

Tanderys feels agony of defeat

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN
staff writer

WINDSOR, ONT. — Jeff Tanderys arrived at Windsor's Mic-Mac Park on July 5, knowing he was the starting pitcher for Team USA at the World Junior Baseball Championships against Team Australia.

Unfortunately, many of Tanderys' teammates didn't come to play that day. The tall, 6-foot-6 Tanderys was there physically, but mentally the team was down from its first loss of the tournament the night before.

A half dozen of Tanderys' friends and former teammates from Novi were in the stands to cheer him on, as well as his family and high school coach, Gar Frantz. Through the first six and two-thirds innings, they had plenty to cheer about.

Australia eventually staged a 2-1 upset win over the favored U.S. team, but Tanderys was one of the few bright spots for the home team. Before he was relieved in the seventh inning, the Novi hurler had surrendered only one earned run over five hits and five walks while setting down eight hitters on strikes. While Team USA bungled its way at the plate and on the base paths, Tanderys kept the team in the game.

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Australia's ace was on the mound — the stage was set and the time ripe for an upset.

"We usually get out to an early lead, but today we just didn't get the job done," Tanderys said.

While Johnson baffled the U.S. batters, Tanderys returned the favor. In the first inning, Tanderys gave up a bunt single and a walk, but got out of the inning in his first strike out of the game. Australia then went down 2-3 in the second, including another strikeout.

In the top of the third, Tanderys batted for the first time in the tournament, but popped out to the first baseman. Tanderys struck out the first two batters, but then ran into some trouble. Following a bunt on balls, the runner scored when rightfielder Greg Haeger botched a fly ball and handed the batter a triple.

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were successfully tagged out. Team USA finally tied the score in the ninth on back-to-back singles and a steal, which left Tanderys out of the decision. The game wasn't his to win or lose anymore.

In the bottom of the inning, Gresham walked the first two batters and gave way to Ron Johnson. No man threw out the lead runner at third on a bunt attempt and then got the batter around out into what appeared to be a double-play. But the relay from second was wide and in the dirt, and Haeger, who had moved to first base — couldn't come up with the ball. While he lay sprawled on the ground, the Australian runner motored around the bases from second to score the winning run.

"I've never seen Jeff do down after a loss," Frantz said. "But he has nothing to be ashamed of. I thought he pitched a great game. He kept it in for the first seven innings."

After the game, USA Coach Jim Walker had some harsh words for the team.

"You did not come to play today," he said. "That game we just played embarrasses me. The fact of the matter is, we have a chance for the gold medal. We can't dwell on this game — we need to come back tomorrow ready to play."

For Tanderys, it was his first and last start in the tournament. It also provided a rare chance to bat, and Tanderys made the most of it by going 1-for-2.

"I was really happy to finally bat," he said. "In the first two or three innings, I felt a little stiff on the mound. The ball really started to pop and I felt much more comfortable as the game progressed."

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In the meantime, Johnson was giving the U.S. all kinds of problems, especially with his quick move to first base. Before he was relieved in the eighth, he had picked off five runners at first base, although only three

were successful.

He had to give up the Detroit Tigers. The Detroit team drafted Tanderys in the 30th round of the Major League Amateur Draft and has until the University of Michigan begins its first day of classes to sign him. Tanderys maintains he hasn't decided whether to sign with the Tigers or play college ball.

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Cuba recaptures world championship

Cuba nipped Team USA 6-5 at Windsor's Mic-Mac Park last Saturday (August 8) to win the gold medal in the World Junior Baseball Championships.

It marked the second time Cuba had edged the U.S. in the tournament, and the entire U.S. squad was disappointed, including Novi's Jeff Tanderys.

Following his strong pitching performance against Australia three days earlier, the former Wildcat ace failed to see any more playing time for the remainder of the seven-game tourney. Tanderys sat in the bullpen last week, waiting his turn, but the call only came once — in the start against Australia.

In Team USA's 16-6 win over the Dominican Republic on August 3 and the 5-4 loss to Cuba the next day, Tanderys didn't play. Following his sixinning-plus outing against Australia, Tanderys sat on the bench in a key 9-3 win over Panama on August 6. And despite warming up in the gold medal game against Cuba, he never made it into the game.

"I was ready to pitch, and I told them my arm was fine for the Cuba game, but they never

brought me in," Tanderys said. "I was disappointed that I couldn't get in there, but we did have nine pitchers on the staff."

Team USA finished the tournament with a 4-3 record to claim the silver medal. Cuba won the gold medal for the fourth consecutive year.

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Save hearing will be held at 7:30 P.M., Wednesday, September 2, 1987 at the Novi Public Library, 45245 W. Ten Mile, Novi, Mi. Comments concerning the matter will be heard at the public hearing or written comments will be received in the Planning Dept., 45225 W. Ten Mile, Novi, Mi 48346 until 5:00 P.M. Wednesday, September 2, 1987. All interested persons are invited to attend.

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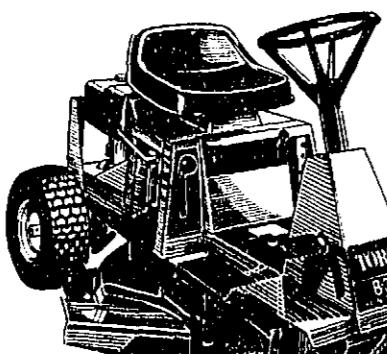
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Police Beat

It may have been a case of puppy love at first sight, but the individual who removed a dachshund puppy from the Dogtor Pet store at Twelve Oaks Mall did so without paying for it.

The store manager told police the puppy was stolen Monday, Aug. 3, at approximately 6:15 p.m.

The person believed responsible for the theft was described as a white female, approximately 30 years old, standing 5'6" tall and weighing 130 pounds. She was said to be wearing a black-and-white striped blouse and light blue jeans.

The manager told police the suspect came into the pet shop and started asking questions about various animals. The woman eventually asked to be placed in the viewing room to see the dachshund puppy and also asked to see the puppy's records. The manager then returned to the front of the store to help other customers, leaving the female suspect alone in the viewing room with the puppy.

Shortly later, the suspect walked out of the store, telling the manager she would return later with a decision on whether she wanted to buy the puppy.

The puppy was discovered missing when the manager sent a clerk to the viewing room to put the dog back in its cage. The clerk noted that the suspect's blouse had been tucked in when she entered the store and was untucked when she left, leading to speculation that she had put the puppy under her blouse.

The clerk attempted to follow the female suspect into the mall while the manager summoned security guards, but lost her in the mall crowds.

The missing puppy was valued at \$184.

A BURGLARY at a residence on Eleven Mile near Taft Road netted the responsible parties some \$540 worth of personal property.

The complainant told police he left

home to go shopping on Aug. 6 at 5:45 p.m. and discovered the break-in when he returned at 8 p.m.

The thieves gained entry by kicking open a back door. Once inside, the responsible party stole a Quasar 24-inch color television set from the family room and a Timex quartz wristwatch from the top of a dresser in the bedroom.

The responsible parties apparently attempted to steal both the truck and trailer as police discovered the ignition switch on the pickup had been damaged.

Unable to start the vehicle, the thieves then broke into the utility trailer and removed the maintenance equipment.

Stolen property included a walk-behind mower valued at \$2,395 and another walk-behind mower valued at \$1,976. Also stolen were a weed eater valued at \$300, a gas-operated back-pack blower valued at \$300, a gasoline-powered edger valued at \$395, a \$275 hedge trimmer and a \$200 chain saw, along with various gas cans, shovels, rakes, axes, hand tools and a 1½-ton floor jack valued at an additional \$600.

FISHING EQUIPMENT valued at approximately \$700 was stolen from a boat parked in the storage yard at the Old Dutch Farms Mobile Home Park sometime during the period of Aug. 2-9.

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The complainant told police unknown individuals removed a tarp covering the boat and stole the camping equipment.

Stolen were an electric trolling motor valued at \$160, three fishing rods and reels valued at \$150 and a tackle box containing miscellaneous fishing tackle valued at an additional \$200.

The man said he parked the vehicle at 4:30 p.m. to go shopping in the mall and found it missing when he returned at 5:40 p.m.

Two bills added to boating proposal

LANSING — Two additional marine and recreational safety bills will be added to legislative proposals promoting boating safety already introduced by state Senator Richard Fessler (R-West Bloomfield).

"We are currently in the prime boating and outdoor recreational season in Michigan," Fessler said. "Now more than ever the emphasis should be on safety in boating and other outdoor activities."

The first of Fessler's two new bills establishes a 13-member Marine Safety Advisory Council to review boating accidents on in-lake lakes, study

and evaluate development of marine safety education programs, and study other policies of state government relating to marine safety.

His second new proposal amends the Michigan Vehicle Code, requiring all driver education courses to include at least six hours of instruction in the safe operation of recreational vehicles and watercraft.

Fessler's two marine safety bills already introduced, require the certification of boat mechanics and increase fees for boaters who violate safety rules, with the additional fees funding local marine safety programs.

"My original two bills SB-4 and SB-5 are important safety measures," Fessler said. "However, these additional two bills are also important, and will be considered by the committee, along with SB-4 and SB-5, as a 'Marine Safety Package.'

"Michigan is well-known for its recreational facilities," Fessler said. "But enjoying the outdoors can lead to tragedy if boaters and others don't learn the proper rules and regulations. Everyone can enjoy our natural resources, and with my legislation they will be able to do so safely."

Novi Briefs

New firefighters added: Four new volunteer firefighters were added to the department recently. Ramon Alvarez, Robert Andrews, Timothy Ellis and Lawrence Otagh have all completed the necessary training to join the volunteer paid-on-call Novi fire department.

Chief Arthur Lenaghan said openings for volunteer firefighters still exist. Interested residents should contact the department at 349-2162.

Play Ball! Tired of seeing Novi city officials at city council meetings? Anxious to see them come out from behind the table and take theirumps to the baseball field? Well, now's your chance. On September 13 the Novi Old Timers senior citizen baseball team will take on the members of the Novi City Council and assorted city officials in a warm-up match at 12 noon at Novi Park.

The real game will be between the Delval Corporation team, a combination of Delval employees and city employees, and the Tiger Alumni team at 2 p.m. The game is being sponsored by the Delval Corporation and proceeds from the benefit will be donated to the Police and Firefighters Associations respectively.

The police will be donating to the Inkster Police Memorial Fund, and the firefighters will be donating proceeds to a Detroit Firefighters Fund for the children and widows of firefighters killed in the line of duty. Tickets to the game are \$1. Call the Novi Parks and Recreation Department at 349-1796 for more information.

Community Ed registration: There's still time to register for programs offered by the Novi Community Education Department during the fall semester — but you'd better hurry.

School district residents may register today (Thursday) from 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. or Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Registrations from residents and non-residents will be accepted next week (Aug. 24-27) when offices will be open Monday through Thursday from 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Copies of the Fall '87 brochure are available at the Novi Public Library and Community Education offices. For more information call the Community Ed Department at 348-1200.

School bells ring: Don't look now, folks, but it's Aug. 20 and the start of the 1987-88 school year is less than two weeks away.

New teachers will report for an instructional day on Thursday, Aug. 27, and all teachers will report for a day of work on Monday, Aug. 31.

Students in grades 1-12 will report for a half-day of classes on Tuesday, Sept. 1. All students, including kindergartners, will report for regular classes on Wednesday, Sept. 2.

Senior citizen passes: The Novi Community School District is again offering event passes to senior citizens.

The passes, given free to any senior citizen who wants one, allow free admission to school district events such as athletic events, concerts, plays, high school completion classes and open swimming. The cards are also good for discounted community education classes.

Passes may be picked up in School Administration and Community Education offices at 23575 Taft Road, just south of Eleven Mile. For more information call 348-1200.

"Art at the Oaks": Applications are available for individuals wishing to participate in "Art at the Oaks," the annual arts and crafts fair sponsored by the West Oaks Shopping Center in conjunction with Novi Youth Assistance, the Novi Community Education Department and the Novi Parks and Recreation Department.

The fair will be held at the West Oaks Shopping Center on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 12-13.

Works will be juried by the Art Fair Committee. Applicants must submit four slides that are representative of the medium and quality of work that will be on display. For more information about applications call Novi Community Education at 348-1200 or Novi Parks and Recreation at 349-1976.

Compact discs are available at the Novi Public Library.

The library has a limited collection of the new recording form with music ranging from big band hits by Enoch Light to Mozart, Gershwin, Springsteen and New Age music.

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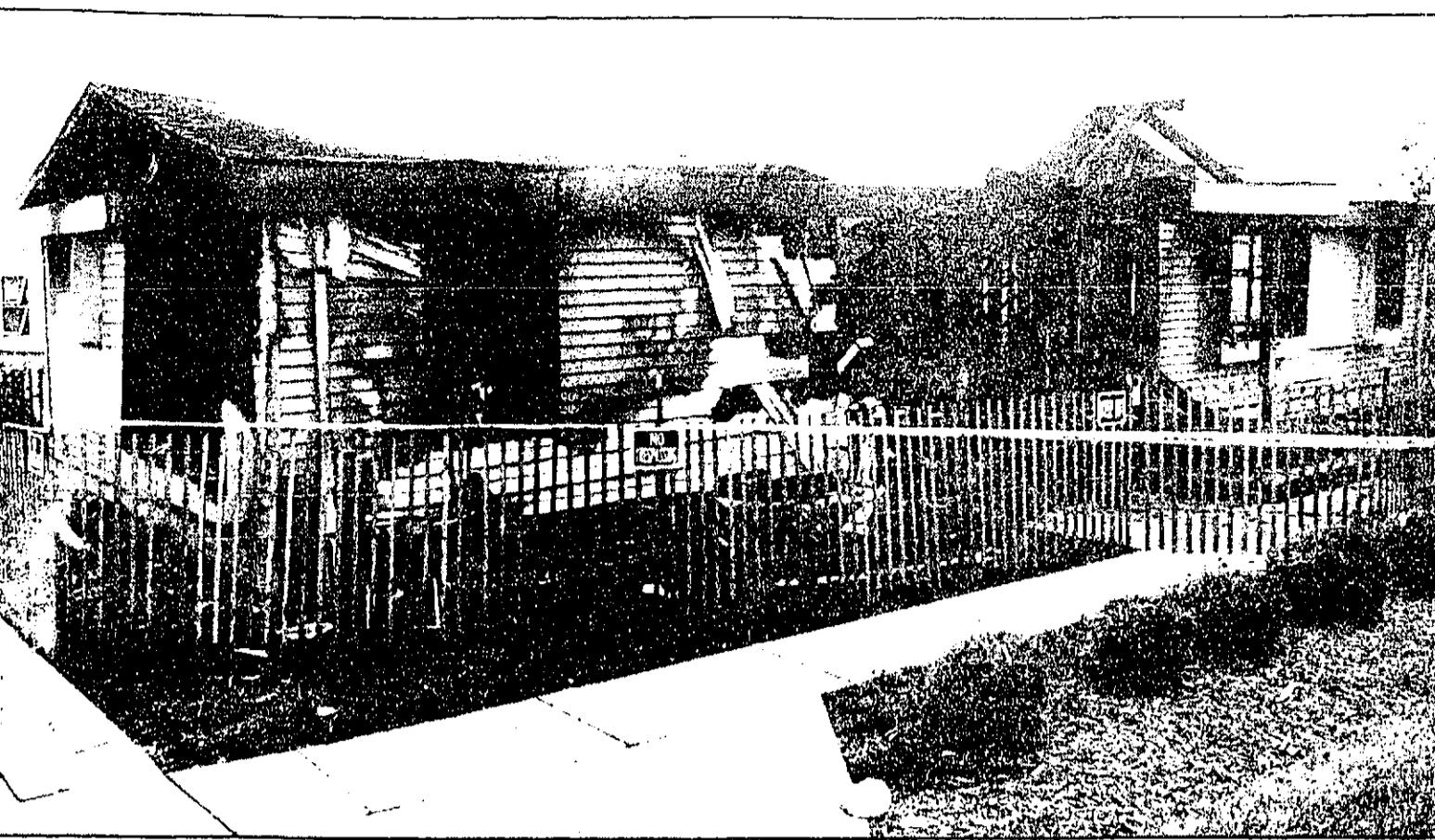
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Arsonist set Dutch Farms fire

Oakland County arson investigators have labeled a fire which completely destroyed the clubhouse and office at Old Dutch Farms Mobile Home Park an "incendiary blaze."

Chief Arthur Lenaghan said his Novi Fire Department received a call at 12:41 a.m. on Thursday, Aug. 13, for the Old Dutch Farms clubhouse and office building at Napier Road just south of Twelve Mile.

Upon arrival at the scene, the fire chief said he

observed signs of forcible entry. Investigators later determined office equipment had been taken and office files had been strewn across the floor then doused with an accelerant, according to the fire chief.

The Novi fire department responded with 24 fire fighters within 15 minutes. The building was completely involved upon the arrival of the fire trucks.

Lenaghan said the blaze was under control within 10 minutes, but officers stayed on the scene until

4:46 a.m. to help in the arson investigation.

Oakland County arson investigators took samples from the scene and statements from nearby residents.

The building and the interior contents were a total loss, according to Lenaghan. No lives were lost.

Also damaged in the blaze was a 1987 Chevrolet which had been parked next to the building.

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Cable Listings

The Southwest Oakland Cable Commission has announced next week's programming schedule for Channel 12, the community access branch of the MetroVision System serving Novi, Farmington and Farmington Hills.

MONDAY, AUGUST 24

Noon — Perceptions: Facial/plastic surgery

12:30 p.m. — Travels with Kay: Rome

1 p.m. — Serendipity: Numbers

1:30 p.m. — Curtains Up: Farmington Community Chorus, Band and Musical

3 p.m. — The Jones Kids at St. Fabians

3:40 p.m. — What's My Scam: Satire

4 p.m. — Producer of the Month: Anniversary special

6:30 p.m. — Cooking with Class: Summer salads, Part II

7 p.m. — Serendipity: Numbers

7:30 p.m. — Duel of Knowledge: Harrison vs. North Farmington

8 p.m. — Musical Madness IV and More

The new short goal is in full swing for Fall.

District expands adult classes

Several new classes and an expanded version of English as a Second Language are among this fall's offerings of the Adult Education/High School Completion program of the Novi Community School.

The English as a Second Language (ESL) class is expanding this fall from meetings twice a week to eight times a week, according to Adult Education Coordinator Carol Saunders.

Both the ESL and Adult Basic Education (ABE) classes will meet Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. and from 6:45 p.m.

The expanded schedule should make it easier to fit the classes into students' schedules, Saunders said. Both classes will have access to the district's learning lab with individualized instruction, she added.

In addition to the ESL and ABE classes, the adult education program offers many other courses in a somewhat flexible organization, Saunders said.

"A lot of our class structure depends on who actually registers for the class," she said. "All of (the) teachers are very willing to gear their class to the students. If a student needs individual help in a certain area, they will provide it."

Adult education classes, which were offered last year and are scheduled again this year, include

Saunders: 'Most people will be able to be home by 10 p.m., and hopefully that will make it a little more convenient for our students and teachers as well.'

subjects like accounting, mathematics and American history. In addition, the program will offer several classes this fall at Novi High School that were not offered last year, Saunders said, although some have been taught in past years.

This year's new offerings are:

— Humanities — A course which surveys literature, music and art throughout history and in the present, with an eye to showing how different subjects relate to one another.

— Psychology — An introductory course on the science of human behavior.

— Employment Skills/Job Search — A class covering a variety of job-related skills, including resume writing, how to interview, considering different careers and answering questions.

— Consumer Math — A course to review the specific mathematics

will make it a little more convenient for our students and teachers as well," Saunders said.

She encouraged anyone interested in the program's offerings to register soon. Classes begin Sept. 17 and are free to adults who do not have a high school diploma and who live in Washington, D.C.

Sgt. CRAIG CLARY, 82nd Airborne, has been promoted to his current rank with the U.S. Army. He is a 1984 graduate of Novi High School, he is the son of Kenneth and Loretta Clary of Novi.

Sgt. Clary entered the U.S. Army in September 1984 for a three-year tour

and has extended for an additional two years in order to accept a position in Washington, D.C.

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class DARYL ANDERSON recently received the Navy Achievement Medal. He is the son of Charles and Jerrie Anderson of Southfield.

He received the decoration for superior performance of duty while stationed with Attack Squadron 70 at the Naval Air Station in Lemoore, California.

He joined the Navy in May 1979.

Marine Staff Sergeant JEFFREY BUTTON was recently awarded the U.S. Marine Corps Good Conduct Medal. He is a 1973 Walled Lake Western graduate.

Button received the award for good behavior and conduct over a three-year period in the Marine Corps. He currently is serving at the 6th Marine Corps District in Atlanta.

Navy Apprentice MICHAEL FOETZ recently made a four-day port visit to Alexandria, Egypt, aboard the aircraft carrier USS Nimitz, he is the son of Joseph Foetz of Walled Lake.

The USS Nimitz is currently operating with other units of the Sixth Fleet stationed in the Eastern Mediterranean in response to national tasks.

Marine Pfc. JAMES OHRYN recently completed the Basic Electronics Course, receiving technical instruction in the fundamental and electronic theory common to Marine Corps Communications Electronic equipment. He is the son of Gerald and Lorraine Ohryn of Walled Lake.

Airman WILLIAM STANFORD has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas. A 1986 graduate of Walled Lake, he is the son of William Stanford of Walled Lake and grandson of Beda Stanford of Northville.

In addition to Novi's district's own offerings, the community education program can register students for classes at the Southwest Oakland Vocational Education Center (SOVEC), under a separate fee schedule.

More information on Novi adult education, community education and SWOEC offerings — including a booklet of course descriptions for all programs, registration information and schedules — is available by calling 348-1200.

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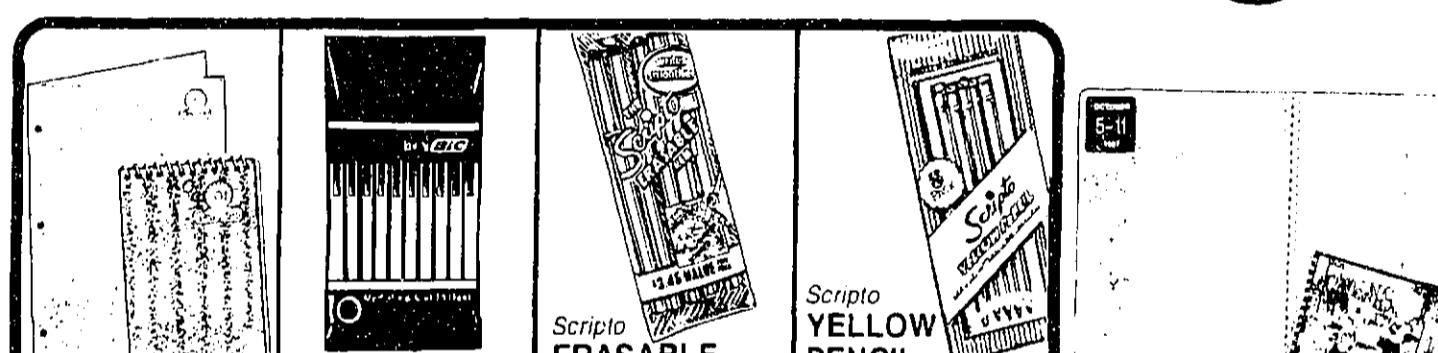
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Label law aids consumers to find special diet items

Michigan's comprehensive food labeling law can serve as an informational tool to help consumers make informed purchases and assist those who want to maintain a low sodium or special diet, according to Michigan Department of Agriculture (MDA) officials.

MDA officials urge consumers to read the entire label to make sure the food adheres to the consumer's dietary requirements. If a nutritional claim is advertised, Michigan law requires nutritional information be included on the label.

Although nutritional information is not mandated to be on the label unless a nutritional claim is used or vitamins or minerals are added, the recent health-conscious trend has made it a more common practice.

"Nutritional information such as the sodium, fat, vitamin and caloric content is important to people watching their diets," said Betty Mercer, MDA Food Division compliance officer. "If the product claims it is low sodium, reading the quantity on the label can be critical to consumers who must limit their sodium intake for health reasons."

Under Michigan law, product labels are required to declare the following information: the name of the product, address of the responsible party, list of ingredients, a declaration of quantity, and the last date of sale for perishable foods.

Foods found in violation of state guidelines are either placed under seizure and not released until the violation is corrected, or voluntarily placed off sale until corrected labels can be obtained.

In 1986, over 100 various products were seized for code violations.

MDA reminds consumers to read the entire label. Federal regulations require that mandatory label information be printed in a specific minimum type size, but consumers are often distracted by colorful package illustrations or descriptions printed in larger type.

If you have complaints about food labeling, food illness, false advertisements, short weights and measures, unsanitary conditions, foreign material, food spoilage or item pricing, contact your local MDA regional office for assistance.

The mission of the MDA Food Division is to assure Michigan product consumers safe and wholesome food and food products, to prevent fraud and deception concerning weights and measures, labeling, and advertising of all commodities; to regulate labeling of household products; to regulate the commercial handling of farm produce; and to provide regulatory expertise to the public, industry and government.

Bottles should be clean when returned for refund

Consumers need to realize they play an important role in the total effort to assure the cleanliness of beverage containers.

Proper cleaning and storage of returnable soft drink bottles by consumers help reduce health risks posed by the return of unsanitary bottles.

According to Michigan Department of Agriculture (MDA) officials, many complaints involving unsanitary soft drink containers stem from the misuse of the container after the beverage has been consumed.

"The upward trend in the consumption of carbonated beverages increases yearly and should continue as new low calorie and natural flavor beverages are created and waste

more popular," said Sam Sarullo, MDA's Food Division Deputy Director. "It's important for consumers to realize they can play an important role in minimizing the risk of container contamination."

The nature of beverage complaints range from improperly crowned bottles, containers with foreign materials, defective bottles and complaints of "off taste."

MDA's Food Division suggests consumers can reduce the possibility of bottles becoming contaminated if the following precautions are taken:

□ Rinse containers with water immediately after use.

□ Store returnable bottles in a clean place and reseal or cover so that foreign material cannot enter.

□ Do not use containers for waste

receptacles or to store other materials — think of them as a food package.

□ Return empties to the retailer as soon as possible.

In addition, Sarullo reminded consumers that retailers are not required by law to accept dirty bottles or containers which contain foreign materials.

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Stay cool as it heats up outside

Are you looking for some simple ways to stay cool as the thermometer soars this summer? Elaine Glasser, home economist with the Oakland County Cooperative Extension Service, said you can save on home energy costs by following these recommendations:

□ Keep draperies closed during the day to insulate the windows.

□ Open windows at night to take advantage of the cool night Michigan air.

□ Keep windows and doors closed during the day until the temperature inside is higher than the temperature outside and then open windows.

□ Close off rooms that are inclined to be warm — the kitchen, laundry room or utility room.

□ Light bulbs, motors, TV sets and other appliances give off heat; if possible, try not to use them during the hottest part of the day.

□ Use the kitchen exhaust fan when cooking, when eating, and when bathing. These will remove both excessive heat and moisture.

Glasser also said it is possible to go through the summer without an air conditioner and still be comfortable in your home.

One cooling option is the whole house fan. This unit, installed in an upstairs hallway or the highest, most centrally located spot in the house, will move summer heat build-up out of your house and into the attic. The attic vents should be adequate to allow rapid exhausting of heat build-up; household replacement air should come from the coolest source. This could be a low window on the north side of the house that's shaded by shrubs or trees.

Another option, Glasser said, is the attic fan. Mounted on the gable end of the house, it exhausts heated air from the attic very rapidly.

This means that attic heat will not "migrate" through the ceiling insulation and add to summertime heat load.

Nearby



"Little Mary Sunshine," a musical spoof of the Nelson Eddy/Jeanette McDonald genre, is finishing up its final week at the Domino's Farms Summer Theater in Ann Arbor.

Pictured above in a scene from the play are Thad Spender, Kevin Wright and Suzanne Ogden. The musical comedy follows Mary through an unpredictable series of adventures as she seeks the help of Mountie Captain "Big Jim" to escape from the treacherous Indian, Yellow Feather.

Shows will be presented this Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sunday at 2 p.m. A buffet-style dinner theater is available 1 1/2 hours before all four performances. For reservations or ticket information call the box office at 662-3070.

"Greater Tuna," a comedy about small town life in rural America, is coming to Northville's Marquis Theatre for a limited engagement through Aug. 30.

Pictured above in a scene from the comedy are Charles Vanhouse and Stan Cahill, who play all the characters — male and female — in the show.

"Greater Tuna" is a folksy slice of life, displaying a gallery of small-town types. The fictional story focuses on the Bumiller family — the youngest daughter collects stray dogs, the eldest daughter will never be a cheerleader, the son is an infantile delinquent and the aunt is an elderly Lizzie Borden-type.

Shows will be presented Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 2:30 p.m. Call 349-4110 or 349-0668 for ticket information.

The Novi Concert Band will provide the music as the 1987 Summer Concert Series sponsored by the Northville Arts Commission continues Friday.

The band will be playing this Friday, August 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the park across from the clock on Main Street in downtown Northville.

An outdoor summer concert will be presented on the grounds of the Henry Ford Hospital/West Bloomfield Center on Sunday, August 23, at 7:30 p.m. Performing will be the Executives' "Puttin' on the Ritz" Big Band.

All musical selections will be suitable for dancing or listening, and a dance floor will be designated adjacent to the stage.

No seating is provided and concert-goers are encouraged to bring their own lawn chairs and/or blankets for sitting on the grassy knoll in front of the stage. The concert is free and plenty of parking is available. Call 334-5660 for more information.

To have an event listed in *Nearby*, write to: "Nearby," Novi News, 104 West Main, Northville, MI 48167 at least two weeks in advance of the event. Photos and artwork welcome. For information, phone 349-1700.

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City vetoes Grand River zoning

A rezoning request that would have permitted more commercial development in the Grand River/Meadowbrook Road area has been turned down by the Novi City Council.

Specifically, the council voted 6-1 to deny the rezoning of the property surrounding the Weiss Pollution facility frontage on Grand River between Meadowbrook Road and the White Hall Manor.

The vote defeated a motion to change the zoning from the current I-1 (light industrial) to NCC (non-conforming commercial).

The rezoning request had been before the council in 1985 when adjacent properties on the south side of Grand River between Marty Feldman's Chevrolet dealership and the Pheasant Run Shopping Center were rezoned.

At the time all adjacent properties were rezoned to the NCC designation.

Carl Weiss, owner of the property, argued against the rezoning of his property, and the council granted him a deferral extension to work out a different land use plan. Weiss hired an architect, Leonard Siegel who presented a plan to the Planning Committee within the 90-day period.

The original plan presented to the committee called for a shopping center at the corner of Grand River and Meadowbrook Road, a three-story congregate care elderly housing facility south of the corner, a light industrial/office park site including the Weiss Pollution facility and an adjacent unused area with an I-1 (light industrial) zoning and an apartment development for the Borden-type.

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balance of the property.

After initial meetings with the committee, the matter was brought up by Council Member Martha Hoyer two weeks ago.

City Planning Consultant Brandon Rogers recommended the NCC zoning classification is certainly a model ordinance and certainly interfaces with single family residential. It can clearly be a good neighbor to single family homes.

"I support what Martha has said," Council Member Nancy Covert told the council. "I'm glad she has recognized what residents have been saying." Covert said she was in favor of rezoning the area to OS-1 (office).

The land will remain light industrial and the matter was referred back to the planning commission to consider the area as part of the office study currently underway and for reexamination of the NCC ordinance.

some real problems with the NCC and its use," Leininger said he was torn between the I-1 and the OS-1 zoning. He said the newly revised I-1 ordinance provided for more attractive office uses next to residential.

Planning Commission Chairperson Judith Seigel, who attended the meeting, told the council that the commission's recommendation for NCC was made years before the revision of the city's I-1 ordinance. "The I-1 has been amended to protect residents," Johnson said. She said if the matter were brought before the commission now, their recommendation might be different.

"We keep hearing dissatisfaction with the use in the NCC district," Hoyer said asking the council to consider scrapping the designation "since it appears no one wants to do it," she said.

"I have a problem leaving industrial land next to residential when a rezoning is before us," Hoyer said. "Even with the protection in the new industrial ordinance, the residents have told us they would prefer not to have it next to them."

The area east of the Grand River frontage property is currently zoned for single family homes.

Seigel pointed out that if the council rezoned the Weiss property, the current Weiss Pollution building, a light industrial facility, would become a non-conforming use and its market value would diminish.

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Parents are reminded they need a Social Security number for each dependent age 5 and older whom they list on Federal tax returns filed after December 31, 1987. This is required by the Tax Reform Act of 1986.

One can apply for a number in person or by mail at the Social Security office at 26840 W. Seven Mile in Northville. If the dependent needs a

number is 16 or older or was born outside the United States, the application must be made in person.

Proof of the dependent's date of birth, U.S. citizenship or lawful alien status and identity are required when a person applies. If the dependent was born in the U.S., usually an original or certified copy of a public, hospital or religious birth record can establish proof of both date of birth

and citizenship. School, medical, day care and insurance records can be used for identification.

South Redford and Redford Union School districts have been contacted by Social Security to sign up dependents for Social Security numbers in the schools. Schools who have not yet had a sign up visit will be re-contacted in the fall. Private

schools will also be contacted.

Preschools in these communities are now being contacted for sign up visits this summer.

School personnel and parents have been very pleased with Social Security visits.

For more information about applying for a Social Security number, call 1-800-410-INFO. There is an

Residents list grievances to plan for marina

By ANN E. WILLIS
Staff writer

THERE WERE CHANTS of "Developers Go Home" and there were signs on boats saying "No, no, no hotel, no marina." "No dredging to the wildlife safe" and "Make a swimming beach not a marina!" at Sunday's floating protest on Walled Lake.

Novi and Walled Lake residents opposed to the City of Novi's planned development project on 12 acres of land, joined forces in boats to show the city the effect the proposed hotel/retail/marina project would have on the area residents.

The McKay family was out in force on their pontoon boat. "Every time the city gets involved with something — they screw it up," Linda McKay said.

"The city has ignored us for almost the 20 years we've lived here," Louise McKay said. "They've considered us the slums. Now, in the last five years when people have been here, the city has suddenly discovered they, this property has increased, and they've raised our taxes and how they want this development."

Louise McKay said the city bought the land under the auspices of putting in a park and that area residents were for that project. She said she didn't hear about the hotel project until the spring meeting at Lakeshore Park. "The attitude of

the city has been rude and abrasive. They've refused to answer dead-on questions," she said.

At the root of much of the protest is lake area resident's belief that Walled Lake cannot support any more boats than those already on the lake. In addition, residents have called the Thirteen Mile/Novi Road intersection dangerous and said the development will add more traffic to an already bad situation.

"We don't want the entire development," Louise McKay said.

Andrew and Kopey Lucas were out Sunday lending support to their neighbors. "We just found out about it," Kopey Lucas said. "We're opposed to the marina, and we're not crazy about the hotel," Andrew Lucas echoed.

"They used our tax dollars to buy this land and they kept the whole thing a secret," Andrew Lucas said. "They should have gone to the voters before they purchased the land."

Jerry Cichoracki bobbed alongside the Lucas boat in his wooden rowboat. "We don't need it on the lake. I'm against the whole thing. They should turn it back into a beach like it once was. The Lakeshore Park beach is jammed — there isn't enough room as it is. They should redevelop this into a park area and then everybody will benefit not just a few people," he said.

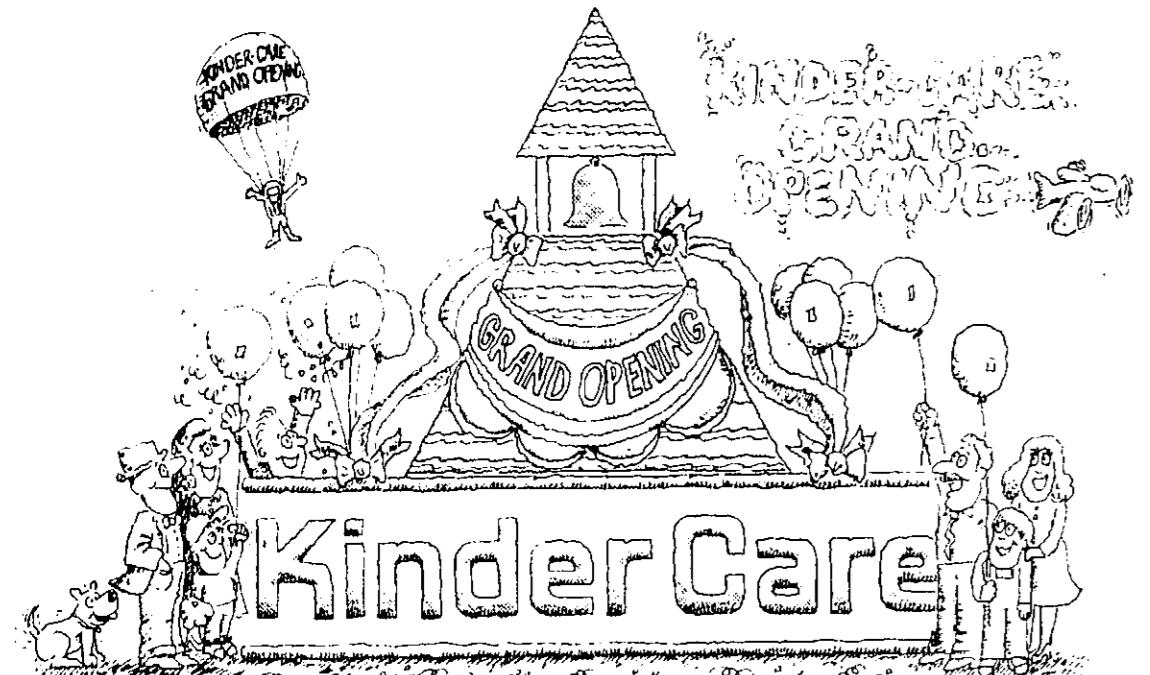
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A sign-filled rowboat was part of the flotilla-protest.

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Official answers protests of boaters on Walled Lake

By ANN E. WILLIS
Staff writer

ALTHOUGH NO ONE from the city administration, city council or the lakeshore committee was present at the Walled Lake protest on Sunday, Mayor Patricia Karevich denied that it showed the city's lack of caring regarding the issue.

The city has done everything possible to stay in contact with all the residents of the city on the issue," Karevich said. She said she was at a family reunion that had been planned months in advance of the protest.

Karevich said there was "absolutely no truth" to allegations of secrecy on the city's part regarding the project. She labeled the apparent confusion on the part of residents regarding the facts of the project as the byproduct of an election year. "People are using the issue," Karevich said.

"The history of what we've done with this project, the publicity and everything else has been done up front," she said. "We've been working with the people on this. But if you don't throw out the facts then you won't have the sensationalism," she said.

Karevich said in the 17 years she has been a resident of Novi she has observed the conditions on the lake many times. This year she said she has been out there checking on her weekend days. "I don't consider the lake crowded," she said.

"I'm as interested as anyone else in hearing what the DNR has to say," she noted.

Jay Eldridge, developer with the city for the project, said a study of inland lakes in Michigan has shown that only 18 percent of all boats on the lakes are actually out during the week, and 47 percent on weekends. He said that with more than 12 boats out of the 25 slips requested for the marina complex would probably be out on the lake during a weekend.

Sergeant Robert Smith of the Oakland County Sheriff's Marine Division said they patrol Walled Lake now only randomly. On a typical Sunday, Smith said, the county keeps a jump boat traveling on the road from lake to lake responding to calls.

"Walled Lake is not a major problem for us like Cass Lake," Smith said. "We don't keep a boat out there. Relative to other lakes in the county like Cass, Elizabeth and Orion it doesn't create problems for the sheriff's department. It's a medium trafficked lake," he said.

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Looking at Novi

Residents gather for protest on lake

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event's organizers, said the lack of city participation "shows exactly what they think of the residents of the city."

Edward Phelps, lake area resident and candidate for city council, said the lack of response meant the city was "impacting us [lake area residents]. They're showing us they just don't care."

Jay Eldridge, developer of the project with the city, was at the city-owned intersection. "I think this is the total of the protest — it's pretty weak. This is probably the most boats you will see out there today," Eldridge said.

Eldridge dismissed allegations by the protesters of secrecy and misinformation saying, "They've got the attitude 'Don't confuse me with the facts!'"

The development will go ahead despite the outcome of the DNR hearing. Eldridge said, with or without the marina, he expects to begin breaking ground for The Landing project sometime in late September or early October.

hotel/retail project. Protesters mentioned the potential traffic problems the proposed development would create at the Thirteen Mile/Novi Road intersection.

Betty and Jim Cooper said the city had treated lake area residents like "illegitimate children at a family reunion" for years. "We're all for the protest," Jim said, "before we got things all cleaned up nobody ever thought about this lake. Now that we've got it cleaned up, the city wants to take over."

No members of the city administration, city council or shoreline committee were present at the protest. Joyce Sabady, one of

Boaters explain views of plan

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said.

Cichoracki said he attended a few city meetings a few years back and had been told the land was being purchased for a park. "It's not right to change it," he said.

Suburban communities need to protect the progress already made," said Baum. "We need to look at the problem of lost jobs relating to the auto industry and its service industries and have a strategy to deal with it."

Tax abatements are being used by the City of Canton to encourage industrial development in the community. More than \$36 million worth of light industrial projects have been proposed in Canton since May, and most of the projects will receive tax abatement — a 50 percent tax cut for up to 12 years.

Despite tax abatement, the projects are expected to generate about \$450,000 in revenues for township, schools, county and other taxing entities. The number of jobs created by the new development is undetermined.

The Northland Inn, formerly Stouffer's Hotel, will go on the auction block Saturday, Aug. 29, at the Troy Hilton. The suggested opening bid is \$75,000 certified or cashier's check is required to bid.

The 221-room Southfield hotel at the entrance to one of the world's largest shopping centers (Northland) was built in 1961 for more than \$2 million. It's currently owned by a London stock exchange company which acquired it 1986.

A \$4.3 million technical center will be developed by the Lein-Siegler Seating Corporation in Southfield. The 60,000 square foot technical center is expected to bring 100 new jobs to Southfield.

Lein-Siegler is the corporation lending technical assistance for GM's Saturn project. The tech center will be developed on a 9.9 acre parcel next to the existing \$3.9 million plant on Telegraph Road between Nine and Ten Mile.

The Southfield City Council has approved a 12-year tax abatement to bring the technical center into the community.

Marsh said she had the impression "they didn't care what people were saying" about the development. "My first impression was they were going to make a park out of the land," she said.

Andy and Sue Soborowski of East Lake Drive said they were opposed to the damage from the dredging because it would kill the lake's fish. In addition Andy Soborowski said

he disagreed with the city's methods of doing business. He said noting that the city put the Lakeshore project on the cover of its 1985 calendar which was mailed to every resident. "You can't say we kept it a secret," Eldridge said smiling.

The developer said a few executive sessions (meetings of public officials closed to the press and public) were held for "final land transfers — but public sessions were held before each meeting," he said.

"We've kept them informed," he said noting that the city put the Lakeshore project on the cover of its 1985 calendar which was mailed to every resident. "You can't say we kept it a secret," Eldridge said smiling.

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Twelve Oaks leads Novi retail growth potential

By CHRISTOPHER J. KOZLOWSKI

Twelve Oaks General Manager William H. Clogg is confident that his employees are the key to his mall's success. And he's looking to future development in the city to shape the way in which his mall will provide service to the state's regional community.

Twelve Oaks Mall, which was recently cited in the city's Retail and Office Sector Plan as being a major and growing center for retail activity, recently won four awards from its parent company, the Taubman Co. for recording the highest percentage of sales increase of all the Taubman-owned malls across the United States.

It was the second consecutive year that Clogg and Twelve Oaks have won the award.

Commenting on the city's recent retail analysis, Clogg said the county's larger financial investors will in the long run determine where local community dollars should be invested. Although the city's report in-

dictated that Novi may have reached its commercial and retail space limitations, Clogg said those kinds of determinations are made at the investment level.

"Yes indeed, the city does have to address the housing needs, but all of these things go in cycles," Clogg said. "It is not necessarily the way a community addresses something that makes it happen."

"The way that you get big growth in office, commercial or housing is determined by the way the financial world goes. Those are the people who really determine what is going to happen in our world. If it is a good day for them to put monies into the housing market, we see a big housing boom develop. If tomorrow is a good day for them to put monies into the commercial, you will see a big commercial boom," he added.

Clogg said there are many factors which make up a successful community, and that retail, commercial and housing concerns are part of a larger picture which include water and sewer management systems, education and traffic concerns

among others.

Since Twelve Oaks is a regional shopping mall, attracting customers from many southeastern Michigan communities, it presents a unique set of conditions for its home community of Novi to have to live with.

The traffic situation in Novi is frequently cited for many residential headaches. And, according to a recent resident survey of the Police/Fire Needs committee, residents feel the area surrounding Twelve Oaks Mall causes the most traffic concern.

"At the time when the mall is expanding its parking lot to accommodate 750 additional parking spaces, the Novo Road traffic situation between Grand River and Twelve Mile is not expected to disappear anytime soon and will probably get worse," Clogg admits. "That a solution has not been found is not in anyone's best interest."

In order to view the situation realistically, Clogg said he has to evaluate the traffic situation as a problem which has to be solved before numerous governmental agencies, as well as community residents and project developers. Clogg said the area's traffic problem has existed for a long time because it is a complex problem and that a solution

suggested that 68,000 new jobs would be available along Twelve Mile by the year 1990, as determined by all retail projects which were planned for the area.

According to Clogg, Twelve Mile is expected to handle 1,400 cars per hour and is not out of meeting future demands. He made his presentation before both Novi and Farmington government officials. And both communities are facing up to the task of finding a solution for the cities.

"It is going to take a formula of

some nature that will be able to get funds from whomever, and I think 'whomever' will be a combination of people including residents and developers," Clogg said, adding, "an aggressive leadership role has to be formed in order to pull all the ends together. There are a lot of frustrated ends out there."

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successful growth in its 10 years, and according to Clogg, this is only the beginning.

"The 10 years of growth and development here have been very positive and very uphill," Clogg said. "We have continued to bring the stores and the type of merchandise to our mall that people are looking for. We continue to offer to people a secure, clean, neat, aggressive and determined type of facility where people can come in and feel good about shopping here."

"The overall people-feeling is an important factor in anybody's success. We have a lot of people concerns in our organization, and I mean customer concerns as well as our employees."

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Faxon introduces small investor protection legislation

LANSING — Legislation to protect small investors from paying a double tax on their stocks has been introduced by State Senator Jack Faxon (D-Farmington Hills).

Cosponsored by a broad group of senators from both parties, Faxon's bill would call for raising the deduction for persons who pay the state intangibles tax on stock dividends. For a single return, the deduction would be

increased from \$175 to \$250; for a joint return it would rise from \$350 to \$500.

Faxon, a member of the Senate Appropriations Retirement Subcommittee, said there is a "double taxation" in regard to stock dividends because they are considered as income and taxes are paid out in the form of the intangibles tax by the person who receives the dividend.

He also said he did not think his proposed increase in

the deduction was high enough, "but at least it is a small step in making an inequitable tax more equitable to such investors whose income from stocks is usually relatively small. I think they should be able to enjoy some benefit from the investment, and the intangibles tax is one area we can address that will affect these small investors by raising the deduction."

Faxon added that Senate Bill 380 increases the deduc-

tion which "will help small investors keep some level of income commensurate with their investment, which some people in my district have been concerned about."

Faxon represents the 15th District, which includes Farmdale, Southfield and Novi. He added that this change "should be considered with the other tax reform proposals being proposed this year."

SB 380 has been referred to the Senate Finance Com-

mittee.

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As We See It

Require meetings to be held in Novi

Novi City Council members and Novi Planning Commissioners were the guests of Providence Hospital on Aug. 15. Five council members and three commissioners attended a dinner and presentation at the Providence complex in Southfield to hear hospital officials reveal preliminary plans to develop a full-service facility on the southwest corner of the Ten Mile/Taff Road intersection. The hospital presented city officials with an array of information on why the expanded 70-acre facility was being proposed for the Novi site.

This meeting was an important one for the future planning of the City of Novi. A 70-acre site proposed for a major health care facility will have far-reaching planning ramifications for the entire city. This meeting should have been held within the city boundaries and should have been open to the public.

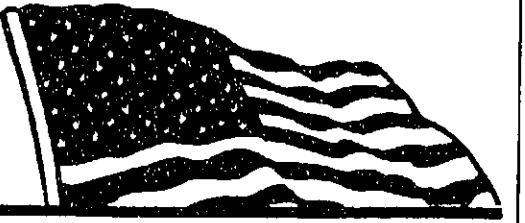
Novi City Attorney David Fried had ruled the meeting was not a violation of the state's Open Meeting Act. Fried said the meeting did not fall under the act's definition of a meeting despite the fact that a quorum of elected and appointed city officials were present.

The Open Meetings Act defines a meeting as the convening of a public body at which a quorum is present for the purpose of deliberating toward or rendering a decision on public policy.

A decision, according to the act, means a determination, action, vote or disposition upon a motion, proposal, recommendation, resolution, order, ordinance, bill or measure on which a vote by members of a public body is required and by which a public body effectuates or formulates public policy.

Fried determined that since no zoning proposal or site plan was before either body, no vote could be made, and thus no deliberation toward a vote on this issue could possibly occur.

Last Monday's meeting between Providence Hospital and Novi officials may have been within legal parameters, but it was outside the



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parameters of good judgement.

Comments such as these show the impact presentations such as this can have on officials at preliminary stages in the planning process. Citizens deserve the right to see the same public relations presentations from developers as city officials — and they deserve to see the information at the same time as city officials.

The city normally holds meetings of the Planning Concepts Committee for interested developers to get feed-back from the city on possible development projects. These meetings are held in the city and are open to the public. Keeping these meetings open and available to all, prevents later doubts and recriminations. If citizens decide not to attend preliminary planning meetings — at least they have no one to blame for a lack of knowledge but themselves.

We realize this meeting falls into a gray area regarding open meetings. To be fair, the city was concerned enough over the propriety of the meeting to make sure that media invitations were extended. City officials should have gone a step further and required that the meeting be open to the public and be held in the City of Novi for easy access by local residents. Because it was a dinner meeting, officials felt they had no right to ask the hospital hosts to provide access to the public. If that presented problems, the city should have declined the dinner invitation in favor of a simple open forum.

In the future when developers seek input from city officials regarding possible future development projects, the city should make sure not only to be within the guidelines of the law but to be within simple common sense guidelines. Public input from start to finish can only help the process.

More foolishness

We've pointed out before that there seem to be faults on both sides of the dispute which arose from the development of a new schedule at Novi Upper Elementary.

Specifically, the administration and school board could have been a bit more enterprising in seeking involvement of parents and staff; and the parents could have admitted that once their concerns became an issue the board responded quite well, and the administration developed a completely viable after-school band option.

Lately, of course, more foolishness has arisen. Seven parents tossed out some very serious charges — mostly false — including legal violations. The documentation they provided was insufficient to support most of the accusations.

And after the board developed its response, it did not make the document available at last week's meeting until immediately before adjournment — an old (and transparent) trick to restrict discussion. The board routinely moves up agenda items when people waiting for them, and this was an ideal opportunity to do so.

The board's actual response, however, was very strong. It

Fate offers varied stories



Jeann Day

Last Sunday night's air disaster at Metropolitan Airport didn't end in tragedy for our family, as it did for the young widow in our community with whom I talked yesterday, but it might have.

It was the end of my husband's family's first big reunion — 13 relatives had made their way to the family cottage near the Mackinac Bridge the week before, coming from Hawaii, California and New York to join the rest in Michigan.

Sunday night, after a few days of fishing, swimming and sightseeing on Mackinac Island, everyone was preparing to go home. The newly wed couple (we all were enjoying getting to know the charming bride) left in mid-afternoon from Pellston Airport to catch a flight west from Metropolitan Airport on Northwest Airlines.

Later, after news of the worst air disaster in Michigan history flashed on television, those still at the cottage received a telephone call from the couple — they had changed from a Northwest flight to United to San Jose in the delay caused by that area's big rainfall.

They knew my husband's mother would be returning in the Flight 255 crash. I have great admiration for the young widow of Northville resident Frank J. Vlazny who this week must have pulled together very strong mental resources to make plans for the memorial Mass scheduled for today. She has two small sons, Brian, almost three, and Kevin, nine months, to care for alone. Raymond Lombardi in her husband's firm, Touche-Ross, Tuesday also was obviously feeling the loss of a CPA who was rising in the firm and was going to be much missed.

We finally learned the details — they sat in the plane for four hours before the United flight was canceled at midnight, they finally found a room at a Ramada Inn at 2 a.m., getting a ride with the flight crew, and arrived home at 7 a.m. Monday. Tuesday they still had no clue where their luggage might be — but that didn't

Passengers were to have been put on two later Northwest flights, one presumably Flight 255, but Doug and Tracy would not have made their connection to Los Angeles. They transferred to a United flight and were still on the ground when the crash occurred.

seem the disaster it might have under other circumstances.

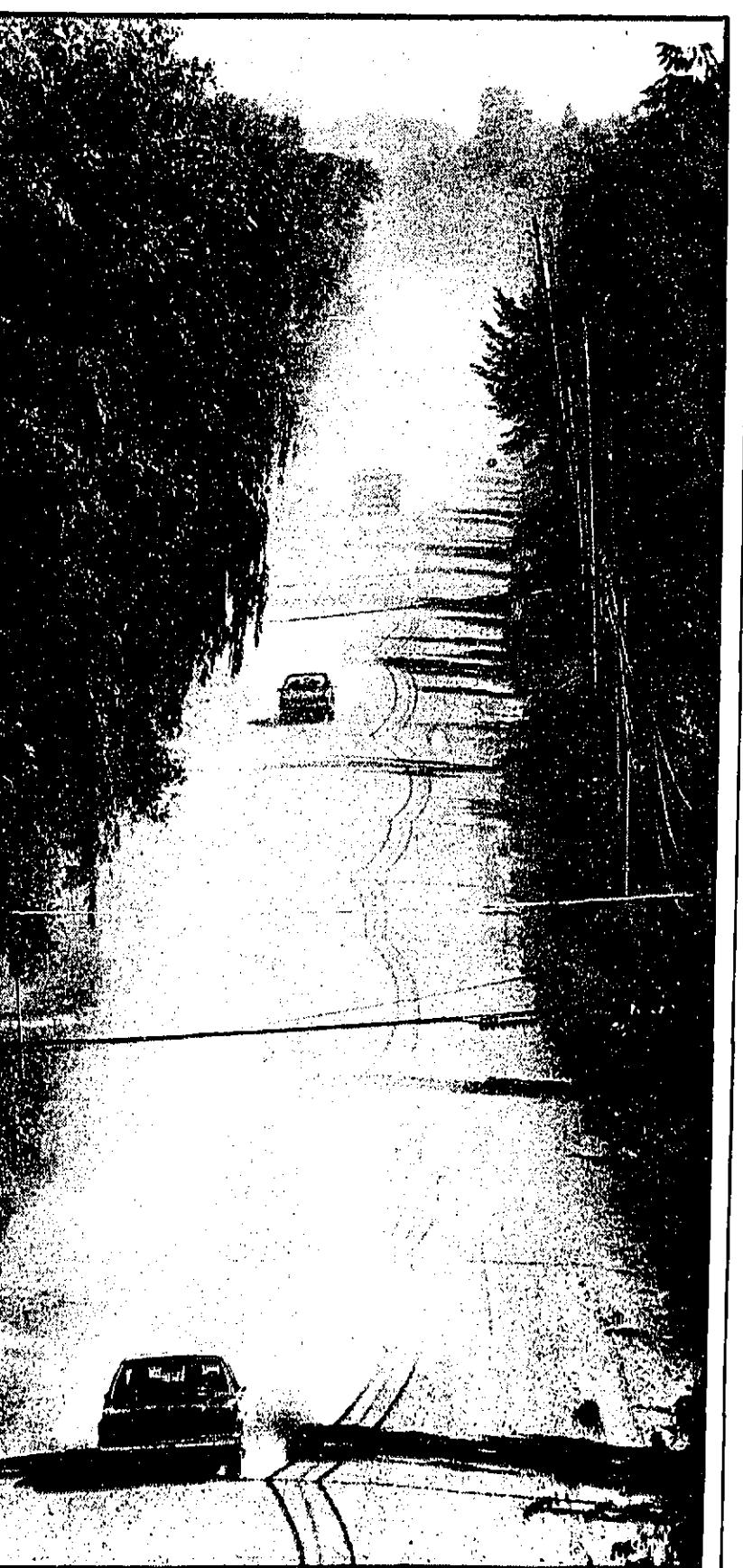
Two other young relatives, a niece and nephew, found that air travel can be difficult, also, as they sat in their plane in Chicago for five hours Sunday night en route to San Jose in the delay caused by that area's big rainfall.

The real tragedy was for the survivors of up to 158 victims in the Flight 255 crash. I have great admiration for the young widow of Northville resident Frank J. Vlazny who this week must have pulled together very strong mental resources to make plans for the memorial Mass scheduled for today. She has two small sons, Brian, almost three, and Kevin, nine months, to care for alone. Raymond Lombardi in her husband's firm, Touche-Ross, Tuesday also was obviously feeling the loss of a CPA who was rising in the firm and was going to be much missed.

It was sad assignment to write the local story of the disaster, as it was also for Philip Jerome, who personally knew former resident James Tuck, a member of his Northville High School graduating class, also a crash victim. I kept wishing the story could have ended for them with relief, as it had for us.

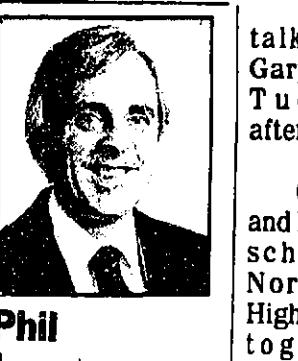
Forum

By Chris Boyd



Dusty trails

Air tragedy hits home



Phil Jerome

I was talking to Gary Kohs Tuesday afternoon.

Gary and I went to school at Northville High School together, and we had just learned that one of our classmates, Jim Tuck, was among the people who died in the tragic plane crash at Metro Airport Sunday night.

We spent some time talking about Jim ... about how smart he was, but you never would have guessed it because he always had a big smile on his face and always seemed to be involved in some kind of mischievous scheme.

And eventually we got around to talking about life. About how your life can come to an end so suddenly. And what that means about how you should live your life.

Gary has an interesting philosophy. He's been pretty successful. He's president of Marketing Corporation of America in Birmingham, and does promotions for big Fortune 500-type companies across the United States ... and throughout the world, for that matter.

Gary was saying how he gets up every morning and tells himself two things. "Number one," he said, "is I tell myself to be sure to have fun today. And number two is I tell myself to be absolutely certain not to let anybody trash my life ... not let anybody keep me from having fun."

"There was a time when I used to let people trash my life," he continued. "Somebody would say something that upset me and I was ready to take them on."

"But not any more. Now if somebody tries to cause trouble, I just walk away. I don't let them get to me any more. Life's too short," he added. "You never know which day will be your last."

I agreed with him in theory, if not in practice. And we both agreed that we hoped Jim Tuck could say his life had been fun before it came to an end in that ball of fire that spread out across Middlebelt Road Sunday night.

Lakeshore project fulfills goals

Letters

To the Editor:

The Lakeshore Property Site Planning Committee has worked hard and openly since its inception in February 1984, to create a plan for quality development at the site. One of our first activities was to establish site objectives which have been reviewed and reported on numerous prior occasions. These are reiterated here:

1. Encourage a general upgrading of the lake area.
2. Try to steer to a mix of private sector and community development.
3. Promote a total community feeling.
4. Provide indoor community assembly facility.
5. City to maintain control of at least the lake frontage.
6. Project should not conflict with the residential character of the area.
7. Preserve and provide trees and green space.
8. Promote the enjoyment of the lake.
9. Project should not harm the quality of the lake water.
10. Project should be compatible with road relocation and utility systems.
11. Source of revenue/revenue production.

E.G. Kramer, chairman
Lakeshore Property Site Planning Committee

Questions remain

To the Editor:

During the August 3, 1987, city council meeting, I asked that Manager Ed Kriewell answer several questions pertaining to the proposed Lakeshore development. In review, they are:

- 1) How much did the 12 acre parcel cost? Kriewell stated it was approximately \$500,000.
- 2) Where did the money come from? Kriewell said the funds were taken from three sources: the general fund, a five-year loan from the National Bank of Detroit (with annual payments) and from the 1.5 mile dedicated road fund. When asked what percent came from the road fund, he replied 40 to 50 percent.
- 3) Asked if the road fund was for road improvement and/or maintenance, he replied, "Yes." I then asked how the South Lake Drive realignment could be compatible with the proposed road configuration. Road plans have been finalized and the relocation of East Lake Drive and South Lake Drive will be constructed in 1985.
- 4) The Oakland County Planning Division has been instrumental in working with an citizen's group to conceptualize this project. The concept design which appears on the cover was provided by the Oakland County Planning Division and is reprinted with their permission. The

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fund monies spent on this 12 acre site, admitted to be up to \$500,000, have been better spent to improve and/or maintain the roads — the purpose for which the fund was set up? One stretch of road immediately comes to mind: Novi Road between Grand River and Ten Mile, which is in terrible shape. What a way to welcome visitors to our city!

All citizens of the City of Novi should be interested in the answers to these and many more questions we have. Let's have accountability in our city government. Let's find out exactly where our tax money is going, and not in the standard answer.

"The Budget is public record." Every nickel and dime spent by the city should be accountable to the taxpayers who provide them. Many people with whom I've spoken in the past four months are beginning to refer to it as a "Novi-gate." Let us hope that this is an isolated incident and not the tip of an iceberg.

Sarah J.G. Phelps

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To The Editor:
There is no excuse for "a potential misstatement" and "probably of the top of their head discussion."

As early as 1985, after working with the Oakland County Planning Division, concept plans for the project were reviewed openly and fully, including utilization of the favored concept on the cover of the City of Novi 1985 Community Calendar/Annual Report which is distributed to all Novi residents. The text of the report contained within indicated that:

"The City of Novi purchased the former Walled Lake Casino and Amusement Park property on Walled Lake in 1982. The main reason for the purchase was to eliminate a bad intersection at South Lake Drive and East Lake Drive. A citizen's committee (Lakeshore Property Site Plan Committee) was formed in 1984 to study the road relocation issue and to analyze the potential utilization of the parcels created by the new road configuration. Road plans have been finalized and the relocation of East Lake Drive and South Lake Drive will be constructed in 1985."

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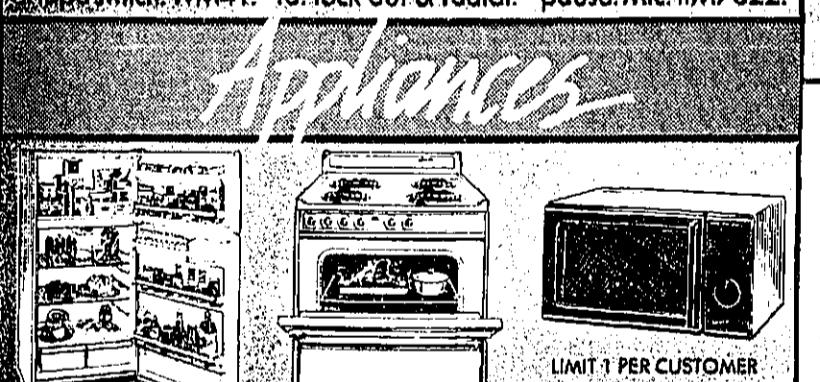
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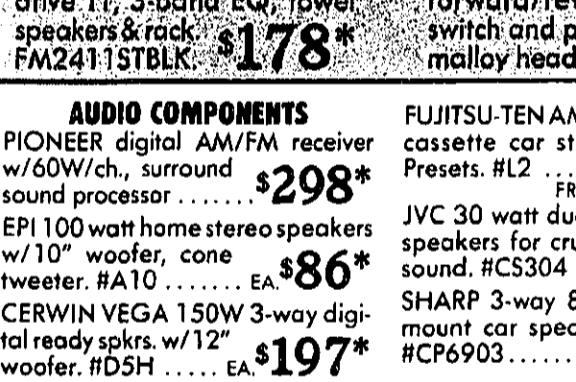
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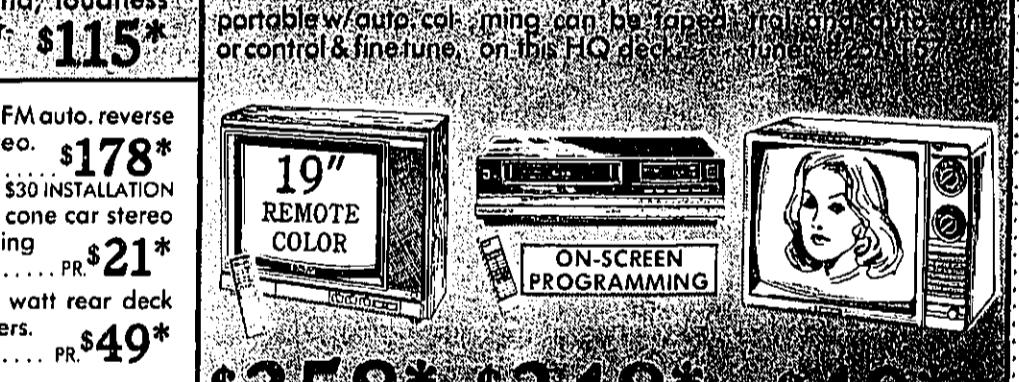
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Talking houses

Real estate firm utilizes
new concept to aid buyers

By ANITA CRONE

You've heard of talking horses like Max Headroom, talking horses like Mr. Ed and talking cars, so it stands to reason that talking houses wouldn't be far behind.

But instead of talking houses appearing on television, they are springing up in Northville, Livonia and other parts of southeastern Michigan — anywhere that Bruce Roy Really is.

"You'd be surprised at the number of people who tell us they just want the locations so they can drive by and then want to go inside and see the houses," said Sherry Klisz, a Realtor with Bruce Roy.

"The Talking House is a house equipped with a special AM transmitter, attached to a 1 1/2 -inch and plugged into the house. To hear the message, a car radio is tuned to 1190 AM.

A special sign, like the one in front of 1012 Grace Court in Northville, informs everyone that the house is a Talking House and how to tune in the message.

"I'm one of those people who picks up new ideas and brings them back here to see if they work," Roy said.

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Business Briefs

GERRY BESH has been accepted as a Fellow in the American Society of Tax Professionals (ASTP).

Besh, who operates a private tax preparation practice at 18922 Farmington Road in Livonia, was cited by the society for contributions to professionalism in tax preparation in being accepted as a Fellow. To be recognized as a Fellow is a distinction earned by dedicated members of a learned society dedicated to high ideals. Besh has a total of 18 years in accounting work.

ASTP is a non-profit, nationwide professional society of tax preparers dedicated to competence in taxes through continuing education, high ethics and a network of support.

SHERRYL BELANGER has joined the R.A. DeMatta Company as Accounts Payable Accountant. The R.A. DeMatta Company is a leading design/build construction firm headquartered in Plymouth.

Belanger is responsible for the processing of all administrative and job-cost expenditures. She currently is pursuing an associate's degree in accounting from Schoolcraft College.



JOHN E. PURKISS

R. KEITH MILAM



GIL SIMON

MIKE JOHNSON

JOHN E. PURKISS has been named general manager of Jacobson's new Livonia store by J. Russell Fowler, chairman of the Board of Jacobson Stores, Inc.

Purkiss, who joined Jacobson's in 1971 upon graduation from Ferris State College, has been general manager of the Jacobson's store in Ann Arbor for the past four years. Previously, he was assistant store manager in East Lansing after working in various supervisory capacities and as an executive trainee.

Purkiss has been active in business and community affairs, including the United Way, March of Dimes, the Ann Arbor Chamber of Commerce and the Ann Arbor Conference and Convention Bureau.

He is a past president of the State Street Area Association and currently is a board member of the Young Keyboard Artist Association. He also is an active member of Rotary.

Purkiss and his wife Barbara have two sons, Paul and Evan.

R. KEITH MILAM of Novi has been named a vice president in First Federal of Michigan's Branch Market Analysis Department.

Milam is a member and past president of the Michigan Chapter of the National Association of Corporate Real Estate Executives (NACORE), and a member of the Michigan Society of Planning Officials and Multi-Lakes Conservation Association.

A graduate of Wayne State University, Milam joined First Federal of Michigan's Marketing Division in 1976.

HIGHLAND DODGE recently earned top honors in the customer satisfaction rankings of the 38 Chrysler dealerships in Metropolitan Detroit.

Pictured above in front of the dealership are (left to right) Ray Coons, general manager; Greg Burks, service manager; and Ed Sauer, owner of the dealership.

The rankings were based on customer satisfaction, condition of delivery, early service satisfaction, the percentage of vehicles repaired the first time and prep-it-right/deliver-it-right.

TEC LITHO INC., a full-service print shop, recently celebrated its grand opening at 3745 Hills Tech Drive in Farmington Hills.

The company is owned by Todd Faulkner of Novi and Bob Frame of West Bloomfield.

As a full-service print shop, Tec Litho offers complete typesetting services and logo design. In addition, the company provides multi-color printing, bindery and darkroom services.

Business hours are Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

LORRAINE E. HEWITT of Novi has been accepted as a Fellow in the American Society of Tax Professionals (ASTP).

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An early fall move-in is planned at Senior House Novi, a 114-unit apartment development designed for seniors. The Novi complex, under construction on Pontiac Trail and West Road, is a two-story colonial style with pillar front. Features planned include landscaped walking trails, a pond with ducks, gazebo, courtyards, library, coffee shop, T.V. lounge, movie theatre, beauty shop and exercise room. Services provided will include meals, housekeeping, laundry, recreational and social activities and transportation. A 24-hour emergency call-in is part of the master plan at Senior House, which leases apartments on a monthly basis starting at \$1100. There are no leases to sign.

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Financial plan key to retirement

Money Management

Those golden years — your retirement — are finally here. Maybe you've been looking forward to it for years. Or maybe you're not quite sure you're ready to join the ranks of the retirees.

Are you wondering how you'll time to do all the things you want to do? Or are you worried about how you'll fill all those empty hours? Everyone faces retirement with a personal perspective, but if there's a common thread of concern that seems to affect recent retirees, it's money.

One key to managing your money comfortably on a fixed income is knowing what your income and expenses are and formulating a realistic budget, reports the Michigan Association of CPAs.

Some retirees might be inclined to live it up and enjoy life. Those people run the risk of outliving their capital. Other retirees tend to be more conservative, scrimping and saving every corner. They may never get around to enjoying their hard-earned savings.

Basically, it's a question of balance. Knowing what your income and expenses are and how much discretionary income you have left allows you to make informed budgeting decisions.

If you are nearing retirement, you're probably wondering how your financial needs will change. Some experts estimate an individual household needs 70 to 75 percent of current income to live comfortably in retirement. Actually, your individual

expenses and circumstances will determine what you need. Many of your expenses will remain the same. If you rent a home or still have a mortgage, the monthly payments continue. Even if your mortgage is paid off, you must still contend with utility costs, loan and insurance payments, food, utilities, automobile and transportation expenses and anything else you pay on a regular basis.

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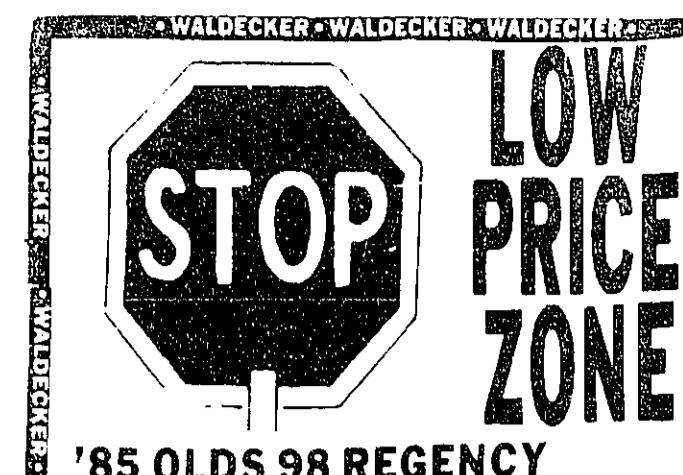
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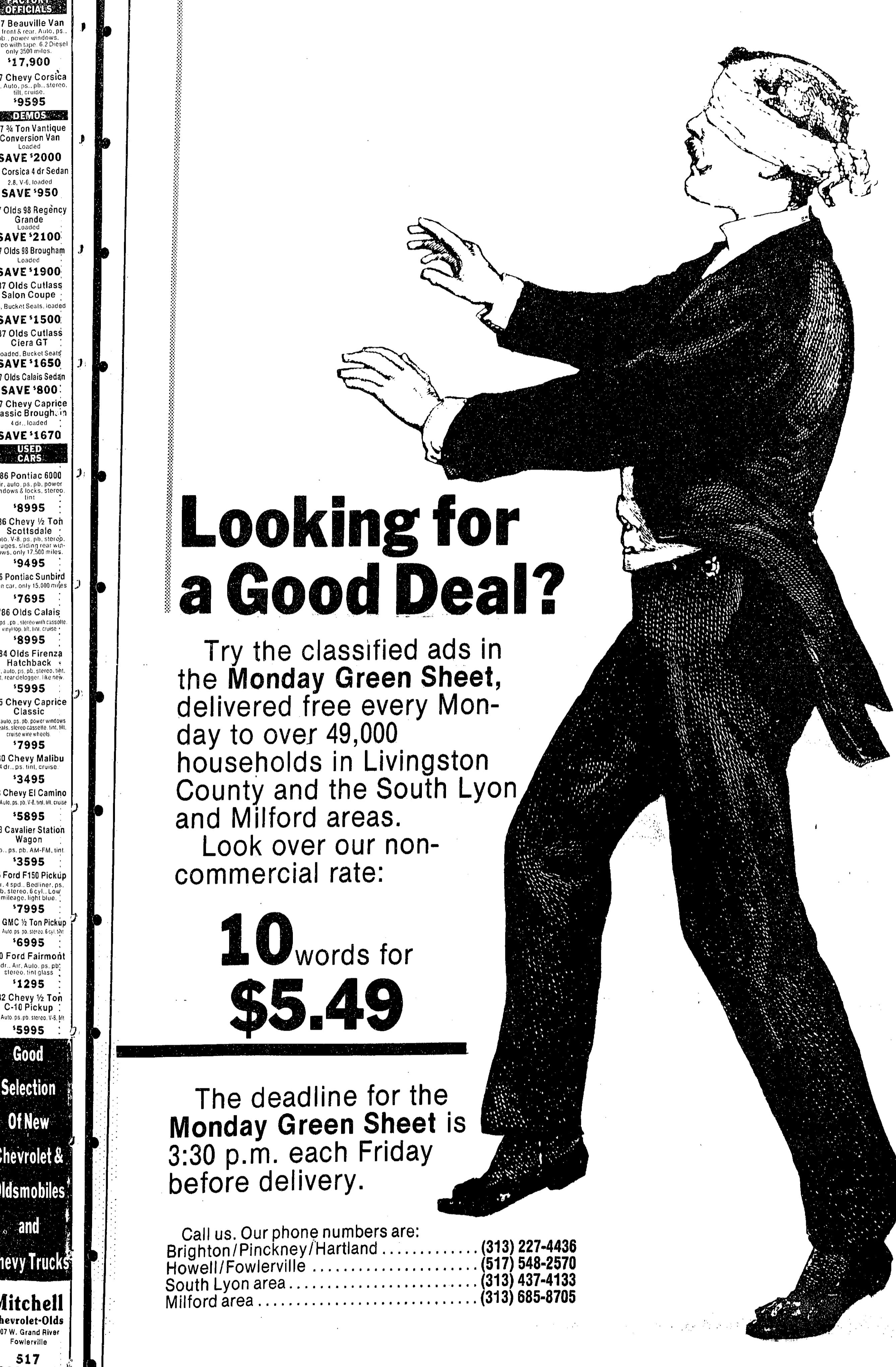
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Novi Lions host annual 'pig roast' on Sept. 12

By JEANNE CLARKE
Special writer

The Novi Lions Club will host its seventh annual "Pig Roast" at Lakeshore Park on Saturday, Sept. 12. All Novi residents are invited to attend; tickets are available from any member of the Lions Club.

The Pig Roast will begin with a happy hour at 3:30 p.m. Dinner will be served from 5:30 to 7 p.m. when the menu will include roast pig, a baked potato, corn-on-the-cob, salad, cake and coffee. Following dinner entertainment will be provided by the Music Masters until 11 p.m. There also will be door prizes, but you must be present to win.

Dick Paulkner and Bill Weber are co-chairmen of the Pig Roast which is the club's biggest fund-raising project of the year. Proceeds are used to provide services for individuals with seeing and hearing problems. In addition, the Lions raise funds to finance the Leader Dog School for the Blind in Rochester and the Penitentiary School for the Blind.

New President Terry Jolly reported that the Lions Club this year is planning to be more involved in providing substance abuse programming in the Novi area.

COMMUNITY ED: The Novi Community Education Department is accepting registration for its Fall 1987 programs. Registrations are restricted to Novi residents through this Friday, Aug. 21. Registrations will be accepted from residents and non-residents through Thursday, Aug. 27, at 7:30 p.m.

Senior citizens living in Novi are eligible for discounts ranging from 30 to 100 percent to attend classes. Seniors also are eligible to attend high school continuation classes as well as special exercise classes.

The Community Education Department is again sponsoring a CARE (Children's Activities in a Responsible Environment) Program for families with two working parents. The program offers before- and after-school sessions for children while parents must leave for work before the start of school in the morning and return after school in the afternoon. Registrations for the CARE Program started Aug. 17. Parents should call their local elementary school for more information.

The "Fall 1987" brochure of classes has been mailed to all school district residents. Additional copies are available at the Novi Public

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Library and Community Education offices on Taft Road.

The brochure contains a complete list and description of classes available during the fall semester including special sections for children and teens, adult enrichment, and swimming and fitness. Also included is information on special programs for pre-schoolers.

Additional information about classes is available from Community Education Director Clark Porter at 348-1200.

ATHLETIC BOOSTERS: The Novi Athletic Boosters are once again selling season family passes to all Novi High School athletic events at a price of \$33. The passes enable all family members to attend all athletic events played at Novi High School facilities throughout the 1987-88 school year.

Parents of children involved in Novi athletic programs are encouraged to attend the next meeting of the Boosters Club at Novi High School on Wednesday, Sept. 2, at 7 p.m., when plans for the annual millionaire party in November will be finalized. Anyone interested in furthering the cause of the athletic program is invited to attend.

Funds used by the club are used to purchase items for the athletic program not included in the regular school district budget. The Boosters will unveil a "Home of the Wildcats" sign at the south end of the football field at Novi's first home game of the 1987 season. Also scheduled to make his first appearance at the first home game is the new "Wildcat" mascot.

The Boosters have scheduled a "Green and White" scrimmage for Thursday, Aug. 22, at 7 p.m. Season pass books will be available at the inter-squad scrimmage.

CUB PACK 54: Novi Cub Scout Pack 54 will hold a "Cub Scout Round-up" at Novi Woods Elementary School on Thursday, Sept. 17, to register boys interested in joining Cub Scouts and Tiger Scouts.

Cubmaster John Duneske and Boy Scout Commissioner Gordon Wilcox will attend training Aug. 27 at Oakland Community College to prepare for the upcoming season.

Summer activities have included

attending a Tiger game and participating in a day camp at Walled Lake.

Parents interested in more information about Cub Scout Pack 54 may call Duneske at 349-0892.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY: The Novi Historical Society is continuing work on converting the former Novi Town Hall into a historical museum at its new location near the Novi Public Library.

The Building Committee is soliciting funds to enable work to continue. Some grading has been done on the site, and plans have been made to purchase bedding plants with donations from the Larry Maki Memorial Fund. Additional donations are needed to continue the work of converting the first floor into a meeting room and the basement into a museum.

Anyone wishing to donate may contact the Historical Society at Post Office Box 73, Novi, Mich. 48301.

The society also is continuing to accept donations of items to be displayed in the museum. Marvin and Dorothy Stayman have donated a butter churn and Trueman Dairy milk bottle. Donald and Hazel Pulte

have donated a butter paddle and glass measuring containers. Frazer Stayman, former Novi Township supervisor, donated a gavel that was made by prisoners at the Detroit House of Correction and given to him while he was in public office.

All Novi residents interested in preserving the past history are invited to consider membership in the Novi Historical Society. Annual dues are \$5 per person and a year's subscription to the monthly newsletter is \$2.50. For more information call 349-7048.

SMOKERS GUILD: Members of the Michigan Smoking Guild will learn how to make Battleground lace at their next meeting in the Novi Public Library on Thursday, Sept. 17. Anyone interested in learning the art of smoking is encouraged to attend. Deadline for ordering a kit for the meeting is Sept. 5; orders may be placed by calling President Nancy Smith at 349-7048.

A "Sit and Smock" session is planned for the October meeting when plans will be finalized for the Oct. 24 seminar led by Mary Seigal of Atlanta.

Anyone wishing to attend the special seminar may place their name on the reservation list by calling 349-7048.

Mildred Trimble demonstrated a smoking stool and Ginny McBride demonstrated machine applique at the guild's last meeting. Many guild members have turned in their com-

mittee service project of gowns for premature babies which will be donated to Botsford Hospital. All gowns should be turned in by the Sept. 17 meeting.

Tickets are now available at a price of \$1 for the Christmas raffle. First prize will be 35 handmade baby Christmas dolls valued at between \$400 and \$500. Second prize will be two smoked music balls and third prize will be two smoked door pulls. Tickets are available by calling Smith at 349-7048.

PERSONALS: It has been a busy summer for John and Louise Tymensky. Louise was honored at a retirement party after working 35 years at the Ford Motor Company. The Tymenskys took a five-week vacation in their RV to South Dakota with the International Air Stream Rally and a trip to Texas where they visited their two children, Brenda and Ron Cain. The Tymenskys will be honored at a farewell barbecue this Sunday hosted by their daughter, Linda Harsh and son John Tymensky. Mary Skellits, a Novi resident for more than 40 years and Mrs. Tymensky's mother, will be accompanying them as they travel across the country in their RV before returning to Michigan for holiday activities.

Jeffrey Steinberger, 8, enjoyed a 10-day fishing trip on a houseboat Lake Temagami in Canada with his father, Frank, and grandfather, Edwin Steinberger. Also on the trip

was Joe Steinberger of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gatteri and their daughter Lucy Rose of Holt were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Needham last weekend when Pete attended the 20th reunion of his South Lyon High School graduating class.

Bob and Mae Shetlinger, longtime former residents now living in Georgia, were house guests of Alvin and Marjorie Killeen. The Shetlinger visited friends Don and Wilma Young and their son Fred and his family of Inkster before returning home.



Laura Eheart's Long Island odyssey included a trip to New York City

Novi News/PHILIP JEROME

Ostroms to sing at fashion show

Remember the Ostrom sisters — the little girls who sang the National Anthem during the Detroit Red Wings' play-off games? Well, they're coming to Novi.

Kirsten and Heather Ostrom, accompanied by their mother Carolene, will perform on stage at Twelve Oaks. "When I saw them perform for the Red Wings' games, I could see that everyone was touched by the magic in their voices," she said.

The girls have been singing National Anthems in arenas across the United States and Canada. They sang "O, Canada" on the David Letterman Show last summer and have just returned from a two-week visit to the Soviet Union to promote the Goodwill Games in Seattle, Washington, in 1990.

In addition to singing, they will perform as models during fall fashion events. The latest fashions from Twelve Oaks' specialty stores for "Back to School" and "Back to Business" fashions will be presented at 1 p.m. and again at 4 p.m.

Heather, 9, and Kirsten, 11, along

with their mother will be modeling fashions from JC Penney and then return to the store following each show to meet fans and sign autographs.

Twelve Oaks Marketing Director Elaine Kahl said she was thrilled to be able to bring the Ostroms to Twelve Oaks. "When I saw them perform for the Red Wings' games, I could see that everyone was touched by the magic in their voices," she said.

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Pancakes on tap

FARMINGTON — Where could you attend an all-you-can-eat pancake breakfast for \$2.50, have a chance to bid on a week's vacation in a Florida condominium and walk away with a free teddy bear on the second morning?

The answer is at the Farmington Hills Salvation Army on Saturday, Aug. 29.

Breakfast will be served from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., and the auction will begin at 11 a.m. Tickets are priced at \$2.50 for adults, \$1.50 for children and \$7.50 for families.

The Salvation Army is located on the corner of Shiawassee and Inkster roads between Eight and Nine Mile in Farmington Hills.

Open house set

The Novi branch of United Hebrew Schools of Metropolitan Detroit will hold an open house on Wednesday, Sept. 1, to welcome back all of last year's families and welcome new families.

Activities included visits with marine biologists, a ship's cook, a lighthouse keeper and members of the Coast Guard.

"The lighthouse keeper was an interesting man," reported Eheart. "He has written two books about lighthouses. We also visited a whaling museum and learned about whaling, went on a clambing expedition and attended a whale watch."

The program also provided plenty of opportunity for fun and sightseeing. The girls — who came from

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Moonlight 11:00 P.M. to 1:00 A.M.

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Brunch 11:00 A.M. to 1:30 P.M.
Dinner 7:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M.
Moonlight 11:00 P.M. to 1:00 A.M.

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Dinner 7:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M.

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Town Hall to begin 27th season

Northville Town Hall will launch its 27th season a week later than previously announced when humorist Theresa Bloomington appears Thursday, Oct. 15, at the Sheraton Oaks in Novi.

In a second change from the announced schedule, Sheila MacRae will replace Tony Martin as the second attraction in the series on Nov. 12. Martin canceled due to illness.

MacRae, speaking on "The Ladies Who Last," will talk about the world of entertainment. She will sing Gereshin, Porter, Coward and Sondheim numbers as she reminisces about life, love and career.

In her lecture, she portrays personalities of the day — Elizabeth Taylor, Dinah Shore, Olivia Newton-John, Jackie Onassis, Barbara Streisand — with humor and in her sometimes-biting style.

According to her agent, Keedick

Lecture Bureau, her tribute "to all of the ladies in the entertainment business who are over 40 is a showstopper."

Helen Hayes, Mary Marquet, Merman, Julie Harris and Kim Stanley are also booked.

Opening speaker Theresa Bloomington's first book, "I Should Have Seen It Coming: When the Rabbit Died," was an instant success. It was followed by "Up a Family Tree," another hit, and "Murphy Must Have Been a Mother! (And Other Laws I Live By.)"

A resident of Omaha, she had 10 children in 12 years and, when the last one entered school, began to write about the "insanity of having 10 children, yet proving the joys and hilarities outweigh the miseries."

James Humes, who worked in the Eisenhower White House while attending George Washington University Law School and who later served in both the Nixon and Ford White House

as a presidential speech writer, will be the third lecturer on March 10, 1988. He is known for his portrayals of Winston Churchill.

For a speaker in the 1987-88 series will be Helen Thomas, who will speak April 14.

White House Bureau Chief for United Press International, Thomas has reported the activities of presidents and first ladies since 1960. She is the first woman to head the presidential coverage of a major wire service and is the senior staffer of the UPI reporting team regularly assigned to the White House. She was born in Winchendon, Ky., and grew up in Detroit, graduating from Wayne State University.

Tickets for Northville Town Hall are sold by season subscription only for \$25 and are available from Marlene Lyon, ticket chairman. Check should be made payable to Northville Town Hall and mailed with a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Northville Town Hall, P.O. Box 93, Northville, 48167.

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Eheart enjoys Long Island adventure

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Maine to California — swam in the Atlantic Ocean, had a sightseeing tour of New York City, rode the Fire Island ferry and visited the Statue of Liberty.

"It (Statue of Liberty) is much bigger than it looks in pictures," reported Eheart. "You don't realize how big it is until you see it in person. As we were riding over to Ellis Island on the ferry, I tried to imagine what it must look like to people from other countries when they first see it."

The girls also saw how television shows are produced when they were part of the audience for *The Morning Show* on CBS. "That was really interesting," observed Eheart. "We

Eheart: 'As we were riding over to Ellis Island on the ferry, I tried to imagine what it must look like to people from other countries when they first see it.'

got to meet Mariette Hartley and she was really nice with a good sense of humor ... not at all what you'd expect a television star to be."

"She was really skinny, too," Eheart said she is no longer certain

she wants to pursue a career in marine biology. "I found out she isn't very good," she said. "It's most of a labor of love."

She said she now is interested in a career as a fashion designer. After her mother feels confident there will be a Wider Opportunities program in the years ahead to help her explore options in the fashion industry in greater detail.

Two Novi residents have received degrees from Western Michigan University.

PATRICK COUTTS of Jamestowne received a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration and PAMELA KRAFT of Cranbrook received a Bachelor of Science degree.

Engagements

The engagement of Karyn Suzanne Hill to Hilary Thomas Rowland is announced by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Hill of Brook Forest in Novi. Her fiance is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony F. Rowland of Minneapolis, Minnesota.

The bride-elect is a 1981 graduate of Novi High School. She attended Michigan State University from 1981-1983 and graduated from Eastern Michigan University in 1985. She is currently working for the Procter & Gamble Corporation in Livonia as an administrative sales assistant.

Her fiance graduated from the London Grammar School in London, England. He is currently attending Eastern Michigan University. He is employed at Cigna Financial Services as an employee benefits specialist.

An October wedding is planned.



KARYN SUZANNE HILL and HILARY THOMAS ROWLAND

If you're looking for a unique way to honor an individual and benefit the community at the same time, the Friends of the Novi Public Library has a suggestion.

Barbara Pipas, president of the Friends, suggests that donating a book to the library is an appropriate way to honor an individual who has made a significant contribution to a specific organization or the community at large.

"A gift to the library's collection is one of the most satisfying ways of insuring that your gift will continue to be used," said Pipas.

"It can reflect the taste of the giver or, in the case of memorials, the individual in whose memory it is given. It is also an excellent way for an organization to help the community with books or materials in the field in which they are especially interested," she added.

Pipas suggested that a person interested in history might increase the library's collections in the fields of history, biographies, maps and pictures. Individuals from other countries might want to provide for the purchase of language records of the literature of their native land.

The Friends president stressed that book gifts

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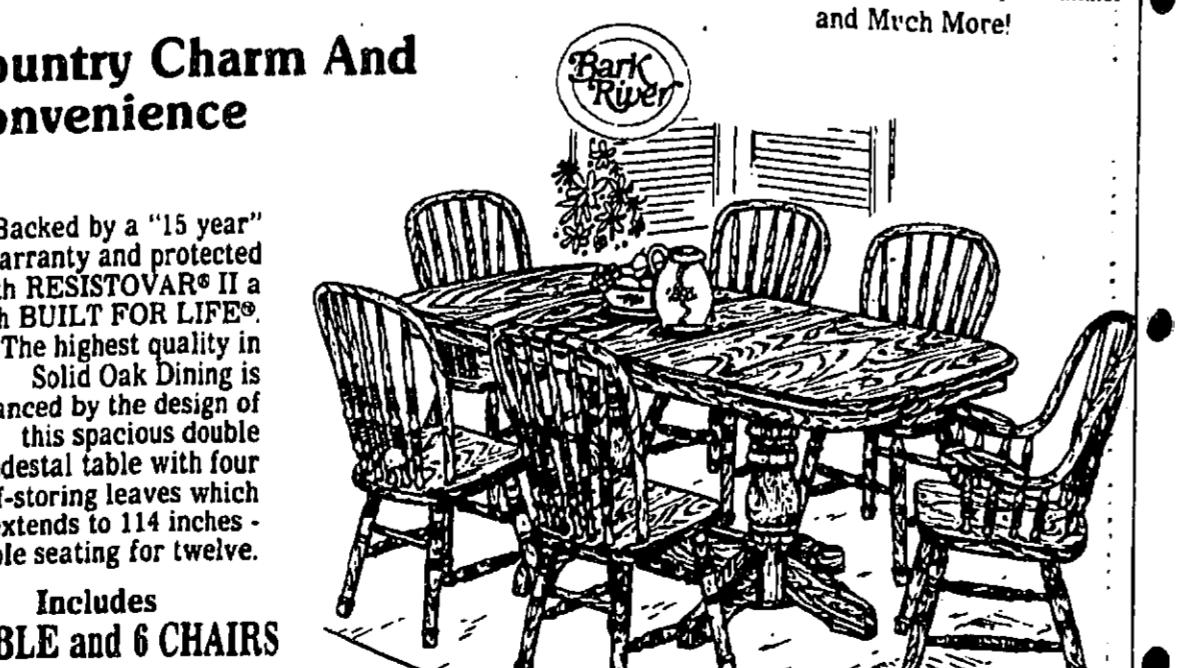
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Sports

Beach volleyball a hit in Goat Farm's league

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN

Hutchins: 'It's certainly different than indoor volleyball. It's more fun because you can dive and not get hurt.'

California is the place Archie Bunker once called the 'land of the fruits, the nuts and the flakes' — is usually this country's biggest trend-setter.

Wine coolers, organic diets, highway superstars, and, of course, beach volleyball all originated in California. Novi has picked up a few of the more harmless trends along the way, and The Goat Farm Tavern on Novi Road is leading the pack.

Not only can you enjoy many different brands and flavors of wine coolers at The Goat Farm, you can also play honest-to-goodness, authentic California beach volleyball.

The sand is there, and so are the net, ball and boundary lines. From there you need a little imagination because the thunderous Pacific surf, the hot California sun and volleyball girls in bikinis are missing. But what the heck, all the essentials are there.

"It's good outdoor fun," said Novi's Todd Hutchins, captain of The Dogs, one of five teams entered in the Coed Monday Night Sixes League. "We take a very relaxed approach to the game and concentrate on having a good time. It's not nearly as serious or competitive as the indoor leagues."

There are currently 12 teams in two leagues which play once a week at the beach volleyball court next to the Goat Farm. Mondays are reserved for the four and six-player coed teams, while Tuesdays feature the more competitive triples (three-players per team). In beach volleyball, you see a lot of diving, jumping, falling and laughing — everyone seems to be having a good time.

"It's certainly different than indoor volleyball," said Phil Hutchins. "It's more fun because you can dive and not get hurt."

Last summer was the rookie season for beach volleyball at the Goat Farm. Tavern owner Paul Baker and dedicated volleyballer

Gary Kelber were the two main forces in getting the league off the ground. A volleyball pit was dug, and sand was trucked in thanks to B&G Construction in Novi. Hutchins, from Novi, helped the net posts, and all systems were go.

"We had only two matches at night last season but now we have lights and are playing a lot of games at dusk," Kelber said. "Sometimes the mosquitoes come out of the swamp out back with a vengeance, so there are still some areas to be worked out — but we're in a short period of time."

O'Branovich said this year's turnout was slightly ahead of last year's, and the popularity appears to be as strong as ever.

"It is more challenging in the sand because it is hard to jump," he said. "There's not an overwhelming call for players, but obviously there's still a lot of interest. We will be advertising a fall league soon, and we'll see what kind of response we get to that."

Kelber was the organizer last season, and although he still plays in the league, he turned over the organizing job to former Novi Parks and Recreation Director Tom O'Branovich.

"This beach-style volleyball has been gaining popularity all across the country," O'Branovich explained. "It's becoming more and more the thing to do in the summer. Everyone likes the idea of playing on the sand because it's soft, and you can fall in it and not hurt."

Although the sand helps cushion the falls, it also makes jumping and maneuvering a much more difficult task. When the ground is soft and

shifty, players often become mired and bogged down during a match.

"It's tough to get off the ground," Todd Hutchins said. "The sand is a little bit harder right now because of the rain, but normally it isn't. So the key is positioning yourself so you don't have to move a long way in a short period of time."

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"This beach-style volleyball has been gaining popularity all across the country," O'Branovich explained. "It's becoming more and more the thing to do in the summer. Everyone likes the idea of playing on the sand because it's soft, and you can fall in it and not hurt."

Although the sand helps cushion the falls, it also makes jumping and maneuvering a much more difficult task. When the ground is soft and



Terri Chapo of Westland battles to save a ball at the net Novi News/CHRIS BOYD

Novi's Scappaticci enjoys European soccer tourneys

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN

staff writer

Novi's Natalino (Nat) Scappaticci is only 14 years old, but his soccer trip to Europe lasted almost a full month. It was the first time he'd ever been so far away for so long.

Homesickness would be understandable — and perhaps expected — for a youngster like Nat, but as it turned out, it was the furthest thing from his mind.

"I wasn't a bit homesick," declared the Novi High School sophomore. "I loved it over there in Europe."

So much for child psychology.

Nat was one of 16 players in the state selected to compete for the Team/USA squad representing Michigan at the 1987 European-Soviet Cup Tour. The tour lasted from July 7 to Aug. 3 and Nat brought back with him a wealth of knowledge and experience about the game he loves so much.

"It was a lot of fun," he said. "I loved the competition. The players

(in Europe) play so well, and everything they do looks so natural. Sometimes, it seems like they are perfect."

Nat was originally slated to split time in goal as the Michigan net-minder with another member of the team, but all that changed as soon as the team reached the Euro-Sporting Soccer School in eastern Holland. Another Team/USA squad, from the Northeast section, found itself without a goalkeeper, so one of the two Michigan keepers were offered. Nat's name was later chosen out of a hat, and he switched to the Northeast team for the remainder of the tour.

"I changed teams when I got there because the team from Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine didn't have a goalie," Nat explained. "I was a little disappointed that I wouldn't be playing for the Michigan team, but I adjusted. The good thing about it was that I played every second of every game."

The Northeast squad competed in

14 matches during the tour, and finished with an impressive 5-8-1 record. European-calibre soccer is generally regarded as many years ahead of the United States, so the overall record certainly wasn't a source of embarrassment.

"We are still behind the Europeans, but we didn't do too bad," Nat reported. "We were a lot better than I thought we'd be."

The Northeast team trained for the tour in Holland and wrapped up the training portion with a 2-1 win over a Dutch team on July 10 and a scoreless tie with another Dutch team the following day.

From there it was on to the Gohla Cup in Goteborg, Sweden. The Northeast squad didn't play well and lost three straight matches, but most of the problems were at the offensive end. France cruised to a 3-1 victory, Austria won 1-0 and Sweden blanked the U.S. team 2-0.

"In the first Cup, we didn't play

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Novi Trackers cop medals in team marathon events

Three teams of Novi Trackers won medals in the seventh annual Crystal Lake Team Marathon last weekend. A team composed of Bill Scott, Craig Altman, Mike Ducker, Hub Copp and Bill Jones finished first in the 145-185 age division.

Hugh Sweeney, Mike Everett, Larry Molloy, Blair Miller and John Hunt finished third in the 185-215 age division.

And Brian Molloy, Kathy Wallace, Gary Eichler, Denise Eichler and Howard Eichler finished third in the 115-144 age division despite the fact that there were no separate categories for coed teams.

In addition, another co-ed team composed of Stan Ducker, Jeanne Willard, Jim Wahl, John Calandro and Bill Ahrens finished ninth in the highly competitive 145-185 age division.

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Cohen strokes to national Junior Olympic title

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN
staff writer

With a lot of attention directed at 1992, Novi's Jon Cohen is doing exactly what he has to do in 1987 to make a trip to the Olympics: a really good day.

Cohen, 16, finished up a successful long course swim season last week at the Hall of Fame Pool in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Jon attended the National Junior Olympic Championships along with 1,200 of the best 18-and-under swimmers in the nation.

Each swimmer had to reach specific qualifying times in order to

attend. And each could only participate in a maximum of four events during the five-day meet which got under way Aug. 11.

Jon took first place honors in the 400-meter individual medley and broke the Junior Olympic East national record in a time of 4:32.46. The Novi swimming sensation beat his nearest competitor by more than three seconds in the race.

Jon then added a third in the 800 freestyle (2:09.92) and a fifth in the 200 breaststroke (2:25.61) to wrap up a truly outstanding performance.

"It was a great way to top off my Junior National swimming career,"

Jon said. "Now, I'm preparing myself for the Olympic trials next year. Next to my experience at the Olympic Festival last summer in Texas, this is my best accomplishment."

In his record-breaking effort in the individual medley, Jon's time was just one-second off the Olympic trials qualifying time and was enough to qualify him for the Senior Nationals.

"It had to be the most exciting thing I've ever experienced in Jon's swimming career," said his mother, Cindy Cohen. "It's still hard to believe."

In the 400 IM, 100-meters of each stroke is swum, making it a true test

for the all-around swimmer with the most endurance. The crowd in Fort Lauderdale was on its feet during the race, cheering Cohen on as he blazed his way to record-breaking splits.

The splits were 2:15 for the butterfly/backstroke leg, and 2:17 for the breaststroke/freestyle leg. Just like he usually does in the 200 IM, Cohen made his move in the breaststroke (1:15) was faster than most senior swimmers on hand in Florida.

"I thought that nothing Jon did in swimming could surprise me anymore, but it was really exciting," reported his mother. "His record swim was a very nice achievement

for his many years of hard work."

Cohen's times in all three events set new Michigan age 15-16 long course records. He now has seven state long course records and two long course open records. The open records are in the 400 IM and the 200 IM, making Jon the fastest swimmer in any age group in those two events in Michigan history.

"He'll probably be in the top 50 swimmers, regardless of age, in the country after this."

Jon and younger brother Steve, 15, also competed in the Central Zone Age Group Championships in

Cleveland, Ohio, the week before

the

United States was divided into

four zones with the central covering 17 states. In the 15-16 age group, Jon took firsts in the 100-meter breaststroke, the 400 IM, and the 1,500 freestyle and set new zone records in all four. It was enough to give Cohen the high point award for the meet.

Steve took second in the 800 freestyle, third in the 1,500 freestyle and eighth in the 400 IM to break his personal goal of five minutes (4:59.99). The Michigan contingent of 122 swimmers took the team championship, beating second-place Indiana by a whooping 642 points.

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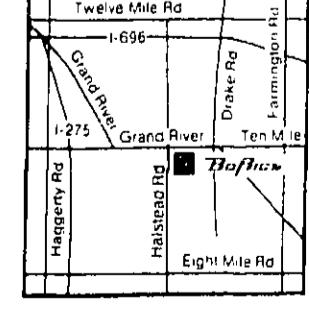
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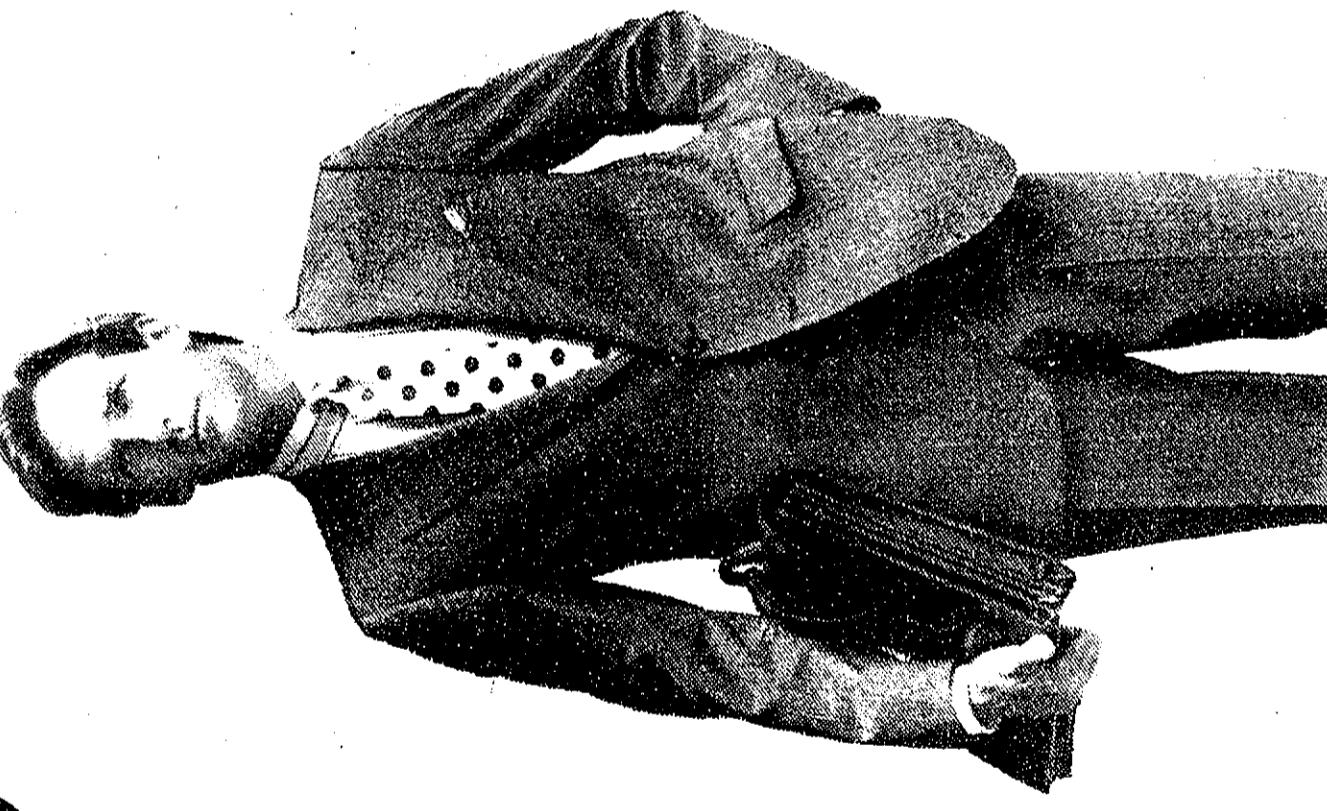


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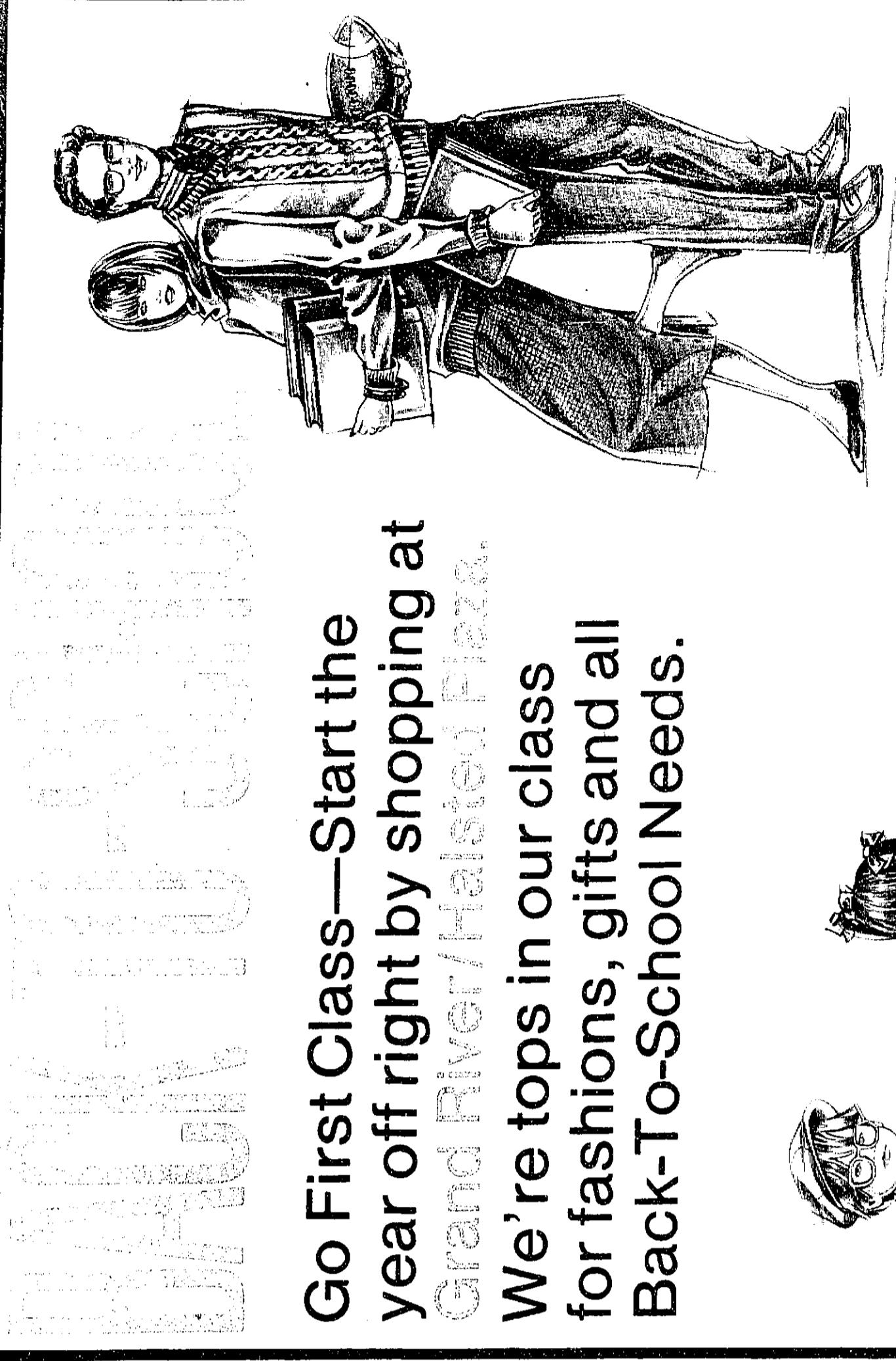
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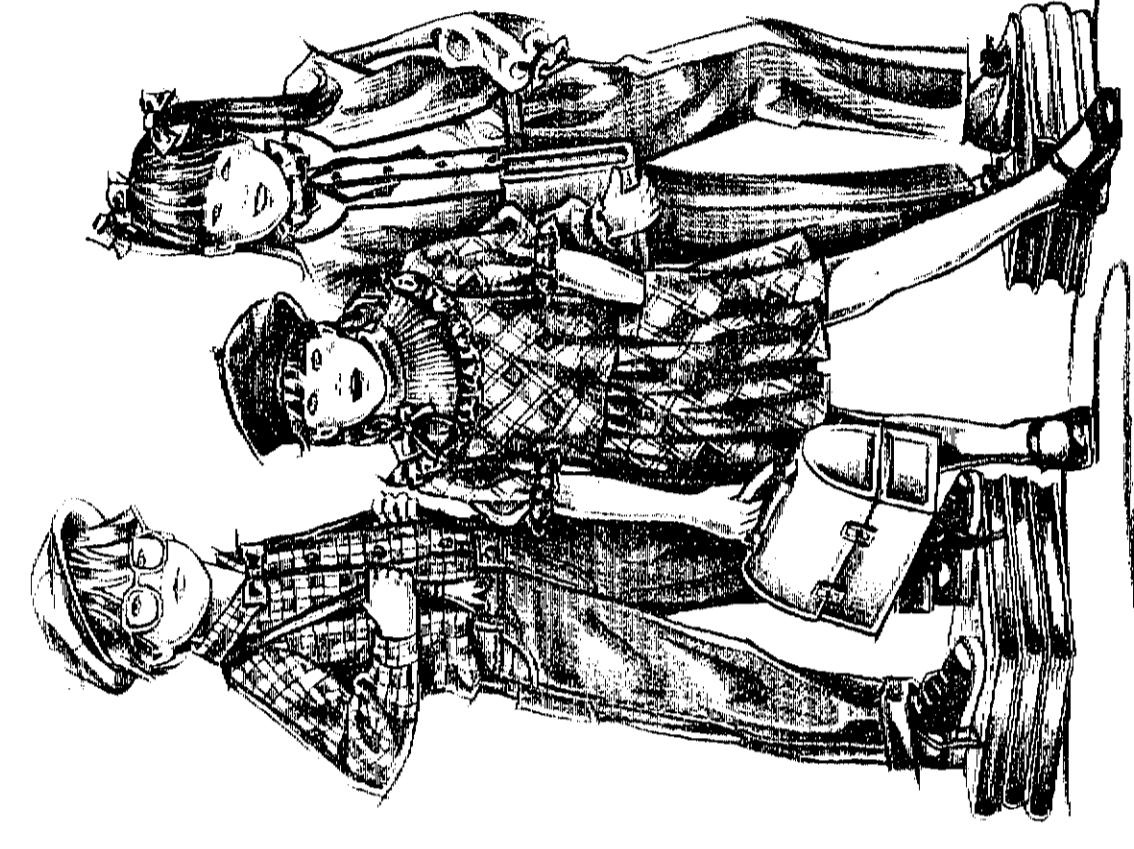
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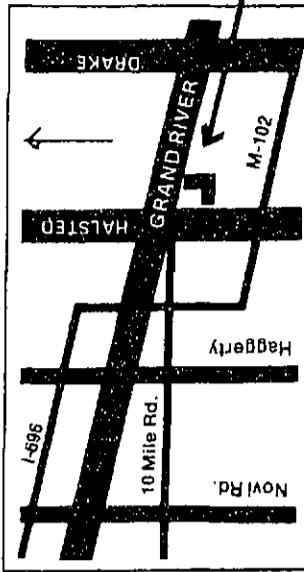
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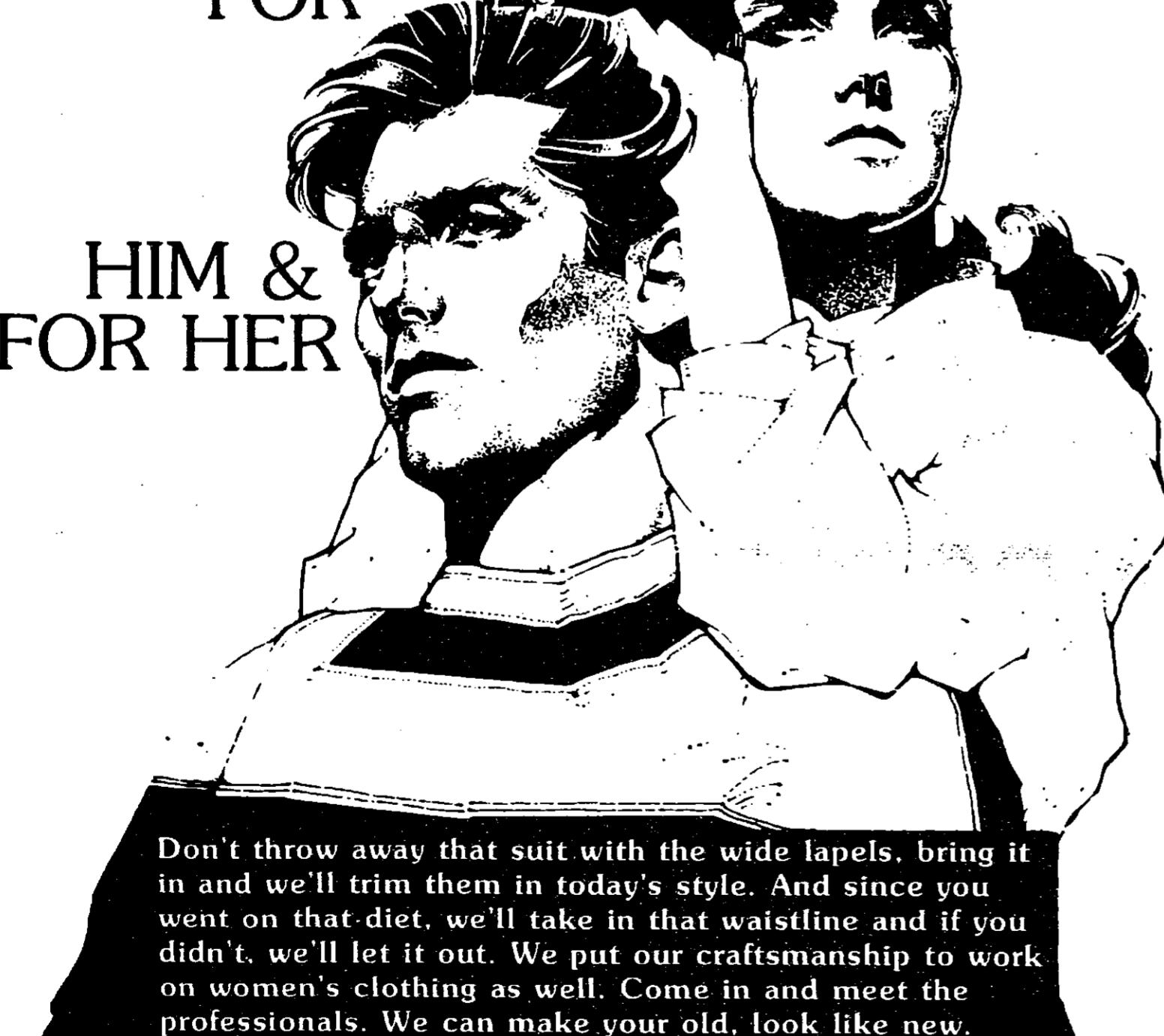
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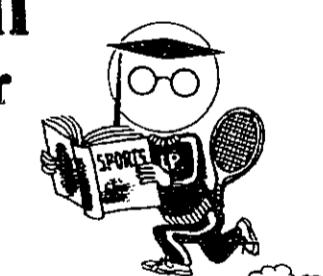
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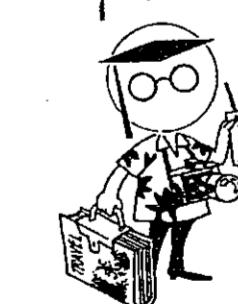
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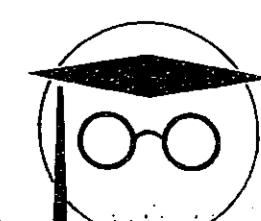
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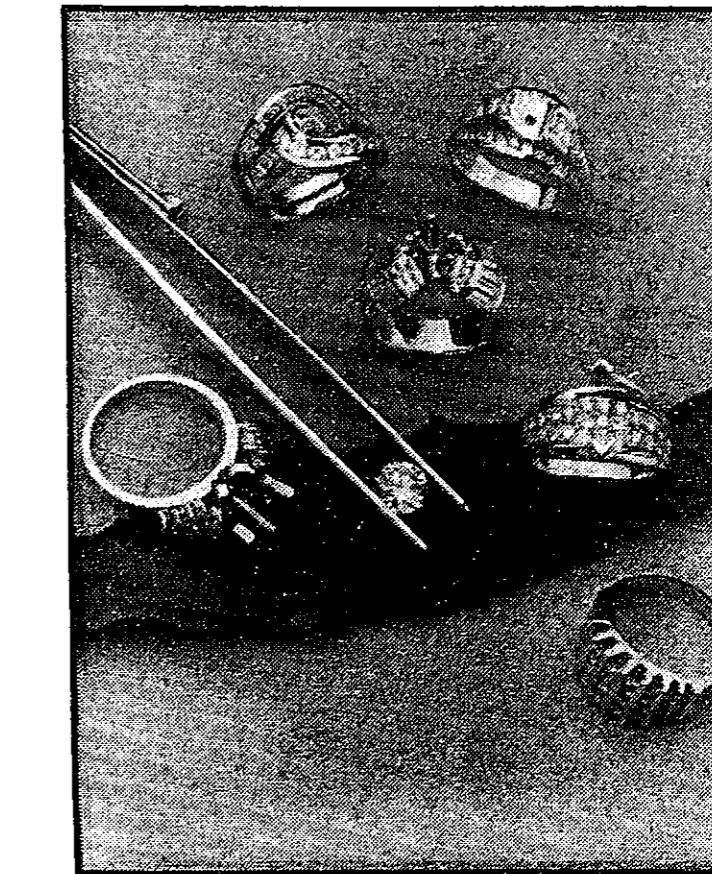
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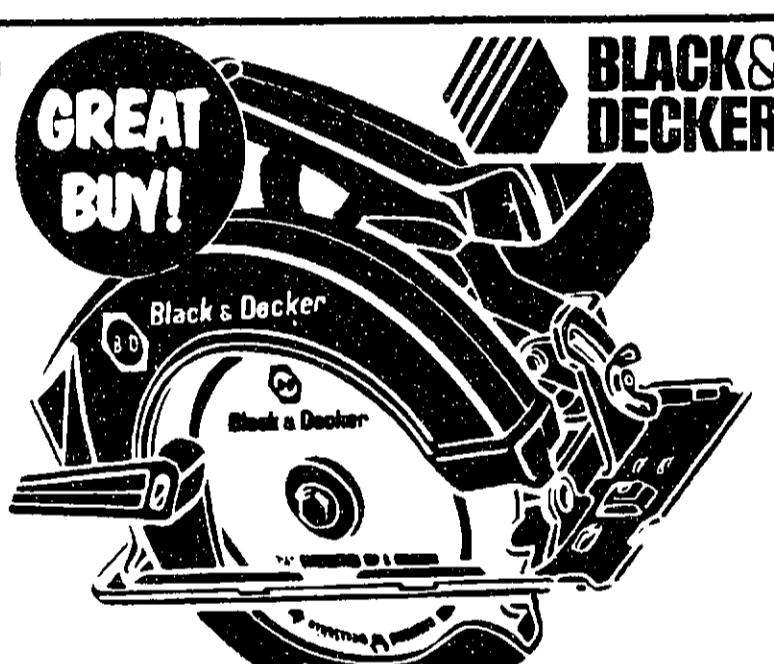
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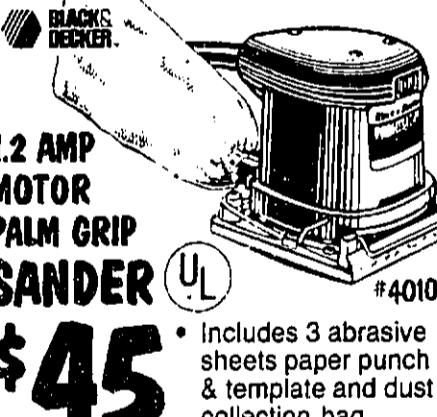
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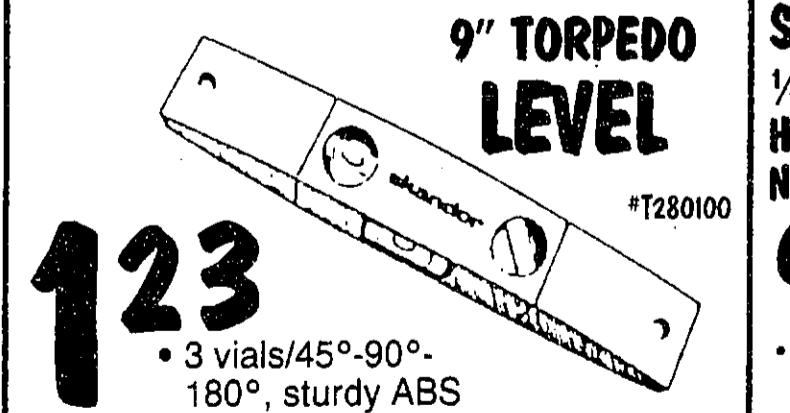
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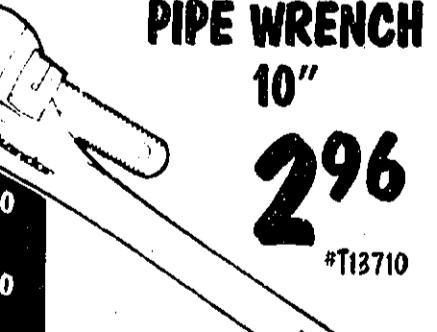
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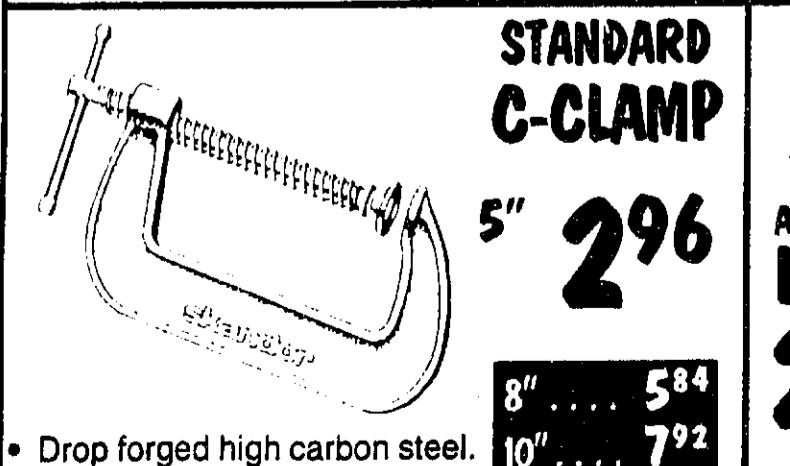
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- Solid brass pencil flame burner unit.
- Great for soldering copper pipes, repairing gutters, tools & toys.
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AC ARC LINCOLN WELDER

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• For light fabricating, erecting, and repair.
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52" 3 SPEED BIARRITZ \$69

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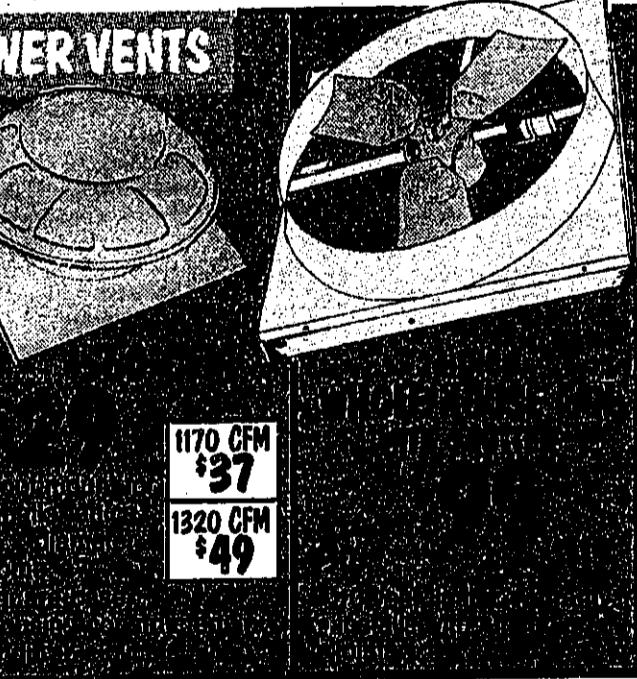
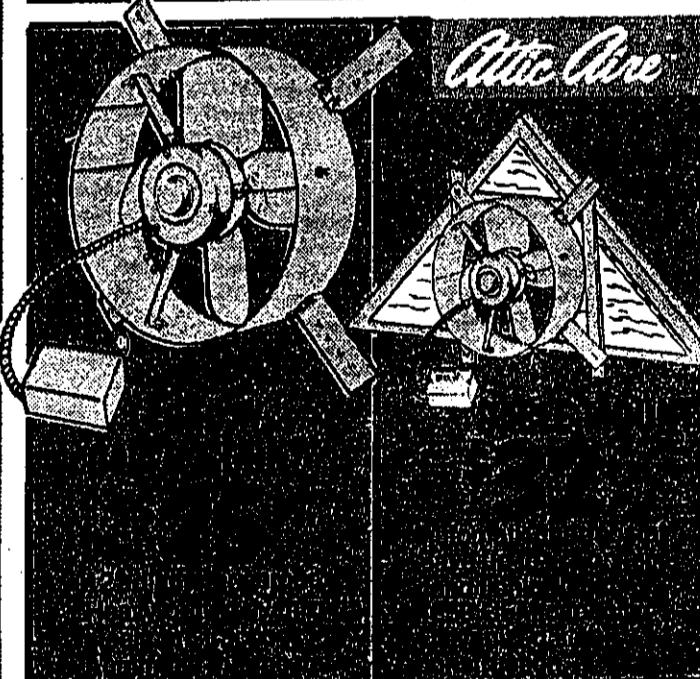
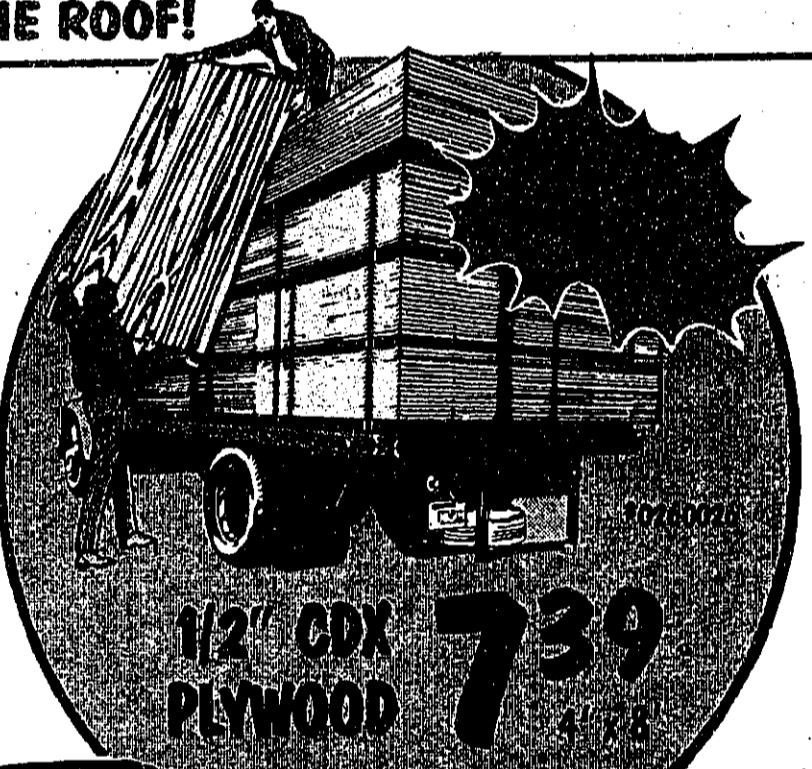
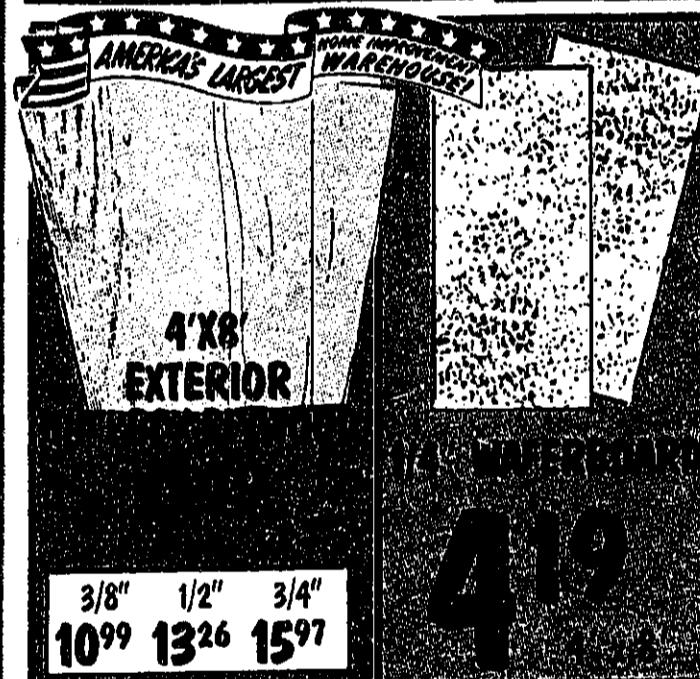
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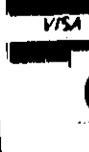
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