren

store, 4100 14 Mile, 6-9 p.m. Friday, and at the Livonia store, 29751 Plymouth, 2-4 p.m. Saturday. Nagler studied under Ansel Adams, and his black-and-white photographs are large in both size and scope.

Recycled

The Ecology Center Bikeathon, originally scheduled for Sunday, May 3, but postponed because of rainy weather, has been rescheduled for this Sunday in Ann Arbor. The schedule: 100-mile riders will start at 8 a.m., 58-mile riders will start at 9 a.m., and 28- and 14-mile riders can begin to register at 10 a.m. and may start their ride between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. For more information, call the Ecology Center at 761-3186.

Going In cycles

Three thousand bicyclists are expected for the annual Wolverine 200-Mile Bike Marathon. The event will take place 10 a.m. Saturday to 10 a.m. Sunday on Belle Isle. The entry fee is \$12. Free camping is allowed on the island. For more information, call 547-0050.

Tharp outfit

The Twyla Tharp Dance Company will bring its post-modern style of choreography to the Music Hall starting this week. Among Tharp's credits are the choreography for

such films as "Hair," "Amadeus" and "White Nights." The upcoming show features the new works "In the Upper Room" and "Ballare," a classical piece set to Mozart's Sonata in D. The show will be performed at 8 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday. (Music Hall, 350 Madison, Detroit; 963-7680.)

Grand old opera

The Michigan Opera Theatre is presenting Puccini's "Tosca" through Saturday at the Masonic Temple in Detroit. The performance, part of MOT's Spring International Grand Opera Series, start at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$15-40. (Masonic Temple Theatre, 500 Temple, Detroit; 874-7464.)

Robbing hood

Jimmy Cagney may have wanted to be remembered as just a song and dance man, but posterity will remember him more for his hard-boiled gangster roles. One of his best tough-guy films, "White Heat," will be shown at 7 and 9:30 p.m. Saturday at the Detroit Film Theatre. (Detroit Film Theatre, Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward, Detroit; 832-2730.)

Got something interesting in the works? Send your information to Richard Lech, Street Wise, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

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ranged tongue depressors and rubber gloves on the cutting table at her booth.

They and husbands Gary Landin and Steve Dill doctored up jars of Ortega "Thick 'N Chunky" with sausage, tabasco and other secret ingredients in a dinner-theater-style atmosphere that included scrub suits and masks. The sign overhead read "Dr. Dilly's Preparation Hot Chili And His Team Of Proctologists."

"Did the patient survive?" asked one passerby.

"You'll have to ask the judges that question," Elsie replied.

Duplicate the Dr. Dill theme with a few yards of gauze, pill boxes and

scrubs. Hang powerful lights around the dining room, hand out the silverware as though you were passing surgical instruments and use a few carefully rehearsed phrases in dinner table conversation:

"We're losing fluid, doctor."

"There's another six-pack in the basement, nurse."

OK, ARE YOU ready to make your own dinner display at home? Here are a few suggestions, taken from other Chili Cook-Off displays.

• Try a nautical theme with netting, sailor hats and cute galley signs. Hang starfish and shells on the netting. Practice saying things at the table like "Ahoy, please pass the crackers to my starboard side." (As

seen at the booth of Plymouth's Carol Dujcik and crew.)

• Rent about a dozen stuffed animal heads from a taxidermist. Arrange them around the dining room. Wear a cowboy hat and plaid, flannel shirt.

• Call your chill "Armadillo Chili," and just let the guests wonder.

• Encase the dining room table in a bamboo cage, hang exotic flowers, around and cook the chili in a cast iron pot. Pretend you're in Tasmania.

• Make unique gifts from leftover chile peppers — a lace and pepper nosegay, a kazoo, or pierced earrings — and give them to guests or display them with your best china.

Premiere's Monday, May 18, 1987!!

LUV SCENE



"LUV SCENE," an exciting new service, will debut Monday, May 18, as part of our STREET SCENE section. If you are looking for a special someone who will enrich your life, LUV SCENE is the place to begin. Here is an example of a typical Luv message:

Young women, 24, with interests in sports, dancing, fireside conversations, good wine gourmet cooking, and long walks in the twilight, wishes to meet gentlemen who shares similar interests. Must be between 25-30 years old. Please send photo, phone number and address to Box 0000 Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, MI 48150

We will keep your name and telephone number confidential; the box number will allow us to identify your replies. Studies have shown that our readers are high income, educated professionals. So if you are searching for a bit of "luv" in your life, why not try "LUV SCENE?"

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# Hitting a high note across the USA

By Mary Rodrigue  
Staff Writer

Gills and flesh and a howling crowd are the props behind WDIV's "Saturday Night Music Machine," where contestants sing their hearts out in competition for prizes and a crack at more than fleeting fame.

The show is built into the set at Taboo, a nightclub in Detroit's warehouse district designed with "Music Machine" in mind. The crowd is pumped up by staffers before producer/host Curtis Gadson takes center stage for the half-hour show broadcast Saturdays at 7:30 p.m. on Channel 4.

The idea to showcase Detroit-area singing talent on national television — is taking hold across the country.

"Music Machine" taped its 13th show, the season finale, Tuesday night at Taboo. The reigning champ, Bonnie Peele, squared off against three challengers in a battle for Entertainer of the Year. To find out who wins a grand piano, trip for two to London, England, and a recording contract, tune into the show June 27.

"One of the good things about this show is that it proves you don't have to go to the East or West Coast to produce top quality entertainment," said Eileen Wunderlich, publicity manager for the show.

"The comments we've received is that it's very slick and has a lot more sparkle than expected from a show produced in Detroit."

**THE SHOW BEGAN** locally as a pilot in February 1983 and returned that fall as a regular series.

"It was popular from the beginning," said Reuben Abraham, a WDIV-publicity assistant. "It is the number-one rated show in the 18 to 34 age group. And it is really difficult for a local show on opposite a network show. But it has done great in the ratings."

The average for the first three seasons was a 17 Arbitron rating and 33 share, according to station research assistant Marianne Rush. The closest competitor has been "Small Wonder," the CBS offering, which regularly beats out ABC's "Entertainment This Week."

Since filming of the fourth season was delayed until April 4, while a national syndication deal was being worked out, ratings figures aren't yet available.

"The response has been very good so far. Seven shows have aired and we've had lots of letters sent in from hopeful contestants across the country," said Wunderlich.

Channel 4's "Go 4 It" promotion of 1982 was the springboard behind "Music Machine." The promotion called upon local talent to sing a station theme song and WDIV was inundated by the response.

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— Eileen Wunderlich  
publicity manager

"The idea was, there's so much talent in Detroit, why not create a show?" Abraham said.

GADSON, a recording star himself, was involved in the "Go 4 It" talent search and became the "Music Machine's" producer and host.

Talent was scouted from area shopping malls, including Troy's Oakland Mall and Wonderland in Livonia.

"If a singer could go up in front of a mall audience and perform, it showed us their integrity," said Abraham, who has enjoyed watching blue-jean-clad contestants transformed from their initial mall performances to their on-air debut in glamorous garb at glitzy Taboo.

Each show features three contestants who are judged by a panel of celebrities. As with "Jeopardy!," the reigning champion returns for the next show. Contestants have included singers from just about every metro Detroit locale, including Livonia, Troy and Birmingham.

Celebrity judges have included Pat Sajak, Vanna White, Phyllis Diller and Casey Kasem. The panel for the season finale includes Telma Hopkins of NBC's "Gimme a Break" and a former member of Tony Orlando's Dawn, jazz guitarist and Grammy winner Earl Klugh, NBC soap star Gloria Loring and Ken Komisar, vice president of Atlantic Records.

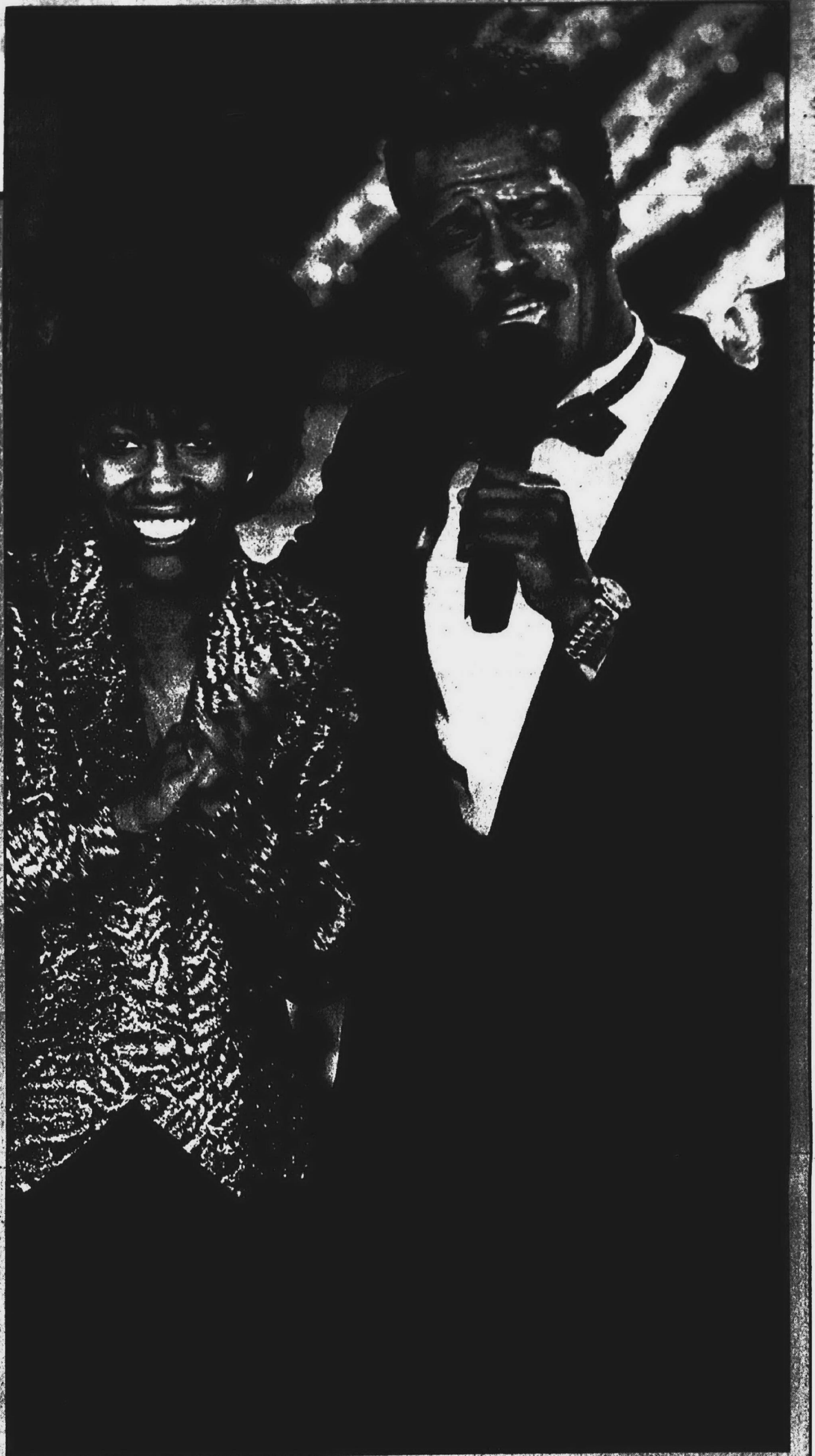
"It has the excitement of a game show and the sizzle of an entertainment show," explained Wunderlich in describing its appeal.

WHILE LIVING in Los Angeles, Wunderlich worked on the nationally syndicated "Dance Fever," a similar show with celebrity judges.

"Like 'American Bandstand,' 'Music Machine' has a lot of followers," she said.

It has also been a springboard for local talent. One former contestant is the star of a national jeans commercial and another is now a backup singer for Bob Seger.

"Since we are only half way through our first season in national syndication, I'm not sure what will happen," Wunderlich said. "We expect it to continue as a local show and hope to keep it in national syndication."



Producer/host Curtis Gadson ends a recent "Saturday Night Music Machine" by taking the mike himself to sing, while Toni Johnson listens in. Johnson was selected Entertainer of the Year.



(Above) Celebrity judges Gloria Loring (left), Earl Klugh, Telma Hopkins and Ken Komisar share a laugh with Gadson. (Right) Technical director Chuck Chave (left) and assistant Scott Lelser direct things from the main control room in a truck just outside Club Taboo.



STEVE FECHT/staff photographer

Many mini golf holes offer something you can really bank on.

## Mini golf offers maxi fun

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The PPA is run by the Putt-Putt Golf Course Association in Fayetteville, N.C. Putt-Putt, by the way, is a registered trademark. The PPGCA, which has franchise courses across the country, owns the name.

"It's a very competitive type of sport," said Sharon Johnson, PPGPA spokeswoman.

DOWNER AND Knotts would agree. On their outing last week, Knotts was keeping score and she won. Downer said she usually wins.

"We always argue about who wins," said Downer.

They say the toughest hole on the Ford Road course, though it varies, is the Ant Hill, number 14. "My brother took 47 times to get it in this hole," said Knotts.

Heikkinen says the toughest hole on the Farmington Hills Putt-Putt is course three's number

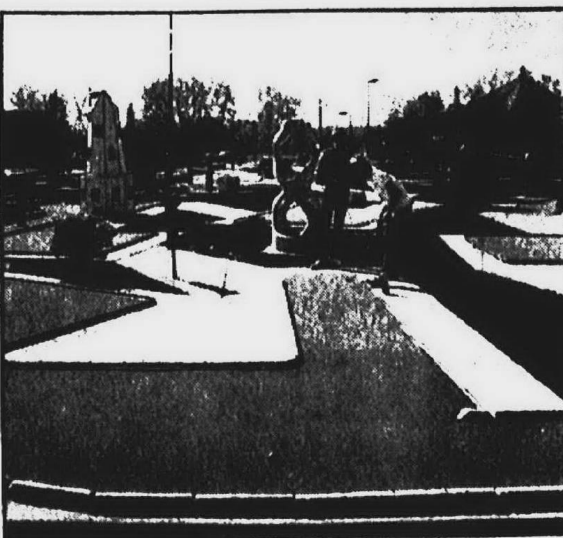
seven, with its angles, banks and obstructions.

"I've seen sevens and eights taken on that hole by some good putters," Heikkinen said.

This article's author found himself on the mini golf course recently. It took a few rounds to get beyond embarrassment. None of the courses were very difficult but most of them were fun.

A personal favorite course was Puttin' Time in Redford. The course is traditional. It features zany obstructions like the life-sized zebra on hole number four and a large bullfrog on number three. Hole number 10 has one of those windmills with revolving sails that require a well-timed putt. Carved on the windmill in the shape of a heart is a vow of miniature golf love: "Brad and Karrie," it says.

The favorite hole, though, is number 17. It features a well-lit, 8-foot smiling kangaroo. This course also features the blare of traffic from nearby Telegraph Road. Oakland Hills, it ain't.



## Where miniature golf is par for the course

A few courses for your putting pleasure:

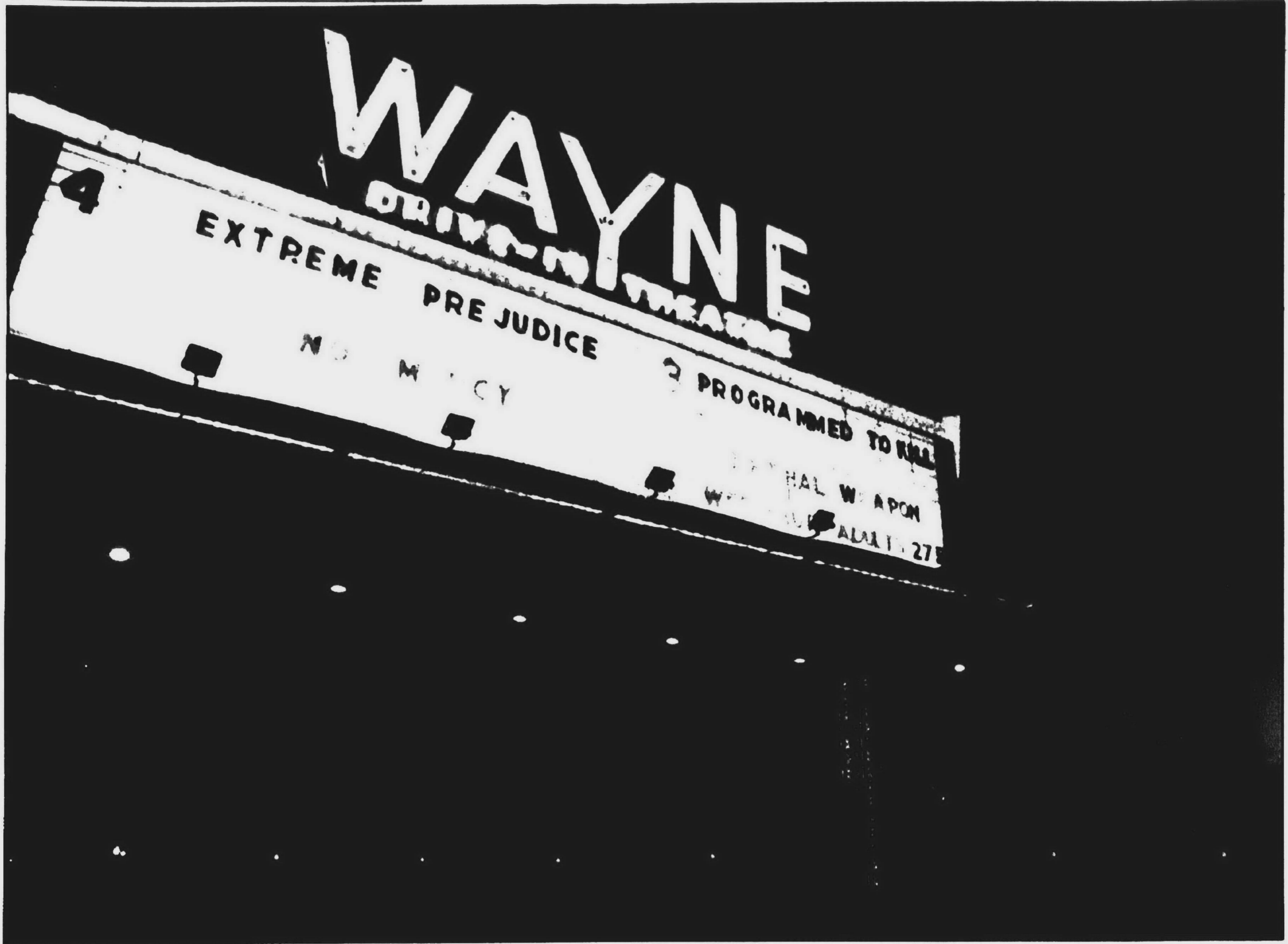
● Oasis-Yogi Miniature Golf, 39500 Five Mile, Northville, 420-4653. Hours: 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. (11 p.m. in summer). Two 18-hole courses. \$2.50 for players over 7 years old.

● Putt-Putt Golf and Games, 30749 Grand River, Farmington Hills, 471-4700. Hours 11 a.m. to midnight Saturday (summer 9 a.m. to 1 a.m.) Three 18-hole courses.

Amateur tournaments Wednesday nights. Tough holes: try number 7 on course 3, or no. 18 on course 2.

● Puttin' Time, 9059 Telegraph, Redford, 532-8888. Hours: 3-10 p.m. (10 a.m. to midnight in summer). 18 holes. \$2 before 6 p.m., \$2.50 after. Tough holes: numbers 10 or six.

● Ford Road Miniature Golf, 29060 Ford, Garden City, 425-9816. Hours: 2-11 p.m. Tough holes: try no. 5 or 14.



The Wayne Drive-In in Wayne is one of the last of a dying breed.

JERRY ZOLYNSKY/staff photographer

The hand butter churn . . . the horse-driven plow . . . the drive-in movie theater.

These are relics of an America that is no more. Well, the drive-in has not disappeared completely. There are still a few in operation here and there, such as the Wayne and Grand River drive-ins.

More and more drive-ins, though, are vanishing under the wrecker's ball to become — at least in a couple of cases — Toys R Us stores.

That's progress?

**GOOD HISTORIANS** that we are, we've decided to preserve some memories of what drive-ins were like.

Some day we will be able to tell our grandchildren of the time when cartoons were shown in broad daylight, when people brought pillows with them to the movies, and when you could watch the stars in the sky as well as the stars on the screen.

Here are some other memories.

What I remember most about drive-ins is how slowly time went there. Not during the movies, but before the shows and during the intermission. We used to pile into our car — me, my ma, a lady down the street and her three kids — and get to the drive-in in plenty of time to get a good place to park.

Unfortunately, it was always still light, and though they had a little playground up by the screen, the time just dragged. It would never get dark. During intermissions, they flashed a 10-minute countdown on the screen while they enticed you to stuff your face at the concession stand. We always had bags of food and pop we'd brought from home, and it was amazing how much you could eat while waiting for the 7 to turn into a 6.

Two brief memories from later days. I was engaged, and neither I nor my future wife had ever made out in a drive-in, something we thought we should remedy before we got married. I mean, this was 1969 America, and there were certain rituals that had to be obeyed.

We got there, waited for it to get dark and went into a clinch. But we felt so silly with the crunch of gravel out the window as people walked by, and the knowledge that there were carloads of people to the left and right who (we were sure) were staring at us, that we ended up watching the whole movie.

Then I remember a buddy who owned a Rambler that had fully reclining seats. Not that he knew what to do with fully reclining seats, but he took great pride in the fact that most drive-ins banned that make of Rambler as too much of an assault on mid-'60s morality.

— Tom Henderson

I sometimes used to accompany a buddy of mine who liked to slip in through the exit at the Wayne Drive-In. I can't remember ever getting caught. Often, however, his car would be without a muffler. We would make quite a disturbance coming in.

— Brian Lysaght

You could say I was born (not conceived) by the light of a drive-in movie screen. I entered the world at Holy Cross Hospital in Detroit, which was oh so close to the Bel-Air Drive-In.

When I was a kid drive-ins would put on big fireworks shows for holidays such as the Fourth of July. It was always a treat to stand outside my cousin's house on the east side of Detroit and watch the fireworks go off at the Bel-Air about a mile and a half away. One special time my family actually was at the Troy Drive-In when a fireworks show took place. Talk about day becoming night! I was thrilled.

# DRIVE-INS

## Flickering memories

A couple of times my aunt and uncle who lived on Pontiac Lake would have all the cousins stay over for a week of fun. The week's evening highlight was a trip to the drive-in.

One year, when I was about 7, we went to see a triple bill of "Song of the South," some movie about Jesus and "Noah's Ark." I slept through the Jesus movie — you could do that kind of thing very easily at a drive-in — but was looking forward to the one about Noah. After all, it promised to have lots of animals in it.

Imagine my disappointment when it turned out to be an old silent turkey with narration tacked on. The only thing I remember about it is some guy being tortured by having to push a stationary wheel around. I didn't know who was being tortured more, him or me.

Many years later our aunt gave us the choice of seeing "Flipper's New Adventure" at the Miracle Mile or "Viva Las Vegas" with Elvis at the Blue Sky. Elvis won hands down — especially because he was double

billed with John Wayne in "The Comancheros." John Wayne and Elvis Presley on the same bill? Gad, it sounded like a Voice of America show put together to show the natives of Rangoon what America was all about.

But my aunt, to whom our parents had entrusted us in good faith and who had been lobbying for Flipper, recalled squirming in her seat as Ann-Margret squirmed on the screen in some rather wild (for the time) Vegas dance numbers. She needn't have worried. At that stage, we were more interested in watching the car racing scenes and seeing how the Duke was going to mop up them varmints who were selling guns to the Comanches.

— Richard Lech

When my oldest son, Herschel (now 17) was an infant, about 2-3 months old, my wife and I took him in a car seat to the Algiers Drive-In, opposite Westland

Center. We saw the original "M\*A\*S\*H" movie and missed a lot of the dialogue because Herschel was making a lot of noise in the back of the 1967 Chevelle.

It was the first time we took him to a movie to avoid the cost of a baby sitter. It also was the last that I remember.

The Algiers was torn down two years ago to make way for a retail shopping center.

— Leonard Poger

Drive-in movies used to be a major part of my life, especially the teenage years and the years when I was the mother of young children. Where else could you take a gang of kids for an entire evening for the kingly sum of \$2.50? I managed to do this because buying refreshments at the theater, by a family rule, was strictly forbidden.

We would put our dinner of hot dogs, chips and fruit in Thermoses and bags and get to the drive-in at least an hour before the movie started in order to eat picnic style. It was crowded, messy and maddening, but the kids loved it.

One early spring evening my friend Marilyn and I decided to take the kids to the Wayne Drive-In. At that time, most of that theater was not paved, and the ramps consisted of graded gravel. Of course, Marilyn and I took both of our cars. We weren't fools, you know. We had, between us, seven kids under 8 years old. We were going to put the kids and Randy, the dog, in my station wagon, and Marilyn and I were going to sit in her Volkswagen.

We got to the drive-in early, as usual, and I led the way in finding the perfect place. Being inclined to stupidity at times, I decided I would have some fun and lead Marilyn in a game of follow-the-leader. Down one aisle I went, then over a ramp, turn and head down another and over another ramp. I had just gone over my fourth ramp when *whomp!* the car was in a mudhole up to the floorboards.

I opened the door and looked back at Marilyn, who was at the top of the ramp.

"I'm stuck!" I yelled.

"Don't worry," she called. "I'll push you out."

I was frozen in horror! She was going to push my station wagon out of a mudhole with her Volkswagen Beetle when her bumper was at least a foot above mine? Before I could stop her, her bumper closed on my tailgate. I jumped out of my car, landing in mud up to my knees.

"Are you trying to run us over?!" I screamed as the hinges on my tailgate gave way.

The drive-in had to get a tractor to remove my car, and I never could get that tailgate open again. To top off the evening, as if destroying the car wasn't enough, the dog escaped just before the movie ended. Between his running under cars and barking, and the nine of us scrambling and calling after him, we caused a near riot.

Did I learn my lesson? Of course not! Well, actually I did. I made Marilyn lead the way after that.

— Helen Furcean

The year was 1974. Being a curious young college student, I readily joined a carful of other youths equally curious about the movie fare offered at the notorious Scio Drive-In outside Ann Arbor. The drive-in was noted for its showing of X-rated flicks, you see.

It was midway through one particularly arty movie — in fact, a couple was in earnest communication, when a small dark spot appeared in the middle of the frame. The spot actually was a burn that soon engulfed the whole frame. It appeared the pair of lovers was being sent to burning hell, which put a bunch of car-honking movie-goers doubled over in laughter.

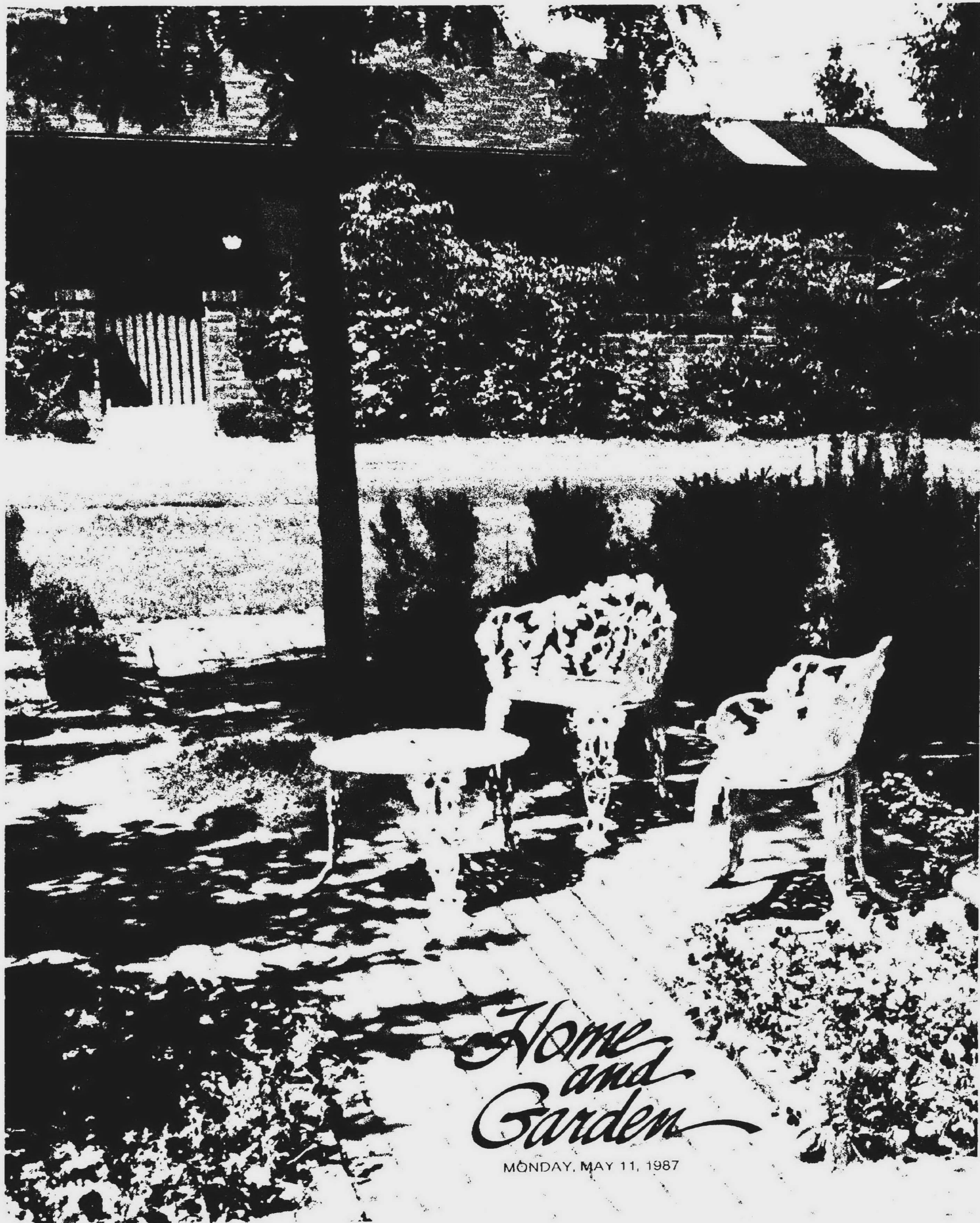
— Kevin Brown



JERRY ZOLYNSKY/staff photographer

Cars lining up for the drive-in, a scene that's fast disappearing from the American landscape.





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## Bath remodeling has eye appeal

**M**ANY PEOPLE who have decided to remodel their homes one drop at a time are choosing to start in the bathroom, with everything from faucet fixtures to tubs and toilets.

Whirlpools, exercise equipment, tubular glass shower stalls — all exemplify some new ideas in bathroom designs.

Some bathtubs in high-rise apartments, for example, are being placed next to the window, giving bathers a panoramic view of the skyline. In some country homes, shower stalls have one side opening into the surrounding woodlands. And, where possible, some new bathrooms feature irregularly shaped tubs in the center of a mosaic-tiled room surrounded by palms and cactus.

**INTERIOR DESIGNER** David Frye of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., recently created a turn-of-the-century bathroom that used traditional fixtures but incorporated untraditional bathroom colors, including rich greens and muted yellows to suggest a Victorian parlor more than a powder room.

His design includes a tub with

brass-plated claw feet, a sink with gold-plated faucets and fittings and a centerpiece — an early 20th century barber's chair, upholstered in green Naugahyde fabric.

Modern luxuries in it include a reading lamp, telephone and stereo speakers.

Spacious bathrooms were something of a status symbol in the 1880s, Frye said.

"Most new houses of that era were built with bathrooms of a generous size, with many containing stained glass, paneled woodwork, rugs and armchairs.

"It's simple to create a contemporary reflection of this theme."

"**THE BATH, WHICH** had been the last room in the house to receive attention from a design viewpoint, now is considered one of the most important remodeling priorities because people want it to be a spa where they can unwind and pamper themselves," says Lee Mills, Naugahyde's director of design.

Bathroom remodeling doesn't have to be expensive, say interior decorators, who point out that the bath is

one of the easiest rooms to redecorate because it is small.

Some suggest that a "designer look" can be created with the installation of trim kits for tub and shower doors.

The trim, in exotic colors like "cloud pink" to "wood look" trim, can be cut to fit and snapped into place along the top, sides and bottom frame of the door.

## Beautiful baths boost home value

According to the National Kitchen and Bath Association (NKBA), the once forgotten bath has blossomed into one of the most important rooms in the home. No longer merely functional, the bath is fun, with enough amenities — whirlpool tubs, saunas and exercise equipment — to keep the occupant in a state of pampered bliss.

"The bath has actually overtaken the kitchen as the most remodeled room in the house," said Francis Jones, executive director of the National Kitchen and Bath Association. "New baths are beautiful and enjoyable. For years, these qualities have inspired homeowners to re-do kitchens. Now they are being applied to the bath, as well."

A well-done bath represents an in-

vestment in home equity, notes Jones. The consumer can expect to recover 89 to 120 percent of the remodeling cost when it comes time to sell the home. In the meantime, he or she realizes the advantages on a daily basis.

**SURVEYS REVEAL** that the average person spends a cumulative total of two weeks time in the bath each year . . . a good incentive to make sure that time is well-spent.

When considering a new bath, Jones suggests consulting an NKBA expert who has experience, integrity and knowledge about new trends, materials and equipment. For a listing of NKBA members contact the National Kitchen and Bath Association, 124 Main Street, Hackettstown, N.J. 07840.



## Most remodeling helps home sale

**A**MERICANS WHO plan to install a swimming pool in their backyard to increase the sale value of their home may be all wet, financially speaking.

According to one home improvement expert, a swimming pool is the riskiest major home improvement investment of all.

Even those who live in California, Florida or the Southwest, may not get back 50 percent of their investment on resale, says Steve Jackson, vice president of Georgia-Pacific Corp., a building products firm.

Most remodeling jobs will increase the sale price of a home but to what degree depends on the neighborhood, the lifestyle of the potential buyer, and the nature and extent of the project, Jackson says.

**INDUSTRY EXPERTS** generally

agree that in most markets interior facelifts — such as new paneling, wallpaper, ceiling repairs and flooring — yield the largest return on investment, with the recovery on costs sometimes running over 100 percent.

With any remodeling project, Jackson says, the primary consideration should be to make improvements that will provide convenience and comfort now and some financial reward when it comes time to move.

Average paybacks for various improvements, as compiled by Georgia-Pacific, include as much as 100 percent for an attic or a basement conversion which provides a family with more living space.

Other projects which the company says has substantial paybacks include: — Deck additions, which enhance a home's exterior appeal and provide the amenities of outdoor enjoyment during

the warmer months; 80 percent to 100 percent or more.

— Kitchen remodeling, which improves a family's "quality of life;" 74 percent to 100 percent.

— New siding, which can transform an "ugly duckling" into a prime candidate for resale; 60 percent to 100 percent.

— Roof replacement, a normal maintenance project which protects the house and its contents and helps sell a home; about 45 percent, although the "real" return on investment is often considered to be 100 percent because you can't sell a home with a bad roof.

**SOME HOME** improvements, however, involve a great deal of money and do relatively little to increase your home's worth, according to Janet Carter, design consultant to Mannington Mills, a manufacturer of floor coverings.

Ms. Carter recommends keeping the cost of all improvements under 30 percent of the current value of the home.

"If you spend more," she cautions, "you may be overpricing your house in relation to the rest of the neighborhood."

One of the least expensive ways to give a home an instant makeover, she notes, is to treat dingy walls and ceilings to a fresh coat of paint, while a worn and shoddy floor will make an entire room look seedy.

"Hardwood floors in fairly good condition will benefit from a professional buffing," Ms. Carter says, adding that foot-worn kitchen or foyer floors could be replaced with sheet vinyl flooring.

"The kitchen represents the most cost-intensive area of the home and is also the room most likely to influence your home's resale value."

—Associated Press

## How to be your own exterior decorator

**AP** — Be an exterior decorator. Consider the land around home as outdoor rooms that you can furnish without a big budget. Plant flowers, annual and perennial.

Annuals can provide flowers for half the year. And you can change them every year if you desire, limited mostly by your own imagination. Sun and shade also need to be considered in your choices.

Most annuals bought as seedlings or as seeds are inexpensive, permitting you to buy enough for an impressive display. For instance, a massive display of petunias will attract more attention than several small clumps spotted around the yard.

Flower gardening brings beauty and can be easy, simple therapy. It doesn't require great talent or knowledge. A green thumb is nothing but a finger with good, honest dirt on it. Just make sure you read instructions.

**SELECT FLOWERS** suited to a location. Most annuals prefer sunny spots, but some, such as impatiens and begonias, prefer shade.

Water annuals well, but don't drown them. Watering directly on the flowers may cause them to close up and will encourage diseases, so water close to the ground, beneath the foliage.

Rather than stand in the garden holding the hose, poke an old broom-

stick into the ground and tie the hose to it. This will keep the flow directed to beneficial areas. When plants have had enough to drink, move the stick elsewhere.

Be sure to remove dead blooms, since fungus grows easily on dead material. Cut the blossoms you want for indoors and remove others from the plant as they dry up.

Plant petunias early and cut them back two or three times during the summer if they get straggly. Pruning will make them fuller, bushier.

When they flop over (unless they're in hanging pots), trim them back to about 3 inches.

**REMOVING OLD** flowers and the seed heads of many annuals will prolong flowering. This is important for pansies, zinnias, snapdragons, cosmos and large marigolds.

On the other hand, moss roses, verbena, annual phlox and dianthus will flower all summer without help.

However, pruning long, ungainly stems will keep plants looking tidier. Wax begonia, ageratum and alyssum also will benefit from an occasional snipping back.

Perennial flowers, such as garden lilies, sweet peas and peonies, bloom just once a season, but it's a good idea to remove old flowers from them, too.

This permits the plants to concentrate on storing food in their roots for next year's growth rather than making seeds.

Remove faded roses, too. Cut them off with a sharp knife or shears just before the petals begin to fall.

If the annual plant you buy already has a flower, pinch it off when you plant it. This will induce more blooming.

**SUMMER-FLOWERING** annuals can extend your garden's brilliant color for a longer season, especially if you start with bedding plants, available in nurseries and garden centers.

Healthy young seedlings can be planted as soon as weather permits to fill bare spots in beds and borders and to camouflage plants that have passed their prime, such as spring-flowering tulips, hyacinths and daffodils.

Add sparkle to the edge of a shrub border with low-growing varieties of ageratum, marigold, zinnia and rich blue lobelia, just when your perennial rhododendrons and azaleas lose their luster.

Snapdragons, fast-growing cosmos with feathery foliage and bright daisy-like blossoms, and cleome topped with pink spider flowers are recommended as screens.

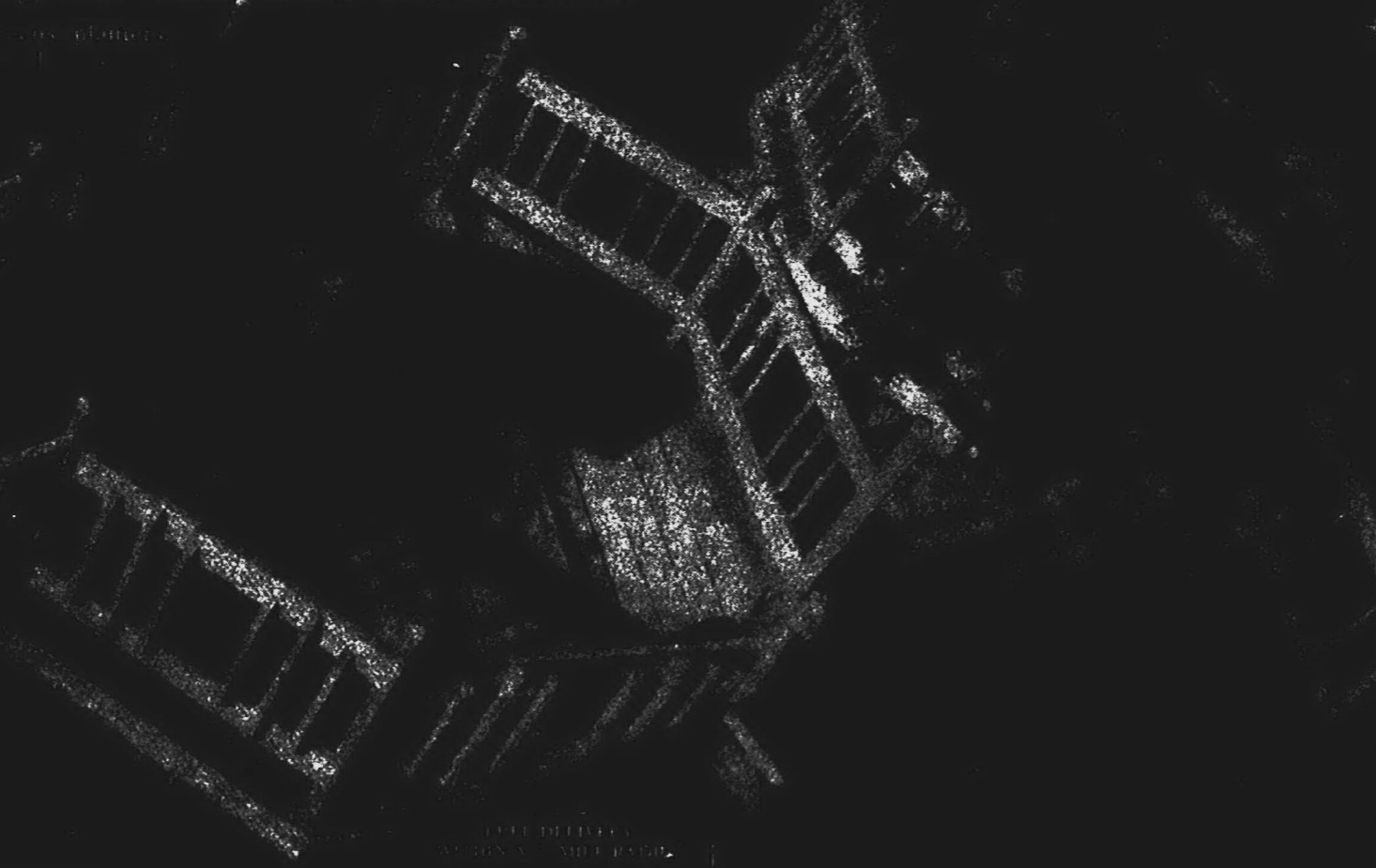
Annual flowers are suitable to a wide variety of uses and conditions because they are available in so many sizes, shapes and hues.

They may be planted among shrubs and perennials, in foundation settings, in movable planters as well as in flow-

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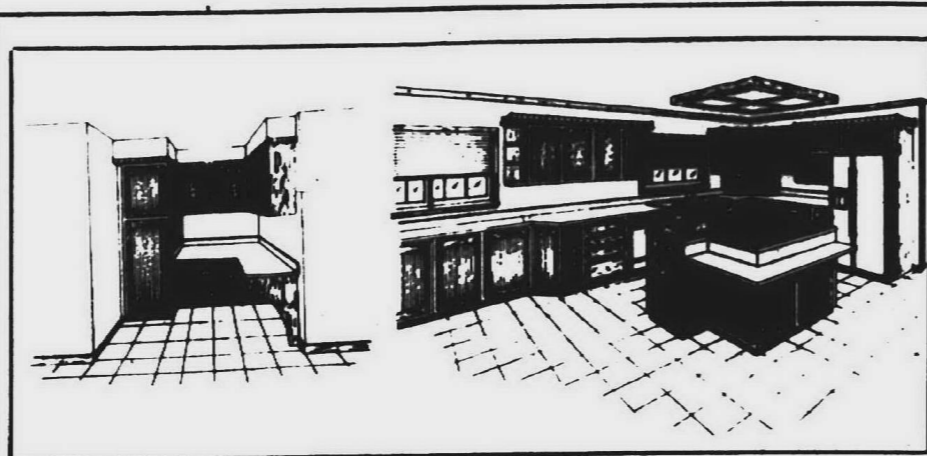
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ACCORDING TO kitchen design experts, successful kitchen design begins by identifying who uses the kitchen, and for what purposes? Is it a common family gathering point, or the domain of a gourmet chef? When you entertain, do guests gravitate toward the kitchen or are caterers in full command? Are food preparation activities shared by a spouse or children?

In the evaluation process, cooking needs are universally recognized at the starting point. Whether you cook every day, several times a week or rarely will affect the size, layout and type of equipment in your new kitchen.

For example, couples who share meal preparation activities may wish to include such features as two sinks (one for clean up and one for washing produce), double ovens and built-in counter savers scattered throughout the kitchen.

IF YOUR ENTERTAINING style is casual, you might consider an entertainment bar built right into an island counter.

On the other hand, catered affairs may necessitate the installation of warming drawers, multiple ovens and wide shelved refrigerators that can accommodate party trays.

If the household includes children or teens, a microwave oven for making after-school snacks or refrigerator with exterior ice dispenser are considerations.

Once you have related your needs to your lifestyle, decision-making becomes easier. The National Kitchen and Bath Association has produced a 40-page illustrated booklet to help guide consumers through the kitchen installation process, from compiling a wish list to exploring the many options in cabinets, appliances, plumbing and ventilation. To order, send name, address and \$4 to You and Your Kitchen, National Kitchen and Bath Association, 124 Main Street, Hackettstown, N.J. 07840.

## Famous last words

"The more help a man has in his garden, the less it belongs to him."  
 — William H. Davies, English poet and author.

"In order to live off a garden, you practically have to live in it."  
 — Frank McKinney Hubbard, American newspaper humorist and caricaturist (creator of "Abe Martin").

"Adam was a gardener and God, who made him, sees that half of all good gardening is done on the

knees."  
 — Rudyard Kipling, English poet, novelist and short-story writer.

"What a man needs in gardening is a cast-iron back, with a hinge in it."  
 — Charles Dudley Warner, American editor and essayist.

"Whatever a man's age, he can reduce it by several years by putting a bright-colored flower in his buttonhole."  
 — American humorist: Mark Twain.

Associated Press



## Early blooms for years of bright color

AP —The bulbs that flower in spring — small ones such as crocus, squill and snowdrops, and the larger tulips, daffodils and narcissus — will provide bright color in your garden year after year if tended properly after they bloom.

In a naturalized setting planted under deciduous trees or shrubs, small spring-flowering bulbs, including grape hyacinth, winter aconite and Spanish bluebells, will continue to flower for many years.

They'll mature before overhead trees and shrubs leaf out so they will store enough food to produce the next year's flowers.

The same holds true when small or large bulbs are naturalized in the lawn or meadow, but it is important that the tops are not mowed until they have begun to dry or they will not flower well the next spring.

When naturalized, the bulbs, large and small, will increase in number if the tops are allowed to mature.

REMOVING SPENT flowers prevents them from going to seed and

sapping bulb strength needed to produce the next season's flowers, according to the Netherlands FlowerBulb Information Center.

In cultivated beds with well-prepared soil, it is possible to plant annual flowers between the bulbs while the foliage is still fresh. Be careful not to damage the bulbs.

Plant annuals between them to hide the dying bulb plant foliage until it is mature enough to remove and destroy. The annuals also will shade the soil, keeping it cool and providing a better environment for bulbs to develop.

Another option is to dig the bulbs after the foliage dies back and store them for replanting in fall. Place them in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place such as a garage or basement until fall planting time.

Cutting back tulip bulb foliage while it's still green could lead to bulb rot, often a reason why bulbs do not reappear the second year.

Test bulbs for maturity while they're in the ground by grasping the foliage and giving it a slight twist.

When it comes loose easily, the bulb is ready for lifting and storing.

Before the spring-flowering bulbs end their color parade, think of adding more brightness with summer-blooming bulbs such as popular dahlias and gladioli.

OTHERS RECOMMENDED by the Flower Bulbs Center include: Poppy anemone, grown from a shriveled, raisin-like tuber. Soak tubers overnight before planting in full

sun or partial shade in well-drained soil.

Plant at least four inches apart, one-two inches deep. Plantings 10 days apart will prolong the flowering period. Flowers, two-four inches in diameter, are purple-blue, red, rose or white, on 24-inch tall stems good for garden display or cutting.

Oxalis, a prodigious bloomer, has shamrock-like leaves. Plant in full sun/shrived, raisin-like tuber. Soak tubers overnight before planting in full sun. They do best in slightly acid soil.

## 'Cary Grant' lives again

AP — "Cary Grant" is the name given to a new hybrid tea rose bred by Alain Meilland, of Cap Antibes, France. Meilland installed a planting of the rose at the royal garden at Monaco and named it for the late American actor, who was a close friend of the late Princess Grace.

The rose, introduced in the

Wayside Gardens catalog, is distinctive in fragrance, color and form. The buds, each with 35 to 40 petals, gradually roll back to present a bicolor effect, with bright orange blooms with red tones over the mature petals and creamy yellow on the reverse side. The plant is bushy, upright, above average height, hardy and disease-tolerant, according to Wayside.

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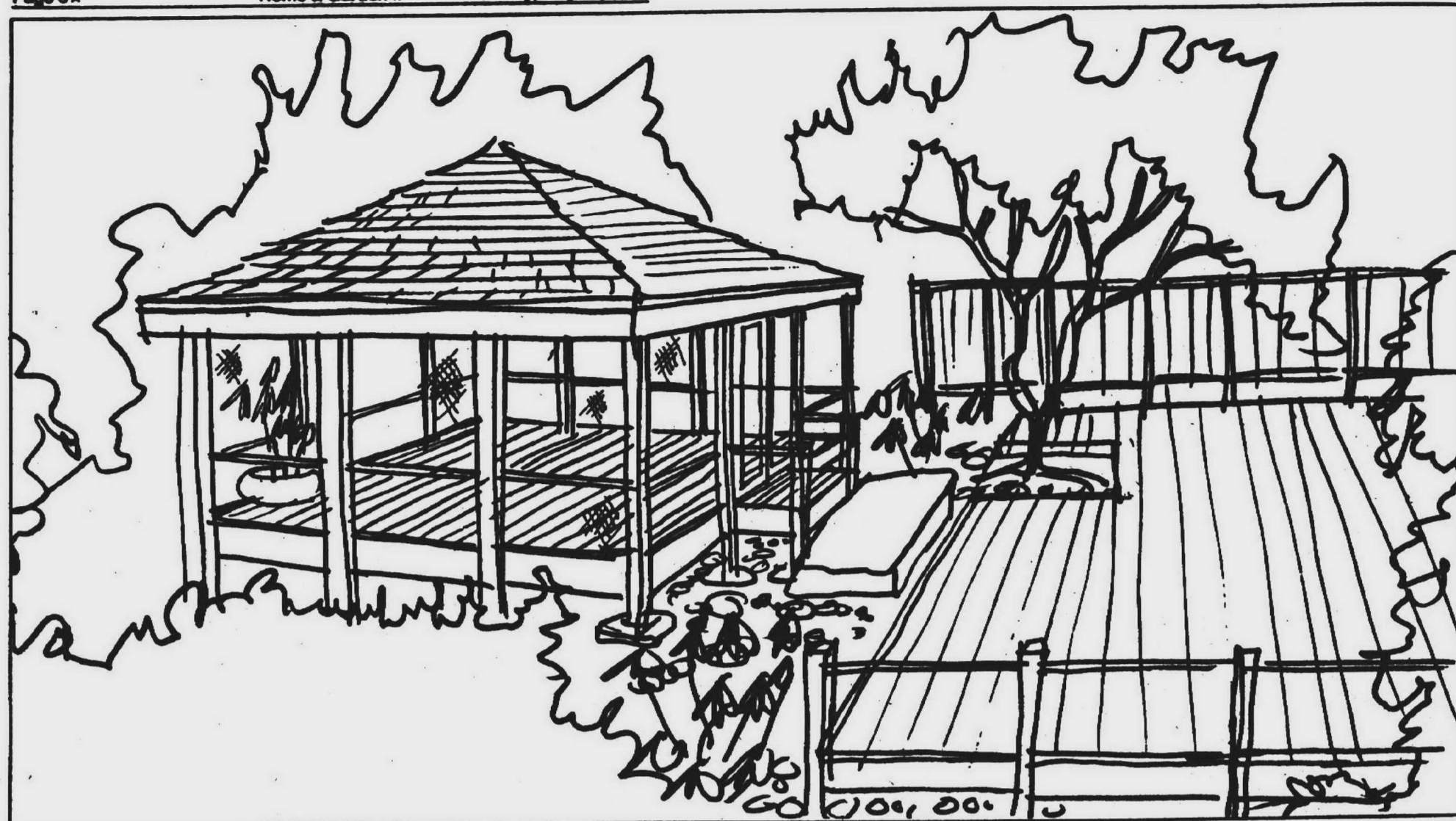
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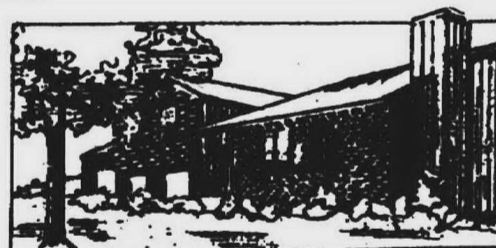
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## Screen-enclosed deck extends living space

**A** NEW DECK, porch or patio represents a substantial investment in outdoor living, but biting insects often limit homeowners to only part-time use of this investment, particularly after dark. An economical solution is an easily constructed screened enclosure, which makes outdoor living a pleasure all day long, and after dark too.

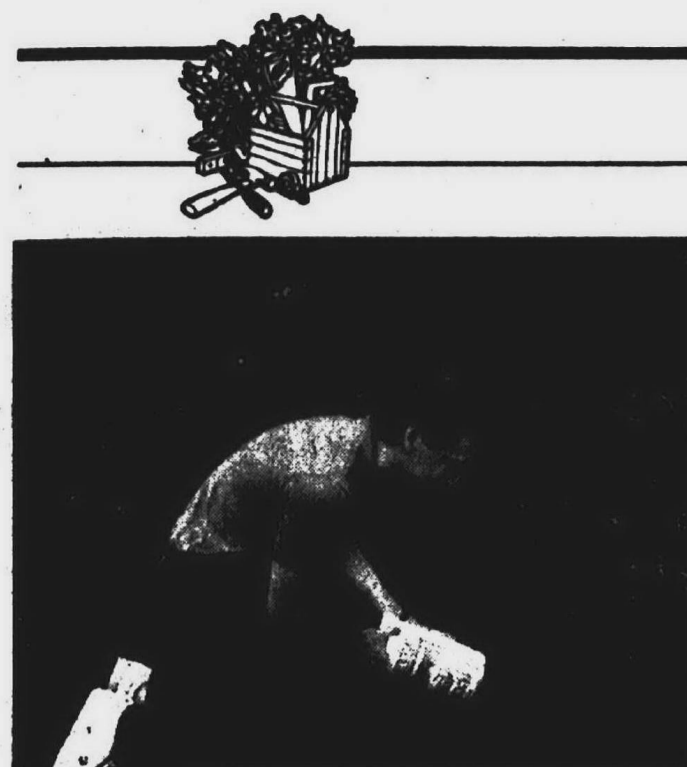
A screen-enclosed deck, porch or patio extends your living space outdoors at minimum cost. You'll have an outdoor living room that's light and airy by day, and lets in pleasant evening breezes without moths and mosquitos.

Housekeeping is easier, too. A screened enclosure keeps out wind-blown leaves and other debris all year round. And since the screening reduces ultraviolet transmission, there's less fading of furniture and fabrics.

**SCREENED ENCLOSURES** are versatile. With design and function limited only by your imagination, you can create your own style of outdoor living. You can enclose an existing porch, deck, patio or pool. Or partially enclose a deck, with an open area for sunbathing. You can design a focal point for outdoor entertaining with an enclosed summer house, adjacent open deck and an outdoor barbecue center.

An economical screened enclosure is even less expensive when you include it in your outdoor construction plans. Your local building center or home improvement contractor can help you plan a design to complement your home and your style of outdoor living.

A folder illustrating some contemporary designs of screened enclosures is available from the Insect Screening Weavers Association, Box 8727, Harrisburg, Pa, 17105.



Early spring application of new Preen 'n Green eliminates weeds for the whole season, while feeding new and established evergreens and acid-loving shrubs.

## Invest in time beforehand in planning landscape

**AP** — You can create an attractive and imaginative landscape, even if you want to do as little maintenance as possible, landscape architect Thomas Wirth said.

"It's important for homeowners to invest time beforehand in choosing landscape plants and construction materials to reflect their personality and be compatible with their life style," said Wirth, author of "The Victory Garden Landscape Guide."

He has these tips for easier maintenance:

- Plant trees and shrubs in areas where they'll grow well with little upkeep. Group together flowers and shrubs that require similar amounts of watering, weeding and fertilizing.
- Space water faucets no more than 100 feet apart, so every area can be reached with 50 feet of hose.
- To make lawns easy to mow, in-

stall sand pits around trees and "mowing edges" along flower beds so there'll be no areas that must be trimmed by hand.

- Work with easy-care plants that are natural to this area. Plant slow-growing and dwarf plant varieties that don't require much pruning.

- Don't plant trees and shrubs that litter a lot of fruit and leaves, requiring clean-up.

- Choose maintenance equipment and tools that fit your needs. Those with larger properties can make maintenance faster and easier with a riding lawn mower or lawn tractor. On small lawn areas, use a more maneuverable mower.

- Keep all equipment organized in one convenient location, such as a shed with an easily accessible entrance. Make walkways wide enough for easy transporting of lawn mowers, edgers and tillers.

## Mix your own bug spray

**AP** — Backyard gardeners bothered by insects may ease the problem by mixing up some bug juice in a kitchen blender and spraying, according to a pest control consultant.

The suggestion comes from Bob Bechtold, spraying and pest control specialist at Mantis Manufacturing Co., Huntingdon Valley, Pa., producer of power garden tools.

Backyard blender sprays are organic sprays made from insect-repelling but non-poisonous plants or insects — and although tests are inconclusive, Bechtold explains — they have been

found to be effective against many insects, including grape skeletonizers, cabbage loopers, stinkbugs, ants, slugs, aphids, wireworms and several

**BUG JUICE IS** prepared by taking about one-half cup of whatever pests are causing problems and mixing the insects with two cups of water in a blender, then spraying the solution on infected crops, he says.

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## Decorator

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 er boxes and pots. They add color when planted among vegetables in small gardens.

**PLANT THEM WHERE** they will be most effective, considering plant type, color, height and sunlight. Colored pencil drawings will help with your design. Small plants should be in front, medium next, and tall in the rear.

Impatiens continues to be a favorite for shaded gardens, forming low, flower-covered mounds as summer progresses. Flowers range in size from 1 to 2 inches across in white, pink, lavender, coral, salmon and red.

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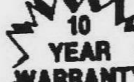
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# Scaling the heights for roof repairs

AP — There's Trouble, with a capital T, when rain doesn't drain off a roof quickly and efficiently.

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Roof leaks or poorly drained rain water can result in stained interior walls, ruined paint or wallpaper and eventual dry rot of structural lumber.

You really don't need fancy equipment for making rooftop repairs and for cleaning gutters and downspouts.

It takes a ladder tall enough to get you to the roof, a reliable sealer material, a bucket, garden hose, and a flexible cable known to plumbers as a "snake."

It also takes the common sense not to climb a ladder or do any roofing chores you might not be able to handle.

**THE FIRST STEP** is in examination of the flashing around the chimney, vent or other rooftop accessory. Check carefully for a total seal along the seam between the flashing and the chimney, as well as the flashing around vents and adjoining shingles.

These seams open because of expansion and contraction caused by cold and warm weather. These structural movements also are the cause of loose shingles.

There are a number of sealers available for closing these seams. Most, however, need to be mixed and are heavy when hoisting up a ladder to the problem area.

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Loose shingles can be secured by installing a strip of the caulk under the shingle edge and pressing down. The caulk will compress and serve as an adhesive.

Once all flashing and shingles are sealed, gutters and downspouts are next.

Start by removing protective screening, if there is one, where the gutter meets the downspout. Clean this screen and remove all the debris collected at the gutter outlet.

Next, check the clearance of the downspout by working the "snake" down the outlet from the gutter.



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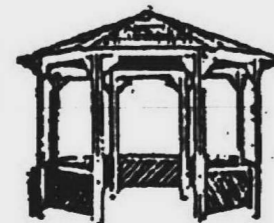
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# Outdoor lighting 'cheap policemen'

AS ONE homeowner recently expressed: "Outdoor lights are the cheapest policemen." And so they are. No matter where you live, the best security for your home and family is outdoor lighting.

Fortunately, new outdoor lighting systems have been developed in recent years so that you can design for any home an outdoor lighting plan that offers both security and decoration.

A number of companies now offer a free outdoor lighting analysis. If you invited a lighting analysis, be sure that the outdoor lighting plan developed makes use of a number of different types of outdoor lighting systems.

PERHAPS THE BEST recent development in outdoor lighting is the infra-red security light. These lighting systems are designed to flood an area with light whenever a person enters into the sensing zone. If installed in your backyard, the infra-red light will burst on when an intruder enters your yard at night.

You can also install an infra-red light on your driveway so that light is provided when you drive up in your car.

The second type of outdoor lighting system to include in your lighting plan is low-voltage light. The Detroit Edison Co., for instance, recently reported that over 30,000 low-voltage post lights have been installed in the tri-county area in recent years.

Low voltage lights offer many advantages. The systems are safe to operate, installation is fairly inexpensive, and operating costs are minimal both in terms of electricity and maintenance.

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Also, a well-designed low-voltage lighting system will enhance your landscaping and highlight the architectural features of your home.

SINCE LOW-VOLTAGE lamp-heads are now available in brass, cast aluminum or plastic, a style can be found to match the architectural decor of any home. There are dozens of lamp-heads to choose from.

There are also dozens of styles of low-voltage garden lights. Garden lights can be placed in trees to provide "moonlighting." Tier lights can safely light steps and walkways. Ground floodlights can highlight flower beds or silhouette shrubs against the house. Well lights can illuminate an alcove or bring out interesting features such as tree bark.

A qualified lighting expert can greatly help you achieve your duo lighting goals of security and attractiveness. With this home improvement project, the planning put in will be illuminated by the results.

## Pool cover a big help

A swimming pool is designed and located in a choice location for its scenic, or luxurious view in the summertime.

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An area firm, RJH Enterprises Inc., believes it has the answer on taking the work out of an opening your pool.

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By reinflating the cover, the air pushes the water accumulation to one end of the pool where it can be easily pumped off. For more information on the cover, call 544-2708.

# Garden properly to avoid planting seeds of pain

As the spring air and sunshine lure you to your yard and garden, don't let your enthusiasm for the new season plant the seed for aches and pains, warns Dr. Paul Silcox, director of the Silcox Chiropractic Center in Livonia.

Improper gardening practices normally bring on more cases of back pain than running or even outdoor sports.

The best preparation for spring gardening is a back properly conditioned by exercises and good posture all year round, advises Silcox. Moreover, when you garden let your legs and arms do the work instead of your back.

This accomplishes three things — to

help reduce your chances of causing back pain and injury, to strengthen your arms and legs, and to make your gardening easier.

SILCOX RECOMMENDS these 10 tips to help you with your gardening pleasure.

1. Warm up with a brisk walk or light running to loosen your muscles and increase your musculoskeletal system's flexibility.
2. Know your strengths and limitations. Do not overexert.
3. When weeding, get down on your hands and knees rather than bending

and twisting from the waist. Don't stand and bend over repeatedly.

4. Keep your back straight when you stand up from a sitting or crouched position.

5. Lift dirt and debris by letting your arms, legs and thighs carry the load. Keep your back straight and bend your knees. Handle only manageable loads at a time.

6. Use long-handled tools to keep from stooping while raking, digging or moving. Don't stoop when pushing a wheelbarrow.

7. Switch hands frequently when doing prolonged raking, hoeing or dig-

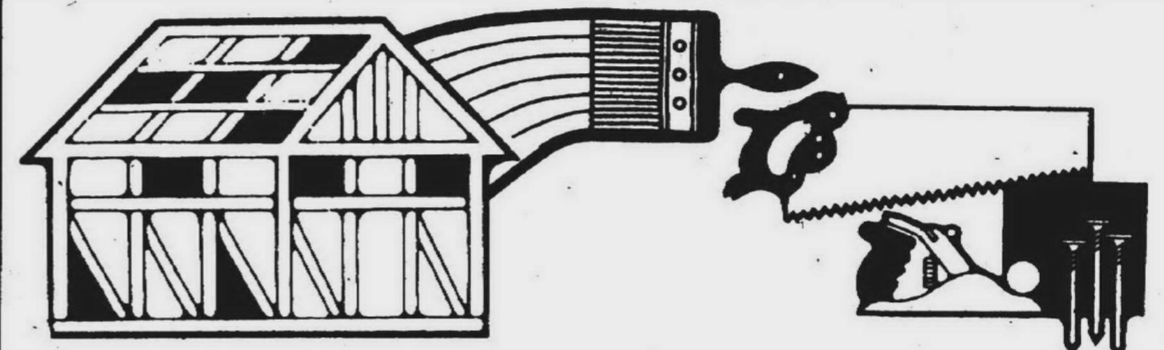
ging. Repetitive motion on one side can bring on low-back and shoulder spasms.

8. Don't work too long in one position, especially one that is awkward or unusual. This can cause muscle imbalance.

9. Carry objects close to your body, so as not to risk straining your neck and lower back.

10. Don't overexpose yourself to long periods in the sun without protection of the head and body. Take frequent breaks.

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