



# Rice resigns from Woods council

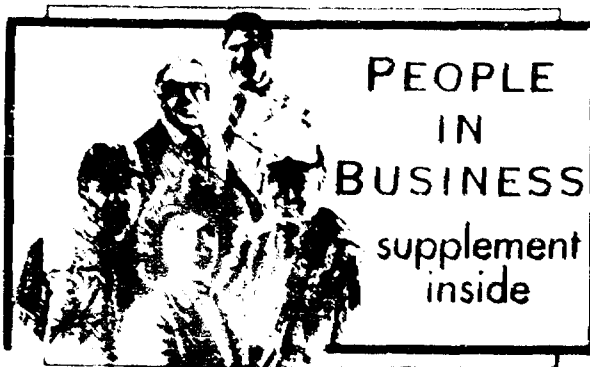
By Jim Stickford  
Staff Writer

Woods Council member Nancy Rice has resigned from the council. Rice, who has served on the council since 1992, announced her resignation at a meeting of the council on Monday. Rice said she was resigning because of personal reasons. "My reasons are personal," she said.

I have lived in the city of Woods since 1976. Now is the time to have other priorities in my life. I have enjoyed my time in Woods, but I have had some personal things that have had some positive impact on the affairs of the city.

Rice was unavailable for comment. Woods Mayor Robert Novak said that her announcement came as a surprise to him and that the council would miss her

expertise and expertise. Rice served on the Woods Council for the commission. The city will hold a special election this November to fill the remaining two years of her term. Novak said in the meantime, the council will appoint a temporary council member to serve until November, if it can leave the seat empty. No decision has been made.



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## WEEK AHEAD

### Saturday, July 8

Little League teams from the Farms-City, Woods Shores and Park will compete in a double-elimination tournament at Johnston Park in Harper Woods. The tournament runs through July 15.

Call the Harper Woods Recreation Department at (313) 343-2663 for game times.

### Monday, July 10

The Grosse Pointe school board holds its annual organizational meeting at 7 p.m. in the Wicking Library at Grosse Pointe South High School. The new board members will take the oath of office, the meeting schedule will be set and new officers will be elected.

The Grosse Pointe Park City Council meets at 7 p.m. in the municipal court building, 16115 E. Jefferson.

The Grosse Pointe Farms City Council convenes at 7:30 p.m. at city hall, 90 Kerby.

### Wednesday, July 12

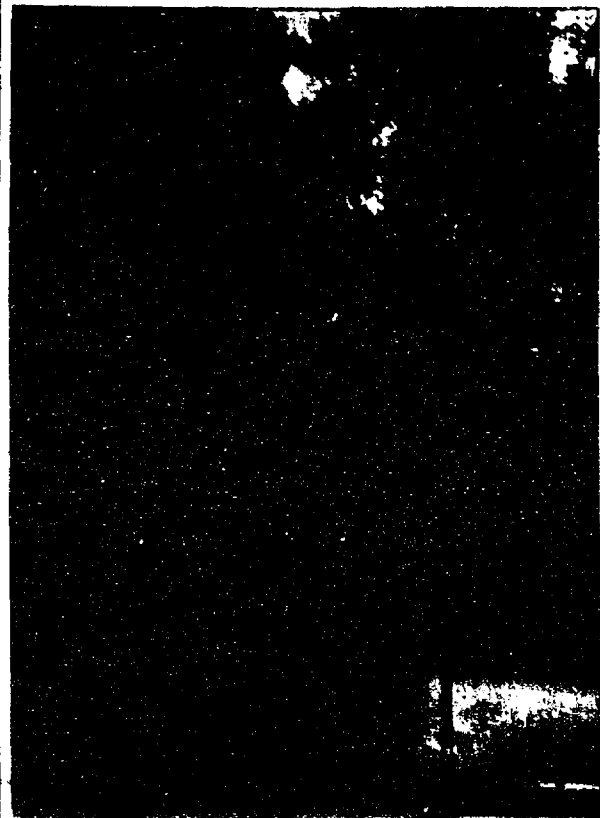
The Hill Area Residents Association meets at 7 p.m. in the lower level board room at Cottage Hospital.

A public meeting of the board of trustees of the Grosse Pointe Public Library convenes at 7:30 p.m. at the Neighborhood Club, 17150 Waterloo.

### Thursday, July 13

The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the Parcels branch of the Grosse Pointe Public Library between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

For appointments, call (810) 778-0800.



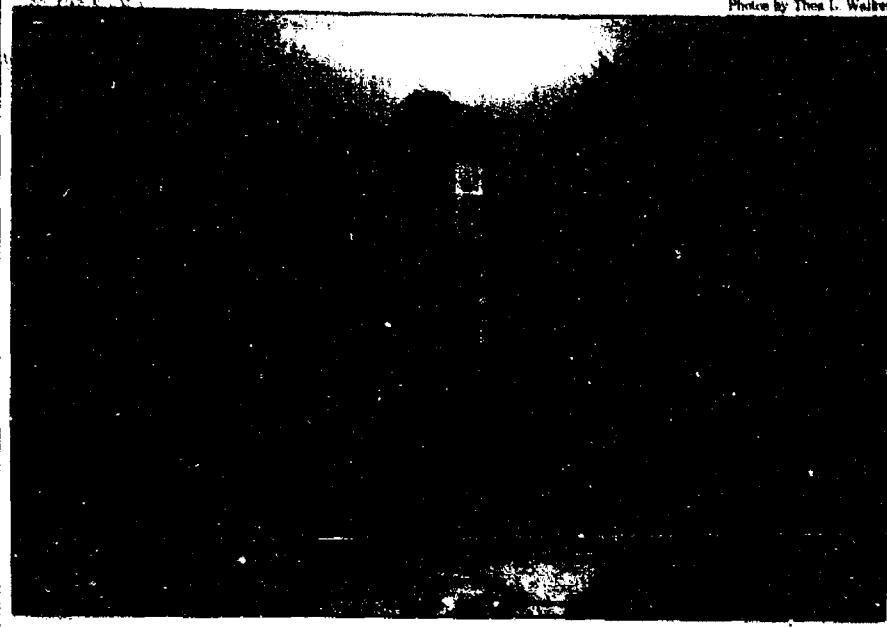
## Historic street

Beverly Road, one of the first subdivisions in the Pointe, is now on the National Register of Historic Places branch of the National Park Service of the U.S. Department of the Interior.

The Grosse Pointe Historical Society also presented a plaque in May designating the Farms street, developed in 1910, as a historic district.

Below is the street's gated entrance on Lakeshore. Left is the Grosse Pointe Boulevard end of Beverly.

Photos by Theo L. Walker



## Taylor says 'nay,' school board says OK to 1995-96 budget

By Shirley A. McShane  
Staff Writer

After a lengthy discussion, some disagreement and a mix of compliments and criticism from the public, the Grosse Pointe school board on June 28 voted 6-1 to adopt a \$74.4 million budget for 1995-96.

Trustee Sears Taylor cast the dissenting vote.

Highlights of next year's spending plan include:

- \$2.4 million earmarked for technology improvements.
- \$1.8 million for building and site projects.

The district anticipates an enrollment increase of 110 students and seeks 15 additional teachers.

Health care costs will not go up, however, special education funding and federal support for other programs will decrease.

The budget reflects a 2 percent salary increase for teachers and other employee groups, as dictated by union contracts.

The custodial and engineering staff will be reduced by 4.4 percent.

Most board members were pleased with the proposed budget and praised Chris Fenton, assistant superintendent for business affairs and support services, and his department.

Taylor, however, voted against the spending plan because, he said, it represents an 8.2 percent increase over last year's budget.

Taylor referred to a copy of the proposed budget presented to board members in which the administration called the plan "a 1 percent increase in expenditures."

Taylor said the administration took the 1994-95 estimated actual budget of \$74,411,961 and compared it to the proposed 1995-96 budget of \$74,457,216, and called it a .1 percent increase. He said the increase is actually 8.2 percent when you compare the actual budget to the original 1994-95 proposed budget of \$68,338,473, which the board approved in June 1994.

"That was deliberately misleading," he said. "The fact that we had this tremendous

increase, almost triple the rate of inflation, indicates to me that there is more than enough room to set aside \$2.6 million for the potential retirement funding problems."

The state Legislature earlier this month transferred \$139 million of the September school aid payments to the June payment so that districts would not be affected by a June 19 Michigan Supreme Court decision forcing the state to withhold money to pay for health and retirement benefits.

Shine estimated that the school system may have to budget between \$3.6 million and \$1.9 million in "pre-fund" retirement health care and \$750,000 for across-the-board employees' retirement increases.

The district's retirement program is a defined contribution plan. The district is currently in a "pay-as-you-go" scenario, Shine said, and offered a number of options to the board before it voted on the budget.

Taylor also objected to Shine's recommendations, which included postponing some building and site projects, reductions in support services and reducing the carryover funds.

In response to a few community members' concerns about the budget, specifically, the differences between the 1994-95 proposed budget and the estimated actual budget, Fenton and his staff prepared a statement which reconciles the numbers.

The biggest reasons for budget amendments are employee contract settlements, which involve retroactive payments, the hiring of more teachers to address enrollment increases, and the carryover of funds not spent in the previous year's budget, Fenton said.

"There are cases when all contracts expire in one year and we don't want to budget increases because obviously that would tip our hand in union negotiations," Fenton said. "Then after the contracts are settled, we adjust the

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## Look taxpayers, no sewage overflow

By Jim Stickford  
Staff Writer

Expensive efforts to reduce combined sewage overflows into Lake St. Clair paid off last week for Grosse Pointe Park and Grosse Pointe Woods, when, despite heavy thunder storms, both cities' sewer systems worked as advertised.

According to Bob Vander Meulen of the Woods' Milk River pumping station, the new 18.8 million gallon retention basin was able to hold the excess storm water until it could be sent to Detroit for processing.

"We had no discharge," said Vander Meulen. "Our first basin, the first flush basin, was completely filled. It holds seven million gallons. Our second basin was filled to about the nine foot mark, which adds up to about 3.5 million gallons of water."

The first basin, explained Vander Meulen, captures the worst of the storm and sanitary overflow, including the largest concentration of solids. The water that overflows into the second basin has substantially less



solids. That is the water that is discharged. "We don't like to make any discharges, but if we have to, the water is treated with chlorine to kill bacteria and the

heaviest solids remain in the first basin," Vander Meulen said. "We want that water to be in the best possible condition before it's discharged."

The new system, created to reduce, if not completely end CSOs, cost \$33 million. It was officially opened in early June after three years under construction.

Grosse Pointe Park, which sends its CSOs into Fox Creek in Detroit, also did not have to make any discharges, said city engineer Musaffir Lakhani.

"Our retention basin reached a level of eight feet on Wednesday, June 28," said Lakhani. "We discharge when the water level reaches 19 feet. Our efforts to show the rate at which rain water enters the system seems to have paid off."

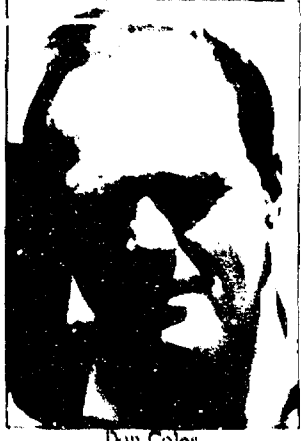
Over the past several years the city has undertaken several actions designed to reduce the number of discharges, said Lakhani, including adopting a new downspout discharge ordinance and changing street level sewer covers.

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## POINTER OF INTEREST

### Don Coles

Home: City of Grosse Pointe  
 Age: 47  
 Family: Wife, Ann, and two daughters  
 Occupation: Aerial photographer  
 Claim to fame: Took two passions—flying and photography—and turned them into a successful business  
 Quote: "There are old pilots. There are bold pilots. But there are no old bold pilots."  
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Don Coles

Budget

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Prior to the carryover budget, in what I call the good old days, schools would try to spend all their money prior to June 30. Now, if a school has a block of money, it can carry it over to the next year.



Discharge

From page 1A
We've put new covers on," said Lakhan. "These covers have fewer holes, so water from the street drains into the sewer system more slowly. So instead of entering the system in a couple of minutes, it might take 20 minutes."



Book 'em

The Friends of the Grosse Pointe Public Library sold used books on the terrace of Central Library last weekend.

A starry night at Center for the Performing Arts
A mix of jazz, drama, original art paintings and student work will be featured at 8 p.m. An Evening of the Arts will feature Steve Bonnier, Michael Stratford, Charles Eriksen and a preliminary display of the door.

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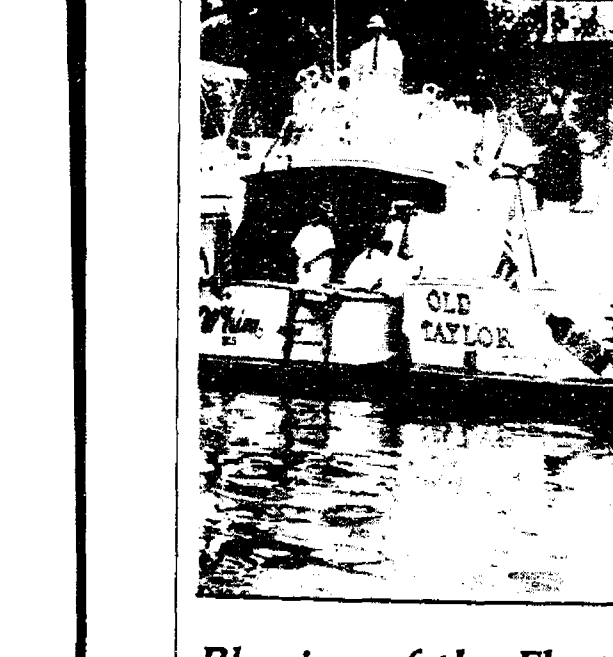
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Blessing of the Fleet



It was a solemn morning for the boaters, including the crew of the Old Taylor out of Grosse Pointe, gathered at Ford's Cove last Saturday for the annual Blessing of the Fleet ceremonies.

Public Safety Reports

Fire guts Woods garage
Strong wind and heavy rain on June 27 knocked a live power line onto an unattached garage in the 1500 block of Anita in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Pointes not hurt by school aid ruling

The state House and Senate have approved transferring \$139.5 million of September school aid payments to June so districts won't be affected by a June 19 Michigan Supreme Court decision forcing the state to pay for benefits and retirement benefits.

Information Shine had at press time indicated school districts would have to set aside 14.56 percent of their payrolls to "pre-fund" benefits.

Two doors close - and another two open up

The Grosse Pointe school board on June 28 bade farewell to two of its members and welcomed two new trustees to the district.
Unsuccessful in his bids for re-election, vice president Julie Bourke and secretary Linda Schneider were thanked by the other board members for their four years of service and were given a token of appreciation.

Chase ends in rollover crash

A 14-year-old Detroit resident pursued by Detroit police on June 19 crashed and rolled the 1993 Plymouth Sundance he was driving into the intersection of Alter and Essex.

Woods police officers issued a radio broadcast of the suspect's description and a short while later, Harper Woods officers located all four of the youths and turned them over to Grosse Pointe police.

Farms house burglarized

A burglar broke the lock on the back door of a house in the 400 block of Morse in Grosse Pointe Farms June 29 and ransacked several rooms. Farms police are continuing to investigate the matter. No arrests have been made.

Lake St. Clair's water level up six inches

During the month of May precipitation was above average on the Lake Superior, Michigan-Huron and Erie basins, while it was below average for the entire Great Lakes basin.

The forecast shows that the May monthly mean level of Lake St. Clair will be about 2 feet (61 cm) above what it was at the same time in 1994.

Stolen bike recovered

A resident who lives in the Vernon and Nottingham neighborhood of Grosse Pointe Park flagged down police on June 24 when he spotted four youths on bikes - one of which was stolen from the 15200 block of Kercheval earlier this month.

Crime Stoppers Inc. offers rewards of up to \$1,000 for information leading to an arrest of persons responsible for crimes. Callers remain anonymous but will be assigned a code number. Call 1-800-445-5227.

Stolen bike cases solved

An observant Grosse Pointe resident helped police in the arrest of four Detroit juveniles involved in at least three bicycle thefts in the past week. A resident who lives in the 1800 block of Newcastle saw four teenage boys on bikes ride by his house on June 27 and called police after he saw one of the teens a 15-year-old on a black BMX, ride behind a house and then emerge on a green BMX-style bicycle.

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# City man finds success, happiness among the clouds

## POINTER OF INTEREST

By John Minnis  
Editor

To be a success, they say, do what you love, and that is exactly what City of Grosse Pointe resident Don Coles has done.

In fact, he combined two passions — photography and flying — into a paying business that keeps him happy and fed.

"I love to fly and I love to take photographs," Coles said. "Nothing interests me more than something I can grow at and work to the finished product."

Coles, 47, took his first solo flight 15 years ago. Today, as owner of Great Lakes Aerial & Legal, he is one of the leading aerial photographers in the area.

He has his own high-tech photographic developing lab

Aerial photographer Don Coles of the City of Grosse Pointe checks fuel during pre-flight preparations at his hangar at City Airport.

for new services we will be offering in this area. We apologize in advance for any inconvenience this may cause and thank you for your patience and understanding."

Schultz said that phase one involved laying fiber optic cable from utility poles. They started at the Woods and Park and worked their way to the middle, she said, but phase two will be done differently.

"Crews will be now installing the electronic equipment on utility poles that will be attached to the fiber optic cable that we're stringing," Schultz said. "It takes time to change a system like this over to fiber optic cable. We appreciate everyone's patience and hope they think it was worth the wait."

and cut many black and white and color photos anywhere from 8x10s to poster size. By having his own setup, he saves \$2,000 to \$4,000 a year in processing fees. He also has faster turnaround times.

His early days of wedding photography are far behind him.

He didn't start out his working life as a pilot and photographer, however. At one time, he was the chief court officer for 41B District Court in Sterling Heights.

"I got bored with sitting in the office all day," he said. "I just decided to go into something else."

Coles grew up on Ashland, near the foot of Alter Road. He

received two years of additional schooling at Macomb Community College and became a journeyman millwright in the construction trade. He also took 1 1/2 years of police training at Macomb.

Today, his law enforcement training comes in handy. A lot of his work involves photos of crime and accident scenes, as well as civil cases. Recently, he had to take an aerial photo of a gravel pit in Richmond where a teenager had drowned.

Of course, he does a lot of commercial work. One job he's working on is shooting pictures of a downtown Detroit office building that is getting a new facade. Coles periodically shoots a photo of the outside of the

building and sends it to the parent company whose managers can then evaluate the progress of the work without the expense and time of sending someone to Detroit.

Coles studied photography under several masters and has added a variety of his own. Often, he has to fly alone, making piloting the Cessna 182 single-engine plane and shooting photos difficult. Not to be daunted, he merely invented a "hard hand" that allows him to snap pictures with one hand and keep control of the plane with the other.

He "flew like crazy" during his first year with his own plane, not only shooting photos but hauling cargo. His most unusual cargo was 300 pounds of worms to a fishing camp in Canada.

The hard work paid off, though, allowing him to pay for the plane in the first year. "I don't like debts hanging over my head," he said.

Coles has a grown daughter and a second, Becky, who is 12 years old and starting ground school to get her own pilot's license. Now that school is out, Becky is a great partner for her dad, often keeping the aircraft steady while Coles snaps photos and acting as a spotter for other aircraft.

Coles, his wife, Ann Dalk, a Grosse Pointe South graduate, and Becky often take off in the Cessna for weekend trips up North, or they charter a larger plane for trips to Florida.

On one trip to Harbor Springs with his family, Coles lost his engine but, fortunately, it was on approach to land and there was no danger. Another time, flying near Chicago, he experienced a near miss, which shook him up plenty.

But Coles still thinks flying is, well, the only way to fly.

"I think it's the safest mode of transportation," he said.

He points out that pilots are always being tested, and Coles is ever cautious as he performs pre-flight duties and while he is flying.

He likes to cite a quote he once heard: "There are old pilots. There are bold pilots. But there are no old bold pilots."

For recreation, Coles loves to take photos of lighthouses and boats, and he talks up flying wherever he goes.

"Anybody can learn to fly," he said. "All it takes are determination, intelligence and a desire to do something not too many people can do."

But, most important, Coles has gotten out from behind a desk and is a happier person because of it.

"I like to work with people, and they like to work with me," he said.



Don Coles shot this breathtaking photo of Tiger Stadium, downtown and the Detroit River.

## Cable upgrade now in phase two

By Jim Stockard  
Staff Writer

Now that phase one of the upgrade of the city's cable system is complete, loyal customers might find themselves suffering from occasional loss of service, thanks to phase two.

A release issued by cable systems manager Mary Schultz stated, "Construction crews will be working on aerial and underground lines during the next months. When these crews are in your area, they will notify you by tagging doors before any work begins to inform you that we will be in the area and may need access to your yard."

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# If Democrats regain state, they'll need a new Soapy

What Michigan Democrats need, if they are to regain control in Michigan, is another leader cast in the heroic mold of the late G. Mennen (Soapy) Williams.

Locating someone like the former governor, chief justice and state department official who was a long-time Grosse Pointe resident obviously won't be easy, considering Soapy's vision, ability, energy and programs that won tremendous popularity.

But today, Soapy's brand of liberalism is out of fashion, at least in the short run. So the new Democratic leader probably would have to adopt a program to capture or counter the appeal of voters in this conservative era that has seen the GOP victorious in Michigan and the nation.

In preparing for his 1954 campaign, ac-



ording to Helen Berthelot, author of the book of recollections, "Win Some, Lose Some; G. Mennen Williams and the New Democrats." Williams had come up with proposals that aren't much different from Democratic goals today:

Better housing for the general public and for the aged, improving overcrowded prisons and other state institutions, better inspections and minimum safety codes, and better unemployment compensation for workers.

In addition, Williams proposed an improved road system, help for the farmer in marketing his produce, better protection of civil rights, and a program to combat pollution of the waterways.

In six successful campaigns for governor, starting in 1948, and later winning campaigns for the Michigan Supreme Court, Williams was able to energize his

staff and supporters, and his enthusiasm that his enthusiastic support became contagious.

Berthelot herself was manager of three of those campaigns and also served for years by Williams' appointment on the State Fair Board, but her major contribution was as a dedicated organizer who helped bring order out of the Democratic Party's chaos, starting in his first term.

To do so in succeeding campaigns, she probably sacrificed her own career with the Communication Workers of America, a post she gained from her early experience as a telephone operator and her interest in organizing telephone employees.

So today, in addition to a candidate who could duplicate Soapy's popularity, the Democrats to win would also need a campaign leader with Berthelot's admin-

istrative abilities.

Yet 10 years earlier than Williams' first victory, a young Republican in Minnesota, Harold Stassen, had performed some of the same miracles in winning the 1938 election as a GOP governor that Democrat Williams achieved in Michigan.

After he upset the GOP old guard to win the nomination, he defeated a tired and unsuccessful Farmer-Labor administration and then relied heavily on young people to fill many important state offices.

In fact, he appointed so many young people the Stassen administration was known as "the diaper brigade," a crack that the appointees and Stassen alike came to regard as a compliment.

Both young governors not only survived early political setbacks but later both made important bids for their respective party's presidential nominations.

Such careers ought to encourage young people in both parties to seek careers in politics, despite the cynicism that today too often seems to bar their entry.

Overall, Berthelot's book is not only welcomed by those wishing to remember the Williams era — and some good stories about his campaigns — but it also serves as an excellent primer for people considering careers in politics.

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## A View from the sidelines

by Wilbur Elston

### At 50, UN's future doubtful

For those of us who could claim to have been present at the creation, the 50th anniversary of the United Nations attracted criticisms and attacks on the global organization that contrasted sharply with the high hopes of the founders.

As a reporter in Washington for the Minneapolis Star & Tribune in 1945, I covered the Senate hearings on the ratification of the charter drafted at San Francisco, and found few serious critics of the UN in those heady days.

Minnesota's young governor, Harold E. Stassen, who had helped turn his state from isolationism to internationalism, had been named one of the delegates to the San Francisco drafting session, after having given up his governorship to serve in the U.S. Navy.

Yet, even Stassen, now 88, believes the founders would be "very impatient" to update the organization. Others call for a more representative Security Council, consolidation of redundant UN agencies, an improved funding mechanism, elimination of bureaucratic dead wood, and many other measures.

In an interview with the Boston Globe, Stassen, however, said the UN founders

would be proud of its record of promoting peace, health and international agreements on issues ranging from air traffic to telephone service.

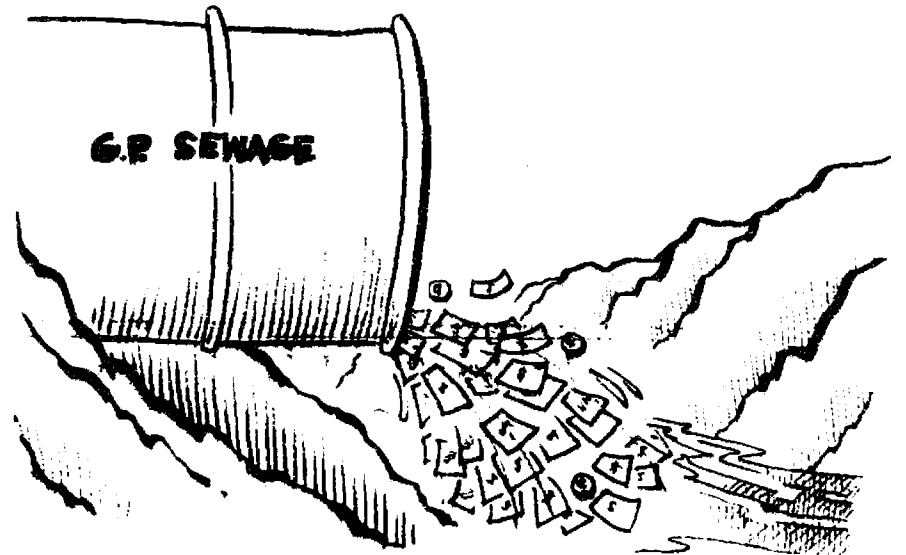
But the new GOP Congress obviously has strong doubts about the future of the UN. The House of Representatives early this year passed a bill amending and tightening the terms under which the United States would continue to support the UN.

In the Senate, GOP Sen. Jesse Helms, Foreign Relations Committee chairman, has proposed ending or curtailing U.S. support for almost three dozen UN programs. However, such a retreat to isolationism would not serve U.S. interests well in the modern interrelated world.

Thus, public support for the UN seems to be ebbing, yet a poll by the Times Mirror Center for the People and the Press on the eve of the 50th anniversary reported 59 percent of the respondents said their attitude was "mostly favorable."

The poll also reported that a hard core of opposition is growing. For example, 28 percent of respondents said they had a mostly or very unfavorable opinion of the UN, the highest level in four years.

Perhaps declining support raises the ultimate questions: Do the American people really believe they can retreat into isolationism as we search for a new world order? Or could a revamped and revived UN still fulfill the 1945 hopes of its founders that it serve peace and stand against war?



## Letters

### A just account

To the Editor:

In response to Mr. Duquet's letter last week, a millage election in August was indeed possible, but at considerable cost to taxpayers.

Unemployment payments to 164 employees whose jobs were dependent on passage of the gap millage would have begun on July 1. The cost of running a separate election in August would have added another \$12,000 to that bill. In addition, staffing for the following school year might not have been completed by opening day of school, a chaotic situation I am sure no one would want for our students.

As for the technology money that Mr. Duquet reports is "scattered" an earmarked fund, as reported in this newspaper, is being set up and will be presented to the board of education for approval on July 10, less than 30 days after approval of the technology millage.

There were a few minor math errors in the budget, all of which have been corrected. It is regrettable those errors occurred; however, that does not mean the errors were clever devices intended to disguise what we are really doing.

In the past, the school system has been accused of providing too little financial information, thus "hiding something," and too

much information, thus inundating citizens with confusing and complicated figures. We will continue to try to find just what the right amount of information is for the majority of interested residents.

The Grosse Pointe Public School System has one of the most open budget processes, with more people involved, than any other school system in the state of Michigan. I take seriously my responsibility to see that the finances of the school system are properly accounted for. Accounting and reporting school system finances will remain on the high road, where they have always been.

Christian Fenton  
Assistant Superintendent  
for Business and  
Support Services

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### Umbrage

To the Editor:

I attended the June 28 meeting of the board of education. The first item on the agenda was a tribute to the two members leaving the board — Julie Bourke and Linda Schneider. They received warm praise from the board, the school administration, and the citizens present at the meeting.

The feeling of good will was destroyed, however, when a person identifying

himself as an Eastside Republican responded to Carl Anderson's call for civility by denouncing not only Mr. Anderson, but by bragging about the defeat of the two incumbents whose dedication had been honored earlier that night. That these victors don't have the good sportsmanship and citizenship to act graciously even when they win bodes ill for the performance of the new board members and for the direction they will try to impose on public education in this community.

Anthony Ambrogio  
City of Grosse Pointe

### GPMA needs a boost

To the Editor:

This is going to be my second season as a member of the Grosse Pointe Home Association. This year, I am on the board of directors. I am not originally from Grosse Pointe. I grew up in Dearborn Heights but have lived in the Pointes for a little over three years now.

I am very surprised by the large number of children who play hockey in Grosse Pointe, and the lack of support by the parents. I have viewed it more like a babysitting club.

I have met some great parents and kids in the association last year, as manager of one of the Mite house teams. It seems like

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## Chain gangs in Michigan?

Shortly before the House quit for its summer recess, it passed a bill which apparently would permit the use of chain gangs on public projects.

The amendment, to the \$1.3 billion prison budget, was approved by an 82-22 vote and sent to the Senate.

The amendment would require all "able-bodied" convicts not serving time for sex or violent crimes to do at least 20 hours a week of community service work. That requirement would make an estimated 3,650 prisoners eligible for the program, according to The Detroit News.

The outside work, as defined in the amendment, "shall be physical in nature and may include working in swamps," The News added.

State corrections director Ken McGinnis

doesn't like the idea of chain gangs, but Gov. John Engler "hasn't ruled out the idea," his press secretary, John Truscott, told The News.

The program would compel prisoners to do something constructive, and presumably save local money that otherwise would have to be spent on work projects.

But in our view the price is simply too high in the dehumanizing experiences for the prisoners, the increased possibilities of escape and the potential risks to the community that would be created by using prison chain gang labor.

It is, of course, a natural result of the "get tough" policy on crime being adopted everywhere, but we strongly doubt Michigan really wants it.

## A repeal of the New Deal?

Is the GOP Congress repealing the New Deal, staging a devolution revolution, or doing less to the federal government than claimed?

A recent public TV debate on those questions came to no real decision, perhaps because it is too early to make a final judgment about what the GOP will do.

An ultraconservative writer claimed that the GOP had not done enough to give the government back to the people, while a liberal biographer of several presidents felt the GOP was attempting to repeal much of the New Deal.

Other participants pointed out that the

GOP, like the Democrats, may try to limit the costs of Social Security, an integral part of the New Deal, but both parties fear the effect of efforts to repeal it.

Overall, however, the public TV debaters agreed that the GOP is drastically downsizing government, and that some cutbacks will hurt the poor and the aged, but that such an effect is inevitable in a program in which everyone will be hurt to some extent.

But whether such an effect would benefit or hurt the GOP congressional and presidential hopes in 1996 is still subject to reactions from both President Clinton and the public.



# Where there's smoke

It's funny how perspectives change. A couple of examples come to mind.

Before I became a parent, the sound of a screeching toddler echoing through a grocery store was about as pleasant as a dentist probing a raw nerve ending with a sharp instrument.

Now I know — parenthood has taught me — that parents' nerve endings build up an insulating layer and the eardrums lose their sensitivity so that

they can endure almost limitless exposure to shrieking, screeching, screaming, wailing and whining.

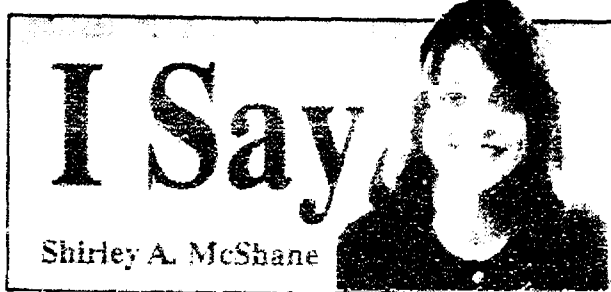
It just happens. Adapt or go insane.

Parenthood has also taught me that children are designed to be messy. Before, I secretly chastised parents who let their toddlers waddle around in public with crumbs on their chins, rumpled clothing and tangled hair.

Now I know. The scrubbed-cheeked, combed-haired, cleaned-clothed child who leaves your house will self-destruct within the first five minutes inside any restaurant, shopping mall or other place populated with judging eyes. It just happens.

Perspectives about other things change, too.

Recently I was accused of



Shirley A. McShane

being not just a reformed smoker, but an "obnoxious reformed smoker." Ouch.

Before I quit smoking, I despised those "reformed smokers" who got in my face and lectured about lung cancer, second-hand smoke, how nicotine residue destroyed their furnishings and stunk up their clothes.

It seemed like all I had to do was brandish an unlit cigarette in the presence of a quitter,

and the inevitable combustion: the reformed smoker launched into a tirade that began with an explosion of fake coughs and gagging, followed by frantic handwaving fanning away imaginary clouds of smoke. Then came the guilt trip. "I guess you want to die a slow, painful death of lung cancer." Or, "I thought you were smarter than that."

And then, me, the person

who made Dennis Leary look like a light smoker, quit two years ago, and apparently, according to a friend who decided to be candid, I've become an "obnoxious reformed smoker."

Initially I was shocked by the accusation I don't hand out literature from the various heart and lung associations. I don't confront innocent smokers on the street and I certainly have never engaged in phony coughing and hand waving.

Then it occurred to me — a reformed smoker is not the same as a non-smoker. Those who never have indulged are either indifferent or confused about smokers. Quitters have the unique perspective of having been on both sides of the issue. This is supposed to make us more sensitive to the smoker. We cannot put on the act of self-righteous indignation

because we were once "one of them."

Perhaps we are now viewed as turncoats. We no longer attend club meetings held in alleys, on balconies, outside entrances and in attached garages. We have defected to the other side and therefore, whether we are aggressive or passive in our abstention, we are "one of those other guys."

When I quit, the only congratulatory remarks I received were from the never-smoked-in-my-life camp.

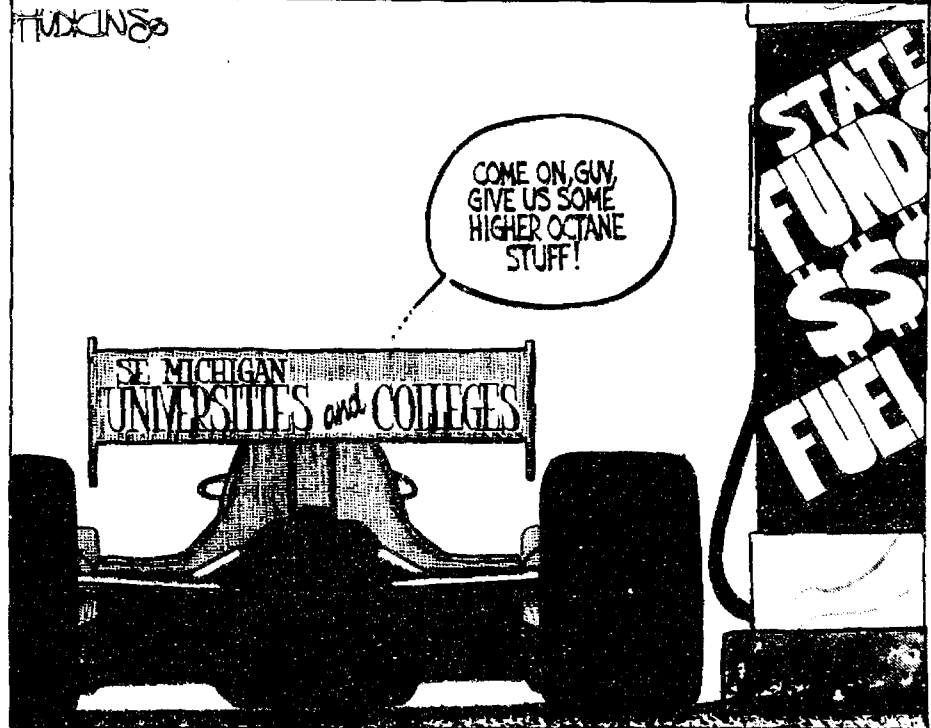
Perspectives do change. As a smoker, I looked upon other smokers as kindred spirits. We were part of a dying breed, banished to the hinterlands, scorned by the masses and pelted with rocks.

I no longer feel that alliance. If that makes me a traitor, so be it.

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# The Op-Ed Page



## New way to look at birthdays

So, now that the year has reached its midpoint, how are you coming with your New Year's resolutions?

What! You say you don't even remember what they were?

Chances are that's because you don't regard the beginning of the calendar year as a significant beginning for you personally. So all those good intentions about losing weight and exercising more and maybe not yelling at the kids so often just vanished into memory by Jan. 15.

In spite of the insulting age jokes so prevalent on birthday cards, lots of psychologists believe that a birthday is really a more significant milestone than Jan. 1 in most people's lives. And, since I had one not too long ago, I've been thinking about that.

I started a new journal on my birthday. I've been keeping a journal for nearly 20 years (somewhat faithfully), and even though my old volume had a few pages left blank, my birthday seemed like a propitious time, or at least a significant one, to move into the new book.

What did I write about on that momentous day? Well, there's a certain desire to try to review the past year's pleasures and disappointments; to aspire to some goals — and put them in writing. (I listed among them the same one I've been listing for the last decade and failing at: to play the piano more.)

Viewing oneself realistically is hard to do, but I tried to face up to it, prompted perhaps by a glimpse of my clean pale-blue shorts with the prominent chocolate ice cream stain.

It's a shame that our ageist culture has caused most of us to dread and even to ignore every birthday after 25. Jean Bolen, a Jungian analyst, tells an entirely different story in her spiritual autobiography, "Crossing to Avalon." She has experienced a number of synchronicities, or significant coincidences, on her birthdays, events that she feels signal important turning points in her life.

Consider this way of looking



Nancy Parmenter

at your birthday:

"A birthday marks the beginning of a brand new year for the birthday person... the potentiality of a new beginning, new or renewed life, a symbolic new birth or rebirth, as well as marking the passage, the end, or the symbolic death of the previous year."

She's looking at life cycles, not wrinkles.

On various birthdays, Bolen: left the family home following separation from her husband; buried her family dog; received her official divorce papers; experienced a near-miss accident after falling asleep at the wheel of her car on the way to a celebratory birthday party.

Sounds like a Rodney Dangerfield bad-news joke, doesn't it?

But, as a psychiatrist and a mystic, she found a different way to look at it. Moving into a new apartment signaled a beginning (which, by definition, suggests hope). The death of

the dog on the very last day of their togetherness as a family, signified an end, an assuming by the dog of the pain of the disintegrating family. The divorce decree marked a liberating shedding of expectations. And the car accident?

"When I realized how close a call it had been, it felt as if I had had guardian angels looking after me, and as if these men who on a long empty stretch of highway had immediately stopped to help were human guardian angels as well. They were part of my birthday present; I had been given my life, as I had on the day I was born."

No question that it's a more optimistic way to look at the capricious passage of time than the embitterment that America's youth culture forces on us.

On my birthday, one of my younger sisters sent me a card with three cheerfully grinning dweebs on the front. "I know," says one, "let's all get older." Inside: "You go first."

Such an expression of solidarity even diminished the sting of the recent discovery that I share a birthday with Radovan Karadzic. She's reminded me that we're all in it together.

Of course, I do have to go first.

## Computer education for your daughter offered

Is there a computer literacy gap between males and females as reported in a number of newspapers and magazines?

Does your daughter like computers today? Will she like them tomorrow?

With the recent passing of Grosse Pointe's technology millage, your daughter will be using computers more in her classroom. Is she prepared?

To help your daughter have a better understanding of computers, enroll her in the "Introduction to Quick Basic (QB) Programming Class" in the Bodman Computer Center at the Neighborhood Club.

After completing the course, your daughter will have a better understanding of how computers work, including understanding computer terminology

such as hardware, software, central processing unit, bits and bytes. She will also write two to three programs in Quick Basic programming language.

If you have a computer at home, you probably have Quick Basic already installed on it. After taking this course, your daughter will be able to use Quick Basic on her own or her school's computer.

The course will be held on Tuesday and Thursday, July 11 and 13, from 6 to 9 p.m., for a total of six hours. The course fee is \$60.

Instructor Alex DePetro is the assistant director of management information systems (MIS) at Florists' Transworld Delivery (FTD) in Southfield. He has taught computer classes on a part-time basis for the

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### They've got to be kidding!

I figured the answer here in the Pointes had to be "no," so even this seen-it-all reporter was surprised when Lynn

Turner, manager of the Village Toy Company on Kercheval, said it:

"Yes, some parents do bring their kids here and then go off to do something else."

FYI's question was prompted by a wire service story that ran nationally a few weeks ago, detailing the trend by people taking care of youngsters to use toy stores as if they were free day care centers.

The story mentioned such examples as two little boys still in a North Carolina store at closing time, with their parents nowhere around, and other stores regularly seeing young kids dropped off for up to two hours at a stretch — definitely not the "duck next door for a quick cup of coffee" maneuver that even the most responsible adults have been tempted to use once in a while.

Lynn had read the story. "They don't leave them here for hours, but we have seen it," she said, adding the obvious in light of today's liability laws: "It's not really a good idea, since you never know what might happen."

That, of course, can range from bathroom runs to medical emergencies that not even a toy store with the latest plastic doctor kit is equipped to deal with.

A related development, especially in the summer months, is kids who are old enough to come in by themselves, and then forget to leave, Lynn said. "We don't want to be mean, but we're thinking of setting a time limit for them."

### Really digging (in) the lake

In response to the whimsical question we posed last week about "who really dug Lake St. Clair," the Park's Sally Clark

has a serious answer: It was her grandfather, Michael Sullivan.

It was a family affair. Her father and uncle both worked for her grandfather, who came here in 1904 to go into the dredging business and started the Michael Sullivan Dredging Co.

"They dredged for the Crescent Sail Yacht Club and the piece of land off Lakeshore at the end of Harbor Hill, and they also did the Windsor Tunnel and the Livingston Channel," Sally recalls.

"Your article brought back lots of stories I grew up hearing from the age of 8 on."

came back to her old house to pick up mail. (Thanks, Diane.)

My favorite Grosse Pointe stamp story happened at the Village P.O. a few years back at about this time of year, when they had just come out with stamps featuring fishing lures made with all sorts of colorful feathers.

A lady came in looking for something special in stamps, and the clerk reeled off a list of various designs that ended with "fishing flies."

Brightening at the mention of something that finally sounded like it had some local interest, the customer said, "Oh, I'll take the fish flies."

### Post scripts

Heard from a lady while waiting in line at the little post office in back of Cavanaugh's in the Village: "Did you ever think you'd see Marilyn Monroe on a stamp?" (But there it was, on a big poster on the wall.)

"I'll draw the line when they put Michael Jackson on one," quipped the man behind her. (And now ads for that Marilyn stamp are on the radio — ever wonder why the Postal Service needs to advertise postage stamps, and who's really paying for the publicity... as in, with higher stamp prices?)

Rumors are already out that first-class stamps will go to 34 cents next year.

Here's the kind of service delivered at the present 32 cents: I just got a letter postmarked April 19. It seems it was misdelivered to an address across the street and former neighbor Diane Marston finally spotted it among her letters when she

### Looking good

Christina Oney, the daughter of Dr. Logan and Stephanie Oney, was recently named one of 10 finalists in the 1995 High School Cover Girl Model Search, chosen from over 10,000 entries from the United States, Puerto Rico and Canada.

The contest, now in its 34th year, is sponsored by YM Magazine and Cover Girl Cosmetics and emphasizes "personality, poise and fresh, clean, natural beauty."

Christina's 14 and will enter the ninth grade at University Liggett this fall. She's described as a devoted athlete who likes tennis, softball, volleyball, swimming and track, and in academics is into math and writing, and has her eye on college and then law school.

Last year, Christina was one of the winners of the Ford Supermodels of the Year contest.

Wow.

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# The Holocaust Museum offers hope and a goal for humanity

By Alex Sucek

Anyone might consider a visit to Washington's newest museum with mixed feelings. We are sated with films, documentaries and other reminders of Hitler's grisly program of the 1930s and '40s to exterminate a major segment of European society. Many people already feel more than fully aware of the holocaust. Must we dwell on this horror yet again?

But as the late American philosopher George Santayana is quoted: "Those who cannot remember the past are condemned to repeat it." A visit to the Holocaust Museum more than makes Santayana's point.

No politically and socially responsible citizen of any nation needs to be reminded of the ugliness of genocide. We have seen it repeatedly in such places as Sri Lanka, Iraq, Bosnia, Armenia, Somalia, Rwanda and Chechnia. But

here in the capital of the land of the free and the righteous, across the tidal basin from the Jefferson Memorial, is an overwhelming documentation of the biggest and most calculated effort to wipe out an entire people in all history in a display that offers clues to hope and redemption for humanity.

Photos, videos, artwork, artifacts, audio presentations, even the building's architectural features explore and illustrate such themes as the patterns of anti-Semitism since biblical times, the evolution of prejudice, the rise of Nazism in Germany and the incredible, semi-concealed network of extermination facilities that dotted Europe under Nazi domination. Clearly presented, too, is the inexplicable failure of the free world — led by the United States and Britain — to acknowledge and react to what was happening until, at the end of World War II, it was too

late for six million Jews and millions of other victims.

On the other hand, there are the examples of the Dutch, the Italians and the Danes who gave only passing thought to their own safety as they stuck to their moral and political principles. They hid Jews in their cellars and attics, transported them secretly to neutral countries and subverted official policy to keep them from the death camps. The museum holds impressive evidence of these acts of nobility and bravery.

The uniqueness and power of the museum is the immensity and completeness of its presentation. Just as you think you have seen the ultimate horrors, another aspect is presented. One such numbing surprise is a video of the highest Nazi officials assertively declaring themselves "nicht schuldig (not guilty)" at their war crimes trials in Nuremberg. There is

the anguish of standing in a restored, small, railroad freight car that regularly carried 100 humans at a time, crammed in like cargo, to their deaths at Auschwitz. There are the life-size photo murals of bodies stacked like cordwood outside cremation ovens and a three-story-high gallery exhibiting family photos of an entire village that disappeared from the face of the Earth.

There are also deeply moving vignettes of prisoners striving to preserve their humanity while being subjected to the depths of degradation. It is evident in surviving personal effects, letters and snapshots taken by sideline observers and miraculously preserved. It is the story of Ann Frank repeated thousands of times.

Most moving of all is the positive inspiration in the videotapes of survivors describing their purgatorial ordeal and rescue. Some were saved by

acts of kindness and support by guards, officials and private citizens whose conscience overcame fears, prejudice or submission to authority. More were liberated by Allied troops who came on the scene at hundreds of camps in utter disbelief. The videotaped testimony reveals glowing personal fortitude and faith which were essential ingredients of survival.

And it projects a conviction that for humanity to avoid such atrocities in the future and progress in its civilization, we must hold high values of morality and conscience and we must be prepared to stand up and fight for them.

The message is inescapable for the visitor who gains access to the main exhibit in time to cover it comprehensively even though it is impossible to absorb it completely in one day.

Once having presented the

incredible extent of the horror, the museum positions the video of survivors' testimonials to remind us of the indomitable faith and courage of the human spirit and its potential. The experience is one that would be particularly valuable to every politician for it sets a goal of leadership that places values of humanity uppermost where they undeniably belong.

The way to guarantee access to the main exhibit on a visit to Washington is by writing to the museum several weeks in advance for free admission on the day and time you choose. The address is: Holocaust Memorial Museum, 100 Raoul Wallenberg Place, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20024-2150.

There are also open exhibits for viewing while you wait for your time of admission. Some are designed for youngsters under age 12. Everyone should go.

## Letters

### Letters

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it's the same people over and over again always giving their time for the kids. Everyone pays their ice bill, everyone gives the minimum, there are a few that give 110 percent of their time and energy.

What I find truly unbelievable is that in this community where we "want our children to have the best and enjoy life" we can't get more than 32 people to come to a golf outing that will benefit the equipment fund for the kids. We are a non-profit organization which means if verified by a tax professional, donations are tax deductible. We are in a sorry state of affairs financially.

My reason for this letter is that I am now director of the Parents Boosters Club and am wondering what it takes to motivate more of the Grosse Pointe parents in this association. I am open for suggestions, comments and ideas on how to raise interest, funds, and promote fun for the kids.

I know in St. Clair Shores they have an incredible parents boosters club, and so do many of the other hockey associations. So this is an open letter to the Grosse Pointe parents who have youngsters that play hockey, or are joining for the first year this season. Let me know what you think.

It is a great association, and we have some great parents aboard. We need more parents to help. Let's make this the best association in our district. I want suggestions from both moms and dads. Remember, getting involved doesn't hurt it helps.

"In your hands you hold the seeds of failure or the potential for greatness." (From Zig Ziglar's Favorite

Quotations Book)

Cyndi Burton  
Director, Parents  
Booster Club  
Grosse Pointe Hockey  
Association  
Grosse Pointe Woods

### 'The fib that got away'

To the Editor:

The June 29 edition of the Grosse Pointe News included a story in Ken Eatherly's FYI column about the construction of Lake St. Clair. Ken did an excellent job of recounting the tale I told him about how the prevarication got started and then embellished.

As Ken related, I was on a business trip to Minneapolis when I told "the fib that got away." The five Minneapolis men I met had a chart that showed only Detroit, Windsor and the lower half of Lake St. Clair. That view really does make the lake look square. I explained to them that a group of Grosse Pointe sailing enthusiasts had dug the lake to play in.

When my wife, Nancy, and I took a friend of ours sailing on Lake St. Clair five or six years later, I had forgotten the story completely. Our friend exclaimed that she had always wanted to sail on Lake St. Clair because it was man-made.

I asked her where she had gotten that information and she replied that a lecturer at a recent Minneapolis Historical Society had given a talk on how Lake St. Clair came to be. Then she proceeded to tell us all about the earth moving equipment from the Panama Canal, and I remembered that tale I had spun in Minneapolis years ago.

It was still alive and

thriving. I had created a monster. And the lecturer said he had been given the historical information by a Grosse Pointe resident whom he had met at a business luncheon several years ago and whom he had found to be an expert on Great Lakes history.

Rather than spoil our friend's illusions, Nancy and I thanked her for being so informative. But each time that I visit Minneapolis since that sail, I feel my nose start to grow!

Joe Trowern

Grosse Pointe Park

### Quality time

To the Editor:

Recently, I was at the City of Grosse Pointe park. It was just another morning that has quickly become my summer routine. Many parents know this routine: swimming lessons. But this Monday morning ended up being no ordinary day at the park. Standing quietly pushing his daughter in the swings was Steve Yzerman.

I can only assume he was there for a little relaxation — what we parents enjoy, quality time with our children. Well, needless to say, before you could blink he was bombarded with children and adults, and at a time you would think might be very difficult for him, for we true Red Wings fans are also saddened by the loss of the Stanley cup.

But he smiled and politely talked with countless children and their moms, me included. My daughters and son would have never forgiven me if we didn't say hello. He, also, was kind enough to sign numerous autographs for the attentive crowd.

So, from Rachel, Amy and Tommy and, of course, me, here's to you Steve

Yzerman. You made our day. We all know you're a great hockey player, but what a nice guy! As we continue our summer routine of swimming lessons and days at the park, we will fondly remember that Monday morning. And, if there's a time we should cross paths again, I know I will smile, quietly walk by, and watch just another dad enjoy pushing his daughter in the swings.

Julie E. Carlon

Big time Yzerman fan

City of Grosse Pointe

### Credit due

To the Editor:

I would like to draw attention to a misprint in your June 29 edition of the Grosse Pointe News.

My name is Ann Davies Trube and it is with great pride that my family was honored by the Garden Club of America. In the last issue, it was noted my uncle, cousin and mother carried on the family tradition in the Pointes.

Although my mother is very active in the community, I believe you meant to recognize my brother John Davies.

John has been part of the florist since our grandfather and uncle could first put him to work. For the past two years, he has taken on the full-time position of grower. He is primarily responsible for the growing and maintenance of the greenhouse, which we all have great pride in.

Often it is the quiet background work that is so crucial to success that goes unrecognized, and since the Grosse Pointe Florist is a true family business where all take pride in what has been achieved, I would like to make sure he gets the credit he deserves.

Ann Davies Trube  
East Grand Rapids

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Ordinance No. 192 adds a section, entitled "Water Use Restriction" to Chapter 19 of the Village's Ordinance Code, to permit the Village to enforce water use restrictions issued by public regulatory or administrative agencies (primarily the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department) in the case of water supply or water pressure shortage. The ordinance provides means for notification of residents of the enactment of such restrictions, and provides that the violation of such restrictions shall be a municipal civil infraction.

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The symmetry of these four perfect amaryllis attracted Monte Nagler's camera. Notice how the dark background helps to add impact to the shot.

## Flowers irresistible to shutterbugs

One of the most abundant, beautiful and colorful subjects for your spring and summer-time camera outings is flowers. So plentiful are they that the choices of presenting them photographically are numerous indeed.

You might, for example, select the close-up shot revealing the innermost heart of the flower, the delicate texture of the stamen, minute drops of moisture, or a single petal that becomes a picture in itself. Or you might prefer to show the character of a single whole flower, or a grouping, or even an entire field of flowers.

The best time to photograph flowers is in the morning when they are freshest. Hot, afternoon sun may cause flowers to look limp and wilted. Diffused sunlight from either behind or the side is best. It will give your flower intimate texture and full color saturation. Fill-in flash can also add extra sparkle.

To fill the viewfinder with a single flower or part of a blossom, you'll need close-up equipment such as close-up filters, extension tubes, or a macro lens. All work well and will give you pleasing results.

Because you'll often need a small aperture to maximize depth-of-field, a tripod and cable release are a must to keep your camera steady during the longer shutter speeds you'll require.

As always, watch your backgrounds. A distracting or "busy" background can ruin a picture. So be sure to check yours after composing your shot. Look over the entire viewfinder and use your camera's depth-of-field preview to check out the background. You'll often want it as a soft, non-distracting blur in your picture.

Better still, carry a small piece of black poster board or a cloth in your camera bag and place it behind the flowers. The background will go totally

## Photography

By Monte Nagler



black, resulting in greater impact in your finished shot. The poster can also act as a windbreaker to stop swaying flowers on a brisk day.

Try some innovative techniques, too. Shoot a group of flowers, focusing on only one so that the rest become complementary blurs of color. Or move in close and focus on only the stamen, allowing the petals

to be out-of-focus blurs. Also, try sprinkling the flowers with droplets of water to give them a fresh, natural look.

In addition to flowers around your home or in the "wild", a local greenhouse will provide excellent picture possibilities. So will the botanical gardens located at Belle Isle and the University of Michigan gardens in Dixboro.

## Seminars on investing, money management

The War Memorial will present a pair of seminars designed to help participants enhance their personal financial security through wise investing and sound financial management.

A two-part class, Investment For Singles, provides an introduction to financial markets through a basic study stocks, bonds, CDs and money market

accounts. The class will be held Mondays, July 10 and 17, from 7 to 8:30 p.m., or Tuesdays, July 11 and 18, from 1:30 to 3 p.m. Additional sessions will be held Mondays, Aug. 7 and 14, from 7 to 8:30 p.m., and Tuesdays, Aug. 8 and 15, from 1:30 to 3 p.m. The instructor is Chris Carnal, an investment executive with First of Michigan. The cost is \$8 for the two weeks.

Also offered this summer is Successful Money Management, which teaches students key concepts that will help them minimize their taxes and maximize the return on their investments, regardless of income. The popular three-part seminar will be held Tuesdays, July 11, 18 and 25, from 6:30 to 10 p.m. Also, Thursdays, July 13, 20 and 27, from 6:30 to 10 p.m. The class fee is \$50 for three weeks and includes workbook and personal financial plan; \$10 for second person (shares workbook).

Kent Bowman, a certified investment management analyst and portfolio manager, teaches the class. For additional information, call 313-881-7511.

## Exercise your fitness options

Vitality Plus, the unique fitness program that allows students a variety of workout choices, will be offered at the War Memorial daily through Aug. 26.

Whether it's a choreographed workout with energetic aerobics, a fat-burning low-impact freestyle program for cardiovascular conditioning, strength training, step, endurance, flexibility or a combination, Vitality Plus fills any fitness preference.

Choose Early Bird Exercise, 23 sessions, on Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays from 6:30 to 7:30 a.m.; Step & Sculpt, 16 sessions, on Wednesdays and Fridays, from 9 to 10 a.m.; Combination Class, 15 sessions, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 8 to 9 a.m. or on Saturdays, 8 sessions from 9 to 10 a.m.; Step, 15 sessions, on Mondays and Wednesday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.; Vitality Plus, 14 sessions, on Tuesdays and Thursday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. and new this summer, Audacious Abs and a Better Back, seven sessions on Mondays from 10:15 to 11:15 a.m.

Sign-up anytime for one, two, or three hours of exercise per week and receive a card good for seven to 23 sessions that can be used for any of the

classes between July 5 and Aug. 26.

Students should bring an exercise mat or towel and wear a good aerobic or support shoe. All classes are taught by Vital Options instructors.

The cost is \$35 for seven sessions; \$40 for eight sessions; \$65 for 14 sessions; \$70 for 15 sessions; \$75 for 16 sessions; and \$104 for 23 sessions.

Additionally, the War Memorial's summer fitness schedule includes Tone and Trim, taught Tuesdays and Thursdays, July 11 through Aug. 24 from 10 to 11:15 a.m. by Beth Dwaihy-Barr. The cost is \$42 for seven weeks, one session per week, or \$75 for seven weeks, two sessions per week.

Also, Tai Chi Chuan with Stuart Hopkins on Tuesdays, July 11 through Aug. 15, or Thursdays, July 13 through Aug. 24. The beginners' class meets from 7 to 8 p.m.; the advanced class meets from 8 to 9 p.m. An advanced class is also scheduled for Wednesdays, July 12 through Aug. 16, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. The class fee is \$42 for six weeks.

For additional information, call the War Memorial at 313-881-7511.

## Kids and the War Memorial go together for summer fun

Parents and kids alike will delight in the array of enrichment classes and activities available this summer at the War Memorial.

New this year are Power Ranger karate, for students 5 to 8 and 9 to 13, and It's Magic, a fascinating look into the world of illusion, designed for students 8 to 13.

Students enrolling in Power Ranger karate will learn basic kicks, blocks and punches during the seven-week class. Instructor, Stuart Hopkins stresses discipline with an emphasis on proper morals and virtues of non-violent action. The class meets on Mondays, July 10 through Aug. 21, from 4 to 5 p.m. for 5 to 8-year-olds; and from 5 to 6 p.m. for 9 to 13-year-olds. Fee is \$47 for seven weeks.

It's Magic will be held on Monday, July 10, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., and again on Saturday, July 22, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Participants will be entertained by professional magician Gordon Russ while also learning how many of those tricks are done. The class fee is \$12 and includes all supplies, which the children may keep.

The summer's class selection also includes a six-session class in Fashion and Textile Design for teens 13-plus; Creative Arts Workshops for students 6 to 9 and 10 to 13; Cartooning and Caricature, for children 8 to 13; and tap dancing for children ages 4 to 7.

A complete list of classes is in the War Memorial's latest calendar of events, which is mailed to all homes in the Grosse Pointes and also available at the War Memorial front desk. The War Memorial is located at 32 Lakeshore, in Grosse Pointe Farms.

For additional information, call 313-881-7511.

## South high's 20th reunion

Grosse Pointe South High School's graduating class of 1975 will hold a 20th reunion at the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club on Saturday, July 22. Call Kevin at 313-885-8112 for tickets and information.

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## If you're looking for big, Dodge Ram V-10 pickup is it

The bright blue Dodge Ram 2500 long-wheelbase club-cab V-10 pickup loomed large in the driveway.

A couple of kids rode by on their bicycles.

"Wow! That truck's cool," said one.

"It stinks," replied the other.

So, as in judging all vehicles, it all depends on your perspective. And, depending on your expectations and what you want to do with your vehicle, they were both right.

Seriously, only a kid who can't think of any other rejoinder would say the Dodge Ram stinks. Even if you don't like trucks, if you don't like to climb up into your vehicle, if you don't like backing a half-block-long vehicle into a parking spot in the Village, you have to admit that this truck is distinctive, impressive and big. Especially big.

But if you like trucks, especially big trucks, then the Ram is the answer to your dreams. A lot of Americans like trucks, the proof of which is 200,000 sales for this model in its

introductory year of 1995.

I have rarely driven a vehicle that turned as many heads, drew as many comments and as many "how do you like it's" as this Dodge Ram V-10.

The Ram's powerful persona makes its first impression when you open the door, and find it requires a little vault into the driver's seat. Once you're in, you will be impressed by the cab's cavernous size. There is headroom galore - you can wear your cowboy hat in here - there is plenty of room to stretch out and you will be hard-pressed to reach the opposite door.

The Ram has the biggest cab available on a full-size pickup. And its 244-inch length, yes, that is well over 20 feet, makes it the longest two-door pickup on the market.

Adding to the sense of big is the truck's bold styling.

The Ram's immense chrome grille is not only reminiscent of the 50s, but also of a big-rig tractor. Very intimidating. Many motorists actually stop and wait at stop signs before

## Autos



By Richard Wright

crossing Charlevoix when they see this monster coming.

The test vehicle was powered by the industry's only V-10 truck engine, which adds to its awesome sense of big. The 8.0-liter (488-cubic-inch) V-10, a cousin to the powerplant in the Dodge Viper, churns out 300 horsepower and an impressive 450 pounds-feet of torque at a rather low engine speed of 2,400 rpm.

The result is a big pickup that can jump off the line with most high-performance passenger cars, keep up for a while then pull ahead as you go up through the five gears.

The Ram is geared like a truck, so it won't give you a Viper-like jackrabbit start,

but it is fast enough. And because it is geared like a truck, you have to watch shifting down when cornering. It does take off like a scared rabbit in second and third gear. You learn not to shift as much as with a car.

The V-10 has a characteristic that old-timers might remember from the days of V-12 Lincolns and Packards - it has so much torque that there is no lugging in high gear even at very low speeds. Once you get used to its characteristics, you find it is very pleasant to

drive, even in urban traffic.

The Ram's gargantuan girth doesn't prevent it from performing like a pleasant mid-priced sedan. It has much of the feel and sound of a truck, but its suspension smoothes out our bucking roads very impressively and the power-assisted steering is precise and easy to handle.

The big front-disk-rear-drum brakes seem to have no trouble bringing this monster to fast and straight stops and front brakes are anti-lock.

Once you are up into the cab, you find a full array of the goodies you are used to in your family car - power windows, power door locks, cupholders, etc. Rotary climate-control dials for temperature and fan speed are simple to use. The steering wheel contains an airbag in its hub.

Automatic transmission is available, but the test vehicle had a five-speed

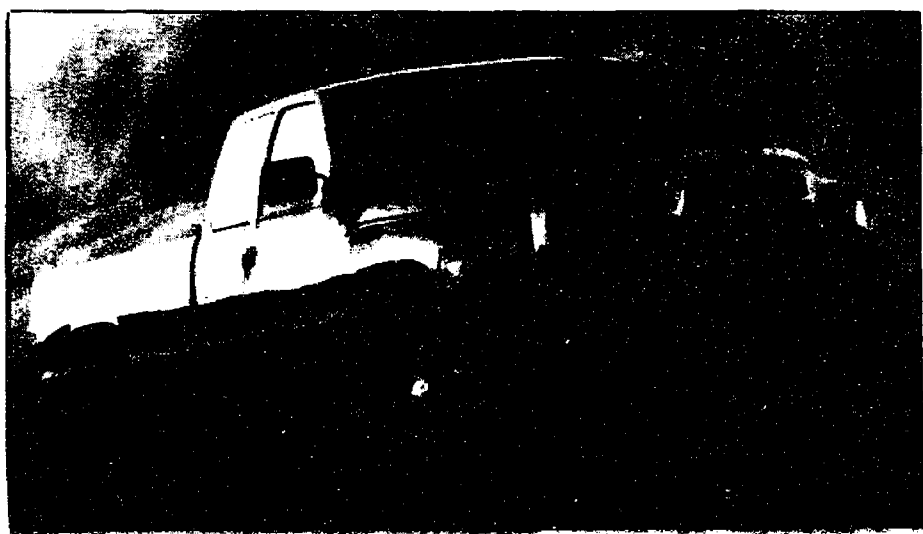
manual with a shifter that reminded me of a '67 Dodge. I had been acquainted with as a youth's long gear shift, not a lever. Shifting is sure and accurate. You always know what gear you are in.

The Dodge Ram is available in nine models of 1500, 2500 and 3500 series, with two-wheel or four-wheel drive, regular cab or club cab and standard or extended wheelbase.

Base prices range from \$13,188 for the Ram Work Special V-6 (119 wheelbase), but for a truck like the test vehicle, a 2500 Ram with club cab, 155-inch wheelbase and V-10 engine, plan on spending in the mid-to-high-\$20,000 range.

Luxury and power and bigness do not come cheap.

So is it cool or does it stink?  
Cool, say I.



Dodge Ram 2500 V-10 with club cab is a truck for people who like them big and powerful.

## Keeping cool to be more costly for motorists

Michigan motorists may find it harder to "keep their cool" this summer. Regulations designed to protect the ozone layer are expected to drive the cost of a routine air conditioning recharge from about \$35 to \$110 or more, AAA Michigan reports.

The rising price of air conditioning maintenance is due to a federal requirement phasing out the manufacture of the most common automotive refrigerant, CFC R-12, by the end of 1995.

R-12 is believed to deplete the earth's protective ozone layer. Although R-12 will be available for several more years, the cost should continue to rise as the supply diminishes, AAA said.

"At present, the only way to avoid the rising cost of R-12 is to modify older air conditioning systems to use the non-polluting refrigerant HFC-134a, or to

purchase a recent model car that uses the new refrigerant," said Gerald Gutowski, assistant vice president, member services.

"Unfortunately, the cost of converting an R-12 air conditioning system to HFC-134a can be expensive," Gutowski added. "A typical conversion involves replacing all seals and hoses used in the air conditioning system, a job which can cost at least \$200."

Cars made in the last two or three years may require less costly conversions or may already use HFC-134a, Gutowski said. This is because some auto manufacturers began preparing for the R-12 phase-out several years ago. Approximately 85 percent of 1993 models use HFC-134a. The number rose to about 85 percent for 1994 models and 100 percent for domestic 1995 models.

To help control air condition-

ing maintenance costs:

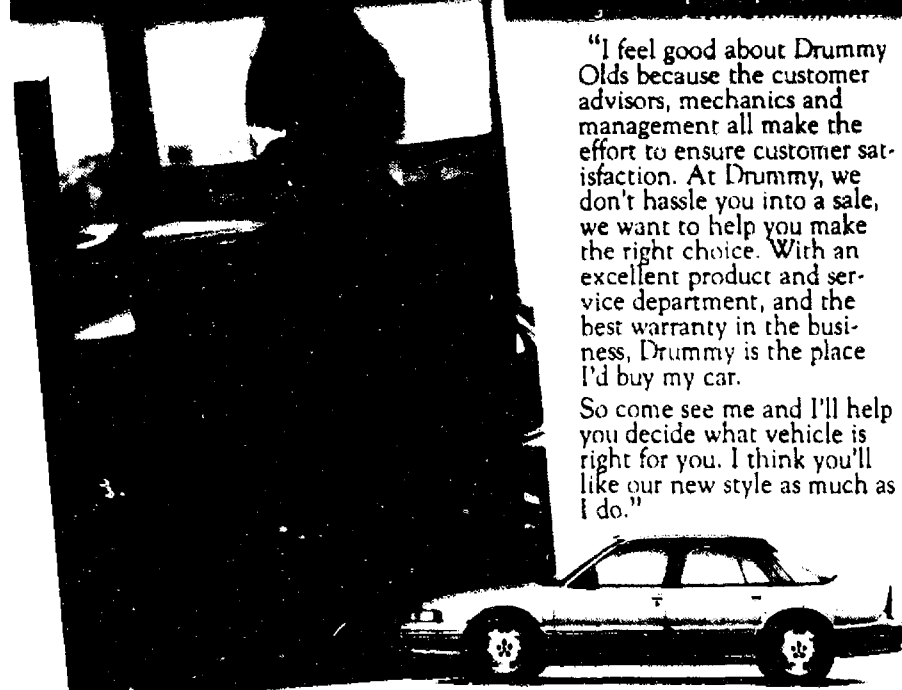
- Before buying a new car, ask whether it is designed for HFC-134a. When buying an older car, be certain the air conditioning is free of leaks and working properly.

- If driving a vehicle with an R-12 air conditioning system in need of a recharge, ask the technician to inspect the system for leaks and to repair them. Repairing leaks usually requires discharging the system.

- If your air conditioning system needs major repairs, such as compressor replacement, it may be cost effective to have a conversion to HFC-134a performed at the same time.

- Ask a new car dealership that services the make of vehicle you own whether a conversion kit for HFC-134a is available for the model you drive. If you decide to convert to HFC-134a, a retrofit kit may cut the cost of conversion significantly.

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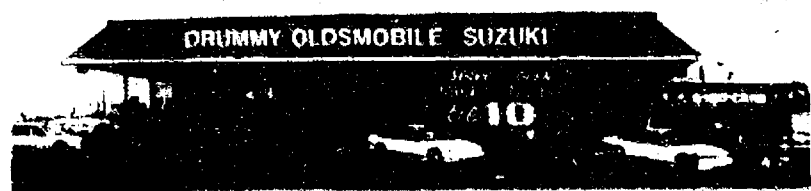
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**Harriet R. Seyler**

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, July 13, at Grosse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church for Harriet R. Seyler, 82, of Grosse Pointe Shores, who died Wednesday, Jan. 25, 1995, in Orlando, Fla.

**Dorothy H. (Dade) Kane**

A memorial Mass will be said at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 8, at St. Paul Catholic Church in Grosse Pointe Farms for Dorothy H. (Dade) Kane, 86, who died Thursday, June 29, 1996, at the Bon Secours Nursing Care Center in St. Clair Shores.

Born in Detroit, Mrs. Kane was a resident of Grosse Pointe Farms.

She was in the first graduating class at Marygrove College.

Mrs. Kane was a member of the Lochmoor Club, the Detroit Athletic Club, the Bon Secours Assistance League, the Red Cross and the St. Paul Altar Society.

She enjoyed playing bridge and bowling.

Mrs. Kane was predeceased by her husband, Gerald J. Kane, and a daughter, Judith Lee.

Interment is in the columbarium at St. Paul Catholic

## Far right to address Senior Men

The Senior Men's Club of Grosse Pointe will have its next luncheon meeting at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, on Tuesday, July 11 at 11:15 a.m. The speaker will be Glenn Clark, Michigan director of the Christian Coalition. His topic will be "Family: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow." He will be presented by Joe Callahan.

The Senior Men's Club of Grosse Pointe is in its 35th year. In that time, it has provided a link for several thousand retired senior men to the business and professional world they had left. It also provides a channel for remaining active in the community. Many members, some well into their 80s, find the many sub-clubs a marvelous source for regular activity.

At 9:30 a.m., prior to each luncheon meeting, the Investment Seminar Sub-Club meets in the Alger House. The group does no actual investing, but its guest speakers include corporate officers, investment managers and other knowledgeable financial professionals. Anyone interested in current investment opportunities should plan to attend.

## Local woman is volunteer of year

Georgian East Nursing Facility honored Anne Marie Francis as volunteer of the year at a luncheon and reception last week during National Volunteer Recognition Week. Jane Diessa from the City of Grosse Pointe Woods was on hand to present Anne Marie with a plaque commemorating her outstanding volunteer service.

Anne Marie, a long time St. Clair Shores resident, has volunteered at Georgian East twice a week for the last four years and has become an integral part of the many activities offered, especially bowling, bocci ball, gardening and community outings.

If you are an area resident or belong to a community organization with a unique talent to offer and would be interested in volunteering your services, contact the administrator at 810-778-0800.

Church. Arrangements were made by the Chas. Verheyden Inc. Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe Park.

Memorial contributions may be made to Bon Secours Hospital, 466 Cadieux, Grosse Pointe, Mich. 48230, or to I.H.M. Retirement Home, 610 W. Elm, Monroe, Mich. 48161.

**Olive M. Meikle**

A memorial service will be held at a later date for Olive M. Meikle, 93, who died Friday, June 30, 1996, at Cottage Hospital in Grosse Pointe Farms.

Born in Kitchener, Ontario, Mrs. Meikle was a resident of Grosse Pointe Farms.

She was a past president of the Cottage Hospital Auxiliary, a member of the Grosse Pointe Garden Club and was active in Christ Methodist Church and Grosse Pointe United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Meikle is survived by a daughter, Maryhelen Carper; a son, Thomas G. Meikle; 13 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband, Peden A. Meikle.

Interment is at Grosse Pointe United Methodist Church.

Arrangements were made by the Chas. Verheyden Inc. Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe Park.

**Barbara L. Stone**

A memorial service will be held Monday, July 3, at Grosse Pointe United Church for Barbara L. Stone, 82, who died Thursday, June 29, 1996, at her home in Harrisville.

Born in Detroit, Mrs. Stone was a former resident of Grosse Pointe Farms.

She earned a bachelor's degree in education from Wayne State University in 1963 and a law degree, magna cum laude, from the University of Detroit in 1963.



**Barbara L. Stone**

Mrs. Stone had her own private law practice.

She enjoyed craft activities, including quilting, basket weaving, stamping and embossing cards, fabric weaving and candle-making. She also organized church and community craft shows and was a member of the SYSOP Computer cancer forum.

She is survived by her husband, Henry Stone; five daughters, Betsy Heitman Schneider, Sara Heitman Haggarty, Jodi Zavallos, Lynda Stone and Molly Stone; two sons, Joshua Ferry and Deric Stone; and a brother, Ned LaRowe.

Interment is at White Chapel Cemetery in Troy.

Arrangements were made by the Chas. Verheyden Inc. Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe Park.

A memorial service will also be held at noon Saturday, Aug. 12, at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Harrisville.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Southeastern Michigan or to Westminster Presbyterian Church.

**Virginia C. Boardman**

A memorial service will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, July 7, at the A.H. Peters Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe Woods for Virginia C. Boardman, 65.

of St. Clair Shores, who died Saturday, June 24, 1996, at Bon Secours Hospital in the City of Grosse Pointe.

Born in Detroit, Mrs. Boardman was a former resident of Grosse Pointe Park.

She was a 1947 graduate of Mackenzie High School.

Mrs. Boardman was a member of La Sainte de Bon Secours, a member of the board of directors of the Bon Secours Nursing Care Center Auxiliary, where she was gift shop manager, chairman of the Christ was Fair and co-chairman of the 1995 January Jubilee.

She was also a trustee at First Presbyterian Church in Mount Clemens, where she volunteered serving lunches for the homeless in conjunction with the Salvation Army, and was a volunteer at the Mount Clemens Art Center.

Mrs. Boardman was a member of Burning Tree Country Club and a past member of the St. Joseph's Carmelite Guild and the Grosse Pointe Theatre Company.

She is survived by an aunt, Dorothy Glass Irvin. She was predeceased by her husband, Malcolm R. Boardman.

Interment is at White Chapel Cemetery in Troy.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Bon Secours Nursing Care Center, 26001 E. Jefferson, St. Clair Shores, Mich. 48061; Laurel of the Accia Lodge No. 477, F&AM, 1850 Vernier, Grosse Pointe Woods, Mich. 48236; or to First Presbyterian Church, 166 Cass Ave., Mount Clemens, Mich. 48043.

**Doris Rinke Potvin**

Doris Rinke Potvin died Wednesday, June 28, 1996, at her home in Grosse Pointe Shores after a long bout with cancer. She was 59.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, July 5, at the VanLerberghe Funeral Home in St. Clair Shores and a funeral Mass was celebrated at Our Lady Star of the Sea Cath-



**Doris Rinke Potvin**

olic Church in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Mrs. Potvin was born in Center Line to Norbert and Cecilia Buechel Rinke. Her father and his brothers started out selling carriages and buggies in the early 1900s and subsequently established the various Rinke automobile dealerships.

Mrs. Potvin was a fun loving, caring, family oriented individ-

ual who enjoyed life to the fullest. She was totally committed to her family and the love of her grandchildren could always put that extra sparkle in her eyes.

On and off over the years, she was active in her church. Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church, the Lawyers' Wives and the Bon Secours Assistance League.

Mrs. Potvin and her husband, John, a partner with the law firm of Plunkett & Cooney, enjoyed spending weekends at their summer home on Sand Point near Caseville.

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Potvin is survived by a daughter, Karen VanLerberghe-Slocum, a son, Greg; two grandchildren; a sister, Ann Gulleran; and three brothers, Roland, Richard and Joseph Rinke. She was predeceased by a son, Artie, and a brother, Roger Rinke.

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## Shores man survived many close calls in hell of Okinawa

By Chip Chapman  
Staff Writer

"I think our country should always be prepared, in this manner," said Shores resident Leon Sehoan. "We should always have a division of marines at the ready, and this country will always be safe."

"To me, there is no fighting man like a United States marine."

Sehoan was a teenager growing up in Ecorse when the war began.

"When the war was on, I tried to get into the merchant marine when I was 16," he

said. "I was too young to enlist in the Army or Navy, so when I turned 17, I join the Marine Corps at the end of 1943."

Sehoan enlisted with a man from Lincoln Park named McGuire. The two were told they would be called up together. However, that didn't happen. Sehoan was called up first. McGuire was later killed on Iwo Jima.

"I thank God I didn't go with him or I'd probably have suffered a similar fate," Sehoan said.

In January 1944, Sehoan embarked on a three-day train ride to San Diego for basic training.

"We had three days of heaven," Sehoan said. "The food on the train was great, sleep was comfortable. I knew there was a catch. The minute we landed in San Diego, we met our platoon sergeant. He straightened us out real quick. He said, 'The party's over. Now you're going to be taught how to be men.'"

Basic training led to an additional 12 weeks of training at Camp Pendleton, Calif., and then to Camp Miramar, Calif., before getting ready to go overseas.

"We were slated to be part of the invasion of Okinawa, but there were some problems aboard the ship and they put us out on the Caroline Islands where we had a two-week lay-over," he said.

It took nearly eight weeks for Sehoan's outfit to reach Okinawa. By then, the invasion had begun.

"Our first night in Okinawa, the island was supposed to have been secured," Sehoan said. "We were bivouacking in the open when in the sky we saw a Japanese bomber in our searchlights. It was our first experience of the war."

Sehoan was stationed at Naha, guarding and maintaining an airstrip there, as a member of the replacement troops.

"Our F4Us (planes) were bombing Japanese ships as targets," Sehoan said. "The chock stuck on one of the plane's wheels. I ran underneath to unstuck it and I ripped my head open on a rocket launcher. I still have a six-inch scar. I should have put in for a Purple Heart, because it was on a bombing mission. I still might do it."

Sehoan said that marines are the most notorious souvenir hunters in the world.

"They'd go through a mine field to get a war souvenir," he said. "Of course, war booty also had a price. Japanese swords, flags and pistols were worth a lot of money."

One part of the island was considered a "no-man's land." Instead of fighting the Japanese, the United States figured they would starve them out of that area, because it was a rocky, hilly area, and difficult to get tanks and troops there.

"It rained a lot on Okinawa," Sehoan said. "I looked up and saw this beautiful Samurai sword in front of this cave. I had no idea it was booby-trapped, and at the time, I didn't care. The Japanese sometimes even booby-trapped their bodies. They knew marines would look for booty on the Japanese soldiers."

"I raced a buddy of mine about 60 feet and I got there first and grabbed the sword. It had been booby trapped with a 30-caliber ammunition can filled with powder, but because it was wet, it didn't explode."

Sehoan sold the sword to a merchant seaman for \$100 and sent the money to his wife, who was his girlfriend at the time, and she went to Wright-Kay (jewelers) and applied it to an engagement ring.

"If she only knew at the time what I went through to get that engagement ring," he said, "but at 19 years old, you don't look at the danger."

Sehoan's brother, Lincoln, was serving in the U.S. Army in Okinawa at the same time.

"He had heard I was on the island and he came to visit," Sehoan said. "We had just had a GI inspection. It had rained a lot and I had mud on my boots. I received latrine duty, digging latrines with Japanese prisoners of war. My brother came to see me and said, 'I'm glad I'm in the Army, not the Marine Corps.'"

Sehoan found a positive side to being disciplined.

"Some good came of this because I was able to get to know some of these Japanese prisoners of war," he said. "They weren't bad people. They were just following orders like us."



U.S. marines on Okinawa near the end of the war.

One Japanese POW who spoke a little English told of some war souvenirs in a cave.

"I was able to pull him off the work detail," Sehoan said. "We had three Americans and this POW go into this unknown cave. It was a scary situation. Every cave had more than one exit. I didn't bring any weapons inside the cave. I was pretty confident I could handle the POW if he tried anything. We did a lot of digging, but the guy did come up with the war booty."

They unearthed a Japanese bugle, an officer's cape, clothing and other utensils.

The war at this point was winding down, Sehoan remembered.

The day the war ended, at night, every gun and piece of artillery went off at the same time. I thought it was an invasion," he said. "When my family asks me to watch the fireworks on July 4, I tell them that I've seen all the fireworks I ever want to see."

Earlier in the war, Sehoan had an opportunity to become a corporal by serving aboard the USS Bunker Hill.

"A friend of mine, Cpl. Lowry, said that I could get out

of the mud, eat better food," Sehoan said. "I said that if I had wanted to be on a boat, I would have joined the Navy."

Two weeks later, the USS Bunker Hill was attacked by kamikazes and Lowry was killed.

Sehoan had volunteered to go to China to fight with Chiang Kai-shek.

"They knew China was going to be another trouble spot," he said. "A lot of us volunteered because the pay was good, but the first group of Americans were all killed in a train massacre."

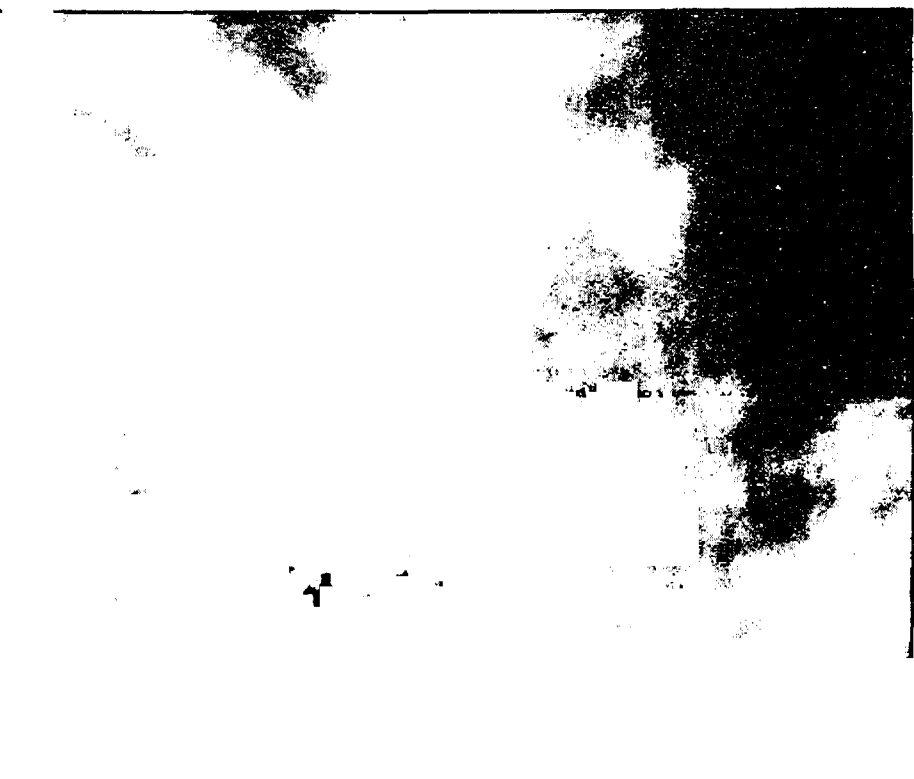
The American troops were being readied for the invasion of Japan, with Okinawa as the launching point.

"We would have taken millions of casualties," Sehoan said. "Japan is full of caves and it is very rocky. The people were dedicated and they would have died for the emperor. People who weren't there can't tell me we were wrong to drop the atom bomb. We knew if we invaded Japan, there was a good chance you wouldn't come home again."

"The Lord has been very lucky with me. I've had a lot of close calls."



Leon (left) and Lincoln Sehoan



Sehoan had turned down an opportunity to serve on the USS Bunker Hill just before it was hit by two kamikazes on May 11, 1945.

### War Memorial has fun-filled trips for the family

The War Memorial's summer day trip schedule includes two events designed for all ages.

On Tuesday, July 25, at 9 a.m., pack up the kids and take a mystery trip. The day begins with a fascinating up-close look at Border Colliers at work and play. Following picnic lunch, there will be a visit to an agricultural facility that boasts livestock barns, test fields and a unique weed garden. The trip ends with a tour of a buffalo ranch, which features a home

built partially underground and herds of buffalo, elk, deer and more. There will even be time to shop at the Pioneer Trading Post before the 5:30 p.m. return to the War Memorial. The cost is \$34 a person and includes motorcoach, picnic lunch and all activities. Bring proof of citizenship.

On Thursday, Aug. 10, take off for a day of fishing and more. First stop is a trout farm where anglers are guaranteed to catch a 1- to 3-pounder from

a natural spring-fed pond. The fish will be cleaned, fileted and packed in ice to take home.

Enjoy a picnic lunch, then it's off to the Irish Hills and the 1800s Stagecoach Theme park to enjoy the thrills, sights and sounds of a frontier village. Pan for gold, take a train ride, visit an old-fashioned ice cream parlor, a petting zoo and much more. There's a working sawmill, carriage museum, antique gas engine shop, street shows and crafts demonstrations to see before returning to the War Memorial at 4 p.m. The cost is \$34 and includes motorcoach, trout farm tour (one fish per person, equipment provided), theme park admission and a picnic lunch. Bring a small cooler for your catch.

Call 881-7511 for more information. Advance registration is a must.

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course will also be offered on Monday through Thursday, Aug. 7 through 14, from 9 to 11 a.m.

For registration information, call 313-881-7511.

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City of **Grosse Pointe Woods**, Michigan

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING:** Please be advised the Planning Commission of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods will hold a public hearing under the provisions of Section 5-17-3 of the 1975 City Code on Tuesday, July 25, 1995, at 7:30 p.m., at 20025 Mack Plaza, in the Council-Court Room of the Municipal Building, to hear the request of the Assumption Greek Orthodox Church, 21800 Marter Road, St. Clair Shores, Michigan, to rezone the land situated on the east end of the Assumption Church property, located on the east side of Marter Road near St. Joan Street at the south city limits of St. Clair Shores, Michigan, consisting of 0.946 acres of a triangular shape within the city limits of Grosse Pointe Woods. It is proposed to rezone such property from R-1C (one family residential) to R-3 (planned multiple family residential) conditionally. Such proposed rezoning would amend Title V, Chapter 19, Section 5-19-1 of the City Code of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods of 1975 (Zoning Map). Any interested person is invited to attend the public hearing.

Louise S. Warnke  
City Clerk

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### Foreign culture, language for kids

Fun in Foreign Cultures for children 7 to 12 years of age will be presented at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, on Mondays and Thursdays, July 17-27. Spanish will be taught from 1 to 2:30 p.m. and French from 3 to 4:30 p.m.

The program uses conversational situations and cultural enrichment through crafts and music to generate an interest in foreign language among young children. It was developed by Dr. Randi Lou Franklin, who will instruct.

Franklin is owner/director of Inter-Lingua of Detroit, a language and cultural services firm and interpreters for last year's World Cup Soccer. For the past two years, Franklin has conducted the foreign language program at Our Lady Star of the Sea for students in grades 1 through 8. She is a graduate of the University of Mexico in Mexico City, University of Michigan graduate school and the Detroit College of Law. She also attended Oxford in England, where she spe-

cialized in international law.

Franklin, and members of the Inter-Lingua staff who will assist at the War Memorial, are all speakers of the language of instruction.

The cost for each two-week session is \$50. Fun in Foreign cultures will also be offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays, Aug. 1 through 10: French from 9 to 10:30 a.m. and Spanish from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Students may register for one or both programs as new material will be presented in each.

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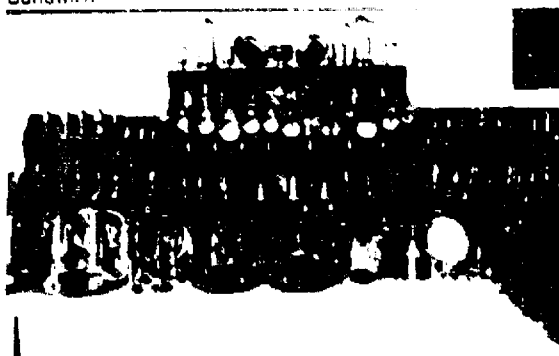
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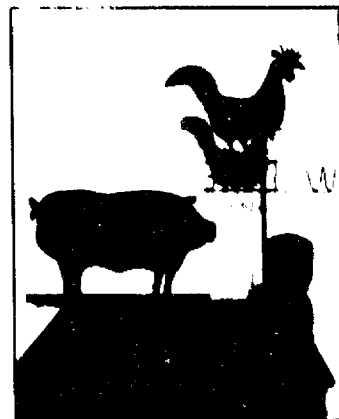
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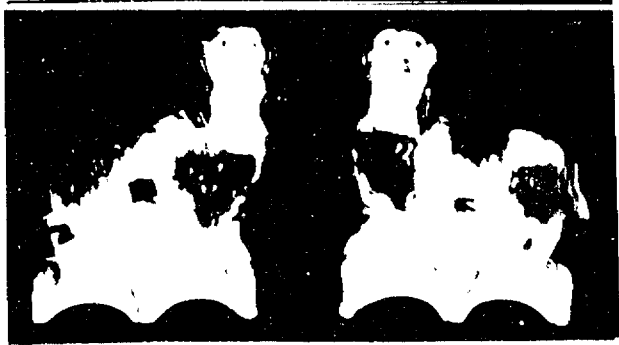
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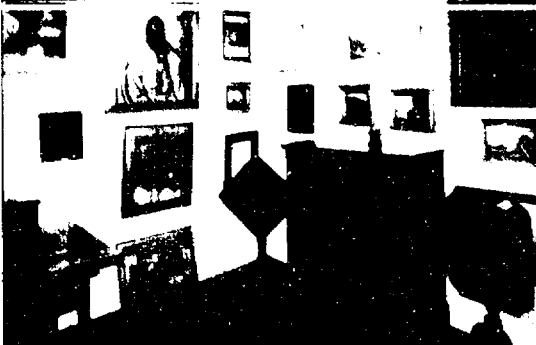
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## Grosse Pointers support historic Mariners' Church

By Margie Reins Smith  
Feature Editor

The Rev. Richard W. Ingalls is the one who made the church bell chime "til it rang 29 times for each man on the Edmund Fitzgerald" in Gordon Lightfoot's song "The Wreck of the Edmund Fitzgerald."

Mariners' Church, one of Detroit's best-loved historic landmarks, is the "musty old hall in Detroit where they prayed, in the Maritime Sailors' Cathedral."

Ingalls, a resident of Grosse Pointe Park, doesn't mind the "musty old hall" reference. After all, he said, the building is nearly 150 years old, and that implies a bit of ivy and being lived and prayed in.

Mariners' Church has settled comfortably on its new site in the shadow of Detroit's RenCen. In 1954-55, it was moved two blocks from its original site to make way for the Renaissance Center, a project that was covered extensively in the local and national press.

The ore carrier Edmund Fitzgerald sank on Nov. 10, 1975, near Whitefish Point in Michigan's Upper Peninsula in a storm-whipped Lake Superior where winds reached 71 miles per hour that day. All 29 men aboard were lost.

The next morning, Ingalls, rector of Mariners' Church, tolled the church bell 29 times, once for each man lost.

"This was nothing new," he said. "I began the symbolic tolling when I became rector in 1964. It was part of the church's tradition of honoring those whose lives are linked to the sea."

For the next five years, Mariners' Church held an unpublicized annual memorial for the Fitzgerald's crew.

"We didn't want to invade the privacy of the bereaved families," Ingalls said.

What was private became public when Canadian songwriter Lightfoot read about the memorial service and wrote his song.

"I think it's a good ballad," Ingalls said.

Now, each year on the first Sunday in November, Ingalls holds a service at historic Mariners' Church to commemorate the 29 men who died on the Edmund Fitzgerald and to honor all men and women who have died at sea.

Mariners' Church was founded in 1842, as the will of Julia Anderson specified a portion of her estate be set aside for its construction.

Julia Taylor was born in North Carolina. In 1818, she married Col. John Anderson of Vermont, a West Point graduate who eventually became the senior officer of the army's topographical engineers corps in Detroit. The corps, a forerunner of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, carried out lake and coastline surveys and built canals and roads.

The young couple (and Julia's sister, Charlotte), came to Detroit in 1818 on the maiden voyage of Walk-in-the-Water, the first steamboat to sail the upper Great Lakes.

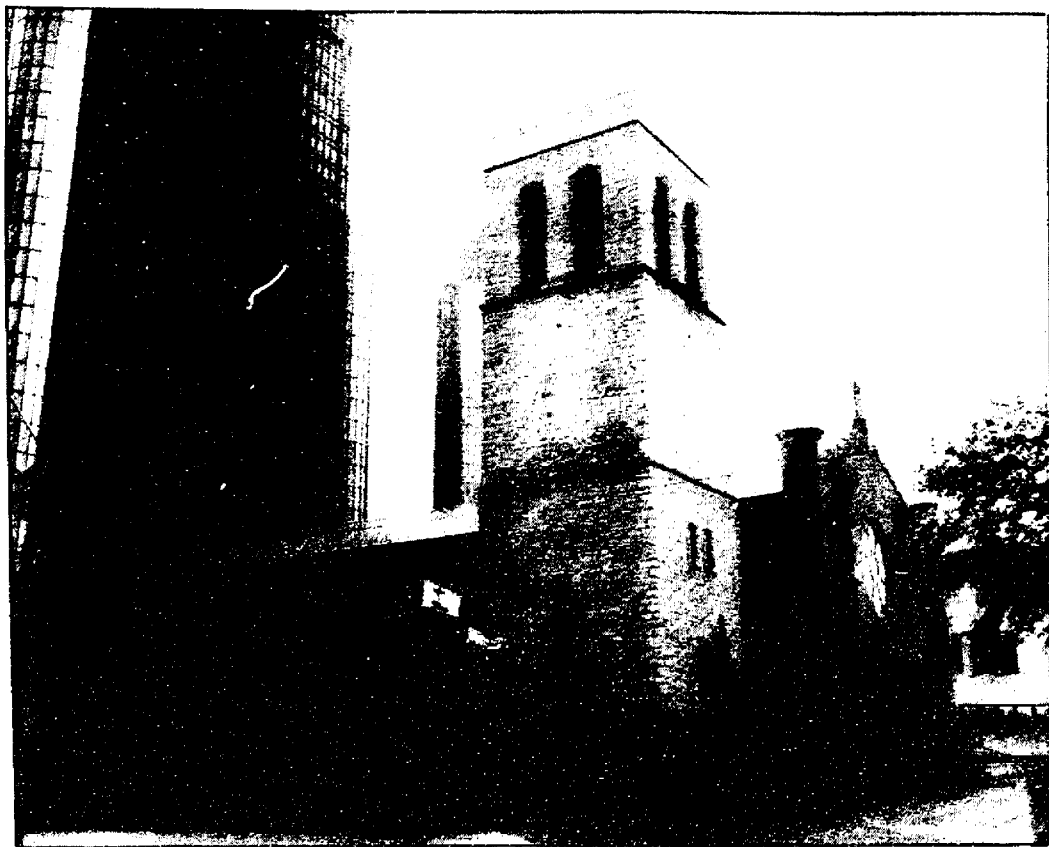
The newlyweds purchased land and built a home on the corner of Woodward and Woodbridge. The colonel died in 1834; Charlotte died six years later; Julia died in 1842.

In her will, she specified that money be set aside to construct a church on the Woodward-Woodbridge site.

"Julia Anderson was a charitable woman," Ingalls said. "Her father had been in the import-export business. She made four points in her will.

"She said the church must be named Mariners' Church of Detroit. It must be constructed on a certain site. It must be made of stone. And its pews must be forever free."

She also designated an amount of money to be used for a set of communion plates for the new church, he said. And she clearly wanted the church to minister to mariners and seagoing men in particular.



Today, Mariners' Church stands in the shadow of Detroit's Renaissance Center, above. It was moved two blocks in the mid-1950s to make way for Detroit's riverfront development. The building is a state and national historic landmark.

The Rev. Richard W. Ingalls, at the right, has been rector of Mariners' Church for the last 30 years.

Ingalls officiated at the 20th annual Edmund Fitzgerald memorial service at Mariners' Church on Nov. 6, 1994, below.

The stone church was completed and dedicated in 1849. The photo at the lower right was taken in the late 19th century. The first floor of the building was rented out to merchants and shopkeepers in order to pay the operating expenses of the church.



The church was soon beset with problems. Trustees were unsure what denomination Anderson had intended for the new stone church. She had been a member of the Episcopal church, but didn't mention a preferred denomination in her will.

In addition, the amount of her bequest was not enough to maintain the church's operations after it was constructed.

The trustees solved the money problem by renting out the first floor of the church to local merchants. Over the years, tenants included the U.S. Post Office, a bank (which eventually evolved into Detroit Bank and Trust Co., then Comerica Bank), a tailor, a grocer, a barber, a peanut vendor and others.

The first board of trustees was made up of nine Episcopalians, but the church generally operated as an ecumenical place of worship in the Anglican tradition. The question of denomination was finally put to rest two years ago.

Ingalls came to Mariners' Church in 1965. His background, he said, is ecumenical. He received his training at Drake University, Olivet College, several seminaries,

the University of the South, St. Luke's Seminary and Union Theological Seminary.

He was made a deacon and ordained a priest in 1956 by bishops of the Episcopal diocese of Michigan.

"My understanding with the diocese was that my contract with the trustees of Mariners' Church was somewhat like that of a chaplain in the military," he said. "My purpose — and I discussed this with the trustees — was to be true to Julia Anderson's will; to fulfill her vision."

After years of wrangling between the church trustees and the diocese, in 1994 the Michigan Court of Appeals upheld a 1991 circuit court ruling that the church belongs to the trustees, not the diocese.

"We are an independent church worshipping according to the Anglican tradition," Ingalls said. "We are not an Episcopal church. People of all faiths attend."

Mariners' Church has been preserved and restored with attention to its architectural integrity, Ingalls said.

"It's style is called perpendicular



Gothic, a style common in the English countryside in the 1500s," he said.

Ingalls said the wide, white pine floors are original. The black walnut pews have been repaired and restored and refinished. The altar and reredos date back to 1849. The three wood teaching tablets behind the altar are original. The Lord's Prayer, The Apostles' Creed (with one misspelled word — kept for historical accuracy) and the Prayer of Humble Access have been restored and gold-leafed.

Many of the original diamond-shaped glass windows have been preserved.

The ministry of Mariners' Church is still focused on mariners and seagoing men and women, Ingalls said, but many of the church's approximately 400 members live in the metropolitan Detroit area. Many are Grosse Pointers. Two trustees, Britton L. Gordon Jr. and Adele Huebner, are Grosse Pointe residents.

The church began holding its annual Blessing of the Fleet service in 1965, a tradition that has caught on and spread to other congregations, even private yacht clubs and boating organizations.

Ingalls doesn't own a boat. "I have a parish to run," he said. "I don't have time for a boat of my own."

Ingalls said that the bell from the Edmund Fitzgerald will be raised from the bottom of Lake Superior this week.

"The families of the Fitzgerald crew want the bell to be in the keeping of the trustees of Mariners' Church," Ingalls said, "but it will remain at the Shipwreck Museum at Whitefish Point."

"The trustees of Mariners' Church have stayed the course given to them by Julia Anderson," he said. "This parish has been revived after scores of years of neglect. My vision was to fulfill the will and vision of Julia Anderson and I feel successful."

# Engagements



Michele Lynn Manley and Thomas M. Klippstein

## Manley-Klippstein

Mr. and Mrs. Milton A. Manley Jr. of Grosse Pointe Shores have announced the engagement of their daughter, Michele Lynn Manley, to Thomas M. Klippstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Klippstein of Kennewick, Wash. A September wedding is planned.

Manley earned a bachelor of science degree in finance and marketing from Babson College. She is vice president, national account manager with Van Kampen Merritt, a financial services company.

Klippstein graduated from Western Illinois University with a degree in accounting. He is a financial adviser with Prudential Securities.

Andrus is a veteran of the U.S. Air Force, a graduate of the Real Estate Institute and a certified residential broker. He is owner of the Prudential Grosse Pointe Real Estate Co.



Kelly Ensroth and Peter Schwartz

## Ensroth-Schwartz

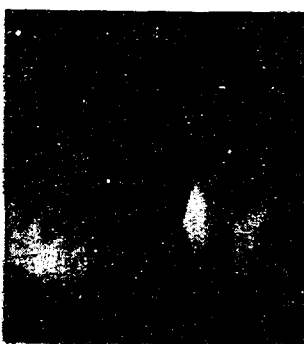
Ray and Eleanor Ensroth of St. Clair Shores have announced the engagement of their daughter, Kelly Ensroth, to Peter Schwartz, son of Robert and Barbara Schwartz of Grosse Pointe Woods. An October wedding is planned.

Ensroth graduated from Bowling Green State University with a bachelor of arts degree in education. She is a second-grade teacher.

Schwartz graduated from the University of Dayton with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering. He is a product engineer.

public manager with Bufka and Rodgers in Schaumburg, Ill.

Walsh graduated from Harvard College with a bachelor of arts degree in chemistry and a master's degree in business administration. He is president of Kilkenny Capital Management Co.



Hedi Alexandra Sucek and Kevin Patrick O'Connor

## Sucek-O'Connor

Alexander and Marybelle Sucek of Grosse Pointe Farms have announced the engagement of their daughter, Hedi Alexandra Sucek, to Kevin Patrick O'Connor, son of Robert and Maria Teresa O'Connor of Carmel, N.Y. An August wedding is planned.

Sucek graduated from Colgate University with a bachelor of arts degree in economics, cum laude, and history, with honors. She is an account officer with Middle Market Banking Group, Chemical Bank of New York.

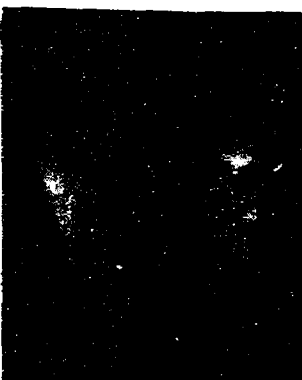
O'Connor graduated from Colgate University with a bachelor of arts degree in computer

science, with honors, and in economics. He is a manager of fixed income systems with General Electric Investment Corp.

Semack earned a bachelor of arts degree from the University of Michigan. He is pursuing a juris doctorate degree from Brooklyn Law School. He works for the city of New York law department.

## Strader-Justice

John and Evelyn Strader of Grosse Pointe Shores have announced the engagement of their daughter, Christina Lynn Strader, to Thomas Paul Justice, son of Carl and Nancy Justice of Harper Woods. An August wedding is planned.



Thomas Paul Justice and Christina Lynn Strader

Strader graduated from Indiana University with a bachelor of arts degree in psychology and from Wayne State University with a master's degree in social work.

Justice attends Wayne State University, where he is completing a degree in political science.



Joy Marie LaGrasso and Gerald Joseph Finazzo Jr.

## LaGrasso-Finazzo

Frank and Joyce LaGrasso of Grosse Pointe Shores have announced the engagement of their daughter, Joy Marie LaGrasso, to Gerald Joseph Finazzo Jr., son of Gerry and Eileen Finazzo of the City of Grosse Pointe. A September wedding is planned.

LaGrasso graduated from Northwood University with an associate's degree in business and from University of Detroit Mercy with a bachelor's degree in human resources. She is admissions coordinator with Hospice of Southeastern Michigan.

Finazzo earned a bachelor of

arts degree from Michigan State University. He is owner operator of Pape Romano's.

## Hartel-Semack

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hartel of New York City have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Therese Hartel, to Michael Joseph Semack, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Semack of Grosse Pointe Farms. A November wedding is planned.



Mary Therese Hartel and Michael Joseph Semack

Hartel earned a bachelor of arts degree from New York University and a juris doctorate degree from Fordham University School of Law. She is an attorney for the city of New York in its law department, office of the corporation counsel.



Douglas E. Andrus and Nancy Ann Ajemian

## Ajemian-Andrus

Dr. Edward and Dorothy Ajemian of Fearrington Village, N.C., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Dr. Nancy Ann Ajemian, to Douglas E. Andrus, son of Vivian Andrus of Grosse Pointe Woods and the late Simeon B. Andrus. An August wedding is planned.

Ajemian graduated from the University of Southern California with a bachelor of science degree and a M.D. degree. She is a diplomate of the American Board of Family Practice. She is assistant director of Bon Secours Hospital's family practice residency program.



Elizabeth Ruth Foster and Michael Patrick Walsh

## Foster-Walsh

Mr. and Mrs. John Leonard Foster of the City of Grosse Pointe have announced the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ruth Foster, to Michael Patrick Walsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Francis Walsh of Pinehurst, N.C. A fall wedding is planned.

Foster graduated from Vassar College with a degree in comparative literature. She earned a master's degree in business administration from the University of Chicago. She is a financial analyst and port-

## Toastmasters elects 1995-96 officers

The northeastern chapter of Toastmaster's International elected officers for 1995-96 recently. All Grosse Pointers, they are: Ron Pikielak, president; George Sutton and Roger Ault, vice presidents, education; Linda Torr, vice president, membership; Darlene Van Tiem, vice president, public relations; Ann Parker, secretary/treasurer; David Bowman, sergeant at arms; and Sue Mullinger, mentor.

The next meeting of the

group will be at 6:30 p.m. Monday, July 10, at the Grosse Pointe Farms Park for a potluck picnic. Members should bring a dish to pass and guests are welcome.

Toastmaster's International was founded in 1924 and has more than 70,000 clubs worldwide. The club offers communication and leadership development for its members. Visitors are welcome. For more information, call Torr at (313) 343-4000.



## Panelists

The Women's Republican Club of Grosse Pointe recently presented a panel discussion, "Women in Politics," at the Neighborhood Club. From left, are Marti Miller, moderator; and panelists Mary Ellen Stemple, Wayne County Community College trustee; Shirley Kennedy, Grosse Pointe Park councilwoman; and Sue Radulovich, former candidate for the Michigan senate.

## HAVE A PLEASANT TRY AT PERFECTION BRIDGE BY WOODY BOYD

At the bridge table, as in life, a strong heart ought to bear with calamities by not fleeing them with ill temper and excuses. Since managing them appears the grandeur of the mind, fleeing them would seem to suggest a timidity of the heart.

Each of the following problems requires sound judgment and a strong heart to correctly make the most descriptive bid. They represent an accumulation of bidding questions my Grosse Pointe readers have given me.

1. You are North Vulnerable

♠ K 9 6 4 2	♥ A 10 8 7	♦ A K 6	♣ K J
♠ 10	♥ 7 2	♦ Q 10 8 7 6	

The Bidding

E	S	M	N	E
	1♠	2♥	2♠	
3♥	4♠	5♠		
6♥			7	

Partner's pass of East's 5 heart call is forcing in this sequence. He wants to know whether your hand plays best on defense. If so, double. If not, bid 5 spades. You can't pass. Your hand has no foreseeable defensive tricks. Bid 5 spades. Partner has a fine 17 high:

2. You are South Vulnerable

♠ A K Q	♥ A Q J 9 3 2	♦ Q 8 8	♣ 8
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The Bidding

S	M	N	E
1♥		1NT	
2			

You would like to be in game if partner can give you any meaningful encouragement. One no trump can range from a bad 6 HCP to a good 9 HCP. 3 hearts is not forcing and could be passed. Bid 2 spades. It's forcing. Wait further developments partner's hand:

3. You are South Vulnerable

♠ 9 5 3	♥ 10 6 5	♦ K 10 7 2	♣ A 8 4
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The Bidding

S	M	N	E
1NT		2♠	
2♥		3♠	
3♠		4NT	
5			

Your partner has at least 14 HCP and 4 spades. Why else would he introduce the Stayman convention (2C) and deny a heart fit (4NT), but still wish to play above game. Bid 6 spades. You're on the top of your first bid with lots of quick-taking tricks. Your partner has a fine hand:

4. You are South Vulnerable

♠ A J 8 5 4	♥ A 10 8 7	♦ A K 6	♣ K J
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The Bidding

S	M	N	E
1♠		2♠	4♠
4♥		5♥	
7			

In this sequence, partner's five heart call specifically asks if you have either first- or second-round control of diamonds. If so, bid the heart slam. You do. Get with it. North's hand:

♠ K 10 9 ♥ Q J 8 8 ♦ 5 2 ♣ A K J 8

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## Great Lakes Maritime Institute offers print by local artist



### Bastille Day celebration

The Grosse Pointe Historical Society will hold its annual Bastille Day party from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday, July 14, at the Provencal-Weir House and the Schwartz Building, 375 and 381 Kercheval in Grosse Pointe Farms.

The fundraiser/open houses will give people in the community and their friends a tour of the Provencal-Weir House, the society's restoration project and the oldest residential structure in the Grosse Pointes; and a tour of the Schwartz Building, the society's new resource center and possibly the oldest commercial structure in Grosse Pointe Farms.

The evening is casual and will feature refreshments with a French flair as well as entertainment by the Chris Big Trio and Dennis Cyporyn on banjo and guitar.

Co-chairman of the event are Lisa Mower Gandelot and Jan Behmann. Proceeds will benefit the continuing restoration of the Provencal-Weir House. The mission of the historical society is to stimulate education and interest in Grosse Pointe history.

Tickets for the Bastille Day party are \$30, \$50 or \$100. Checks should be made payable to the Grosse Pointe Historical Society and mailed to Mrs. Lewis Davies, 69 Handy Road, Grosse Pointe Farms 48236. For more information, call (313) 886-9418.

Historical society board member Danielle DeFouw, above, is shown with some of the French food that was prepared for last year's Bastille Day party.

The Great Lakes Maritime Institute has launched a fundraising campaign for the preservation of Detroit's maritime heritage. Donations will help finance an interpretive exhibit featuring Bob-Lo Island amusement park, a unique island recreational facility beloved by Michiganders and Canadians alike from 1898 through 1993.

Donors of \$200 or more will receive a signed and numbered limited edition print by Grosse Pointe watercolor artist Jerry Crowley of the Bob-Lo steamer S.S. Columbia leaving the dock in Detroit in 1910. They'll also receive two tickets to a donor's reception when the exhibit opens at the Detroit Historical Museum in August and will get their names on a donor's panel as well.

Donors of \$1,000 or more will become a Special Friend of

Captain Bob-Lo and will also receive a solid brass porthole etched with a Bob-Lo Island scene.

A preview party will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, July 6, at Joe Muer's restaurant. Muer is honorary chairman of the fundraiser.

A program about the project will be televised at 7 p.m. Saturday, July 8, on WDIV-TV.

The Detroit Historical Museum's marine branch is the Dossin Great Lakes Museum on Belle Isle in Detroit.

Send donations to the Great Lakes Maritime Institute, 100 Strand Drive on Belle Isle, Detroit 48207. Or call (313) 822-4610.

**Golf outing:** The Institute for Trauma and Loss in Children (TLC) will hold its sixth annual golf outing on Saturday, July 15, at Cedar Glenn Golf Club.

Proceeds will go to TLC, a program of the Children's Home of Detroit that provides knowledge, resources, consultation and training to identify, assess and intervene when children are exposed to loss and trauma.

In 1995, TLC programs and resources will reach more than 10,000 children and families traumatized by violent or non-violent losses involving suicide, homicide, car fatalities, house fires, drowning and other traumatic losses.

The golf outing will begin at 10 a.m. and a \$65 ticket in-

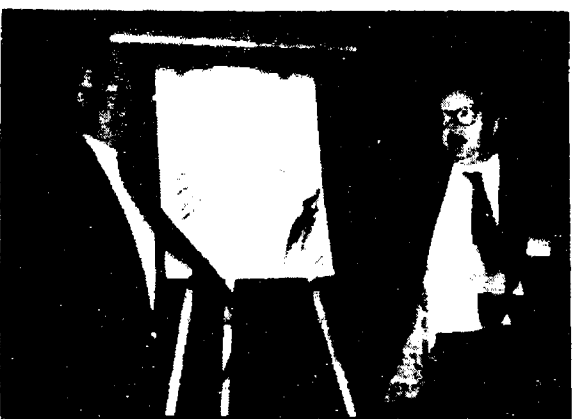
cludes golf and a cart, snack, beer, other beverages, dinner and prizes.  
For more information, call (313) 885-0390.

— Marge Reins Smith



### Courtyard dedication

The Grosse Pointe War Memorial dedicated its newly landscaped courtyard at a party on June 14. Contributors to the project are listed on plaques near the entrance to the building. The project included the refurbishing of the fountain and the addition of benches, holly trees, plants and hedges.



### Faces

Grosse Pointer Draper Hill, cartoonist for The Detroit News, at the right, recently donated a caricature of Oakland County executive L. Brooks Patterson, left, at a benefit for the Business Volunteers for the Arts/Detroit. The event was sponsored by Health Alliance Plan and auctioned off \$23,000 worth of cartoons, caricatures and artwork to benefit arts and cultural organizations.

## New Arrivals

### Darian Beatrice Dempsey

Douglas and Rhona Dempsey of the City of Grosse Pointe are the parents of a daughter, Darian Beatrice Dempsey, born May 18, 1995. Maternal grandparents are Anne and Werner Spitz of Grosse Pointe Shores. Paternal grandparents are Louanna and William Dempsey of Bloomfield Hills. Great-grandparents are Elsie Keates of Winterbourne, England, Anna Spitz of Bloomfield Hills, Beatrice Dempsey of Mesa, Ariz., and Harold Hecker of Largo, Fla.

### Bailey Thomas Labadie

Tim and Nancy Labadie of Grosse Pointe Farms are the parents of a son, Bailey Thomas Labadie, born March 9, 1995. Maternal grandparents are Thomas and Marge Archibald of Sterling Heights. Paternal grandparents are Norval

and Diana Labadie of Grosse Pointe Woods. Great-grandmothers are Marie Brickner of Delphos, Ohio, and Helen Labadie of Grosse Pointe Farms.

### Katelyn Abigail Bowles

Scott and Kathleen Bowles of Chesterfield Township, formerly of the City of Grosse Pointe, are the parents of a daughter, Katelyn Abigail Bowles, born June 18, 1995. Grandparents are William and Patricia Bowles of St. Clair Shores, Bryan Mazey of St. Clair Shores, and Doug and Damaris Inger of Harper Woods.

**Deadline for Features section is 3 p.m. Friday**

## New Arrivals of 1995



The Grosse Pointe News and The Connection Newspapers are planning a special edition featuring the babies of the past year. We hope you (and the little one!) will participate by supplying us with a recent photograph of your child (only 1995 babies, please) for use in this section.

This tabloid section will be published in January, 1996. Your child's picture, along with other 1995 area babies, will be the main attraction. News and advertising about clothing, feeding, educating and caring for your child will also be included. It will be very informative as well as a commemorative edition for you!

Please send a cute, clear photo (color or black & white, home or studio produced, preferably smaller than a 5x7) to The Grosse Pointe News & The Connection, 96 Kercheval Grosse Pointe Farms Michigan 48236. Attention: Display Advertising. Complete the information slip with your child's full name, date of birth and hospital and return it with your photo. Please print your name on the back of the photo so you can pick it up at our office after printing.

Your picture must be received in our office no later than Friday, December 22nd, and earlier would assist our production schedule. (Late November and December birth photos may be submitted until January 6, 1996.)

We look forward to producing our annual "Baby Edition" and are sure you want your little one included. A limited number of extra copies will be available to give to family and friends.

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### FOLLOWING A TIP

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Many people would choose their nose as the physical attribute they would most like to change. It is important to realize that most cosmetic surgery in regards to the nose is relatively subtle, and will not dramatically change your face or the way others view you. While some clients have unrealistic expectations, the overwhelming majority report increased self-esteem and satisfaction with the final results. Don't miss my radio show, "Why Fool With Perfection", on WCAR, 1090 AM, every Thursday morning at 10 AM. My office is located at 30130 Harper Avenue, Suite 300, in St. Clair Shores. Please call 810-415-6800 or fax 810-415-6804 for an appointment.

P.S. It is also possible to amend the cartilage at the tip of the nose to lengthen a naturally short tip.

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## The Pastor's Corner

### The world according to Disney

By the Rev. David H. Wick  
Grosse Pointe Baptist Church

"Why is (Pocahontas) Disney material only if the studio makes her 10 years older, love-struck, and stacked?" asks David Andrew Price in his Wall Street Journal article, "The Real Pocahontas."

Price wants to know what is uninteresting about a 10 or 11-year-old girl who somehow, in John Smith's words, managed to save the Jamestown colony from "death, famine, and utter confusion."

I don't intend this to be criticism of Disney's animated feature on Powhatan's famous daughter. The cartoon is just a cartoon, after all: a couple of hours of light entertainment filled with pretty colors and pretty music. Or so I've heard. Taken on that level, there's no harm in it, and it's preferable to some of the alternatives.

What concerns me is not the end product of Disney's radical revision of history, but the mind set that feels compelled to make those revisions. Is reality so bad and so dull that we can't stomach it until it is sufficiently processed?

C.S. Lewis noted that tinned fruit may taste all right, but something is wrong with a person who comes to prefer tinned fruit to fresh fruit. This is what Disney does with reality — he processes it, discards the pulp and nutrients, extracts the flavor, adds lots of sugar and turns it into candy.

Fruit-flavored candy is good, but I'd rather eat fresh fruit, and I can do so with no risk to my health. A Disney (or other Hollywood) version of reality makes a harmless mental break, as long as I don't confuse amusement with reality, or make amusement a steady diet. The brain can't thrive on amusement alone, any more than the body can live on candy.

During July, we're going to try to give the children in our church the "fresh fruit" of history by taking a brief look at the story of the real Pocahontas, the young girl whose compassion saved a struggling colony; who was later held hostage by those she helped to save; who converted to Christianity, married an Englishman, and died in England as Lady Rebecca Rolfe.

Hopefully, in the process of this glance at reality, we can teach our children that truth can be not only stranger than fiction, but also much more tasty and interesting. Maybe we can teach them not to believe everything they see in the movies, but learn to be entertained without being misled.

As we look at the real story of Pocahontas, we will have to ponder why it was that this young girl embraced the Christian faith of her captors, the enemies of her people. We will see a beautiful and fascinating reality: that Christ draws all people to Himself, and the truth of the Gospel transcends the frail and flawed human vessels in which it is carried.



### Star celebrates 40th

Our Lady Star of the Sea parish recently celebrated its 40th anniversary with a Mass celebrated by Cardinal Adam Maida; former pastors the Rev. Ralph Kowalski and the Rev. John Child; and former associate pastor the Rev. Paul Pancretos.

Monsignor Dennis Harrity and the Rev. Robert Fisher also concelebrated, assisted by the Rev. J.J. Mach and the Rev. Michael Hrydziszko. The Mass was followed by an ice cream social. Cardinal Adam Maida and charter parish member Peter Cracchiolo greet each other.

### Bible school is family affair

Vacation Bible School at First English Lutheran Church will again serve not only children, but adults.

"Awesome Adventures: God's Amazing Deeds" is the theme this year. The community is invited to participate in the weeklong evening sessions from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Monday - Friday, July 17-21, at the church, 800 Vernier in Grosse Pointe Woods.

There will be activities for children ages 3 through middle school, and for adults, including

snacks and crafts. A new feature this year will be the music segment conducted by Bob Foster, organist and music director.

A nursery for babies and toddlers will be available. Chairmen of the program are Sheri Louks and Nancy Grumm. Cost per family for the week is \$8 for one; \$10 for 2; \$4 each for three or more. Register by the Monday, July 10 deadline by calling Barb Stutsman at (313) 884-5040.

### St. Paul Catholic Church offers information on becoming Catholic

St. Paul Catholic Parish invites persons seeking more information about becoming Catholic to contact Jann Newman or Sister Janet Schaeffler

at (313) 885-7022 about the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, the church's process for welcoming new members.

### Lay Theological Academy holds annual meeting

The Lay Theological Academy celebrated the end of its sixth year on June 12 at its annual meeting at St. Paul Catholic Church.

This year the academy sponsored 19 courses and three special events. It more than doubled its attendance record over last year.

A wide variety of topics was offered, including euthanasia, spirituality, scriptural studies, leadership skills, parenting, grief ministry, biblical herbs and the role of religion in the workplace.

The mission of the Lay Theological Academy is to provide ecumenical education for adults so that they may grow in knowledge, mature in Christian faith and become better equipped for ministry in the world.

Funding for the academy is provided by its seven member congregations (Christ Church

Grosse Pointe, Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church, Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, Grosse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church, St. Paul Catholic Church, St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church and Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church) and from course fees and benefactors.

Officers are Denise B. Crenshaw, chairman; the Rev. Fred Harms, vice chairman; Robert Seyder, treasurer; Mary Kay DuCharme, secretary; and Gordon Mikoski, assistant secretary.

The academy was started by the Rev. V. Bruce Rigdon, pastor of Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, and the Rev. Edward A.M. Cobden Jr., rector of Christ Church Grosse Pointe.

For more information, or to be placed on the mailing list, call Crenshaw at (313) 885-4841 or Mikoski at (313) 882-5330.



Celebrating the completion of the Lay Theological Academy's sixth successful year are, from left, Sister Janet Schaeffler, the Rev. Gordon Mikoski, Sandy Fisher and Dr. Col Worrell.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Donald Alexander Stewart

### Crissman-Stewart

Allison Leigh Crissman, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John David Crissman of Grosse Pointe Park, married James Donald Alexander Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward James Stewart of Vancouver, B.C., on June 1, 1995, at Keawalai Congregational Church in Maui, Hawaii.

The bride graduated from the University of Hawaii and officiated at the 5:30 p.m. ceremony, which was followed by a reception at the Maui Intercontinental Resort.

The bride wore a white silk satin gown with an off-the-shoulder sweetheart neckline, a fitted lace bodice and a circular skirt with a six-inch sweep train. Her headpiece, a band of white silk satin and lace, held a fingertip illusion veil. She carried a bouquet of white and pale pink lilies, orchids, roses and ivy and she wore a white

floral lei presented by the groom.

The maid of honor was Patricia Lynn Hynson of Chantilly, Va. She wore a tea-length pale pink and cream floral dress with a scoop neckline and a cream-colored floral lei. She carried a bouquet of lilies, orchids, roses and ivy.

The bride's brother, John David Crissman Jr. of Grosse Pointe Park, stood with the bride during the ceremony.

The best man was the groom's brother, Richard Edward Stewart of Phoenix.

Groomsmen were the groom's brother, Cameron Andrew Stewart of Vancouver, and James Moir of Detroit.

The mother of the bride wore a tea-length pale yellow floral chiffon dress with a handkerchief hem, a chiffon organza jacket and a cream-colored floral lei, presented by the groom.

The groom's mother wore a full-length strapless black crepe dress with gold brocade trim, a gold brocade jacket and a cream-colored floral lei presented by the bride.

The reader was the bride's uncle, Dr. Paul F. Schellhammer of Virginia Beach, Va. The soloist and the guitarist.

The bride graduated from Michigan State University and Wayne State University's School of Medicine. She is a resident in internal medicine at Maricopa Medical Center in Phoenix.

The groom graduated from Michigan State University with a degree in communications. He is vice president of Equi-Flite Technologies Inc. in Phoenix.

The couple honeymooned in Maui. They live in Phoenix.

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# Entertainment

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There's double hilarious trouble in Stratford's revival of "The Comedy of Errors."

## 'Comedy' revival no retreat

By Alex Sucek  
Special Writer

Stratford's repeat of last summer's hit production of Shakespeare's rollicking farce, "The Comedy of Errors," is no mistake.

While retaining the highly inventive staging and settings of director Richard Rose and designer Teresa Prubylaki, and the hip acting and pantomime styles that were so successful last season, a new cast has added provocative insights into the Elizabethan values of love and marital relations that Shakespeare super-imposed on the ancient comic plot.

It is fascinating, in fact, to see the same open frame pieces of scenery, which only suggest walls, rooms and buildings, and the same pantomime sight gags that make those sets seem to be solid walls, mirrors and even an elevator, with new actors giving the roles some new twists.

Meanwhile, between the laughs at all the slapstick that is routine for this play, there surface some serious thoughts on the meaning of love and on a husband's and wife's obligations to each other.

Stratford's cast, many of them members of the Young Company, gives unusually clear and persuasive expression to those elements of the script which are often lost in the free-for-all. While it is definitely an undercurrent to the evening's humor, it adds a provocative and satisfying dimension to what is normally treated as a high-velocity vehicle for slapstick.

And high velocity it is. From the moment old sad sack Aegeon starts revealing the plot of his twin sons and their twin servants separated by a shipwreck, the craziness is unrelenting. It is intensified by the ingenious use of the highly contemporary sets and acting with the Syracuse business people in sleek suits and carrying im-

### The Stratford reports

The season this year includes "The Merry Wives of Windsor," "Macbeth," "The Country Wife," "The Boy Friend" and "The Gondoliers," all of which have been reviewed in these pages. Back copies are available.

pressionistic brief cases, acting in an up-to-date yuppie fashion that gives rise to very fresh forms of gags and stage business.

One of Aegeon's twin sons and his servant arrive in Ephesus seeking their long lost brothers who are, in fact, prosperous citizens there. But not knowing of each others' presence, they get into constant confusion of mistaken identity, especially with the Ephesus brothers' wives.

As usual in farce, bits of by-play constantly add to the madness. One of the funniest is a pantomime by one of the servants, pulling together two sets of the stage set frames to create a cubicle and pretending to use it as a rest room. Words cannot

do justice to the combined sly and shy portrayal of the simple act of nature and its embellishments that momentarily interrupts the fast-paced action.

More thought provoking is the response of the sister-in-law of the Ephesus brother to the understandably strange behavior of his twin whom she and her sister have mistaken for her brother-in-law. She charges the man she thinks to be her sister's husband to treat his wife with kindness and, if he must seek the company of another woman, to do so stealthily. They are arresting lines and were particularly so as delivered by Kristina Nicoli as the sister, Luciana. The fact that he then falls in love with her and expresses it in some very lyrical Shakespearean verse, adds to the farcical confusion. It also reveals the bloom of the Elizabethan concept of romantic love. Duncan Ollershaw in the role of that brother, managed a delicate balance between romance and farce.

Making it all work demands outstanding ensemble playing by the whole troupe, and they deliver a fine performance but if there is a climax to it all, it is the process of the servant twins, both called Dromio, discovering each other. After taking much abuse over confused identities and having to share the overwhelming presence of the Ephesian Dromio's hippy, kitchen-wench wife, their newfound companionship is heart warming and amusing. Kevin Bundy and John Robinson manage an uncanny twin-like affinity.

"The Comedy of Errors" plays at the Tom Paterson Theatre, alternating with the Festival's brilliant production of "Long Day's Journey Into Night" (also carried over from last season but with the exact same cast), through Sept. 15. For tickets and accommodations call 1-800-5667-1600.

## Quartet

The George Benson Quartet with vocalist Judie Cochill performs at 7 p.m. tonight as part of the Music on the Plaza outdoor concert series in the Village shopping area in the City of Grosse Pointe.



## A sampling of trips around Michigan

People get into the inn business in strange ways.

"My father died a couple of years ago when he was 68 and he was just beginning to do all the things that he wanted to," explains Susan M. Anthony, 31, proprietor of the new Pine Ridge Lodge Bed & Breakfast between Mio and Lewiston.

"That made me take a look at my life. Here I was, working in Reno with a job in college administration, and I realized that it wasn't all that satisfying, so I decided to return to Michigan and do this," the native said.

"This" has been a big project. She bought 35 acres of private property and spent 18 months renovating the 5,000-square-foot main house into a lodge.

"The decor was really '50s — you know, olive green, oranges and brown... Yea, I know that look is coming back but it was still real ugly," she said.

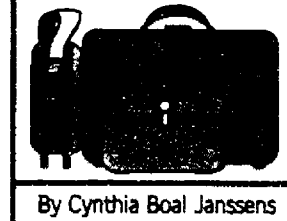
So she muted the color scheme in the large recreation room, built new stairs and pulled off plywood walls to find rough-sawn pine underneath. She converted the upstairs into seven rooms, three with private bath and four which share two baths. Each room features a different pine bed hand-crafted by a local artist. "This is kind of her showroom. If she wants to show her work to customers, she can bring them here. It's a good deal for both of us."

The largest room she called Susan's Quilt Room because "the one and only" quilt she ever made adorns that bed. "It took me a year and a half and because I don't run a sewing machine it really is all hand-stitched," she said. This corner room overlooks the deer feeding station in winter.

Outside, she laid out 10 kilometers of cross-country trails, put in a large hot tub and managed to open for business in December — to no snow.

"It was a pretty painful way to begin, but we survived. Many people who came just hung out here and relaxed and

## TRAVEL TRENDS



By Cynthia Boal Janssens

we became good friends. Already we have a lot of repeaters, and they usually want to come when no one else is here. One couple, Ben and Mary, have been here four times," Anthony said.

She said the lodge has yet to be discovered by snowmobilers. Guests share a large living room, recreation room and screened-in porch.

One attraction is the full breakfast that Anthony prepares from scratch. "I make everything myself, including the granola. A typical breakfast includes eggs, pancakes, four meats, muffins, breads... actually, it's quite a production."

In the summer, the X-C trails are used for mountain biking and walking. She is in the process of putting together a canoeing program as the main branch of the AuSable River is nearby. Golfing is available at nearby Garland Resort and at a number of other area courses.

"I think that when people come to northern Michigan, this is what they are looking for. They want rustic, but they also want the comforts of home," she said.

The inn is located 15 minutes north of Luzerne and 10 minutes south of Lewiston on county road 489. Rates are from \$55 to \$80 per night on weekends, \$5 less on weekdays. Children are accepted. Smoking is restricted to the recreation area. For more information, write Pine Ridge Lodge, Box 722, Lewiston, MI 49756; phone (517) 786-4789.

Another entrepreneur involved with Michigan tourism is Jennifer Clarke of Berkley who has founded a business called Independent Travel Services Inc. It's for folks who want to take a trip within Michigan, possibly visiting un-

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## Dancing for fun, fitness

The Grosse Pointe War Memorial has scheduled adult classes in social dancing, country-western and tap for beginners as well as experienced dancers.

Tone Up with Tap meets Saturdays, July 8-Aug. 19, from 2:30 to 3 p.m. Instructor Mimi Lewalski will teach basic steps and a tap combination during the seven-week class. Wear comfortable clothing and tap shoes, if you have them. The fee is \$42.

Classes in country-western line dancing and country-western dancing for couples are scheduled Monday evenings July 10-Aug. 21. Beginning line dancers meet from 6 to 7 p.m. and intermediates from 7 to 8 p.m. The cost is \$42.

Country-western for couples is held from 8 to 9 p.m. for beginners and 9 to 10 p.m. for advanced dancers. The fee is \$50, classes are taught by Tom and Theresa Knaston.

Completing the schedule is social dancing, taught by Lillian Forrest on Mondays July 10-Aug. 14. Couples will learn the foxtrot, waltz and Latin rhythms. Introductory students meet from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. and the intermediate class is from 8:30 to 9:30 p.m. The cost is \$52.

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## Organ concert scheduled

Josef Seraphim will perform an all-Bach organ recital at 11:30 a.m. Sunday, July 9, at Christ Church Grosse Pointe, 61 Grosse Pointe Boulevard in Grosse Pointe Farms.

Seraphim is a professor of music at the Warsaw Conservatory in Poland and gives concerts throughout the United States and Europe.

A brunch is available after the concert for \$5. Call (313) 885-4841.

## 'West Side Story' launches worldwide tour from Detroit

Nearly 40 years since it first electrified Broadway, the new multimillion dollar production of "West Side Story" will launch its worldwide tour at Detroit's Fisher Theatre beginning Sept. 5, and running through Sept. 24, with its sights set for a Broadway return.

The brilliant work of legendary theatrical giants — composer Leonard Bernstein, lyricist Stephen Sondheim, playwright Arthur Laurents, and director choreographer Jerome Robbins — Brooks Atkinson of The New York Times described "West Side Story" as "a profoundly moving show; an incandescent piece of work that

finds beauty amid the rubbish of the streets."

The new production will recreate Jerome Robbins' original direction and choreography, retaining the gritty, streetwise sensibility of the original. The producers have begun a national talent search from Los Angeles to New York, to find the hottest young singer-dancer-actors available.

Tickets to "West Side Story" are on sale now at the Fisher Theatre box office and all TicketMaster outlets. Call (313) 872-1000 for more information. To charge tickets by phone, call TicketMaster at (810) 645-6666. Groups of 20 or more, call Amy at (313) 871-1132.

## Changing the guard

The Grosse Pointe Arts Council saluted outgoing president Emma Jean Evans, left, of the City of Grosse Pointe, at its June 21 meeting at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. The new president, right, is Carol LaChiusa-DiSanto of Grosse Pointe Farms.

The GPAC has as its goal to unite all artistic disciplines — music, art, literature, theater and dance — under one umbrella to foster and promote Grosse Pointe as a viable cultural community, and to encourage the people of the community to join the council in this endeavor.

For more information on the arts council, call Pearl Warn at (313) 885-8077 or Bunny Homan at (313) 881-9085.



Travel

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familiar areas, but don't want to sign up for a motorcoach tour.

Independent Travel Services offers eight unescorted tours to some of the state's top destinations. Packages range from a weekend in Saugatuck (starting at \$99 per person double for two nights) to a nine-day "Harbor Hoppin'" excursion that starts in Traverse City and includes stops at Mackinac Island, Sault Ste. Marie and Petoskey (\$499).

Clarke has 18 years' experience in the travel industry, much of it working for the convention and visitors bureaus in Detroit and Traverse City.

"One thing I kept hearing over and over was that we needed a Michigan 'product' (i.e., packaged trips) on the shelf. That while the CVB's and the state Travel Bureau were promoting Michigan, there were few trips that people could actually purchase. Since every bit of my background had prepared me for this, I decided to do it." She formed ITS this past January.

ITS packages include accommodations, some meals and activities but leave time for individual exploration or relaxation (a round of golf, a stop at an antique store, a chance to loll on the beach?). Once a package is booked, each traveler receives a detailed itinerary that includes Clarke's favorite tips and a set of vouchers. Participants provide their own transportation.



It's obvious that buying such a package is a great way of avoiding all the hassle of planning your own trip.

Summer packages are described in an eight-page brochure. Here's a sampling: "Golf Northern Michigan" is a seven-day package that focuses on two areas, Grand Traverse and Gaylord, where you can play an array of courses (\$529); "Wheels" is an eight-day package that takes you from Detroit to Shanty Creek to Mackinac Island and back to Marsh Ridge Resort in Gaylord (\$519); two five-day "Superior Experiences" are offered from Marquette in the UP, one featuring overnights in bed-and-breakfasts (\$434, \$499).

Very good values can be found in the "Long Weekenders" which Clarke has arranged in Harbor Springs, Shanty Creek and Saugatuck. Fly/drives — perhaps you have a friend or relative elsewhere who would like to tour Michigan — can be arranged from airports in Detroit, Grand Rapids, Traverse City and Marquette.

"My goal is to make Michigan a brand name destination, like the Cape, like Hilton

Head," she explains. "We have everything the big guys do and I want to see us reap the benefits of the traveler coming into our state."

Clarke says she will be issuing a fall-winter catalog that will offer trips from October to April. (Note: The attractive brochures are designed by Kathryn Usitalo of Grosse Pointe Woods.) For a copy of the ITS catalog, call (810) 547-1200 or FAX (810) 547-3990.

Or perhaps you are interested in a cruise adventure. Photographer-naturalist Thomas Schneider of Belleville leads an interesting series of trips, geared for photographers but good for anyone who likes to poke around the out-of-doors.

Lake Michigan is featured during July, Lake Huron and the Les Cheneaux Islands in August, Lake Superior in September and Lake Erie (from Monroe) in October. Most tours are on weekends. Contact Travel to Adventure Tours at (313) 697-0035.

It's not too early to begin planning what your big trip for next winter will be. One you might want to consider is the two-week cruise to Antarctica that is being offered by the Detroit Zoological Society from Jan. 18-31.

This trip is being escorted by Ron Kagan, the director of the Detroit Zoological Park and travel is aboard the 79-passenger marine Adventurer, built in

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which most likely will be members and curators of zoos and museums from around the country.

My favorite part: No black-tie dinners.

The price is from \$3,295 to \$5,795 per person including airfare from New York or Miami

(single supplement is \$2,195), plus \$495 in port taxes. For more information, call the Detroit Zoological Society at (810) 541-5717 or Park East Tours at (800) 223-6078.

Cynthia Boal-Janssen's Travel Trends column runs every other week in this section.

Pointe couple offers schooner cruises aboard 95-foot replica

By John Minnis  
Editor

Metro Detroiters can spend three days — or three hours — before the mast this summer when Jay Scott and Leslie Nurse of Grosse Pointe Park begin full-sail schooner excursions on the Detroit River and Lake Erie.

Currently, the 19th century replica schooner Voyager is en route to Detroit after sailing the Caribbean and the Atlantic. As of last Friday, the 95-foot packet schooner was on the St. Lawrence Seaway, about 100 miles from the gulf.

High winds on the seaway have delayed the ship, but Scott hopes to offer the first night excursion on the Detroit River in mid-July.

"We're running about a day-and-a-half behind schedule," he said.

The schooner is being captained by Scott's son Jack, who recently graduated magna cum laude from the Kings Point Naval Academy with two bachelor's degrees and a commission in the Navy.

"My son will captain until October," Scott said, "and then I'll be looking for a new captain next year."

The Voyager was built in 1976 in Glib Point, Va., and was designed by Frank Fulchiero of Mystic, Conn. He modeled the ship after plans of a traditional packet schooner, which were used to carry passengers, small packages and mail until the 1900s. The Voyager is of a hard-chine, double-planked mahogany construction with a traditional layout of 10 passenger cabins and three crew cabins. The main salon seats 20 for dinner, which cook James Patterson prepares on Voyager's one-ton cast iron stove.

On day sails, Voyager can take on up to 48 passengers and on longer excursions, 20 overnight guests can be accommodated.

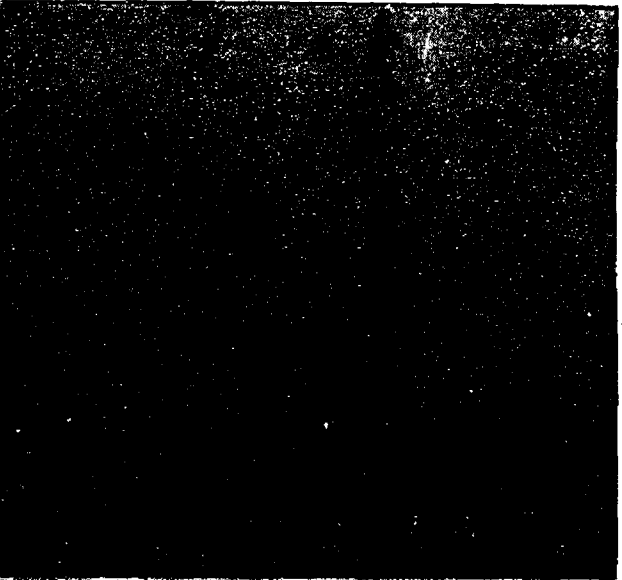
"It's really quite comfortable," Nurse said of the guest cabins. "The rooms are quite nice, with a lot of mahogany."

Cabins have two bunks and running water. Scott compared the ship accommodations to a "floating bed and breakfast."

"Trains took the packet schooner out of business," he said. "It was probably the fastest mode of transportation at the time."

Scott, co-owner of a technical publication company catering to the auto industry, has been sailing since he was a child. He owns a 44-foot carbon fiber sailboat berthed at the Detroit Yacht Club and has been in 10 Mackinac races and even won one.

He said learning to sail the



Jay Scott and Leslie Nurse of Grosse Pointe will offer Detroit River day sails and weekend and weekday excursions to Put-in-Bay this summer.

schooner was not difficult. "Most racing sailors can get up to it," he said. "You follow the lines and see what they do. It's a lot easier (than sailing a small boat). The bigger the boat the easier it is to sail."

The schooner should make quite a sight on the Detroit River when all sails are hoisted on the two masts, which include the 90-foot main mast.

Raising the sails is all done by block and tackle and the anchor is heaved by a windlass.

"The hardest part is raising the main sail," Scott said. Nurse added, "You work up quite a sweat."

"Everything is done the way it was 150 years ago," Scott said.

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sel engine, so passengers won't have to worry about being forced into rowing duty during low winds.

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gers, however, can take part in crewing, learning the art of sailing and ship handling.

"There will be passenger participation to hoist the sails and steer the boat, if they want," Nurse said.

This summer, Scott hopes to get in five weekend and seven weekday excursions to Lake Erie's Put-in-Bay. The cost for the weekend trips, departing at 3 p.m. Friday and returning at 3 p.m. Sunday, is \$290 per per-

son double occupancy. The weekday rate, departing at 10 a.m. Monday and returning at noon on Wednesday, is \$260.

Three-hour Friday and Saturday evening cruises of the Detroit River will be offered for \$40, and 10 a.m. three-hour cruises will cost \$35. Also, Sunday brunch cruises will be offered for \$50.

The schooner can also be chartered for private parties.

Scott would also like to offer

educational cruises for school students. He envisions field trips where some 50 students could come aboard and learn math, physics, biology and so on as they relate to sailing.

"Personally, I like that whole aspect more than the pleasure cruising," Scott said.

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## MUSIC

The 1995 Music on the Plaza Concert Series continues at 7 p.m. Thursday, July 6, with the George Benson Quartet with Judy Cochill at the Plaza at the corner of Kercheval and St. Clair in Grosse Pointe's Village shopping district. Next week, Ed Nuccilli and Plural Circle, a 12-piece modern jazz big band. Also, the Grosse Pointe Symphony plays at 2 p.m. Saturday, July 8, in the plaza. Call (313) 861-9726.

Bobby Lewis & the Crackerjack Band will perform at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, July 6, in the St. Clair Shores Music on the Lake series at Memorial Park, on Jefferson and Masonic. Next week, the Chisel Bros. featuring Thornetta Davis. Call (810) 445-5200.

The Golden Rain Percussion Ensemble performs at the Detroit Institute of Arts' summer Brunch with Bach series at 11:30 a.m. Sunday, July 9. Call (313) 833-2323.

The Grosse Pointe-based Steve Wood Quintet with the mellow voice of Ange Smith performs at 2 p.m. Sunday, July 9, on the lawn of the Bloomfield Township Public Library, 1099 Lone Pine Road in Bloomfield Hills. Call (810) 642-5800.

The Grosse Pointe War Memorial's Summer Music Festival continues Wednesday, July 12, with the New Reformation Dixieland Band. Buffet dinner begins at 6:30;

## ART

On view at Ambleside Gallery, 375 Fisher in the City of Grosse Pointe, are two original works by Norman Rockwell. Also, watercolors by Phil Hobbs, Nigel Price, Brian Johnson and Rita Smith; oils by Kenneth Denton and Heiner Hertling; wildlife by Richard Sloan, Matthew Hillier and Pat Preuit; Botanicals by Vicky Cox and Mary-Beth Koeze. Call (313) 865-8999.

The Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward in Detroit, is exhibiting "An Evolution of 20th Century Sculpture" through July 31. Also, "Interventions," the DIA's exhibition featuring work by local artists, runs through Sept. 3. "Island Ancestors: Oceanic Art from the Masco Collection" runs through Aug. 6. Call (313) 833-7900.

## THEATER

Broadway Videostage, a new form of live theater located at 21517 Kelly Road in Eastpointe, presents the comedy "The Owl and the Pussycat" Fridays through Sundays through July 16. Ticket prices vary. Call (810) 771-6333.

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House Mask from the Caroline Islands is part of the "Island Ancestors: Oceanic Art from the Masco Collection" running at the Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward.

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The Second City-Detroit presents "The Best of Second City" at 8 p.m. Tuesday evenings at the Second City, 2301 Woodward.

Tickets are \$6. Also, the new revue, "It's Home Home" runs every weekend. Call (313) 965-2222.

"Vampire Lesbians of Sodom," a spoof of horror movies, runs through July 9 at 1515 Broadway in Detroit. Tickets are \$7.50 to \$12.50. Call (313) 965-1515.

The Purple Rose Theatre Company, 137 Park Street in Chelsea, will present "Weekend Comedy" through July 27. Ticket prices vary. Call (313) 475-7902.

"Rebel Without A Cause" and "Giant" plays at the Fox Theatre at 1:30 and 4 p.m. respectively. "Rebel" is shown again at 7:30 p.m. through July 16. Call (313) 396-7474.

The Detroit Science Center continues its run of "Tropical Rainforest" on its Omnimax screen. Call (313) 682-1623.

## CINEMA

The Grosse Pointe Public Library Summer Film Festival continues July 11 through 13 with "Mouse Soup," "Corduroy" and "The Swineherd" at 1 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe Woods branch. The same movies play Wednesday at the Grosse Pointe Park branch and Thursday, at the Central Library. Call (313) 343-2062.

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## HAPPENINGS

The Edsel & Eleanor Ford House's summer concert series, Skylands Children's Festival, begins at 7 p.m. Tuesday, July 11, with the Chenille Sisters. Admission is \$5; children under 2 are free. Grounds are open at 6 p.m. for picnics. Call (313) 864-4222.

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### Playing around

An honors recital given by outstanding piano students of teacher members of the East Side Pianists Round Table was presented Monday, June 5, at the Grosse Pointe Baptist Church. The Round Table includes local piano teachers Jean Curtis, Barbara Whistler, Irene Muse, Sue Fleming, Janet Young, Alice Ellison and Virginia Shover. The students shown are, back row from left, Gretchen Busam, John Claravino, Katherine Cwick, Rebecca Driscoll, Stephanie Ferguson, Nanette Mayette and Jaxon Pharms. In front, from left, are Paul Padesky, Susan Berch, Lindsey Bock, Ellen Faba, Courtney Grady and Colleen Skirilla. Not pictured, but who also played in the concert, was James DeCarlo.

## Colonial times come to life at Greenfield Village

The British are coming, and they'll be met by Colonial reenactors, Native Americans and visitors from around the world as Greenfield Village presents the Colonial life special weekend on July 8-9.

The Village will be filled with the colorful pageantry of fife and drum corps, military and Native American encampments, Revolutionary War battlefield demonstrations and Village costumed staff re-creating domestic 18th-century life.

"They literally step out of the history books," said program participant Mark Logsdon, who leads the 1st Michigan Fife & Drum Corps and has helped organize the event for more than 20 years. "The visuals and the music are certainly inspiring, but the hands-on activities are a particularly wonderful way to discover aspects of 18th-century life."

The stirring sounds of the fife and drum corps will inspire 20th-century patriots to join parades and to discover how this music lifted the spirits of the soldiers and also helped commanders convey orders to their troops as battles raged. Visitors will hear four nationally known groups: the 1st Michigan Colonial Fife and Drum Corps, Plymouth Fife and Drum Corps, Colonial Fife and Drum Corps of Alton, Ill.,

and Village Volunteers Fife and Drum Corps of Delmar, N.Y.

The Village Green becomes a Revolutionary War battlefield as British and Colonial troops face off in a grand tactical demonstration. The forces will meet on the battlefield each day for a demonstration clash, offering exhibitions of skill with rifles, muskets, and cannon.

For those inspired to join (or oppose) the Revolution, "recruiters" from both sides will be taking applications. Prospective adult "soldiers" will be sworn into the British army, while kids can join the American forces. They will then be provided with a simulated weapon and put through the paces of a historic drill.

At Daggett Farmhouse and Secretary Pearson House, visitors can compare the toil of rural life with the genteel comfort of an urban home. Among the activities are demonstrations of wool spinning and practical sewing at the farmhouse, contrasting with artful needlework at the gracious town house.

Contemporary kids can discover the games that kept their 18th-century counterparts entertained. They will also enjoy timeless tales of American life with daily storytelling sessions. Life among the Native American Woodland Indians will be

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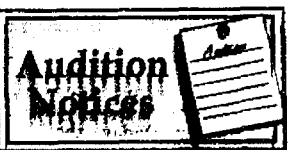
Artists across the state are invited to submit their work for jurying for the tenth annual Our Town, an art exhibition and sale, to be held Oct. 18-22, at The Community House in Birmingham. All entries, in the form of color slides, must be postmarked by July 31.

Artists who have not already received an entry form may ask for one by calling The Community House at (810) 644-5832, or by writing: The Community House, 380 S. Bates, Birmingham, MI 48009.

Artists may submit their interpretations of "Our Town," any hometown, and its meaning to them. Works may pertain to any subject; there will no longer be categories. Artwork may be two or three dimensional, prepared in any medium, ready for presentation, and must not have been previously shown in Our Town exhibitions. Samuel Sachs II, director of The Detroit Institute of Arts, will be the 1995 Our Town juror.

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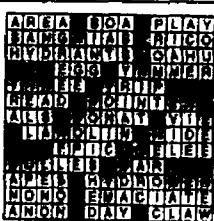


Auditions for the fall production of Henry Ford Community College's presentation of Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" will be held on Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 14 and 15, at 7 p.m. in the Mackenzie Fine Arts Center on the Dearborn campus. The cast of 25 actors will present 13 performances from Nov. 24-Dec. 3. For more information call (313) 845-9617.

Auditions for the Greenfield Village Theatre Company's production of "Sherlock Holmes" will be held from 7 to 10 p.m. Monday, July 17, at the Anderson Center Theater in Henry Ford Museum.

Parts are available for 11 actors and actresses of all ages. Performances are Fridays and Saturdays Sept. 8-Oct. 14. For information call (313) 271-1620, ext. 405.

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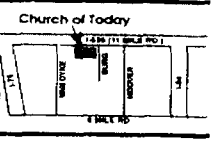
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## Tocco has a 'Dream' season for Norsemen

By Chuck Klonke  
Sports Editor

Donny Tocco was nervous about living up to expectations before Grosse Pointe North's baseball season started this spring. He didn't have a thing to worry about.

"People said I had a lot to live up to because of the season I had as a junior and I struggled a little at the beginning of the year," said Tocco, who bounced back strong from the slow start and was selected to the Michigan High School Baseball Coaches Association Dream Team.

North, which tied for the Macomb Area Conference Blue Divi-

sion title and won district and regional championships on the way to a school-record 31 victories, had strong representation on the Class A all-state team.

Tocco and Nick Chapie were both named to the Class A first team, while Greg Sieszputowski was selected to the second team. Sean Ziegenhagen and Chris Copus made honorable mention.

"I had hit 11 home runs as a junior and it's hard to top that so I just tried to put it out of the way," Tocco said. "I had confidence in myself so I just started to play baseball. I just started to think about helping the team win and put the personal stuff aside."

It wasn't long before everything fell into place for Tocco. He finished the season with a .471 batting average that in-

cluded eight doubles, two triples and 11 homers. He drove in 61 runs. Although he was a power hitter, Tocco had one of the lowest strikeout totals on the team, fanning only eight times in 102 at bats. He led the Norsemen with 31 walks. He was also a slick fielder, making only two errors in 225 chances.

"He's one of the best players we've had here," said North coach Frank Sumbera. "We saw a lot of good things in Donny when we kept him on the varsity as a freshman and he lived up to our expectations — and then some."

Tocco's career totals at North are also impressive. He had 131 hits in 338 at bats in his four seasons. He hit 26 homers and knocked in 159 runs, including 121 the last two years.

Tocco's statistics as a junior made opposing teams take notice. They were reluctant to give him a good pitch to hit.

"Sometimes I got a little anxious and swung at bad pitches, especially with men on base because I felt the team was counting on me to come through," Tocco said. "I knew this wasn't a one-man team, but I still felt a responsibility."

Tocco didn't waste many of his key hits in situations where the Norsemen were comfortably ahead of their opponents.

"His home runs usually meant something," Sumbera said. "He hit two of them in our pre-district game with East Detroit, he put on quite a show in the regional and hit two homers against Mount Clemens in a game where we needed somebody to give us a spark. Whenever Donny sensed we needed something, he stepped forward and gave it to us."

North fell behind early against East Detroit, but Ziegenhagen and Tocco hit solo homers in the third inning to tie the game at 2-2. Tocco then broke the deadlock with a two-run shot in the sixth, following a single by Chapie.

The Norsemen didn't need Tocco's heroics in the district as they overpowered two teams from the Detroit Public School League, but when the going got tougher in the regional he was ready to step up again.

In a 6-0 victory over Utica Eisenhower, Tocco drove in five of North's runs with a bases-loaded double and a two-run homer. He also delivered in the clutch against Sterling Heights, hitting a two-run homer to tie the score and knocking in two more runs with a sharp single off the Stallions' Dave Borkowski, who's now pitching in the Tigers' farm system.

"Sterling Heights walked Donny the first time up and when Chapie got on base the next time I thought about sending him, but if he had stolen second they would have walked Tocco again," Sumbera said.

Tocco batted four times against Borkowski this season and went 4-for-4.

"He challenged me every time," Tocco said. "He didn't throw me any breaking balls. He came in with his best pitch — his fast ball — and said, 'Let's see if you can hit it.' Fortunately, I was able to time it right."

Tocco didn't rest on his laurels after his breakthrough season as a junior, which earned him a spot on the Class A all-state first team. He worked to improve as a hitter.

"I worked on making myself a better two-strike hitter," he said. "I cut down my strikeouts from about 25 last year to eight. I did a better job of selecting pitches and I learned to choke up more on the bat when I had two strikes on me."

Sumbera said that Tocco had all the physical attributes necessary to be a top power hitter.

"He has quick wrists and hands and he's strong," the coach said. "He can be fooled on a pitch and still get around on it enough to hit it over the fence in left-center."

Hockey might have helped Tocco develop his batting technique.

"I've been playing hockey since I was 6 years old and I developed a pretty good slap shot," he said. "Shooting a hockey puck and stickhandling helped strengthen my hands and wrists."

Tocco, who played in last week's high school all-star game at Tiger Stadium and drew a bases-loaded walk, plans to continue his career at Western Michigan.

"They've been watching me since I was a sophomore," he said. "It's a nice campus, they have a good business school, they play in a good conference and I have some friends going to school there."

Is there a pro career in Tocco's future?

"All I'm thinking about right now is developing into a good college player," he said. "Playing professionally isn't even in the back of my mind at this time."

Chapie was a two-year starter behind the plate for the Norsemen and finished his prep career with a .424 batting average. He hit 10 doubles and seven homers and drove in 46 runs.

"Nick filled a spot where we needed help badly last year after Mike Haskell graduated," Sumbera said. "He was a converted third baseman, who did an exceptional job as our catcher. He had a good arm and kept working to improve at his position."

Chapie batted third in North's lineup and got off to a torrid start with five homers in his first 12 games. He cooled off a bit during the middle of the season, but came on strong at the end and homered in the Norsemen's quarterfinal victory over Lapeer West.

"With Nick and Donny we had as good a 3-4 punch as there was in the state," Sumbera said.

Sieszputowski became the ace of the North pitching staff, posting an 11-2 record with a 1.09 ERA. The righthander completed 12 of his 15 starts, struck out 106 in 90 innings and walked only 37.

"He's a kid that wanted the baseball," Sumbera said. "He was so eager to pitch. He didn't hide from responsibility. He said 'Give me the ball, coach.' That's why I called him 'The Dunga'."

"He pitched on three days' rest all through the playoffs. I wasn't going to start him in the quarterfinal game because he had just pitched on Saturday, but when I suggested saving him for the semifinal, he was almost offended."

Copus provided the Norsemen with steady play in center field and this year he emerged as a force with the bat.

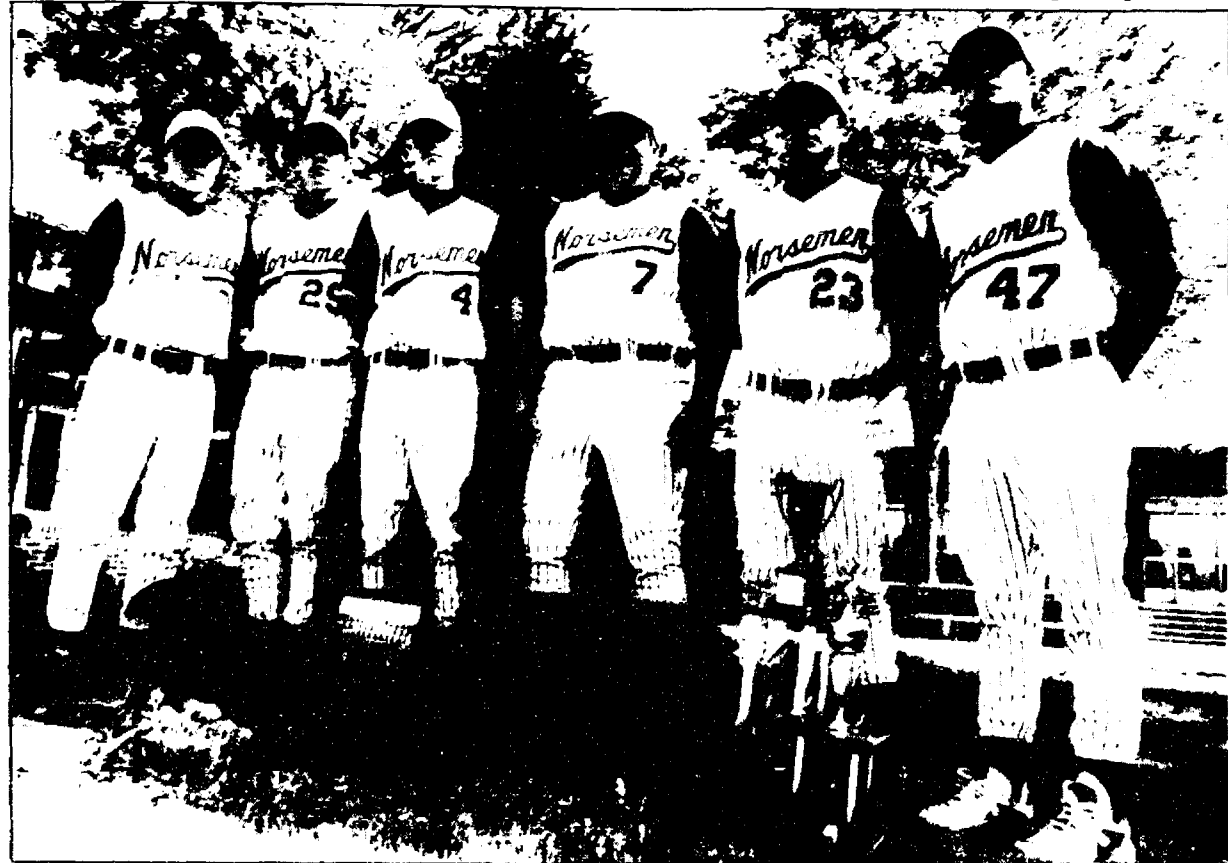
"Chris is a quiet kid, who just does his job with a lot of consistency," Sumbera said. "He caught everything that was hit out to center field. He had excellent speed."

Copus, who was the starting left fielder in 1994, didn't let the added responsibility of playing center affect his hitting. He batted .317 with two homers and 27 RBI and tied for second on the team with 18 steals. One of his homers was a seventh-inning grand slam to beat Grosse Pointe South.

He led North's outfielders with 45 putouts, had four assists and committed only one error.

Ziegenhagen played second base most of the season after starting the year at shortstop. He batted .411 with four homers and 30 RBI. Ziegenhagen led North with 35 stolen bases.

"He was solid offensively all year," Sumbera said. "He was our leadoff batter and was quick on the bases. When we moved him to second it took some of the pressure off Sean and he and (Steve) Champagne gave us a solid double play combination."



Five members of Grosse Pointe North's baseball team were selected to the Michigan High School Baseball Coaches Association's Class A all-state team and first baseman Donny Tocco was also named to the Dream Team. From left are Sean Ziegenhagen, Greg Sieszputowski, Chris Copus, coach Frank Sumbera, Nick Chapie and Tocco.

## Farms-City A's take playoff title

The disappointment of losing the regular-season championship in the Grosse Pointe Farms-City Little League Majors by the slimmest margin didn't affect the Athletics when the playoffs began.

"We lost our last game in the eighth inning and that prevented us from winning the regular season championship," said A's manager Art Getz. "It was disappointing, but the kids didn't hang their heads. It was a good character check for them."

The A's won the playoff championship with a two-game sweep of the Reds in a pair of thrillers, 3-1 and 7-6 in extra

innings to finish with an overall 17-4 record.

The opening game was a pitching duel between Chad Gohlke of the A's and the Reds' John Russell and Matt Middleton. Gohlke pitched a three-hitter and so did the two Reds' hurlers.

Chris Getz, Gohlke and Ed Bommarito collected the A's hits and each of them scored a run. Pat Michaels and Richard Schott hit doubles for the Reds, while Russell hit a single.

Adam Steiner and Matt Lampkin had excellent defensive games for the A's, while Tom Jahnke, Peter Kostjuk and Remy Fromm made impor-

tant defensive plays for the Reds.

The final game was just as exciting as the A's rallied from a 6-2 deficit to beat the offensive-minded Reds in extra innings.

The Reds scored three times in the first inning, featuring a triple by Jim Kypros and a double by Schott. The A's came back in the bottom of the inning with Blake Goebel's single driving in John Durant and Chris Getz.

A three-run third inning, highlighted by a double by Kypros that drove in Michaels and Russell, gave the Reds a 6-2 lead.

The A's tied the game with three runs in the fifth. Mark Spicer had an important sacrifice bunt, Gohlke doubled and Durant followed with a two-run single.

The A's won the game in the seventh when James VandePutte singled and eventually scored on Durant's single.

Bill Tuthill picked up the victory in relief after pitching a scoreless seventh inning.

Andrew Christians and Bob Danforth played strong games for the A's, while Brian Molloy

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The Athletics won the playoff championship in the Grosse Pointe Farms-City Little League Majors with a come-from-behind 7-6 victory over the Reds. In the front row, from left, are Blake Goebel, Bill Tuthill, John Durant and David Spicer. In the middle row, from left, are Matt Lampkin, Andrew Chris-

tians, Chad Gohlke, Adam Spicer, James VandePutte, Bobby Danforth, Ed Bommarito and Chris Getz. In back, from left, are coach Brad Christians, manager Art Getz and coach Clark Durant.

## Babe Ruth action from Farms-City-Park fields

### MAJOR DIVISION

#### Tigers 10, Reds 6

Winning pitcher Steve Dely pitched a complete game and helped himself with two hits. Brad Etheridge broke open a close game with a bases-loaded triple in the sixth inning. Andy Kossis and Todd Blake also had key hits for the Tigers.

#### Tigers 12, Pirates 3

Ted Swarthout pitched four strong innings in relief to record the victory and he collected three hits. Eric Neveux had two hits, including a double, and Brad Etheridge also doubled. Joe Choma scored three runs and Kevin Messacar had a hit for the Tigers.

#### Tigers 8, Braves 4

Brad Balesky and Ben Schaefer each hit doubles to lead the Tigers' offense. Ted Swarthout picked up the victory in relief and had three hits. Dave Bilkrey also had a hit for the Tigers, while Charlie Braun and Joe Choma made important defensive plays.

#### Tigers 6, Athletics 5

Starter Steve Dely pitched four strong innings and scored four runs for the Tigers. Joe Choma's double and Charlie Braun's single opened the Tigers' offensive attack. Winner Ted Swarthout

also had a hit. Mike Hendrie doubled for the A's.

#### Tigers 5, Angels 6

Winning pitcher Eric Neveux had a complete game and helped himself with a hit. Brad Etheridge and Brad Balesky each had two hits and Todd Blake singled home the lead run. Greg Peppier hit a two-run homer for the Angels.

#### Tigers 5, Royals 3

Charlie Braun pitched three strong innings to earn the victory, while Steve Dely picked up the save with three shutout frames. Kevin Messacar, Ben Schaefer, Andy Kossis and Todd Blake each had singles to lead the Tigers' attack. Tim Leto homered for the Royals.

#### Athletics 4, Tigers 2

Jason Goodall and Andy Besupre combined on a seven-hitter. Besupre also had two hits, one for extra bases. John Terrell, Matt Barry and Jim Jabnke also had extra-base hits for the A's, who played excellent defense. Ted Swarthout had three hits and Stephen Dely two for the Tigers.

#### Athletics 13, Pirates 3

Winning pitcher John Terrell struck out seven. Terrell, Matt Barry, Adam Makof and Darryl Mihalko each had extra-base hits for the A's. Makof had two singles and a double, while Nate Kazmarek and Mihalko each drove in two runs. Armand Bove and Lee Bryant each hit doubles for the Pirates.

#### Yankees 9, Braves 8

The Yankees won a slugfest despite the Braves' late rally. Jason Mangol and Joe Gebrite each had three hits for the Yankees, while Nick Kypros and Trevor Szymanski had two singles.

space Brian Fasulo, Joe Bokano, Pat Fitzgerald, winning pitcher Chris McGrady and Chip Getz also had Yankees' hits.

#### Yankees 7, Royals 2

Pat Reynolds led the Yankees' attack with three hits, while Jason Mangol pitched a five-hitter. Matt Paradise, Mangol, Jeff Mehr and Chris McGrady also had hits for the Yankees.

#### Yankees 4, Reds 3

The Yankees scored two runs in the bottom of the seventh to win the game. Pat Reynolds and Jason Mangol led the way with two hits apiece, while Joe Bokano and Jeff Mehr each had one. Mangol, Chris McGrady and Mehr combined to pitch a three-hitter with nine strikeouts.

#### Yankees 13, Athletics 1

Colin Morawski and Jeff Mehr each had two hits and two RBI for the Yankees, while Joe Gebrite, Chris McGrady, Jason Mangol, Joe Bokano, Pat Fitzgerald, Trevor Szymanski and Matt Paradise also contributed hits. Mehr pitched a two-hitter and struck out seven.

#### Yankees 2, Tigers 1

Trevor Szymanski singled to open the seventh inning, stole second and scored on a wild throw to give the Yankees the victory. Jeff Mehr pitched a one-hitter to pick up the win. Matt Paradise, Joe Bokano and Mehr had the Yankees' other hits.

### INTERMEDIATE DIVISION

#### Twins 20, Blue Jays 3

Adam Novak, a Prep Division player filling in for the Twins, and Devin O'

Erven hit back-to-back triples to spark the attack. Adam Turia collected three hits and Ahmed Maki and Brian Fasulo each had two singles. Jimmy Seelms was the winning pitcher. Justin Christian hit a double for the Blue Jays.

#### Twins 16, Dodgers 3

The Twins broke open a close game with a nine-run fifth inning. Adam Turia hit a double and a single in the frame and Mike O'Connor doubled. Mike McKinney made a diving catch on a pop fly. Brian Fasulo was the winning pitcher. The Dodgers, who had a double from Vesey, played strong defense for the first five innings.

#### Twins 9, Orioles 4

Winning pitcher Adam Turia struck out 10 and helped himself with a double. Ahmed Maki made two good catches on pop flies. Ryan Joyce hit a triple for the Orioles.

#### Twins 18, Cubs 5

Sam Seelms picked up the victory with relief help from Brian Fasulo and Ryan Brown. Andrew Vesey ignited the Twins' attack with a two-run single, while Matt Vandeweghe and Mike McKinney hit doubles and Adam Turia tripled.

### PREP DIVISION

#### Mariners 20, Rangers 6

Sparked by Kurt Faber's four hits and three by Anthony Sivanov, the Mariners raced to an early lead. Pat Ryan, Nick Day, Fred Pope, Scott Beynton and winning pitcher Rob Starrs also contributed to the Mariners' offensive attack, while Eric Borrell made several good catches in center field. The Rangers were led by Ben Wei, Andy Stevens, Mike Schumaker and Jeff Wittstock.

#### Brewers 14, Rockies 7

The Brewers broke open a close game with three runs each in the fifth and sixth innings. Pete Williams had four hits and Dave Smith collected three. Al Gusselino and Zachary Beer combined on a four-hitter. Sedinski's single highlighted a four-run rally by the Rockies in the third. Bayer, Ellis and Colson also had key hits for the Rockies.

#### Brewers 20, Rangers 9

The Brewers collected 17 hits and winning pitcher Tim Lepczyk allowed one run in his five innings. Pete Williams had four hits and Frank Turner collected three for the Brewers. Brian Goraki led the Rangers' attack with two hits, including a bases-loaded single in an eight-run fourth inning. Dave Smith hit a double for the Brewers.

#### Indians 9, Rangers 2

Mike Alvan, Chip Chapin and Mike Tavery each had two hits for the Indians. Justin Goodall, Joe Sullivan, Jason Coffman and Chas Staermer combined for a strong pitching performance.

#### Mariners 13, Rangers 12

Anthony Sivanov and winning pitcher Rob Starrs combined for 14 strikeouts in the extra-inning slugfest. Liam Farver and Andy Delmege led the Mariners with two hits apiece and H.J. Richardson scored three runs. Kurt Faber made a good running catch in left field. David Murawski scored three runs for the Rangers, while Chris Young, Brian Goraki, Andy Stevens and John Schott each tallied twice. Jeff Wittstock played an outstanding game at third for the Rangers.

#### Brewers 13, Rockies 2

Chris Cottas pitched a strong game for the Brewers, allowing four hits and striking out eight. The Brewers snapped a 2-2 tie with four runs in the fifth inning and they added nine more in the sixth. Key hits came from Pete Williams, Dave Smith, Frank Turner and Tony Getzoff.

#### Brewers 11, Mariners 8

A key double by Andy Delmege and some errors by the Brewers gave the Mariners the early lead, but the Brewers came from behind with a seven-run fourth inning, highlighted by winning pitcher Al Gusselino's triple. Tim Lepczyk and Tony Getzoff had key singles and Nick Rotondo hit a double in the rally.

#### Red Sox 11, Indians 10

Adam Novak pitched three shutout innings to post the win in the extra-inning contest. Mike Bissig, Matt Hindelang, Novak, Adam Budday and David Bell led the Red Sox's attack, while the Indians' offense was sparked by Bill Kennedy, Joe Sullivan and Jason Coffman.

#### Red Sox 11, Mets 1

Adam Budday and Adam Novak combined to hold the Mets to one run. Novak had two doubles, Matt Hindelang hit a double and single and Budday scored three runs. Clark Peters, Bo Leina and Andy Hill led the Red Sox's defense.

#### Red Sox 20, Mariners 9

Mike Bissig drove in five runs and David Bell had three RBI for the Red Sox. Adam Budday, Andy Hill, Phil Griesbeck and Bo Leina also drove in runs for the Red Sox, while Greg Fokin and Matt Muser played outstanding defense. Anthony Sivanov had two hits

and Scott Jacobson drove in two runs for the Mariners.

#### Red Sox 9, Brewers 6

Matt Hindelang had four hits, including a double, and Phil Griesbeck also doubled for the Red Sox. Mike Bissig and Adam Novak divided the Red Sox pitching. The Brewers were led offensively by Al Gusselino, who doubled, and Tony Getzoff. Tim Lepczyk and Zach Beer.

#### Red Sox 11, Rangers 10

Winning pitcher Adam Novak, who threw the last three innings, tied the game with a two-run triple in the seventh. Mike Bissig, who had tripled earlier, then drove in Novak with the winning run. John Lindley-Thayer and Greg Fokin made good defensive plays for the Red Sox. Jeff Wittstock, Brian Goraki and Ben Wei led the Rangers.

#### Red Sox 18, Indians 3

Adam Budday and Mike Bissig combined on a five-hitter for the Red Sox. Adam Novak had three hits, including a triple, while Bissig, Matt Hindelang and Andy Hill each collected two hits. Matt Muser, Bo Leina and Clark Peters played well defensively. C.T. Thurber, Dan Grant and Mike Aloys hit singles for the Indians, while Bill Kennedy tripled.

#### Red Sox 19, Mets 7

Mike Bissig allowed one run. Phil Griesbeck pitched two shutout innings and Greg Fokin got the save in his Babe Ruth pitching debut. John Lindley-Thayer hit two triples. Matt Hindelang and Adam Novak each hit a pair of doubles and Matt Muser tripled. Clark Peters, Nathan Steiner, Griesbeck, Bissig and Fokin hit singles.

#### Mariners 15, Red Sox 11

The Mariners beat the regular-season champions in the last game of the regular season. H.J. Richardson was the winning pitcher. Rob Starrs led the offense. Pat Ryan was outstanding on defense and Kurt Faber did a good job of baserunning. The Red Sox got a three-run homer from Mike Bissig and other solid hitting from Adam Novak and Phil Griesbeck.

#### Rangers 9, Indians 7

The Rangers got another strong performance from winning pitcher Brian Goraki. Andy Stevens, Mark Yeckey, Ben Wei and John Schott each had two hits for the Rangers. C.T. Thurber, Brendan Cotter and Chip Chapin had two hits apiece for the Indians and Jeff Wittstock did a good job in his catching debut.

## Champs

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and Mark Russell had good defensive performances for the Reds.

"This was one of those seasons where everything clicked," said Art Getz. "We had a great group of kids and very supportive parents. We had about half the team back from last year and those 12-year-olds became fine leaders."

## Pointe teams in tournament at Harper Woods

The Harper Woods Little League will host the 11-12-year-old international baseball tournament for District 6 from July 8-15 at Johnston Park.

Thirteen all-star teams representing the Grosse Pointes, Harper Woods, Hamtramck, Clinton Township, Shelby-Utica, Macomb Township and Mount Clemens will compete in the double-elimination tournament.

Here are the opening round games involving Grosse Pointe teams: Saturday, July 8, 9:30 a.m., Grosse Pointe Farms-City vs. Shelby American and Grosse Pointe Woods-Shores American vs. Harper Woods; 2:30 p.m., Grosse Pointe Park vs. Shelby National.

Sunday, July 9, 9:30 a.m., Grosse Pointe Woods-Shores National vs. the winner of the Farms-City-Shelby American game.

There is no admission charge for the games.

The winner of the tournament will advance to the regional, hosted by the Walled Lake Little League, from July 23-26.

## Babe Ruth action in Woods-Shores

#### Marlins 11, Giants 3

Jonathan Kosmas' bases-loaded double in the second inning powered the Marlins to the victory. Pitchers Alex Lentine and Jason Sargolons held the Giants to four hits. Mike Janis and Kosmas each had three hits. Scott Vandekerckhove scored twice for the Giants.

#### Dodgers 30, Cubs 16

The Dodgers erupted for 13 runs in the third inning and added 10 more in the fourth. Mike Karber posed a 23-hit attack with four hits and he scored four times. Brian Johnson collected a single, double and triple and scored twice, while Brian Amori had two hits and three runs. Steve Cristescu picked up the victory. Chad Bender scored three runs for the Cubs.

#### Reds 10, Plymouth Phillies 0

Lefthander Kevin Diedrich held the Phillies to one hit in five innings. Chad Cooper led the Reds' offense with fourth, while Matt Donnellon and Chris Mikula each had three. Rich Inger had two hits, including a triple, and scored twice.

#### Marlins 11, Mets 7

Ryan Schooltz sent the game into extra innings with a two-out RBI single in the top of the seventh. The Marlins then scored five runs in the ninth. Pete Paterek scored three times and had two hits for the Marlins. The Mets' Joe Baratta had three hits and Alex Thomas added two.

#### Mets 10, Phillies 5

Joe Baratta led the Mets with four hits. Starter Bill Pope recorded the victory.

#### Mets 5, Rockies 3

Alex Thomas pitched four solid innings and had two hits for the Mets, while Michael Kasiborski collected a two-run single. Steve Thill had two hits for the Rockies.

#### Marlins 6, Mets 3

Pete Paterek's two-run hit in the bottom of the fourth inning broke a 0-0 tie and sparked the Marlins to the victory.

#### Dodgers 9, Cubs 3

The Dodgers broke open a close game with four runs in the bottom of the fifth inning to clinch the Intermediate Division title. Paul Kaye and Jack McHale had RBI doubles in the frame. Jeremy Rapp held the Cubs scoreless over the last four innings to pick up the win. Steve Cristescu had two singles and scored twice. Jason Vesey also scored twice for the Dodgers. The Cubs were led by Wes Holman, who had two hits, including a triple.

#### Rockies 5, Phillies 3

Jeff Salassa went the distance to pick up the win. Center fielder Jon McPharlin was the Rockies' defensive standout with four putouts. Third baseman Chris Colson and shortstop Jeff Hiller also played well defensively. The Rockies had key hits from Jim Ellis, Steve Thill, Matt Coleman, Tim Bossell, Tony Colombo, Hiller, Salassa and Colson.

#### Rockies 10, Giants 8

Brandon Bayer picked up the win in long relief. Tim Bossell went 4-for-4 for the Rockies, while Jeff Hiller, Jeff Salassa, Chris Colson and Tony Colombo each had two hits. John Brennan and Jason Rusko each had two hits for the Giants.

## Mustangs '82 blank foe

Kyle Barrett and Julie Berschback each had a goal and an assist and Meghan Robson recorded the shutout as the Pointe Girls Soccer Association Mustangs '82 beat Oxford 2-0 in an under-14 travel league game.

Casey Rapa also had an assist on Berschback's goal.

The Mustangs received fine defensive efforts from Jessica Harrell, Amanda Lindow and Katie Reagan, while Jessica Herrmann and Lauren Cavanaugh came off the bench to spark the offense. Sarah Fox and Kristen Ritter provided strong midfield play.

### UNDER-12 TRAVEL

Megan Shapiro, Beth Thompson and Shaelyn Moloney-Egnatios notched the goals as the Mustangs '83 beat East Lansing 3-1.

Grosse Pointe, received excel-

lent field play from Katie Marasco, Lauren Kleinert and Lauren Safran.

Julie Miller scored the Mustangs '83's only goal on a breakaway in a 1-1 tie with the Rochester Rockets. Cameron Preston and Elizabeth Moran aided the goaltending, while Marasco had a strong game at sweeper and Thompson was outstanding at midfield.

Jaime Keller scored the only goal of the game on a corner kick as the Mustangs '84 nipped CVC 1-0. Meghan Scallen and Meredith Farmer shared the shutout.

Vardar posted a 4-1 victory over the Mustangs '84, with Sylvia Ridgeway scoring the Grosse Pointe goal from Amy Socia. Midfielder Laura Vorigitch and sweeper Meggie Schmidt were defensive standouts for the Mustangs.

Laura Fisher scored the only Grosse Pointe goal with Socia assisting as the Mustangs '84 dropped a 2-1 decision to Rochester.

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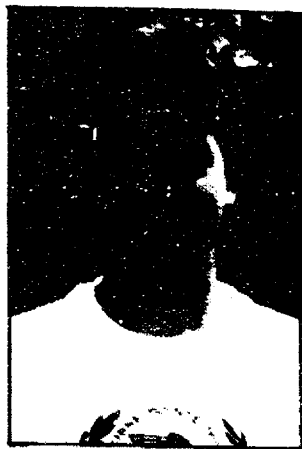
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# North netters are successful

A rebuilding year was a winning year for Grosse Pointe North's boys tennis team.

The Norsemen, led by all-conference selections Jon Van Assche, Chad Whistler and Dimitri Karabetsov, finished 5-1 in the Macomb Area Conference Red Division, losing only to crosstown rival Grosse Pointe South.

North also finished second to South in the conference meet, which was decided when the Norsemen's Jim Hadgis and Sanju Krishnan lost a third-set tie-breaker to South in the fourth doubles final.

Van Assche was the MAC Red champion in No. 2 singles,

while Whistler and Karabetsov took the title in No. 2 doubles.

North qualified for the state Class A meet by finishing third in the regional. South and U-D Jesuit tied for first with 21 points and the Norsemen collected 19.

Ryan Dloski and Peter Dannecker were regional champions in No. 1 doubles, while Whistler and Karabetsov took regional honors in second doubles.

North's Paul Hathaway dropped a 7-5, 7-5 decision to U-D Jesuit's Mike Gorski in the semifinals at No. 3 singles. Gorski then won the flight by beating South's David DeGutis.

North picked up five points in the state finals. Hathaway won his first two matches at No. 3 singles before losing to a player from Ann Arbor Pioneer in the quarterfinals. Dannecker and Dloski also won two matches at first doubles before bowing in the quarterfinals. Van Assche won his first match at No. 2 singles, but then lost a three-setter.

The Norsemen lost seven players to graduation last year, but a sophomore-laden team finished with a 7-2-1 record. North's wins were 7-1 over St. Clair, 6-2 against Chippewa Valley, 8-0 against Sterling Heights Stevenson, 7-1 over Ei-

senhower, 5-3 over University Liggett School and 6-2 against Sterling Heights and Port Huron Northern.

Dloski was named most valuable player, while Dannecker was the most improved.

Tom Keller, Van Assche, Hathaway and Parit Patel were the regulars at singles for the Norsemen, while the doubles teams consisted of Dloski and Dannecker, Whistler and Karabetsov, Scott Gregory and Cameron Piggott, Hadgis and Krishnan and Ryan Chase and Mike Vandeginste.

## Highlights

The Neighborhood Club offers softball for girls in grades two through eight. Following are results from second through fourth grade games.

### SECOND GRADE

Woods Building 26, Flame Furnace Flames 23

Woods Building Corp. was swinging the hot bats as Lindsay Ruthven hit two doubles and drove in five runs, while Kelly Brown, Erica Coates and Kelly Mueller also doubled. Kelly Gallagher, Gillian Prato, Jennifer DeFauw and Kristen Bartheles each made excellent defensive plays, while Elizabeth Andary, Lauren Jennig, Caitlin Kelly, Jenna Maynard and Ashley Rogers also contributed to Woods Building's success.

The Flames' Meghan Butler knocked in three runs with a double and single, while Rachel Sullivan, Samantha John, Lauren Tafinger, Erin McMillan and Katie Butler had key hits. Michele O'Donohue and Elizabeth Martin each made good fielding plays. Abby Wilberding scored three runs and showed excellent speed on the bases. Colleen Quinn, Lindsey Cassidy and Laura Makurof have been assets to the Flames throughout the season.

Young Furniture Hitlers 7, Jewell Photo Flash 6

Devon Crawford knocked in the winning runs with a two-run triple in the bottom of the second inning. Crawford was also a defensive standout. Claire Cunningham and Shannon Piva each hit doubles. Maggie Scholten, Elise Miller and Megan Geta made good defensive plays, while Jennifer Bradley, Janice Chanoy, Lauren Krupka, Laura Nichol, Leslie Schock, Betsy Slaughter and Stephanie Stocking also gave the Hitlers support.

Jewell had a fine season, thanks to the efforts of Janelle Addy, Amy Barger, Elle D'Angelo, Andrea Doletsky, Caitlin Kiska, Vanessa Kucera, Ashley Ruggert, Nina Santi, Ashley Stewart, Melissa Wetz, Anne Weycker, Bridgette Whotte and Dana Zak, three fine coaches and strong parental support.

### GRADE THREE

United Scientific Rockets 43, Beaumont Belles 10

Katie Johnson, Katie Kaufmann and Laura Ralston honored for the Rockets, while Margaret Leahy, Clare McDevitt and Allison Ambrosy also had extra-base hits. Aletha Brooks, Kelly King and Heidi Kurts made excellent fielding plays, while Carly Croakay showed fine speed on the bases. Liz Ridgway, Allison Crow, Marta Heinen and Sarah McMillan also contributed to the Rockets' successful season in which they learned to play every position, learned teamwork and had fun.

The Belles got a fine effort from Molly Burns, Lindsey Connolly, Julia Jeanguenat, Julie Krueger, Natalie Meyer, Claire Miller, Molly O'Neill, Casey Scavone, Kellie Schott, Caitlin Schultz, Rebecca Smeic, Kayla Vandenberg, Sara Vandenberg and Allison Walicki.

J.M. Olson Gen. Contractors 19, Beaumont Belles 14

Olson combined strong offense and defense. The squad was led by Kristen Creager and Meghan Depetro on defense and the good all-around play of Jenny Charlton, Katie Cragg, Kristina Dinverno, Meghan Doletsky, Brittany Jennings, Anna Millich, Elise Nagel, Mandy Schwanitz, Jaylynn Thibodeau, Margaret Walton and Megan Zmyslowki.

The Belles played well as a team and showed excellent hitting and fielding.

Rockets 23, Classy Girls of Classic Turf 17

The Rockets came on strong at the end of the game to secure the win. They made several smooth plays and showed fine agility.

The Classy Girls, who beat the Rockets 21-13 the following night, held the lead in this contest and showed excellent teamwork, spirit and sportsmanship. Kathryn Ament, Melissa Batta, Sara Chapman, Katie Christ, Jennifer Eglecki, Kristen Engle, Maggie Eugenio, Courtney Ireland, Julie Kamerud, Christie Laethem, Ann Padecky, Melinda Szama and Emily Shipman combined their talents for an outstanding season.

### GRADE FOUR

Radiant Runners 14, Sharks 6

Ashley Danielian, Emily Schmidt and Maggie Lettine went 2-for-2 and Lauren Colaluca went 1-for-1 for the Runners. Danielian struck out four in

two innings, while Colaluca fanned five in her relief stint. The Runners got strong defensive play from infielders Emily Schmidt, Stephanie Rose, Lindsey Wouckyna, Jenna Tocco and Lentine and outfielders Elyse Schmidt, Libby Frimell, Holly Foust, Lisa Colasimo and Colleen Blake. Shortstop Megan Lutz missed the game after a roller-blading accident.

The Sharks hit and fielded well. They got fine efforts from Terese Acou, Amelia Burke, Annette Champagne, Erin Decker, Dawn Epp, Melissa Jamerson, Allison Livermore, Lauren Reinhard, Freddie Schroeder, Stephanie Smith, Lauren Vallee, Julianne Vanden Busche and Elizabeth Warren.

Seed Roberts Agency 9, Sophia's Bakery 6

Seed Roberts gave up six runs in the first inning but came back to win the game as Alessandra Sacco doubled in Sarah Veitch with the winning run in the last inning. The team received strong support from its sponsor and parents.

Sophia's Bakery played well in the evenly-matched contest.

Bertech Company 7, Eastside Sporting Goods Sliders 6

Katie Caretti pitched an excellent game for Bertech as she didn't walk a batter and struck out the side in one inning. She also helped herself with a base-loaded double that drove in the winning run. Jaclyn Till had an outstanding game at first base, while Kerry O'Loughlin, Elizabeth Halpin, Jacqueline Whelan and Lis Campbell also turned in some defensive gems. Molly O'Loughlin had a key hit for Bertech.

Eastside turned in a strong effort in the exciting game.

Here is a game from the Neighborhood Club's second and third grade boys soccer program.

Michigan 2, Young Furniture All Stars 0

Michigan did an excellent job of executing its plays. Andrew Arpino, Matthew Ballaw, Jonathan Bartney, Evan Batta, Daniel Campbell, Matthew Depas, John Gillia, Julian Kefallinos, John Metas, J.P. Nagelout, Neal Patel, Stephen Sessions, Jamie Shuster, Ryan Walsh and David Watson each made special contributions to Michigan's success. Young Furniture had some good scoring chances through its hard work and the All Stars' excellent goalkeeping turned away several Michigan opportunities.

## Highlights in Park league

### MINOR LEAGUE-AAA

Dodgers 7, Athletics 5

Ryan Thomas had two hits and scored twice for the Dodgers in the World Series contest. Brendan Butler closed out the game with two strong innings, while Ben Neeme doubled and scored a run and Joey Somes had a hit and played well in right field. Kuah Shaquiri hit a double and single and scored a run for the Athletics, while Jason Kline had a double and scored twice, Ryan Sanborn singled and scored a run and Rob Porter pitched two good innings and hit a single.

Dodgers 16, Orioles 14

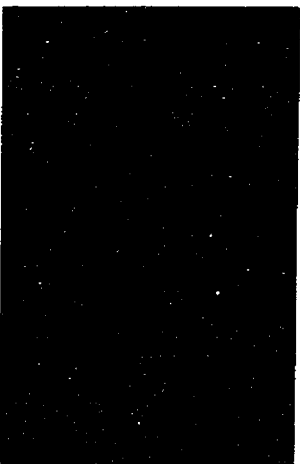
Brandon Crawford and Myles Talbot each hit two-run doubles in the Dodgers' eight-run sixth inning. Brian King pitched four strong innings. David Minnick had two hits and two runs and David Wenzel made the last out of the game on a hard hit ball to second base. Marty Vanamerongen collected four hits and pitched four strong innings for the Orioles. David Langford had a hit, a walk and scored a run and Adam Abraham pitched three strong innings and scored twice.

Dodgers 10, Red Sox 6

Brendan Butler pitched a five-hit complete-game victory. David Wenzel scored twice and made a double play to end the third inning. Ben Neeme reached base twice and played well in left field and Kevin Cotter scored two runs and made a good play at third in the sixth inning for the Dodgers. Charlie MacKinnon had three hits, including a double for the Red Sox, while Pier Deroo reached base three times and had a double and Chris Herrington pitched three strong innings and hit a double.



Jon Van Assche



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Dimitri Karabetsov

# Salvo '84 wins two more

The Grosse Pointe Soccer Association Salvo '84 under-11 travel team chalked up two more victories last week before dropping its season finale.

Ryan South scored two goals and assisted on another to lead the Salvo to a 6-4 victory over the Flint Artex. Chris McKeon, David Neveux, Jeff Roulo and Brad Van Sickle also tallied for Grosse Pointe, while Alex MacKenzie, Van Sickle, Max Marl and Trevor Schulte collected assists.

Van Sickle and McKeon were outstanding in the midfield, while strong forward play by Neveux and MacKenzie sparked the offense. Will Nixon and Jason Grunewald played well at fullback. The play of the game was Roulo's header off a post shot by South.

Roulo scored late in the game to give the Salvo a 2-1 victory over the Medina (Ohio) Rangers.

South also scored for Grosse Pointe, while McKeon and Van Sickle had assists.

Andy Lapish was outstanding in goal for the Salvo, while defenders Rob Rogers and Nixon stifled the Rangers' attack. Jeff Cann and Marl helped control the midfield. Schulte also played a good game at fullback.

The Salvo lost 4-2 in a rematch with the Artex in the final game of the season, despite a second-half rally that nearly erased a 3-0 deficit.

## Hornets stage their own holiday fireworks show

The Detroit Hornets spent most of the Fourth of July weekend in Wheeling, W.Va., but they didn't miss out on the holiday excitement.

The Hornets, a team of 17 and 18-year-old baseball players from Grosse Pointe North, Grosse Pointe South and University Liggett School, put on a show of late-inning fireworks that carried them to five victories in seven games at the Edgar Martin "Beast of the East" Classic.

Brandon Knope, Kevin and Cory Schroeder, Chris Copus and Greg Sieszputowski hit home runs and the Hornets won four of the five games in their last time at bat.

The only victory that wasn't decided in the final inning was the 4-1 win over Ashtabula, Ohio, in the tournament opener. Center fielder Dan Sylvester hit a two-run double in the second inning and Sieszputowski shut down the A's on three hits.

Grunewald tallied his first travel goal and Alex MacKenzie also scored for Grosse Pointe, while Lapish had two assists as the three had excellent games at forward.

Van Sickle and McKeon were strong at midfield. Gordie MacKenzie returned to the lineup after missing several games with an injury, and played well. Neveux also had a good game in goal.

The Salvo put forth a good effort, but wound up losing 3-0 to the Fraser Turbos. Forwards Gordie MacKenzie, Roulo and McKeon played well, along with goalie Lapish and fullbacks David Black, Grunewald and Schulte.

Roulo tallied twice in the Salvo's 6-1 victory over the Birmingham Burners.

Cann, Van Sickle, Nixon and Neveux also scored for Grosse Pointe, while Gordie MacKenzie, Marl, South and Lapish collected assists.

Forwards Neveux and Nixon, who scored his first travel goal, applied heavy pressure throughout the game. Marl, Cann, Van Sickle and Alex MacKenzie did a good job of passing, while South had a fine performance in his goaltending debut. Lapish played well in the field, Grunewald and Rogers did well on defense and Schulte and Gordie MacKenzie had excellent all-around performances.

A strong second half carried

the Fraser Crusaders to a 7-3 victory over the Salvo. The Salvo fell behind early 2-0, but tied the game at 2-2 by half-time behind the inspired play of forwards McKeon and South and midfielders Nixon and Marl.

South's goal early in the second half put the Salvo ahead, but the shorthanded Grosse Pointe team eventually ran out of gas. Rogers' strong kicks and clever footwork helped the Salvo's rally.

Marl and Van Sickle also scored for Grosse Pointe, while Nixon and Roulo had assists.

Roulo, Alex MacKenzie and Cann each collected a goal and an assist in the Salvo's 6-3 victory over the Carpathia Kickers.

Lapish, South and Van Sickle also tallied for Grosse Pointe, while Grunewald and McKeon had assists.

Black made several important saves in goal late in the contest to preserve the lead, while midfielders Cann, Lapish and South had fine all-around performances. Strong centering kicks by Roulo and Alex MacKenzie kept pressure on the Kickers' defense. Van Sickle scored on an unassisted corner kick, while the alert field play of Rogers and Neveux keyed the Salvo's offense and limited the Kickers' attack.

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# Employment

**298 HELP WANTED GENERAL**

**RESPONSIBLE** animal lover to house and pet sit at various times throughout the year including Christmas. 884-6459.

**WANTED** Part time drivers. Ideal for Retirees/ others. Grosse Pointe area. 810-395-9978.

**TEACHER:** Independent college preparatory school will consider resumes for the position of part time upper school science teacher for biology. Please send resume to: Carol Douglas, University Liggett School, 1045 Cook Rd., Grosse Pointe MI 48236.

**METRO** area private club is seeking enthusiastic, experienced fine dining servers with positive attitude. Full or part time. Please apply at: 788 Lake Shore Dr.

**CLEANING** Business looking for part time helper. Reliable transportation. 810-795-8717.

**PHYS ED/ COACH** 3 years minimum experience. Private elementary school. Resumes: Box K-200, Grosse Pointe News, 96 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236

**LIGHT** housekeeping, Mck/ Morris area. Need car, mileage paid. Flexible hours, no evenings or weekends. Benefits available. Calvary Center, 313-881-3374.

**NOW** hiring experienced Waitstaff, please apply in person after 2 p.m. The Hamlin Pub Downtown, 519 E. Jefferson, 313-861-6400.

**EVANGELICAL HOME** STERLING HEIGHTS is looking for professional and compassionate individuals who are interested in providing quality care to our elderly residents. Positions are available on all shifts, part time and full time for CENA's, L.P.N.'s and R.L.N.'s. Come join our team and experience competitive wage and benefit packages. Applications are taken Monday through Friday in our business office from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Contact Debbie Fischer or Pat Thompson at 810-247-4700 for further information. M/F/H/V. EOE.

**TEACHER'S** aide position available at an excellent cooperative nursery school. 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. 8 to 12 months experience in an early childhood setting required. Resume to: Memorial Nursery Inc., 18 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms, 48236.

**299 HELP WANTED GENERAL**

**STRONG** energetic (part time Summer) general helper for Grosse Pointe home Construction, painting, landscaping, etc. 313-881-8551.

**WAIT** staff & Kitchen help wanted, experience preferred. 881-8540.

**EASTSIDE** Engraving Co. needs very responsible person to shear & bevel legend plates. Full time. 372-0086.

**LANDSCAPE** Assistant. \$6/hour. Positions available now. 810-757-5360.

**TO** Buy or Sell Avon, I'll help you get started. Rose, 810-294-8151.

**MEAT** cutter, part time. Apply within. Alger Deli and Liquor, 17320 Mack, Grosse Pointe

**TEACHER** Montessori certified, 2 years experience preferred. Area private preschool. Send resume to: Box K-100, Grosse Pointe News, 96 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236

**COMPANION** to live with elderly woman. 7 Mile/ Kelly area. Room, board and wages. Send name & phone number to P.O. Box 98452, Troy, MI 48068.

**DISHWASHER** Antonio's Restaurant, Grosse Pointe Woods. 313-884-0253

**LAWN/ LANDSCAPE** immediate openings for workers. Talented, all phases. Drivers license required. Full time. 810-778-4055, 810-773-4684.

**SECURITY** Officers. Immediate openings. Over 18, benefits. Must have car, phone. Nights and weekends. Will train. Triad Protection Agency. 313-881-1200

**PART** time stock & sales clerk needed for busy gift shop located in Downtown office building. Hours: 12-5 Monday thru Friday. \$5.75 to start. No benefits. Experience helpful but will train right person. Call Sue 225-2984.

**EXPERIENCED** part time receptionist, evenings, for Grosse Pointe salon. 313-884-9393.

**THE SECOND CITY** Detroit comedy theatre needs positive, enthusiastic ticket office personnel. Flexibility is key. 313-865-2222

**MR. C'S DELI** No experience necessary. Cashiers, cooks, clerks, stock help. Must be 16. Starting pay based on experience. Apply at: Mr. C's Deli. 882-2592, ask for Tom.

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**Teacher** Middle school English. Private elementary school, 5 years experience, Master's Degree. Focus on literature, composition, grammar. Resumes: Box K-200, Grosse Pointe News, 96 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236

**AUTO** Repair Assistant, mornings, full time, Village Marathon, Kercheval at Cadieux, Grosse Pointe. See Phil.

**LANDSCAPING** Company looking for very dependable, experienced workers. Foreman position available. 313-885-3410

**NOW** hiring drivers, good wages. Apply in person at: 18619 Mack Ave., Grosse Pointe Woods.

**EXPERIENCED** landscaping foreman needed to run grass crew. Also lawn cutters and gardeners. Good pay. 882-3678 Drivers license needed.

**CUT** lawns, Mck/ Morris area. Need car, mileage paid, flexible hours to full time. Equipment provided. No weekends. 313-881-3374.

**DELIVERY** Technician wanted (full time) for a leading home medical equipment company. Must have a good driving record and be able to obtain a CDL with HAZ endorsement. Competitive wage & excellent benefit package. Eligible for sign-on bonus after probationary period. Please call 1-800-819-6338 between 2 & 6 p.m. Monday thru Friday. Detroit Oxygen, 24580 Forterra, Warren.

**FRONT** desk position available, 3 to 11 and 11 to 7 a.m. shifts. Also, waitress. Only dependable people needed. Apply at the Quality Inn, 32025 Van Dyke, north of 13 mile

**PIZZA** makers needed. Apply at: 15134 Mack, Mama Rosa's Pizzeria.

**PHOTO** Gift store associate wanted for permanent part/full time. Apply at Speedy Photo, 20229 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods

**HAIR** stylist to join Lucido's Hair Care staff. Ask for Joe or Sheila. 810-773-8044.

**BABYSITTER** for 2 boys 4 & 6 in my Grosse Pointe home. Light housekeeping included. Flexibility and own transportation. 313-881-0071.

**BABYSITTER** loving, reliable. Fun person to care for 1 & 3 year old in our home, 2 days per week, 7:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Light housekeeping, nonsmoker, reliable transportation. 313-588-7177.

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**BABYSITTER** needed for 3 month old. Nonsmoker, Monday-Friday. Your house or mine. Please call 886-1593.

**TEACHING** Opportunity in Foreign language & music. Call 821-1734 or 882-0254.

**ATTENTION:** Earn \$8-\$12 per hour guaranteed! Drivers and Pizzas Cooks, flexible hours, ideal for college students. Must have own car & insurance. King's Pizzeria Tom 810-375-5022.

**NAIL** Tech. Hiring Licensed/experienced. Nail Techs for busy Grosse Pointe Salon. All manicure/Pedicure services. Call for appointment/interview. 881-4500.

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**301 HELP WANTED GENERAL**

**CLEANING** Immediate openings at The Concorde Inn for housekeepers. Day shift. \$5.50/hour to start. Benefits. 810-968-0287

**DELIVERY** people needed. \$6-\$8 per hour. Apply in person after 4 p.m. Mama Rosa's Pizzeria, 15134 Mack.

**PRINCESS** House consultants wanted. Work own hours. Excellent pay. Win prizes & trips. Pam, 313-372-0120.

**SECRETARY.** One person office. Windows experience a must. Call William, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. 313-372-0086.

**GROSSE** Pointe cleaning service needs ambitious individuals seeking advancement, above average pay, who likes to clean. Will train, must have car. 886-2131.

**PHOTOGRAPHER** assistant/customer service associate wanted for permanent full time. Apply at Speedy Photo, 20229 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods

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**302 HELP WANTED CLERICAL**

**PART TIME ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT** Mature, professional and personable individual wanted for Building Company in Clinton Township. Must have typing skills. Strong organizational skills and be computer literate. Real Estate development experience preferred, but not necessary. Key office position, also

**professionalism, positive attitude and good people skills are important.** Send resume to: JAB-2, 19500 Hall Road, Suite 130, Clinton Twp. MI. 48038

**Administrative Support** Part time position requires excellent computer, clerical and organizational skills with knowledge of fund-raising software and postal/bulk mailing regulations a plus. Qualified applicant will also have a pleasant and outgoing personality, an eye for detail and a good memory. Send resume to Human Resources, Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms, 48236 or apply in person

**DATA ENTRY** Immediate opening for a data entry clerk with a bank in Royal Oak. Must be able to work afternoons. Up to \$6.50/hour to start. 810-988-0287

**CAREER POSITIONS AVAILABLE** Experienced people needed for long and short term assignments. Some are temporary to permanent

**Legal & Executive Secretaries** Word processors Data-Entry Clerks Receptionists 45 w.p.m. Pleasant Working atmosphere

**RUTH PARADISE TEMPS** 864-0840.

**ADMINISTRATIVE** assistant positions- Full/ part time, centrally located sales organization. Generous compensation package. Send resume to P.O. Box 80754 St. Clair Shores, MI 48080

**MEDICAL** assistant needed for busy family practice. 1-2 years experience. Computer literate. Part time to full time. Please send resume to: Pointe Family Physicians. Attn: Barb Joanna, 20175 Mack Ave., Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236

**DENTAL** Assistant- Experienced, part time to include Saturdays. St. Clair Shores office. 810-772-4500.

**REGISTERED** hygienist wanted for challenging, growing practice in the Fisher Bldg. Earn \$200 plus per day. Call Sheryl at 313-873-7475.

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**PART TIME** Receptionist for Medical office on Mack. Pleasant atmosphere, no billing or insurance forms. 810-778-2099.

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**304 HELP WANTED DOMESTIC**

**GROSSE** POINTE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY 885-4576

60 years reliable service. Needs experienced Cooks, Nannies, Maids, Housekeepers, Gardeners, Butlers, Couples, Nurse's Aides, Companions and Day Workers for private homes.

18514 Mack Avenue Grosse Pointe Farms

**LIVE** in help. 3-4 days per week, light housekeeping, other help employed. Experience necessary. Ten openings. 810-777-3831.

**DOMESTIC** help, private household seeking experienced individual to perform laundry duties 2 days a week. may also assist housekeeper, competitive wage. Interested candidates, please forward salary history, updated resume or letter of interest and references for verification to Attention: Domestic Help, P.O. Box 02208, Detroit, MI 48202. EOE.

**HOUSE** manager- Exclusive Bloomfield Hills residence. Supervise household staff. Housekeeper/ Laundry openings. Paid medical benefits. Call Dawn Robinson, 810-932-1170, Harper Associates, 29870 Middlebelt, Farmington Hills, MI 48334

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Swanson's Antique Gallery 11564 13 Mile Rd. at Hoover Warren.</p> <p><b>WE BUY OLD ORIENTAL RUGS &amp; Fine Antiques</b> We Pay More! • 800-641-1181</p> <p><b>AGE-OLD UTICA ANTIQUES MARKET</b> July 8-9 Sat. 7-6; Sun. 8-4 Hundreds of Dealers K C Grounds 21 Mile Rd. 1 mile east of VanDyke. \$4. 1-800-653-6466</p> <p><b>FURNITURE</b> refinished, repaired, stripped, any type of caring. Free estimates. 345-6258, 681-6520.</p> <p><b>MARINE CITY ANTIQUE WAREHOUSE</b> 105 N. Fairbanks (M-29) in Belle River Plaza Open 7 days, 10-5 (810)766-1118.</p>	<p><b>400 MERCHANDISE ANTIQUES</b></p> <p>TOWN Hall antiques of Downtown Romeo must be your next stop for the finest in quality antiques, selected collectibles and rarities. We have 50 of Michigan's finest antique dealers specializing in glassware, china, stained glass, jewelry, pottery, linens, furniture, tile, blue, along with the finest of primitives to be found anywhere. 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Pottery, glass and lots of cool stuff. Saturday, July 8th 9 to 5 1847 N. MAIN Royal Oak 1 block N. of 12 mile</p>	<p><b>300 MERCHANDISE ANTIQUES</b></p> <p><b>BASSETT</b> crib with mattress, changing table. Like new \$150. 884-8501</p> <p>72" inch FLEXSTEEL sofa. Cream background with floral pattern. 6 months old. \$400. 896-5178</p> <p><b>ANTIQUE</b> dining room furniture. Buffet, drop leaf table, 4 chairs. \$300. 886-1848 or 325-8242</p> <p><b>HENREDON</b> loveseat and lounge chair. Thomasville oak. King headboard. 810-296-9925</p> <p><b>RICARDO</b> oil paintings (3). The Village, The Spanish Girl &amp; The Knight. 810-775-6701.</p> <p><b>CAMEL</b> back love seat, needs reupholstering. \$400. Sealy Luxury Rest. queen size mattress &amp; box spring. \$250. Empire Wing Back Recliner. \$300. Best offers. 313-822-7334.</p> <p><b>ORNATE</b> Deco dresser with unusual mirror and chest of drawers. \$425 set. 882-3784.</p> <p><b>EARLY</b> American kitchen set. 4 chairs &amp; 2 captain chairs. 48" round table with 2 leaves. \$175. Patic set with cushioned chairs, glass table with umbrella. \$180. 810-755-0131 or 313-886-6382</p> <p><b>ESTATE GALLERIES</b> Mack at Bedford Right here in the Grosse Pointes. Featuring this week: (6) Mahogany dining room sets, \$1500-\$3850. Chippendale chairs, Chippendale chairs, sets of 6 or 8. Chinese styles and claw &amp; ball. Normally priced at \$600 each, now specially priced at \$300 each. All hand carved hand made quality. Mirrors, odd tables and much, much more. Tuesday-Saturday Noonish-6 P.M. 10 minutes from any Grosse Pointe area 885-6533</p> <p><b>SOFA</b> - green pleat, excellent. \$125 or best offer. 810-773-6179.</p> <p><b>SIX</b> piece La-Z-boy sectional. 1 year old. \$1600. Corner oak china cabinet. \$150. 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Air conditioner, collectibles, household, more. Friday, Saturday, 9-1. Everything 1/2 price noon Saturday. 1819 Newcastle (N. Moross' W. Mack).</p> <p><b>FREE</b> Garage Sale Kits Are Available When You Place A Garage Sale Ad In The Grosse Pointe News &amp; The Connection Newspapers. Kits are available at: Grosse Pointe News, 96 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms. New Horizon Book Shop, Little Mack &amp; 13 Mile Rd. Seven Eleven, Jefferson north of 10 Mile Rd. JULY 8, 9-2. Lakeshore YMCA gym, 23401 E. Jefferson, St. Clair Shores. Children's &amp; adult clothing, toys. <b>GARAGE</b> Sale, July 7, 332 McMillan, 10-3. Toys, girl's clothes, miscellaneous. Free piano, bring Uhaul. <b>MOVING</b> Sale. Everything must go! 1019 Somerset, Grosse Pointe Park, 1st block off Jefferson. Saturday July 8th only. 9-6. Woman's professional &amp; casual clothing. Purse, furniture. Baby items (toys, clothing, 2 high chairs, changing table, swing, bassinet, crib mattress) More!!!</p> <p><b>SEVERAL</b> homes on Meach, east of Ryan south of 11, Warren. July 6th-9th, 9-6. Kids bikes, ski equipment and clothes, oak server, walnut china cabinet, baby furniture and clothes, children's clothes 8-14, women's designer clothes sizes 5-14, mens large, everything must go!</p> <p><b>MEGA</b> Sale. Assorted household goods, kid's stuff, clothes. July 7, 8, 10-4. 24001 Harvard Shore, St. Clair Shores.</p>	<p><b>400 GARAGE YARD - BASEMENT SALES</b></p> <p><b>GARAGE</b> sale. Window air conditioner, gas oven, adult &amp; children's clothes, toys, household items and much more. Friday, July 7th 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, July 8th 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 20675 Kingsville, Harper Woods.</p> <p><b>BLOCK</b> Sale. Saturday, July 8th, 8:30-3:30. Berden (between Moross &amp; Kingsville).</p> <p><b>GARAGE</b> Sale! 19763 Rockwood. Lot's of everything. Thursday, Saturday 9-5.</p> <p><b>HUGE</b> Two Family Sale-16242 Rossini. Lot's of everything. Thursday-Saturday 9-5.</p> <p><b>MULTI-</b> Family garage sale. Thursday, Friday, 9-5. 18731 Woodland, Harper Woods (east of Kelly, 9 blocks south of Moross).</p> <p><b>TWO</b> family garage sale! July 8, 9, 10-5. 626 Higbie Place, off Morningdale.</p> <p><b>GARAGE</b> Sale. Friday, Saturday, 10-5. 1271 Hampton, Grosse Pointe Woods. Furniture, clothing, toys, linens. Lionel train engine. Many misc. items.</p> <p><b>GARAGE</b> Sale. 1573 Hollywood, Friday &amp; Saturday 9 to 3. Household items, toys, clothes.</p> <p><b>YARD</b> sale. Saturday, 10-2. Clothing, miscellaneous. 656 Hawthorne.</p> <p><b>ESTATE</b> Sale. Furniture, lamps, pictures, decorative accessories, household items, doormat cover, computer, lots of miscellaneous. Friday &amp; Saturday, 9-3. 19988 Holiday.</p> <p><b>GARAGE</b> Sale July 7th &amp; 8th, 9-4. Bassett oak sleigh crib with mattress, nursery items, country furniture, crafts, linens, clothes, small appliances, misc. 23007 Courtland West/Kelly, North 9 Mile, Eastpointe.</p> <p><b>AN</b> amazing multiple family sale. Items include oil painting, jewelry, exercise and sporting equipment, baby furniture and clothes, collectibles and 1940s items. A not to be missed sale! Thursday, Friday &amp; Saturday, 10-4. 22812 Alger, St. Clair Shores, east of Mack, south of 9 Mile.</p> <p><b>781</b> Fisher at Goetz. July 7th, 9-noon. TOYS, crib, car seat, maternity clothes, boys clothes and miscellaneous household items.</p> <p><b>MOVING</b> sale. Saturday, Sunday, 9-5. 207 Chaltona. Corner of Moran, dresser, child's desk, bikes, clothes, much more.</p>	<p><b>400 GARAGE YARD - BASEMENT SALES</b></p> <p><b>YARD</b> Sale. Friday, July 7th. Saturday July 8th, 8-4. 22219 Ardmore Park Dr., St. Clair Shores (between Greater Mack, Jefferson, south of 11). Baby items, miscellaneous.</p> <p><b>MOVING</b> Sale! Saturday, July 8, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Furniture, lamps, area rugs, paintings, accessories, clothes. Everything in excellent condition. 406 Mt. Vernon, Grosse Pointe Farms.</p> <p><b>SOLD</b> Cottage lot's of goodies. Thursday-Friday, 22230 GrossePointe, St. Clair Shores (between 12-13 Mile Harper).</p> <p><b>GARAGE</b> Sale 10-3 Saturday. Misc. Ceramic molds and bisque. Some furniture. Queen soft-sided waterbed. \$200. 30 gallon hex tank with stand. \$75. 12 piece place settings. \$150. 21184 Country Club.</p> <p><b>REMODELING</b> sale. Lots of goodies including items from estate sales, dishes, lamps, pictures, air conditioner chairs, much more! 1405 Cadieux, Grosse Pointe, Friday &amp; Saturday, July 7th &amp; 8th.</p> <p><b>TWO</b> Family Garage Sale. July 8th, 10-4. 2163 Allard.</p> <p><b>YARD</b> sale-17512 Charles, off Riverd, between St. Paul and Maumee. Baby Grand piano, waterbed, some furniture and much more! Friday, 9 to 4.</p> <p><b>SELLING</b> baby, girl and adult clothes, toys and miscellaneous items. 19315 Woodland, Harper Woods. Friday &amp; Saturday, July 7 &amp; 8, 9-3.</p> <p><b>GARAGE</b> Sale. Corner house of Chertwood/Hampton (1467 Hampton). Friday, Saturday 9-3. Baseball cards, baby items.</p> <p><b>HUGE</b> Moving Sale! Furniture, plants, brick tracks. July 7, 8, 9-4. 22085 Vianaw, St. Clair Shores, off Harper, 1 block south of 12 Mile.</p> <p><b>BIG</b> sale. 3 family, July 8th, 21728 Cedar, 1 block South of 11 Mile, 1 block East of Harper.</p>	<p><b>400 GARAGE YARD - BASEMENT SALES</b></p> <p><b>GARAGE</b> Sale. Saturday, 10-5. 387 Mt. Vernon, Grosse Pointe Farms. Furniture, lamps, toys, microwave, books, household, clothes &amp; more.</p> <p><b>FRIDAY &amp; Saturday</b>, 9-4. 1642 Arva, Aditt's kid's clothes. Boys 12M-3, girls 4-8. Furniture, toys. Ties car, complete Ghoebusters set, mesa, cutting basic saw.</p> <p><b>SUMMER</b> Clearing Sale. Scuba equipment. Under water camera. Framed art &amp; art books. Kitchenware, electric grill, Pasta maker, collectibles. Miniature houses. Sheet music. 32 1/8 Classical records. 12 piece set Crown Ducal china. 1318 Nottingham. Saturday July 8th 9-5.</p> <p><b>FOUR</b> Family Garage Moving Sale! 1915 Stanhope, Mack between 7 &amp; 8 Mile. Friday thru Sunday, 9-5.</p> <p><b>MOVING</b> Sale. Saturday &amp; Sunday, 9-5. 207 Chaltona. Corner of Moran, dresser, child's desk. Bikes. Clothes, much more.</p> <p><b>MOVING</b> Quality clothing, houseware, children items, bicycles, furniture, books, complete storm door, much more! 21111 Fleetwood, Harper Woods, off Mack. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 8-5.</p> <p><b>GARAGE</b> Sale. 1452 Bishop, corner Mack/Bishop. Saturday only, 9 a.m.</p> <p><b>MOVING</b> Sale. A lot of everything. Furniture, rowing machine, clothes, toys and much more! Saturday 8-2, 20740 Marter, Grosse Pointe Woods.</p> <p><b>MOVING</b> sale. Saturday, July 8th, 9-4. 1091 S. Fenwick. Kitchen set, exercise equipment, bikes, etc.</p>	<p><b>400 GARAGE YARD - BASEMENT SALES</b></p> <p><b>OUT</b> Door. Free Market. Saturday 10 to 6. 6141 Van Dyke between St. Paul &amp; Kercheval. Apartment Dwellers. Unload those stored boxes!! Call 824-0687 to book table.</p> <p>861 Trombley, Grosse Pointe Park. Saturday, July 8th, 9-4. Rain date Sunday.</p> <p><b>COMPUTER</b> equipment, bicycles, housewares, appliances, clothing, exercise equipment, lots more. 594 Rivard, Saturday 9-2.</p> <p><b>FURNITURE</b>, antiques, Little Tikes, movie posters and much more. 1161 Paget Ct. (off Fairholme) Friday 9-5, Saturday 9-1.</p> <p><b>GARAGE</b> Sale. 7th, 8th, 10-2. Kids toys, Little Tikes, misc. 26319 Ursuline.</p> <p><b>DIAMOND</b> engagement ring 1/3 ct. &amp; wedding band 1/4 ct. Appraised \$1,100. set \$375. 810-691-1331</p> <p><b>BRUFFY</b> or <b>HOPPY</b>. Buy 1 get 2nd 50% off. Cooperstown Bears &amp; Lee Middleton dolls. 20% off. Must present ad for savings. 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— Nancy Velek  
Office Manager

computers and are able to access the Multiple Listing Service, an information source listing all homes on the market in this part of southeastern Michigan," she said. "We also use computers to maintain customer and client data bases.

"We produce our own marketing pieces for our listings.

"And we can provide information for our clients about financing options and the funds required to purchase a given property.

"We also work closely with

Americor Mortgage Co. and can actually originate a loan and get approval for a client within a half hour."

Coldwell Banker Schweitzer also offers a free monthly buyer's guide, a magazine that includes all its listings in the metropolitan Detroit area.



Nancy Velek

Many real estate sales associates in the Hill office specialize in certain kinds of properties, Velek said. Sally Coe and Peggy Delozier, for instance, are experienced sales associates who work with buyers and sellers of higher priced homes.

Ann Porter, who has been with the company for only two years, concentrates on homes in East English Village.

"We even have a mother-daughter combination — Delores and Perina Zamboni — in our office," Velek said.

"Grant Homuth, one of the newest members of the group, already has had three transactions in his first six weeks here," she added.

Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate has the highest percentage of single family homes currently available among members of the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors, Velek added with pride.

"And our company participated in 34 percent of all closed transactions within the Grosse Pointe Board in 1994. We like to let our work speak for itself."

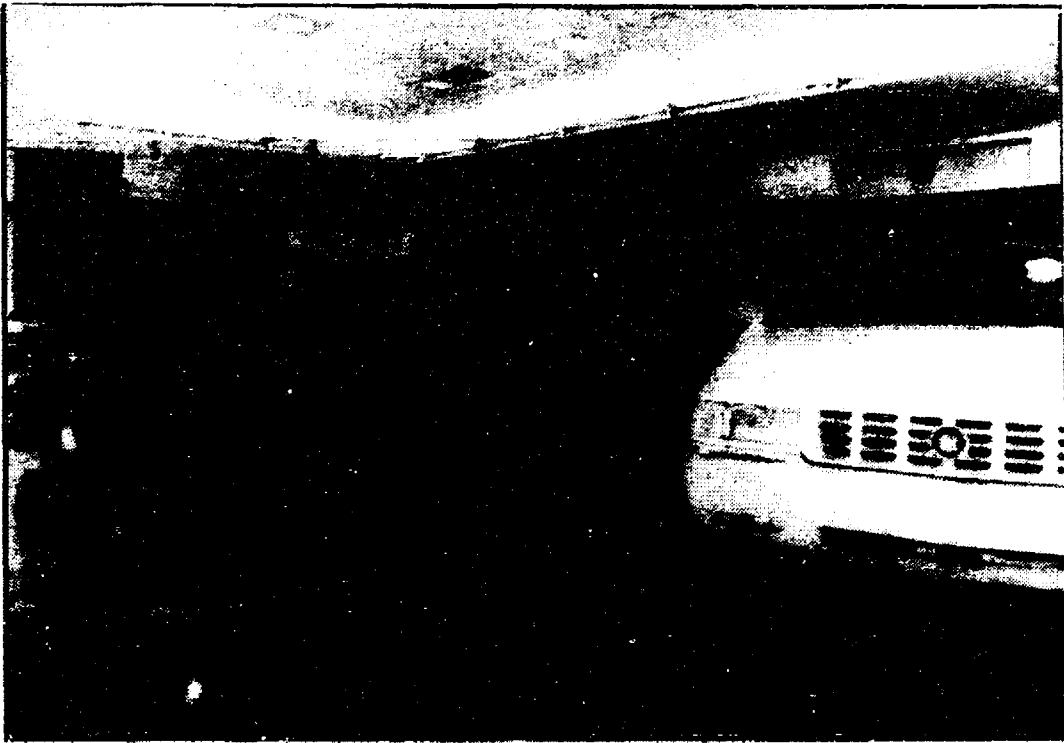
# Rinke Cadillac: Always a higher standard

When it comes to purchasing a new car, we often feel uncomfortable, even intimidated, by the entire negotiation process. Sales people seem to have complete control of the sale. Unless, of course, you shop for your next car at Rinke Cadillac.

Rinke Cadillac, located on 11 Mile Road in Warren, has been helping customers purchase their new cars for over twenty years. A highly trained team of sales professionals work with

When you do need to bring your car in for service, you will be genuinely surprised at the service you receive.

Picking up your car is much quicker and easier. We have a designated area where the car is parked, cleaned and ready to be picked up. All paperwork is done in advance, says General Sales Manager, Paul Rinke. Mr. Rinke is quite proud that customers can appreciate how they, and their cars, are treated when they



the customer, and for the customer, in their new car purchase. Working as advisors, they truly listen to the customer, and help them determine the best vehicle for their needs. They also make the customer feel comfortable and confident to achieve a sales price they can be happy with.

Rinke Cadillac's newly remodelled showroom reflects their belief that the customer needs to feel relaxed in a more open atmosphere. More sleek, open and elegant, you are immediately welcomed into their showroom and sales offices, where you can feel comfortable, not controlled. And continuing with the Cadillac tradition, their showroom reflects how at Cadillac, a higher standard never ends.

A newly designed service area has also been created for the convenience of their customers. More centralized, the service advisor, rental office, parts and cashier are now in one area, separated from drive through distractions. A new downdraft paint system has been put into place in their body shop, enabling technicians to better match and produce your cars original true color. This system is also more environmentally friendly, in that less paint and paint fumes are released into the atmosphere.


come in for service. We give value added service, going beyond what is expected. We always want to give something more than what the consumer expects.

*“Picking up your car is much quicker and easier.”*

— Paul Rinke  
General Sales Manager


Rinke Cadillac consists of a team of professionals who make up several departments working together as one. Every customer receives outstanding service from every department, because at Rinke Cadillac, complete customer satisfaction is paramount.

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## Steve Hagopian & Co. was Michigan pioneer in truck-mounted carpet cleaning technology

Steve Hagopian of Steve Hagopian & Co. in Southfield has been in the carpet cleaning business for 50 years.

"Dogs and cats are our best friends," Hagopian said, with a smile. "They keep us in business."

Hagopian's company provides expert rug and carpet cleaning and specializes in stain removal, repairs, re-weaving and binding. It also serves both residential and commercial clients.

"We were the first company to use truck-mounted carpet cleaning equipment in Michigan," he said. "These machines are more powerful and more effective because they run off a gas-driven engine."

Hagopian remembers that his company solved an unusual carpet problem in Grosse Pointe about 10 years ago.

"The family was ready to put their house up for sale. Unfortunately, the dog stained the carpet — right in the middle of the living room floor," he

said. "The person they hired to fix it removed a section of carpet and put a new piece of the same carpet in the hole. Unfortunately, the old portion had faded, but the new piece was still bright. "The room looked like it had a trap door in its center. We ended up dyeing the old carpet to match the patch."

Hagopian earned a bachelor's degree in chemistry from the University of Michigan and is a member of the advisory board to the National Institute of Rug Cleaners. He uses his chemistry background and the recommendations of the institute to find techniques for solving carpet problems and removing unusual or difficult stains.

Steve Hagopian & Co., 21421 Hilltop Street in Southfield, was named the best Detroit carpet cleaning company by Detroit Monthly Magazine in 1986.

"It's nine years later and we're even better now," Hagopian said.

## Lisa's, a specialty clothing store, catering to larger size women

As fashions come in all different styles and varieties, so do women. All women can feel beautiful wearing the right clothes and the right attitude.

Located on Mack Avenue in Grosse Pointe Woods, Lisa's is a specialty clothing store that caters to the large size woman, offering upper to better quality clothing and the most up-to-date fashions for the woman sized 14 to 26.

Today's fashions for the large size woman can truly bring out the beauty of the woman wearing them. Beautiful fabrics, like silk and rayon blends, cool linens, beautiful wools and chalais, are available in exquisite jewel tones, such as amber, emerald, ruby and sapphire. From basic sportswear to career wear, and evening dresses for cocktail or mother of the bride/groom, Lisa's carries a selection of fashions that is unparalleled. Also, back by popular demand, night gowns and robes for the holidays will be in stock.

For the past nine years, Lisa has coordinated a collection of beautiful fashions in fabrics, styles, and colors that compliment any woman. She knows well the fashion industry and

has brought together apparel that truly captures the essence of the woman who wears them. Purchasing items throughout New York and Chicago, Lisa also provides specialized buying for the customers looking for something special, and works diligently to help find it.

Customers appreciate the service they receive at Lisa's, whose staff of larger size women are very knowledgeable and can benefit their customers with expertise in choosing the right fit for women of different shapes and sizes. They also provide assistance in selecting the right accessories, hosiery, etc., as well as offering advice on hair and make up. Lisa and her staff believe that fashion may be beautiful, but the woman must feel beautiful in them in order to make a fashion statement.

Lisa's is sponsoring their annual fashion show on Wednesday, September 13th, at the Assumption Cultural Center on Marter Road in St. Clair Shores.

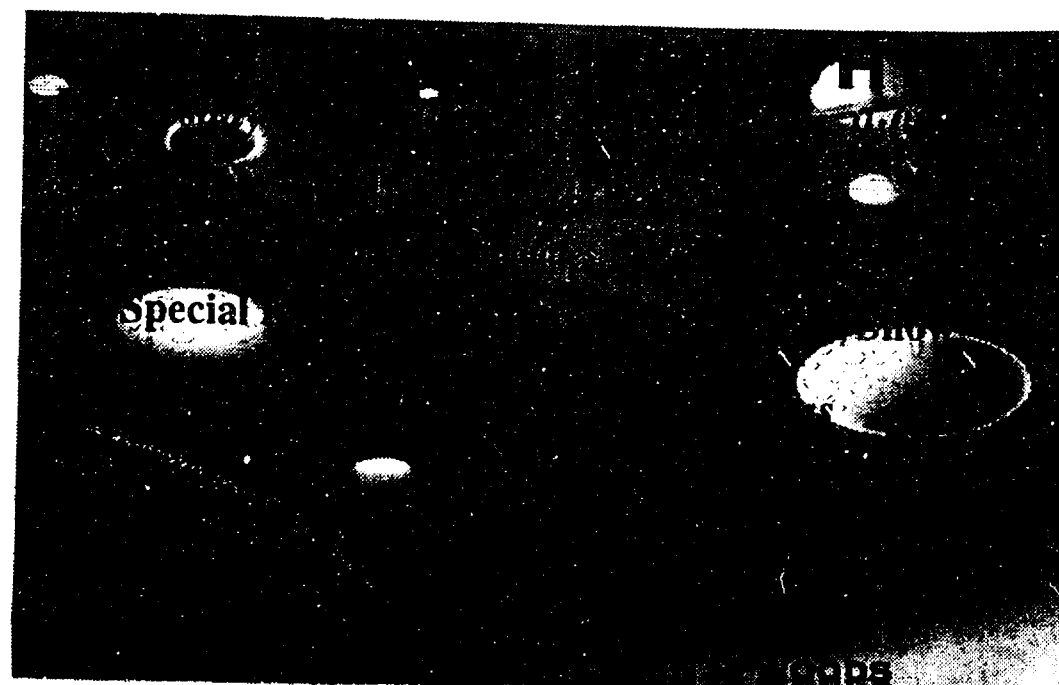
With a celestial theme, it promises to be a very starry evening. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. beginning with special events. Dinner takes place at 6:30 p.m. with a fashion show of beautiful suits, career looks, fun activewear, dresses, and elegant evening gowns to follow.

This year Lisa has invited LaStrega Boutique and Colosseum International hair Design to join her in this annual event.

The cost of the tickets are \$25.00 with a portion to benefit a chosen charity. Reservations are needed and can be made by calling the store at (313) 882-3130.

Lisa's Ltd. is located at 19583 Mack Avenue in Grosse Pointe Woods. Hours are Mon. through Wed. 10 to 5:30, Thurs. and Fri. until 6:00 and Sat. 10 to 5 p.m.

*Lisa and her staff believe that fashion may be beautiful, but the woman must feel beautiful in them to make a fashion statement.*





# Pecar Electronics makes air waves

Stand back and make room for Pecar Electronics.

The 50-year-old eastside company's new division, Message Center Wireless Communication, was voted to the Future 50 as one of Detroit's most successful emerging firms by the Greater Detroit Chamber of Commerce in 1994, thanks to the combined efforts of new and old technology.

General manager and marketing director Kathleen C. Pecar helped make their new business Message Center Wireless Communications, a booming success.

"We are forever looking into opportunities for growth," Pecar said. "Five years ago we saw the need to go in a new direction, and Message Center Wireless Communications was a natural expansion of Pecar Electronics."

Pecar, who resides in the Pointe's, oversees the five Message Center stores located in Troy, St. Clair Shores and Mount Clemens.

Owners Tony and Margaret Fallone, live in the area and have helped make the business one of the top competitors in Michigan.

Message Center Wireless Communications specializes in all wireless products, specifically cellular telephones and paging equipment.

"Pecar Electronics and Message Center Wireless Communications is the same business, but specializing in different aspects of communications," Pecar said.

Pecar Electronics has become one of Michigan's premier businesses which zeroes in on the ultimate television experience — home theatre centers.

Pecar said customers frequent Pecar Electronics because the quality

of the equipment is excellent and the staff is knowledgeable about the merchandise.

"The Fords have come here on and off over the year," said Randy Blanchard, general manager of the Troy store. "Our customers come from as far away as Florida and Chicago to purchase electronics."

Pecar Electronics is a gold mine for audio and video enthusiasts. Blanchard recalls some of Motown's legends like Stevie Wonder and Barrett Strong, Jr., purchasing electronics from Pecar Electronics.

Each store is equipped with theatre sound rooms, which are set up for customers to experience different types of surround sound equipment.

The salespeople are careful to follow Pecar Electronics founder Allen Pecar's motto: Tell them what they are about to hear; let them hear it; and then, tell them what they heard.

Customers have a large market of brand names to choose from like, Boston Acoustics, Yamaha, Sony and McIntosh, as well as Denon, Paradigm and Definitive Technology.

"We have a healthy stock of merchandise for our customers to pick and choose from," Pecar said.

Pecar is comfortable with the old and new aspects of Pecar Electronics and Message Center Wireless Communications. She leans on her degree in communications to help her deal with the complex world of electronics.

"Wireless communications not only includes cellular telephones and pagers, but lap top connectivity and any communication without wires," Pecar added.

All of the Pecar divisions offer



Back row, l to r: Tony and Margaret Pecar-Fallone, owners; Bob Bazzy; Sean Delaney; Jason Nurmi; Mark Gleseking. Front row, l to r: Marie Daniels; Kathleen C. Pecar; Joel Hazard; Beth Rorah; Henry Fallone

expert, in-house repair services. Larger pieces of equipment can be picked up and delivered to a customer's house for a service fee. Repair time is generally three days to two weeks.

One last aspect of Pecar Electronic and Message Center Wireless Communications is their dedication to the Grosse Pointes and surrounding communities.

While Pecar Electronics can be seen at Detroit area trade shows, community festivals and car and boat shows, Pecar feels their involvement in community services has helped the company.

Finally, earlier this year the Pecar company received the Franklin Award (sponsored by Franklin Bank) for a "family business which has contributed to the community."

"We're always looking to determine the needs of our customers and then apply solutions to meet those needs," Pecar concluded.

For information, call Pecar Electronics' Detroit store at (313) 371-3460 or the Troy store at (810) 528-2710. To be directed to any Message Center location, dial 1-800-YOUR-CALL.

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# Terrence K. Carmichael Photography Inc.

*Photographer's specialty is portraits, family groups*

Unless the work of Grosse Pointe photographer Terry Carmichael is examined closely, his portraits and photographs of family groups might be mistaken for well-crafted heirloom oil paintings.

Mr. Carmichael uses what he calls a "Renaissance" technique. First, he places his subjects in classic poses and uses soft, natural lighting.

He then retouches portions of the photograph to soften highlights and those sometimes unexpected flaws.

The finished portraits are printed on canvas, lacquered, mounted and framed. The result is a lifetime guaranteed portrait.

Mr. Carmichael has a degree from Brooks Institute of Photography in California. There he started his first portrait studio in San Jose.

Terrence is a native of Grosse Pointe and returned to the Grosse Pointe area in 1977, where he has continued his Renaissance-style for 25 years.

Three years ago he moved from Grosse Pointe park to his current studio at 20725 Mack Ave. in Grosse Pointe Woods, near the intersection of Vernier and Mack.

With the move, he has added a new photographic trick called computer imaging.

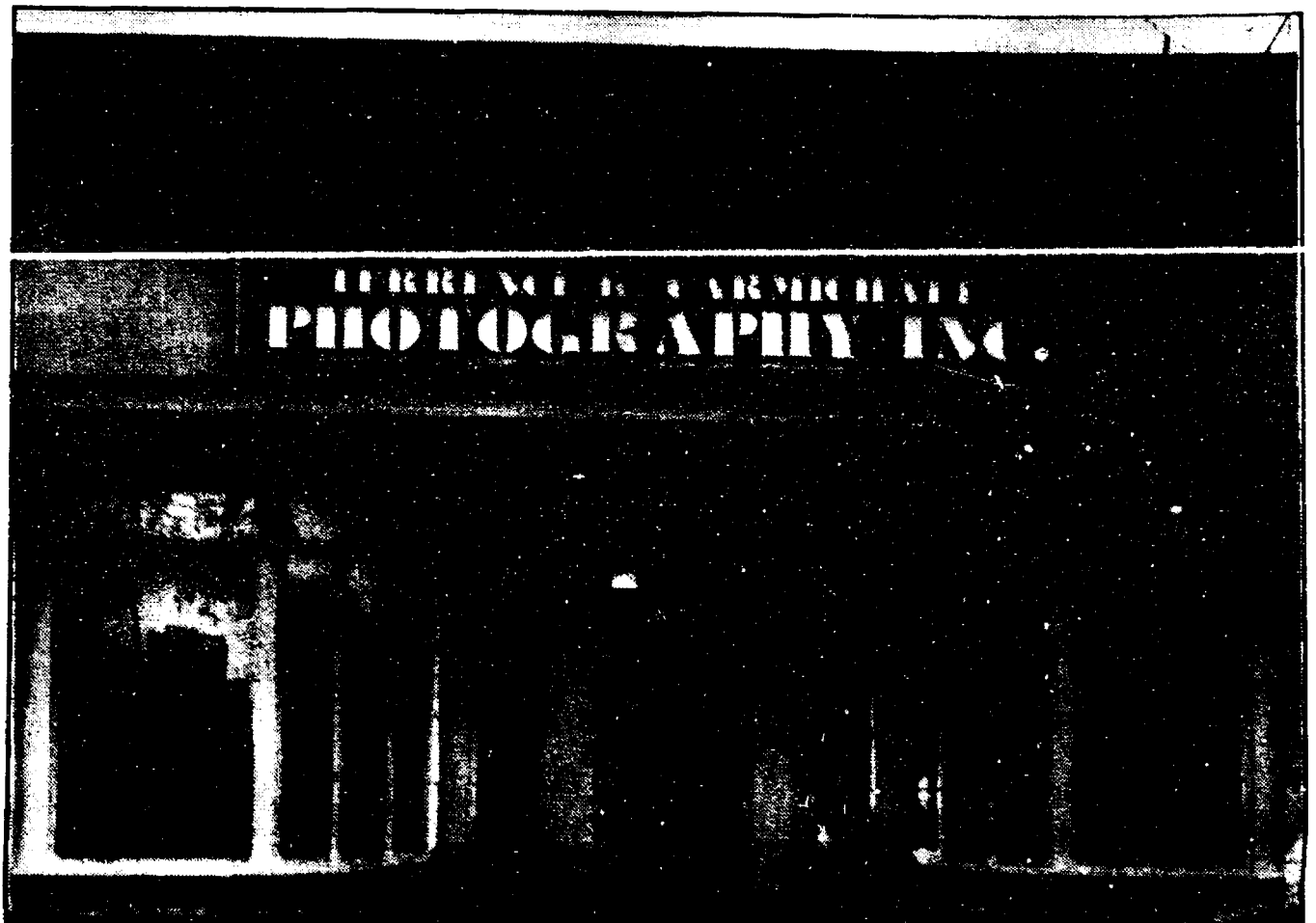
"Through the use of computer imaging, we can now change backgrounds, change poses, even move a subject's head to a different body pose," he said. "We can put the subject anywhere we want — change the background to whatever seems appropriate."

Besides doing computer imaging, Mr. Carmichael also offers restorations of old photographs. He can repair a priceless portrait that has tears and stains and restore it to its original form.

Mr. Carmichael enjoys photographing business executives, children, engaged couples, seniors, commercial products and weddings. His specialty, however, is family portraits, either on location at a home or a park or even in his studio.

He can still capture that Renaissance style that makes him number one to his clients.

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# Got the picture? Your next stop should be The Great Frame Up.

The Great Frame Up gives customers a choice.

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"Framing it themselves is not quite accurate," said owner Tom Recht. "We offer a do-it-yourself option, not do-it-by-yourself. Our experienced assistants do the actual cutting of all materials and oversee the assembly of the frame. The customer gets help every step of the way. Just like our



Manager Anne Hackathorn (l) assists Designer Gwen Owen in picking out just the right moulding and mats for her client at the shop's Frame Up exclusive.

logo says, we're 'your partner in framing,' whether you put everything together or we do.

"People get a kick out of this, and the shop in general," he said. "We make it fun for them. We have a 16-foot long magnet board, a Great Frame Up exclusive, so they can 'hang' their art pieces up, mix and

match different mats and mouldings, then step back to get a better picture - pun intended - of how the final product will look."

Recht praised his young staff of eight. They're vibrant and they're all talented, he said. They have an eye for color and design. Some are still studying art; some are teachers; others are artists themselves.

"They all enjoy working with people and I think this shows. They have fun, too, but they take their work seriously.

"They understand that you can't have value without quality. And they appreciate that if that element were absent from their efforts, we wouldn't be able to guarantee the consumer's satisfaction with all our goods and services as we do."

"Our customers save money because we purchase moulding in length, then cut it to size," said Anne Hackathorn, general manager. "Nothing in our store is in kit form. Everything is cut to size and made to order. Assembling the frame themselves saves customers the labor charge," she said. "Depending on the size of the frame, a person could save up to 25 percent."

Recht said The Great Frame Up is especially adept at needleart stretching, shadowbox construction and preservation framing for all types of art, including cartoon cels. It's also a gallery and sells art posters, photographs, prints and the original work of local artists. It takes trade-ins — customers can get 15 percent off a new frame if they turn in an old one. And it's happy to give estimates.

"The Great Frame Up is a place Recht said.

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The Great Frame Up, a member of the Professional Picture Framers

Association, is located at 20655 Mack, near Vernier in Grosse Pointe Woods. Hours are Mondays and Wednesdays, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Fridays, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Assisting Recht and Hackathorn are

Design Associates Therese Lagrou, Kerri Volis, Debbie Graffius, Rebecca Kinnee and Meegan Connolly; and Expert Technicians Matt Baka and Dave Keuten.

For more information, call (313) 884-0140.



Design Associates Rebecca Kinnee (l) and Meegan Connolly (r) and Expert Technician Dave Keuten hard at work in front of some of The Great Frame Up's gallery of moderately-priced framed art.

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## Riverside Kitchen & Bath: A family-owned business known for customer service, quality

Gene Pindzia, founder and president of Riverside Kitchen & Bath, 20956 Mack Avenue in Grosse Pointe Woods, firmly believes that customer service is key to creating outstanding remodeling projects, regardless of the size of the project. "We treat our customers as the most important part of our business because they are!" he said. "Every effort goes into making the homeowner comfortable with the remodeling process. We go the extra mile to ensure their complete satisfaction with the finished project."

Pindzia has nearly two decades of experience and specializes in residential remodeling. He is a licensed contractor and is an active member of the National Kitchen & Bath Association (NKBA), National Association of the Remodeling Industry (NARI), Michigan Remodeling Association (MRA), Metro East Chamber of Commerce (MECC), and the Better Business Bureau (BBB). Pindzia feels that "it is critical to stay informed and educated on the latest innovations, trends, and legislations occurring in the remodeling industry. If I'm informed, I can then provide my

customers with the best quality products available."

Riverside Kitchen & Bath is a family owned business with Pindzia, his daughter Deborah, and brother Allan making up part of the company's experienced team of remodeling professionals. "We have all made the commitment to provide the best for our customers," Pindzia says. "One of the ways we accomplish this is by employing only licensed professionals who are also committed to the quality we expect."

Riverside offers complete custom design and remodeling services for the entire home. Customers can choose from the finest cabinetry available, including Quality Custom Cabinetry, Fieldstone, and LaFata. Riverside is also an authorized DuPont Corian dealer.

Two examples of Riverside Kitchen & Bath's work will be shown at the Cottage Hospital Auxiliary's fall kitchen tour.

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"Our society places great importance on appearance, especially for women," said Therese Benson, one of the owners of Alternative F/X, the first Michigan salon to cater to women with hair loss. "Women's hair loss is less socially acceptable than men's. And for many women, wigs or expensive and uncertain drug applications are not a desirable solution."

Alternative F/X, 26717 Little Mack in St. Clair Shores (in The Victoria Place), uses the LeMetric System to

replace lost hair. The non-surgical, non-chemical addition of 100 percent real human hair doesn't damage clients' existing hair, Benson said. Each client's hair system is custom designed and usually can be installed in 3 to 6 hours.

Benson has suffered from female pattern baldness since her early 20s, so she sympathizes first-hand with her clients.

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## Masters of marketing

### Two great old real estate families merge

A marriage made in heaven? Well... just about! So say the 40 Johnstone & Johnstone realtors who greeted this merger at Grosse Pointe's oldest real estate company earlier this year.

"The merger of Johnstone & Johnstone (J & J) with Real Estate One was a natural one," said Paris DiSanto, former sole owner of J & J. "Our companies have both played leadership roles in Michigan and national real estate for a long time."

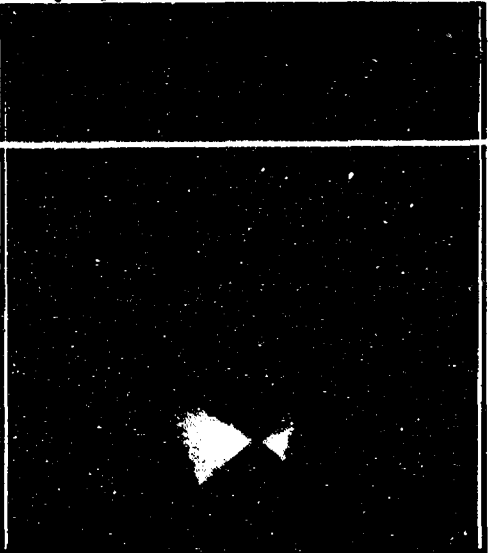


Paris DiSanto

J & J, founded in 1919 and Elsea Realty and Investment Company (as it was then known) in 1929, together provide the public with over 140 years of successful service.

"Buying and selling residential real estate has become much more sophisticated and, in some cases, more complicated in the last few years," DiSanto said.

"Mr. Real Estate", as DiSanto is often called in Grosse Pointe real estate circles, is a 40 plus year veteran of the profession. There is hardly a house or building in Grosse Pointe that he doesn't know about — from its last sale to who occupied it 45 years ago! This depth of knowledge of our community and its growth, is unparalleled in the area. It is also knowledge that he has been able to share with all his agents at J & J. These agents, most of whom have been trained by DiSanto, have long and successful careers with the company.



Dan Elsea

When Richard Elsea, President and CEO of Real Estate One, an old and trusted friend of J & J's, and DiSanto decided that their companies should join forces, the decision was based on shared goals and their many similarities. Both companies are family owned and both have been dominant in their market areas. However, more

important perhaps, was a shared philosophy and even similar slogans. J & J has emphasized "A Tradition of Trust and Service" while Real Estate One's national theme has been: "Every Day, We Earn America's Trust".

"The future has never looked brighter", says DiSanto. "Real Estate One is the number one company in Michigan with over 30 offices in the metropolitan area alone. The attentive and professional service long associated with our company and our agents is now strengthened beyond anything we could have imagined."

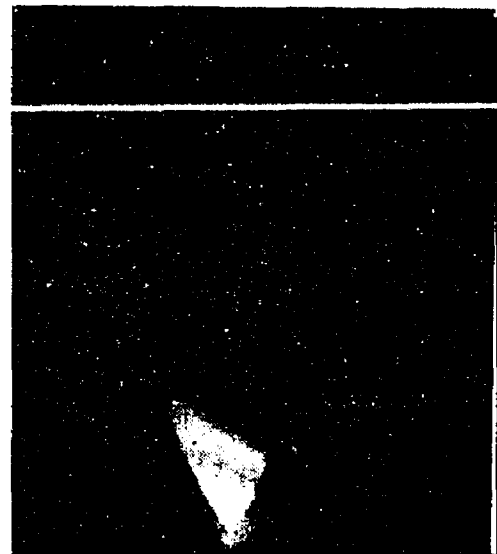


Richard Elsea

Real Estate One has a full service relocation corporation, Relocation America, that enables J & J to be the only broker in the metro area with their own third party relocation company.

"Our clients list includes exclusive contracts with over 100 local, national and international companies," DiSanto explained, "We can take care of our clients anywhere in Michigan or the world now as never before and certainly better than anyone in our market area."

This factor, together with Real Estate One's emphasis on superior training, the finest technological systems and the largest advertising budget of any real estate company in the state, places J & J to great advantage in being able to give their clients superior service.



Stuart Elsea

As the third generation of Elsea's, sons Dan and Stuart assume leadership roles in the company, Johnstone & Johnstone is looking forward to completion of its first century of service. With their dynamic and innovative ideas the future looks brighter than ever.

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## Woods Optical Studios offers complete eye care

Woods Optical Studios, 19599 Mack in Grosse Pointe Woods, is committed to complete vision care for its customers.

"We hope people come to see us when they want the best possible care," said Tim Wylie, vice president. "We help people understand the changes in their prescriptions, for instance. We don't just sell glasses. We understand the vision needs of our customers."

Woods Optical Studios opened its third office in February. The new facility, 79 W. Long Lake Road in Bloomfield Hills is near the Kingsley Inn. Another office has been located in the Beaumont Medical Building, 6900 Orchard Lake Road in West Bloomfield, since May 1991.

"Many customers live in Grosse Pointe but work on the west side," said John Wylie, president and manager of the Grosse Pointe location, "or live on the west side but work in Grosse Pointe. Having more than one office makes it more convenient for them."

Robert R. Feldman, doctor of optometry, is on staff at Woods Optical.

"We also offer eye examinations and we fit eyeglasses and contact lenses," Wylie said. "And we fit special products such as Varilux progressive lenses, Transitions, reflection-free lenses, thin and light lenses, ultra-violet protection, computer glasses and special glasses for sports, golf and various occupations."

"We don't have sales clerks who want to sell you the optical product 'du jour,'" Wylie said. "Instead, we have highly skilled, certified opticians who know the proper procedure for fitting eyeglasses."

And Woods Optical's laboratory is on the premises. The process of putting lenses and frames together is completed on-site.

"This finishing process means we have better quality control," Wylie said.

Cataract patients are special, he added.

"We order their lenses, which take a day or two to arrive. Then we call the patient, make an appointment. We fit their lenses while they wait."

Woods Optical Studios has gotten involved in educating youngsters about the need for good eye care by

providing brochures and teaching materials for parents and teachers in local schools. The company also sponsors T-ball and soccer teams at the Neighborhood Club.

New trends in eye wear and eye care, Wylie said, include one-day disposable contact lenses. "They do away with maintenance and cleaning solutions. Most people order a three-month supply and one advantage is that they always have a supply of lenses. The cost is probably the same as regular lenses on a yearly basis, if you include the cost of cleaning supplies."

New eyeglass trends include oval shapes and stainless steel and titanium frames. "Titanium is extremely light weight," Wylie said. "And the frames are appropriate for the lighter and thinner lenses that are now available, even for people with higher correction."

A popular new process can now eliminate reflection on the front and back of the lens surfaces, he said. "This offers two benefits. The wearer can see more clearly. And people can see his or her eyes more easily."

Changeable comfort lenses are also popular. Existing light conditions determine the darkness of the lenses. "They change from a dark tint in sunlight to a lighter tint indoors. This works for people who are in and out during the day — real estate salespeople, for instance; shoppers; mothers."

Woods Optical also offers occupational eyewear. Eyeglasses for people who work at computers are designed with the wearer's reading prescription at the bottom and an intermediate range in the upper portion of the lens.

"We also have special kinds of lenses for people who are electricians, mechanics, surgeons, dentists and others."

Wylie recommends polycarbonate lenses for children. "This is the most impact-resistant material available," he said. "It's safe for kids and is light and thin."

He also writes a biweekly column on eye care for the Grosse Pointe News.

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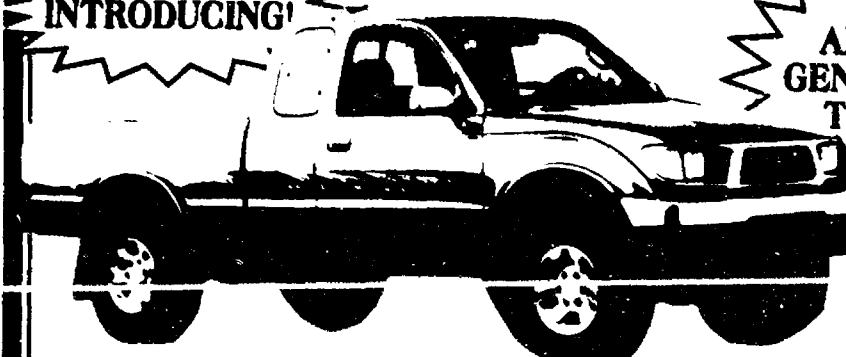
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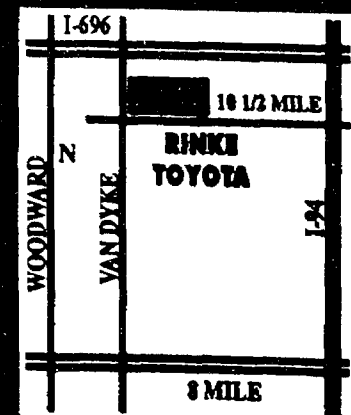
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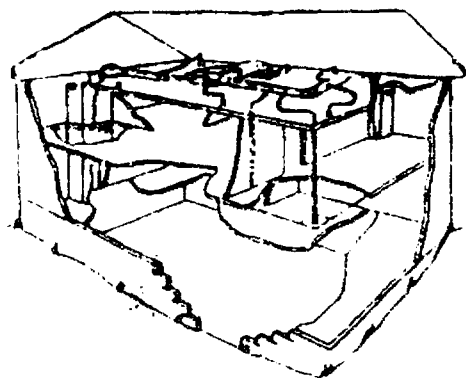
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The Unico System removes up to 30 percent more moisture than conventional air conditioning systems. The system is designed to cool a 2,000-2,500 square foot home for about \$200 for the summer season, as compared to \$100-150 a month for a single room air conditioner.

"Many homeowners think their houses can't have central air, or that it will be too expensive," said Mitchell Rosen, general manager of Liberty Total Comfort Systems in Redford. "Not only is it possible and affordable, these units increase the value and

saleability of the homes." These units are adaptable to a variety of air cleaning devices, and Detroit Edison offers rebates for energy efficient units.

The new Unico System can be used for commercial buildings as well as homes. The system takes approximately two to four days to install, depending on building size. The cost runs approximately \$3 to \$4 a square foot, depending on building area.

The principal areas for these units are Grosse Pointe, Grosse Ile, Down River, Franklin, Bloomfield Hills, Southfield, Dearborn, Indian Village, and Grand Rapids. Nearly 350 units were sold in Michigan in 1994, 20 percent (68) by Liberty Total Comfort. Installations for Liberty are 30 percent ahead of last year.

"Many people don't realize that this is the perfect time to have these units installed," Rosen said. "As it is, people have to wait about three weeks. If they wait until it gets hot, the wait could be much longer."

Rosen has been in heating and cooling for 18 years, the last four as general manager at Liberty. Besides the Unico System, Liberty also installs residential and commercial heating and cooling systems, and energy saving equipment. They are located at 25550 Grand River, in Redford, and have service centers in Lincoln Park, Highland, Mt. Clemens and Monroe. For more information and interviews with Rosen, call 313-255-9080 or 1-800-245-9080.

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Owner of Shores Home Design Center Bill Karns, Jr. pictured with Pointe Windows & Doors General Manager Tony Pipitone.

years experience in the building industry, and founded Shores Home Design Center as a complete home remodelling company. Shores Home Design Center actually consists of two companies within one: Motor City Modernization, which specializes in building and remodelling; and Pointe Windows and Doors, operated by General Manager Tony Pipitone. Together they form a complete home improvement center which specializes in all types of remodelling projects, including kitchens, baths, room additions, and second floor additions.

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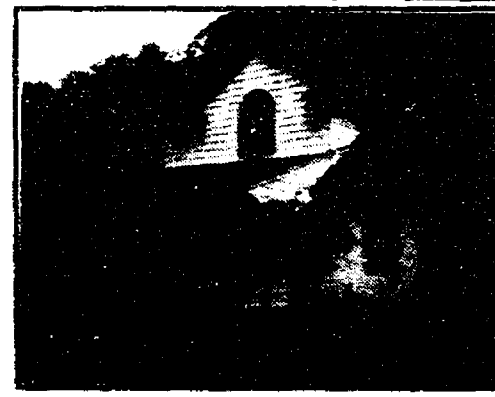
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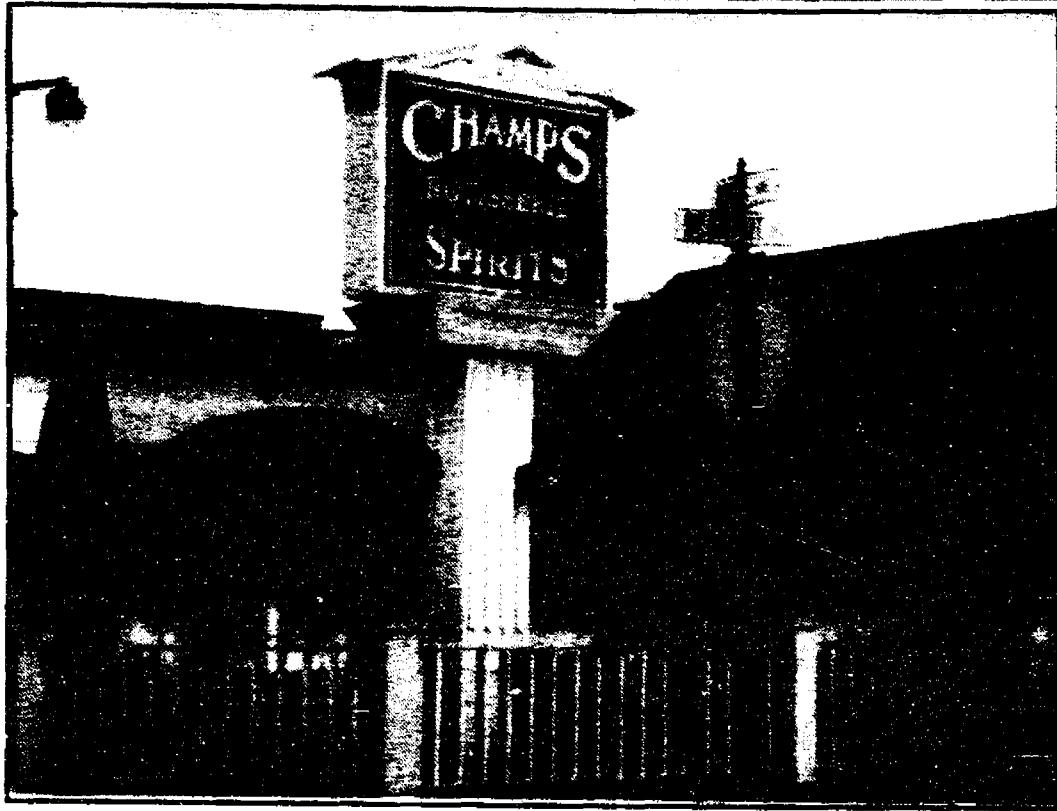


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## Patio dining is popular at Champs Rotisserie & Spirits

Eating at Champs Rotisserie & Spirits, 20515 Mack in Grosse Pointe Woods, is like experiencing the best of all worlds. A newly remodeled dining room creates a cozy setting for those who prefer indoor dining, and a quaint patio greets those who can't resist eating outdoors on warm summer evenings.

And a newly expanded menu offers a variety of meals and beverages that are sure to appeal to everyone's taste.

A favorite is the house special — Lake Superior whitefish, broiled and topped with romano buttered bread crumbs. Other catches from the sea include lightly seasoned salmon, orange roughy served with lemon butter cream sauce, Canadian pickerel and cod. Shrimp lovers have a choice of steamed or fried golf shrimp, chilled shrimp and shrimp salad.

Other favorite menu items include chicken dishes like roasted chicken salad, breast of chicken sandwich and a combination chilled chicken and pasta primavera. And don't overlook the ribeye steak, steak sandwich and, of course, the 1/2 pound hamburgers.

Dieters don't have to feel deprived. Champs serves a homemade soup du jour, as well as a half dozen salads and seven homemade dressings, including a tasty low-calorie choice.

The patio, remodeling and the expanded menu are the culmination of owner Jim Champion's vision for the

corner restaurant.

"Now our diners can enjoy a homemade dinner and drink in their own neighborhood, under the stars, or enjoy the passing scene if they come earlier before it gets dark," says Champion about the brick paved patio that seats about 35 people. "And the evening only gets better as they enjoy one of Chef Ed Shogren's homemade desserts that he creates daily."

Indeed, the menu boasts of a Bavarian-style cheesecake and a classic three-nut deep dish pecan pie that has slivered almonds and chopped walnuts added.

The corner of Mack and Beaufait has been a restaurant since 1942. It was a pizza parlor in the 50s, the Bar-B-Q House of Grosse Pointe beginning in the mid-60s, and now Champs.

The indoor dining room is decorated with framed jumbo-sized black-and-white photographs of historic Grosse Pointe mansions, old homes and churches, and even a 1950 photo of a bunch of 10-year-old school boys mugging for the camera in front of the old Vernier School.

Carry-out service is available. Hours are 4 to 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 3 to 11 p.m. Friday and Saturday; and 3 to 10 p.m. Sunday.

Entrees start at \$4.95. Champs is open seven days a week.

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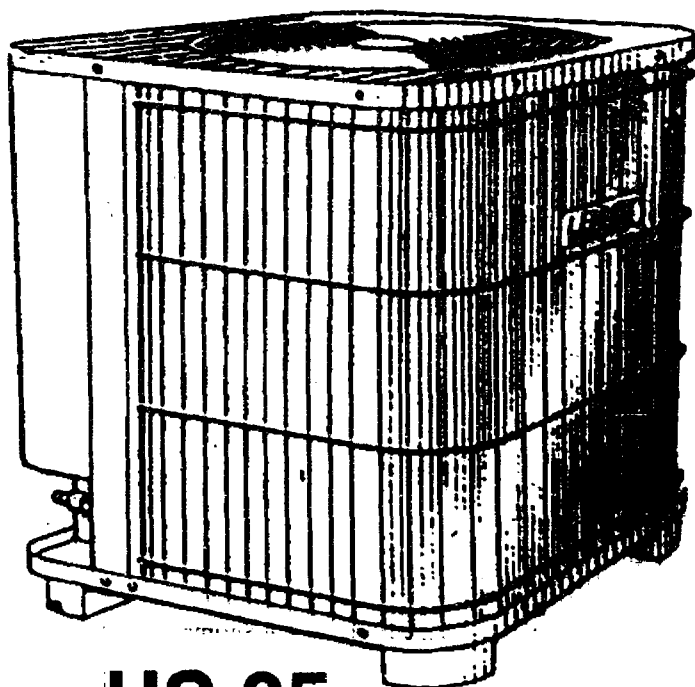
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## La Strega moves to the Village

La Strega has moved to what owner Teresa Mollicone calls "the perfect corner" in the Village. The women's clothing store had been located on the Hill in Grosse Pointe Farms for 12 years.

"We have so much daylight now," Mollicone said. "That's very important for clothing. We also have easy access to a parking lot."

La Strega is on the corner of Kercheval and Notre Dame in the City of Grosse Pointe. The new store occupies slightly more space and is surrounded by more retailers, she said.

Mollicone described her store as different than a run-of-the-mill department store.

"We don't have originals," she said, "but we also don't have 10 dresses of the same kind. So if you buy something here there's not much chance of running into someone else wearing the same dress."

La Strega also offers personal service, she said. Saleswomen know their customers and keep specific people in mind when they go on buying trips. Usually, she said, they find what

customers want.

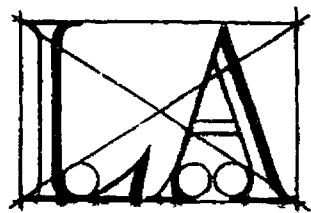
Alterations are done on the premises. Seamstresses also do alterations of clothing not purchased at La Strega.

Merchandise includes sportswear at a variety of prices — from moderately priced designers like Geppetto to higher-priced items by Dana Buchman; business suits range from designers like Kasper to Tahari; evening wear from designers like Sho Max and Niteline to Carmen Marc Valvo.

The store also carries accessories — handbags, panty hose, belts, jewelry and a few hats to coordinate with specific ensembles.

"All the merchants in the Village have made us feel welcome," Mollicone said. "The Village Association is like a big family. They seem to be pleased we're here and about how beautiful we've made this corner."

La Strega is open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Mondays through Wednesdays and Saturdays; from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursdays; and from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Fridays. For more information, call (313) 884-8663.



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## Flame Furnace a leader in the industry for 46 years

Longevity is the key to Flame Furnace's popularity with home and business owners.

The Marowske family business has been around 46 years and many of their employees have been with the company a decade.

Many customers can't remember who they used before they chose Flame Furnace.

"We do what we say we're going to do and we show up when we say we're going to show up," said Robert Marowske, president.

Robert's son Gary is following in his father's footsteps when it comes to making sure things are done right. Founder Robert Marowske is retired, but he still goes in to work every day.

The business started in 1949 on Van Dyke and Lynch Road, but 17 years ago they moved to their current location at State Fair and Gratiot, which has remained their main office.

Growing to four locations, with 65 vehicles, and more than 100 employees, the Marowske's consider the entire Metro Detroit area as their territory.

Currently Flame Furnace is the largest residential and commercial heating and cooling contractor in the state.

Besides having a reputation for moderate prices Flame Furnace has received awards to back that claim up. Plus in 1993, Flame Furnace was named "Contractor of the Year" nationwide by Contractor magazine.

This year, Flame Furnace has received the Dave Lennox award, which was given to only 16 Lennox dealers in North America. Gary points out that even though he is the largest Lennox dealer in Michigan, the award is based on more than sales.

"There are certain parameters like, service, response time, business plans, promoting the business, and even putting your men in uniforms," explained Gary.

This year, Flame Furnace has taken another step to assure that its long-time customers, as well as new customers can find their money's worth when it comes to maintaining their furnaces and air conditioners by starting a Gold Maintenance Plan, which offers an annual preventive maintenance check up for each the furnace and the air conditioner for a flat fee of \$165.

"We set it up ourselves," said Gary. "We're the only company in town to do it. We'll come out on Christmas day, if needed."

In addition, if something goes wrong during the year, the Plan will offer parts at a 10 percent discount, and there's no additional labor charge.

Flame Furnace does a large percentage of its business in the Grosse Pointes, where all the Marowskes live.

The owners of the grand old homes in the Grosse Pointe area could agree with Flame Furnace's reasoning for their longevity, as being due to attention to detail. Flame Furnace is well known for its "drop cloths." These cloths are not only put in front of the furnace, but they are put everywhere a Flame Furnace serviceman or installer walks. The cloths are kept in top condition by Flame Furnace.

"I know first hand what it's like. I recently had a garage door done, and the men left all kinds of junk for me to clean up," said Gary. "We don't leave junk. We're clean."

With this kind of reputation, Flame Furnace has been called to work at not only individual homes, but to some of Grosse Pointe area's grand fixtures, like the Country Club of Detroit and the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club.

"We even do the boats (at the Club)," said Gary. "Some boats have two to three air conditioners. They use water source heat pumps."

Mayor Dennis Archer's home contractors entrusted Flame Furnace to convert his home's old steam heater

to a forced air unit.

In addition, Flame Furnace installed five furnaces in the Manogian mansion prior to Mayor Archer moving in two years ago.

Whether it's a call to work on refrigeration for Joe Muer's restaurant or install a set-back thermostat for a family in the Pointes, Flame Furnace responds "typically the same day," according to Gary.

"Of course with this 90 degree weather we've been having, it's been more difficult," said Gary. "On the first



**Flame Furnace management team: chairman and founder Robert Marowske, right, president Gary Marowske, left, and vice president Joseph Clor.**

90 degree day we got 2,022 calls."

On a normal day, Flame Furnace handles 140 to 170 calls for estimates or service on air conditioning units and furnaces. Flame Furnace is able to do this because they don't have to depend on subcontractors to complete the job.

Flame has more than 100 employees include 20 experienced installers, 20 service crew personnel and seven electricians. This eliminates customer waiting time for electrical hookups.

Another delay that customers often find elsewhere is waiting for "the part on order." With four locations, and being the largest Lennox and Bryant dealer in Michigan, a full range of inventory parts are available, such as duct work and motors.

When ordering a furnace or air conditioner, Flame Furnace can quickly arrange to add such items as power humidifiers, electronic air cleaners and vent dampers.

"We can get (machines that reduce) 98 percent of the dust and pollen from the air," said Gary.

Flame Furnace has machines that will clean out the majority of accumulated dirt and dustballs out of air ducts that build up through the year.

Another step Flame Furnace has done to improve the environment is to recover refrigerant when handling commercial refrigeration. The training, licensing and refrigeration was a \$50,000 investment by Flame Furnace.

Some homes require their dirty electronic air filters to be cleaned or replaced monthly, with many homes having up to four filters. Rather than replace them frequently and filling the dump yards, Flame replaces them with ones that have been cleaned in a commercial dishwasher back at the shop.

Employees are proud to work for Flame Furnace because of the company's reputation for honest estimates and quality work, like Jack Rosenthal, who has been with the company 30 years.

The company has a unique way of recognizing this long term employment. They have the number of years an employee has worked for them stitched on their uniforms, under their name tag.

"We take care of everybody," said Gary. "We have good benefits, and if an employee needs some time off, we give it to them. We treat people fair."

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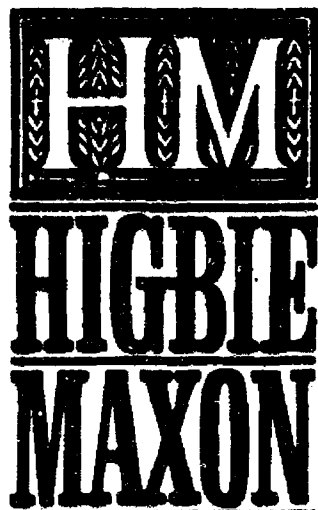
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Since its inception, Higbie Maxon has built a reputation on providing customers and clients with exceptional professionalism and quality, representing buyers and sellers of residential and commercial properties throughout Grosse Pointe, St. Clair Shores, Harper Woods and surrounding communities.

"We are dedicated to providing the kind of professional service that makes successful real estate transactions happen," said Kay Agency, sales director.

The agents of Higbie Maxon have many combined years of experience, and maintain designations of GRI (Graduate Realtors Institute), CRS (Certified Residential Specialist), CRB (Certified Residential Broker), and RAM (Real Estate Alumni of Michigan).



A multi-service real estate brokerage firm, Higbie Maxon offers expertise in the areas of real estate purchase and sales of local and residential properties, leasing, property management, and real estate development. They offer home sales counseling to aid in the decision making process.

Higbie Maxon provides relocation services to those customers in need of real estate support from state to state or internationally. They are also proud to be the exclusive Michigan affiliate of Sotheby International Realty, a network of independent real estate companies across the United States, and throughout the world.

Higbie Maxon has a history of tradition and specialized services that date as far back as 1929. Hugo S. Higbie, founder of the Higbie Realty Company, acquired the Maxon Brothers real estate firm in 1972, and the combined efforts formed Higbie Maxon Realtors. The entire team of agents, associates and staff work diligently to ensure the complete confidence and satisfaction of each and every customer, offering more specialized services, and a more caring, personal approach.

"A very high number of our agents have advanced Associate Broker licenses, and everyone continues the educational process to keep abreast of the constantly changing practices of real estate," noted Vicky Colwell, office manager.

Mr. Higbie has served as treasurer and president of the Grosse Pointe Brokers Association, was active in the Grosse Pointe Real Estate Exchange, and was a founding member of the current Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors. Following his example, Higbie Maxon has continually been represented on the Board of Realtors since its inception, and remains very involved in the Grosse Pointe community.

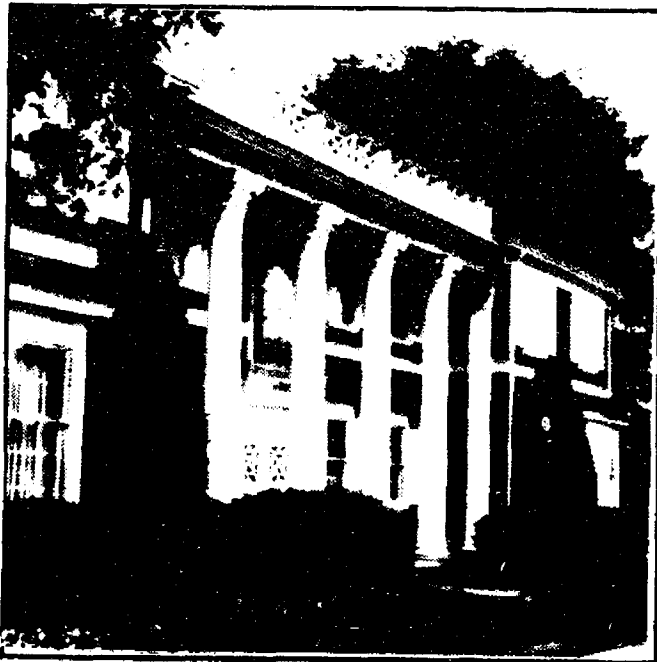
Higbie Maxon is dedicated to excellence, and maintains the highest standard of service in the industry.

"My philosophy truly is that the art of real estate is matching people and houses with imagination," says Higbie.

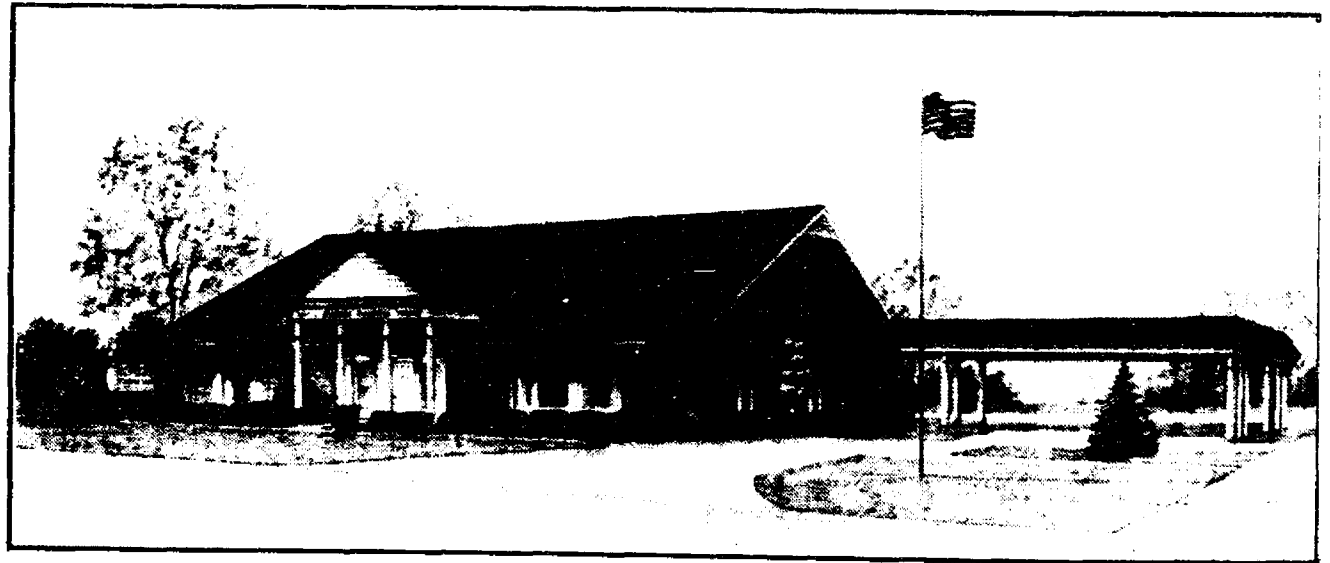
Higbie Maxon is centrally located at 83 Kercheval Avenue on the Hill in Grosse Pointe Farms, with convenient access to parking and area shops. Phone them at 886-3400 for all your real estate needs.

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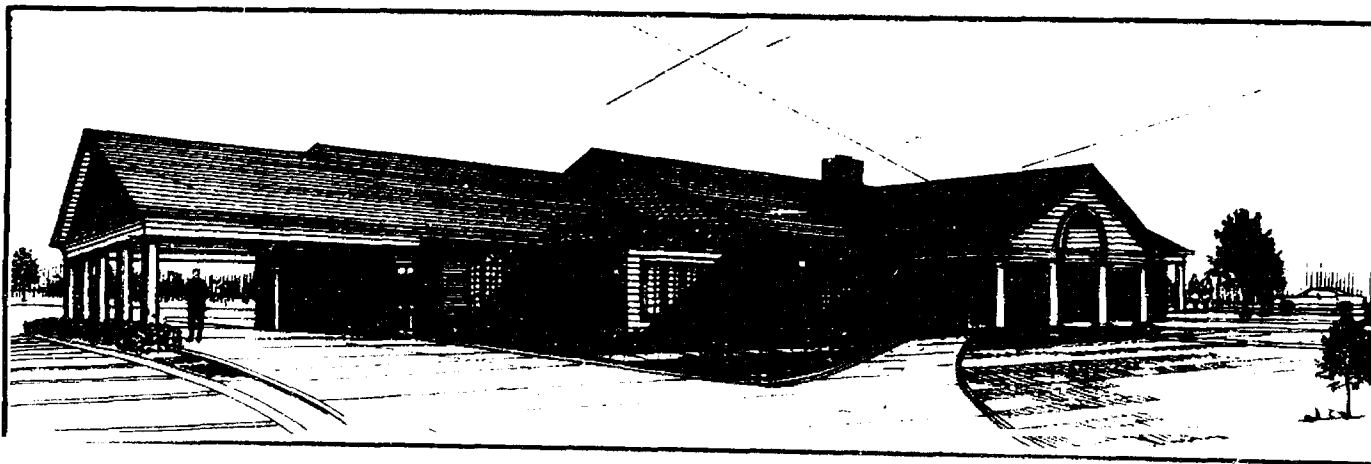
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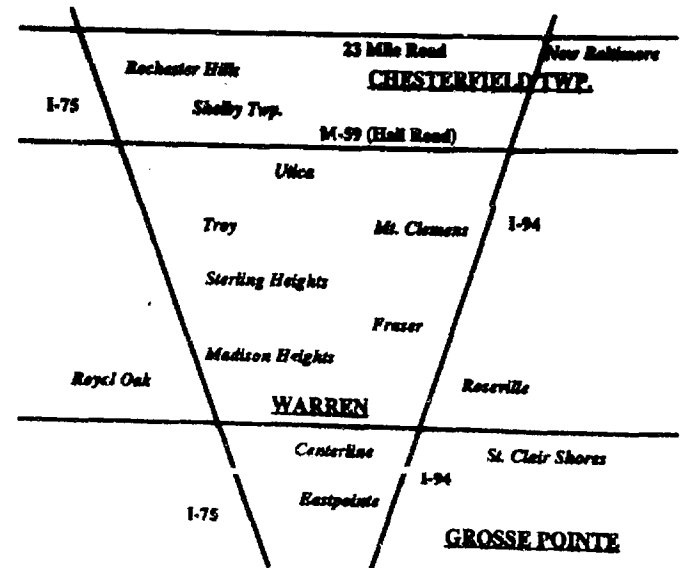
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## Coming together enriches personalized service at Verheyden

The Verheyden Funeral Home has always had a reputation for service, by giving family supportive care its highest priority. This commitment to quality service has always set the funeral service professionals at Verheyden apart from other funeral providers, making the century-old establishment the most respected funeral home on Detroit's east side. Founder, Charles Verheyden established his funeral services in 1908, firmly grounded in his commitment to provide extra service without extra cost. Mr. Verheyden died in 1985, after a long career remarkable in its foresight and innovation. Verheyden Funeral Home was the first to include a chapel in its design and professional leadership was given to Wayne State University with the establishment of the Department of Mortuary Science.

For the first time in Verheyden's history, it is expanding its sphere of service with the addition of another funeral home. The Duross Funeral Home of Warren, Michigan, has become a part of the Verheyden family of funeral service providers, and it too has a history of innovative service. William Duross, founder expressed his gratification that, "we will continue to be able to provide service to our families who have moved."

Like Verheyden, Duross recognized the need to provide, "extra service at

**"We feel confident that we will be able to serve the next five generations of families..."**

— Joseph Miller,  
Vice-President

no extra cost," by being the first to have a grief counselor on the staff and was honored by the American Cancer Society for having submitted the idea for using donation memorial envelopes for families choosing this option for remembering a loved one. This concept is common place in all funeral service today.

Verheyden Vice-President and General Manager, Brian Joseph

stated, "We are very excited to be broadening our service and our outreach by uniting two well established, and respected funeral providers and we will continue to be

**"Providing extra service at no extra cost."**

— William Duross  
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accessible to our families as they move. We have fifth generation sons and daughters who will be pleased that we will be breaking ground, in the near future, with a new funeral home in Chesterfield Township." The three funeral home locations will be within minutes of all major expressways and be able to serve a five county community.

The Verheyden name will be retained, and long standing employees representing more than 154 years of combined service to families will continue as officers and directors. They are, President Joseph K. Miller, Senior Vice-President David A. Otto, Senior Vice-President William J. Duross, Vice-President and General manager, Brian A. Joseph and Vice-President of Operations, Sherry A. Robinson. "Additional personalized services will be offered including pre-need planning for our many family members who have been requesting our long-term services and personalized service of Aftercare and Education will continue being offered by Elizabeth McCormick, CSW, to both the families served and to the community" stated Joseph.

"We feel confident that we will be able to serve the next five generations of families of metropolitan Detroit by continuing our stated purpose to offer professional, considerate and thoughtful service which has merited the highest esteem of our first five generations of families. We look forward to the continued trust, friendship and goodwill afforded us for the past decades", added Joseph Miller, President.

## Connie's Children's Shop: Kort family has dressed the community's children for the last 41 years

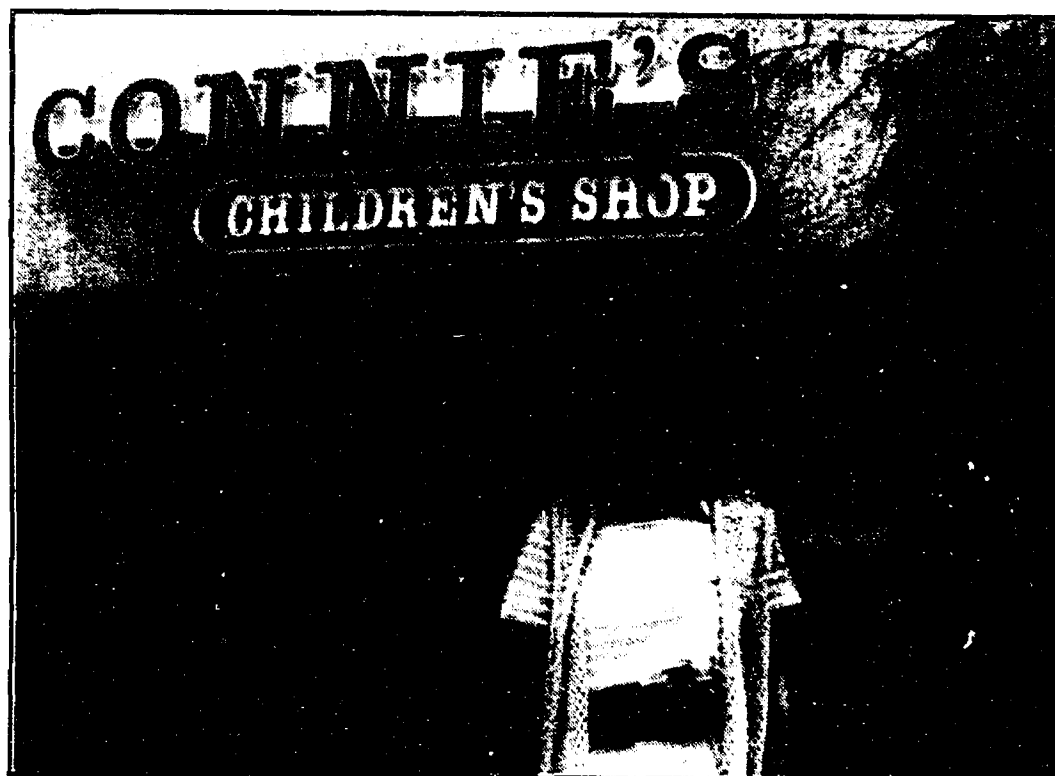
Maxine and Sidney Kort, owners of Connie's Children's Shop, said they know 75 percent of their customers by name.

The family-owned, family-run store has been in business for 41 years.

"We're now outfitting some of the

because of the wonderful selection of clothing we carry," she said. "The store also has a warm, friendly atmosphere — something that's important in a children's store. Our salespeople are smiling. They're helpful."

Connie carries clothing for boys



great-grandchildren of our first customers," Maxine said.

Connie's Children's Shop is located at 23200 Greater Mack in St. Clair Shores, the same block where it opened in 1954. They started out with 2,000 square feet of space. They've expanded twice, and now occupy 10,000 square feet.

The Korts were 20 years old when they opened their store, which was named for their one-year-old daughter, Connie.

"My parents, Joe and Yetta Weinberg, became partners in 1955," Maxine said. "We worked side-by-side until 1989. Now my daughter Denise is manager. Connie works part time in the shoe department. And our granddaughters Carrie Brown, 19, and Marci Brown, 16, help out. It's truly a family business."

Maxine said people have said the store has a "Bloomingdale's feeling."

"I think they make that comparison

from newborn to size 20; for girls from newborn to pre-teens. They provide uniforms for about a dozen girls' private and parochial schools and as many as 50 different boys' schools.

The boys' department includes husky and slim sizes and the store specializes in girls' communion dresses, veils and shoes.

"We have a large selection of Stride-Rite shoes," she said, "and a full selection of outerwear and dress coats for boys and girls of all ages. We carry dresses by Dorissa of Miami and Sylvia Whyte; sportswear by Knitwaves, Zoodles and Hartstrings; and a large selection of accessories such as purses and bows.

Connie's Children's Shop is the largest independent children's clothing store in Michigan. Summer hours are 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays; 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays. For more information, call (810) 777-8020.



# MGM

## Bike and Fitness Equipment

What better way to get rid of stress than to ride a bike, or run on a tread mill or do some in-line skating?

And, what could be better than to be able to find it all at one location — MGM Bicycle and fitness Equipment.

"Any store can sell good quality products," said Bob Livermore, store manager, "but what makes our products different from other shops around is that the companies we carry stand behind us. It makes our life easier, and our customers happier."

MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment also has a staff of certified professionals who assemble their products. This provides for a higher quality control, both in quality parts used and safety of the product.

Because of this confidence, MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment is able to offer a 30 day money back guarantee. If a customer is dissatisfied with any equipment within thirty days of purchase, they can bring it back for repair, exchange or a full refund.

MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment charges \$10 for a set up fee for the bicycles, but for that price, customers can bring back the bike any time over the next year for repairs. At the end of the first year, they get a free check up.

Customers can find everything from kid's bikes to thousand dollar titanium bikes in stock. Brand names include Giant, Rally, and Barracuda.

"Customers can look around. We're laid back here," said Livermore. "We don't rush you the minute you walk in the door."

It's obvious that adults come in all sizes and need different size bikes, but people forget that kids also can benefit from custom sizing their bikes.

"Department stores usually carry one size frames for kids," said Livermore. "Some kids have shorter legs than others even though they're the same age. So, we carry different size frames for all ages. It's not only a comfort factor but a safety factor."

The sales representatives at MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment listen to what their customers want.

"We don't give the family a box off the shelf," said Livermore. "We want to know what type of riding they will be doing. Will they be doing easy cruising, or will they be off the road and looking for logs to jump?"

Each staff member has years of experience, and there is a supply of magazines and instruction books to keep them abreast of advancements in the fitness industry.

This includes stocking the best in

exercise equipment from free weights to tread mills, and the popular Aerobic Rider. Brands include Tunturi, Star Trac, Tru, Tough Stuff and Continental.

"We offer discount packages on all equipment," said Livermore. "We work with the customer."

Individuals and businesses are treated equally well. MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment has a full-time employee that does nothing but handle commercial accounts. Exercise equipment has been provided to Detroit Edison, and St. John's and Beaumont Hospitals, among others.

MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment is also the biggest dealer of in-line skates in Michigan, according to Livermore. The store carries Bauer, Roller Derby, Rollerblade and Oxygen.

Their expertise continues into the MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment service department. While they have a basic tune-up package for \$28.95, Livermore recommends that people consider upgrading to their \$37.95 package that covers such items as gears and brakes.

"We just about rebuild the bike, except for the paint!" said Livermore.

There is no bench charge when a customer brings in a piece of equipment. This free estimate policy also goes for equipment not purchased at MGM.

Finding an MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment store to service your equipment is easy because they have ten locations, including a new one being opened in Ohio. This includes one in St. Clair Shores at Harper and 8-1/2 Mile.

Frank Bonten opened his first store more than 40 years ago at the St. Clair Shores location. In the meantime, son Chuck opened a store in Pt. Huron. When the elder Bonten decided to retire, Chuck took over his store. Being a Grosse Pointe resident, Chuck has made this east side store the location for his corporate headquarters.

In order to stay in touch with the managers at his other locations, Chuck has bi-weekly managers' meetings. Sue Simpson, Chuck's administrative assistant, handles most phone calls because Chuck spends many hours on the road visiting each store and talking to each employee to get their feedback about customers' needs, and to boost their morale.

This dedication has won MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment the "Top 100 Dealers" award two years straight from Bicycle Dealers Showcase magazine, which is based on votes by distributors.

MGM Bicycle and fitness Equipment still finds time for non-business endeavors, like recycling, and community service.

"We are big on recycling," said Livermore. "Not just cardboard and paper, but we also use biodegradable cleaners."

MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment offers free skate lessons throughout the year. During the winter months, they rent out the Silverdome during non-concert nights, and allow skaters to use the concourse.

The Motor City Mustangs is a new project for MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment. They are a "silent co-sponsor" and take care of the wheels and bearings for their skates.

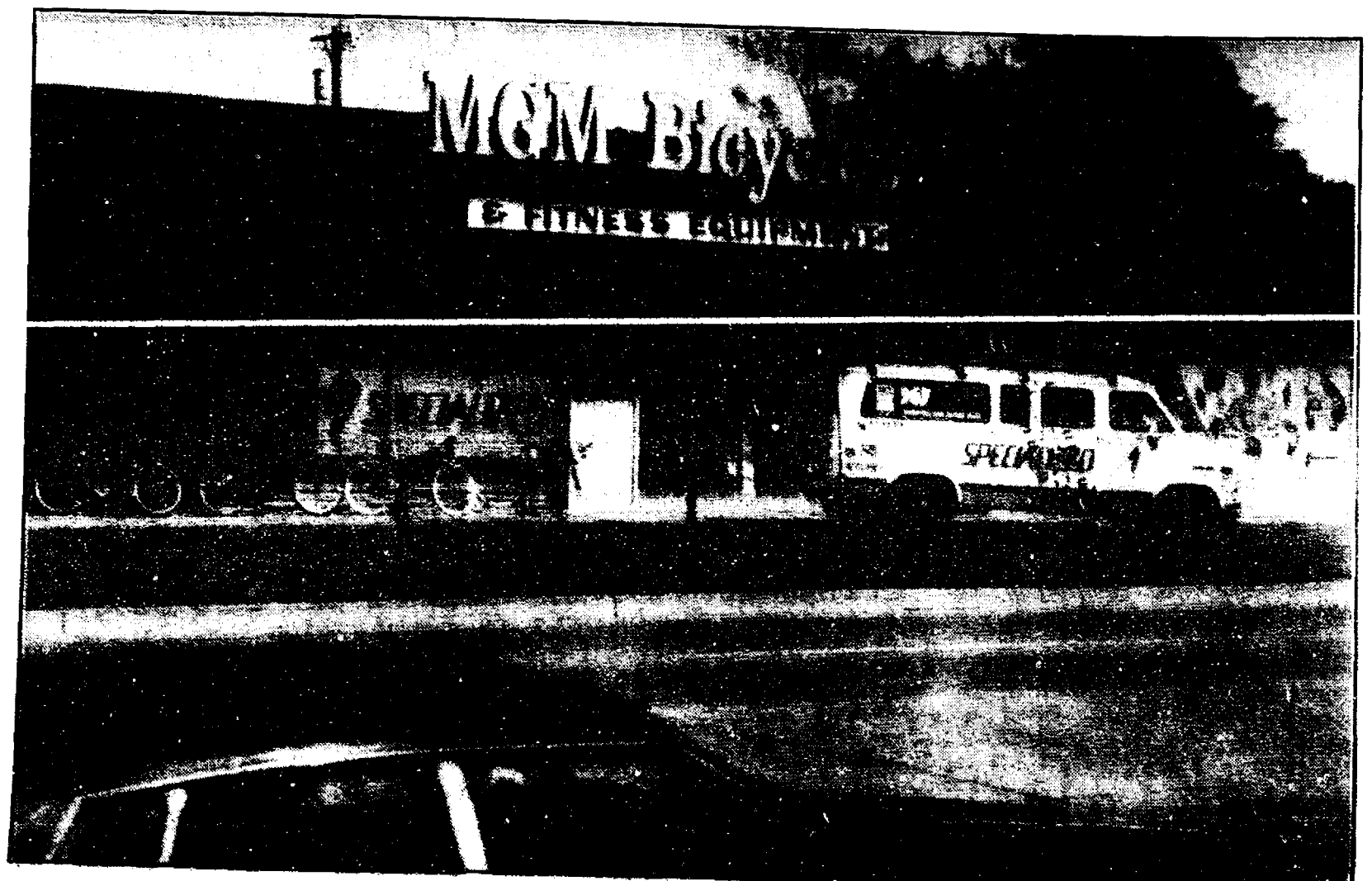
Many residents know them for their portable rinks and their support of local children's hockey teams.

"When I worked at the Grosse Pointe store," said Livermore, who now works out of the Mt. Clemens location, "we would do bike repairs for the Children's Home."

Livermore says that MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment gets many return customers because of their service, assortment, knowledge and atmosphere. What does he mean by atmosphere?

"We're friendly here. It's still like a family business," said Livermore.

MGM Bicycle and Fitness Equipment is located at 22316 Harper at 8 1/2 Mile, St. Clair Shores. 810-777-0357



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There can't be a worse feeling in the world than when you get into your car, turn that key and it won't start.

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John Kupiec, owner, operator and manager of Grosse Pointe Auto Works, has 40 years of experience under his belt to help gets ca. back on the mend.

Grosse Pointe Auto Works is located on Kercheval at Maryland in Grosse Pointe park. It has been in the same location since 1979 and is a throwback to the service facilities of old.

The proximity to a residential area makes Grosse Pointe Auto Works a convenient stop for not just neighborhood residents, but for anyone in need of service.

"I offer a personalized service," Kupiec said. "When it's auto-related, we do it all!"

Grosse Pointe Auto Works is Grosse Pointe's only full-service automotive maintenance facility located in the Pointe's.

The auto shop has 10,000 square feet of floor space, including 13 hoists to allow the mechanics to do it all when it comes to fixing automobiles.

Grosse Pointe Auto Works also offers service on all makes of domestic and foreign cars, light trucks and recreation vehicles.

"I will do everything I can to make certain the job you need done gets done," Kupiec said.

Grosse Pointe Auto Works is open from 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday. The telephone number is (313) 822-3003.



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In 1968 he expanded his talent to fill his jewelry store with unique designs and mounts, thus began the longstanding business of George Koueiter & Sons Jewelers.

That same craftsmanship and personal service that made Mr. Koueiter one of the finest jewelers in the trade is still evident in his sons George, Jr., and Robert. Both have spent their youth watching and learning from a master craftsman that has now carried over to



their own individual style. Robert is a graduate of the Gemological Institute of America and is an expert at appraising diamonds and gemstones.

Upon entering the establishment on Roslyn and Mack it is obvious that

the store is built on service and style. A browse around the showcases will reveal a beauty and elegance unique only to George Koueiter & Sons. Not only are they a favorite among many in the five Grosse Pointes, their loyal

clientele come from all over the metro area.

With a large inventory of diamonds and gold to match any personal taste, the store also carries beautiful gift items including Lladro, Swarovski crystal and Lenox fine china and crystal.

Breitling, Omega and Raymond Weil have joined the George Koueiter & Sons watch selection along with Seiko, LaSalle, Longine and Tissot.

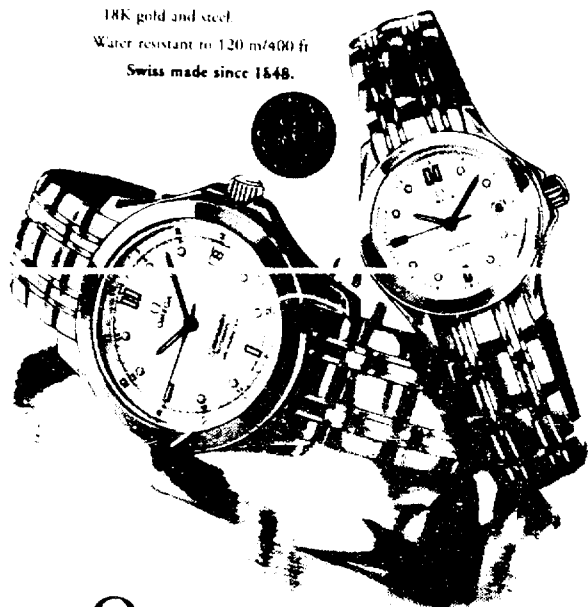
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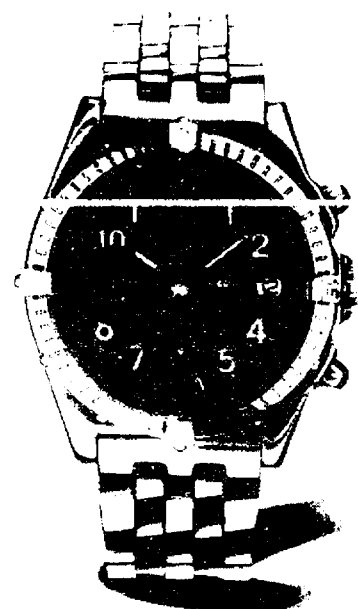
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Inside or out, it helps to have the knowledge and talent of an expert to guide you through it. The daughter of a builder, Virginia Carr grew up with a crayon in one hand a hammer in the other. From the ground up, she knows what's behind those walls and under the carpeting.

An interior designer for over 20 years Virginia created a 'house call' service for the do-it-yourselfer. She believes everyone can live in a beautiful home, and without a second mortgage. She can design an entire room, select shingles or paint colors to match the kitchen sink. She sells no materials or products just good advice and confidence. You'll get hot tips on what's new and how to shop smart. Whether it's preparing to move, improve or just need to move some things around she makes it easy for you.

"Everything we purchase has color which is the key to very successful projects big or small. It costs no more to blend colors that sizzle than those that fizzle," says Virginia. "Mistakes are easy to make, hard to live with and costly to change. It makes no sense to redo."

Carr has been helping people out of decorating dilemmas and transforming homes into masterpieces with her, "Ask The Color Wizard" columns and articles, her workshops, and TV decorating segments on Channel 2 and

7. This dynamic and talented professional, has also written a book, "Your Home Color Guide, **MAKING COLOR WORK.**"

"It seems we get how-to instructions with everything we buy except how to use color," Carr said. "So I filled the gap!" The first book of its kind ... it is a complete decorating guide for the home or office. With four simple fool-proof steps you can tackle any project from start to finish.

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Glenn Haege, WHYY talk radio host, known as America's "Master Handyman" wrote the forward to her book and states, "This book is well written and laid out so that it is easy to understand. It is going to have a permanent place in my library. I hope it finds a place in your home too."

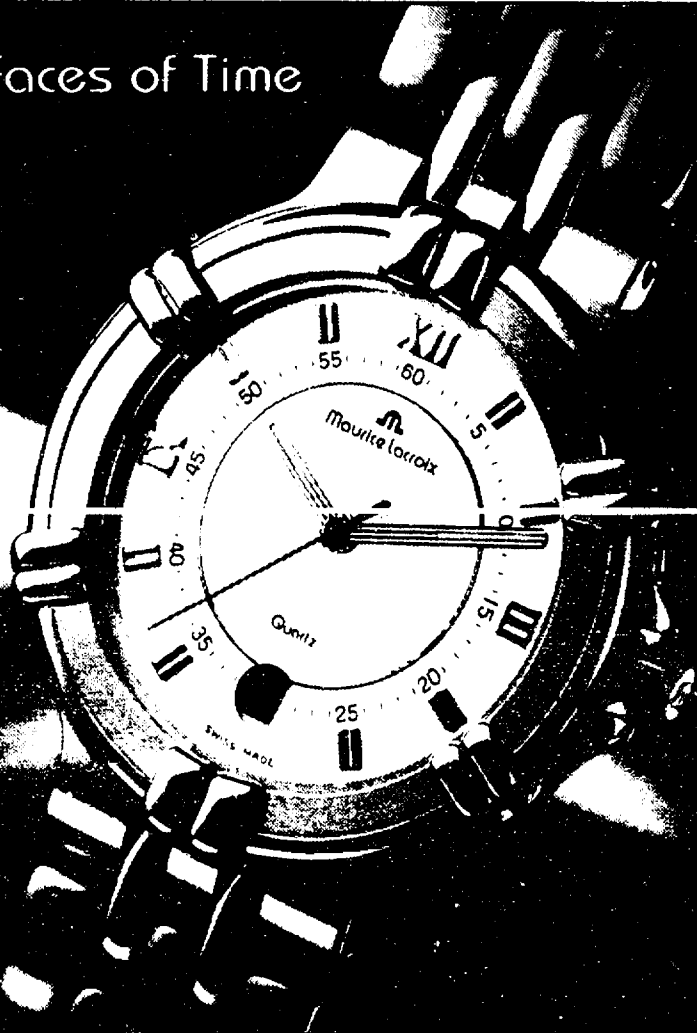
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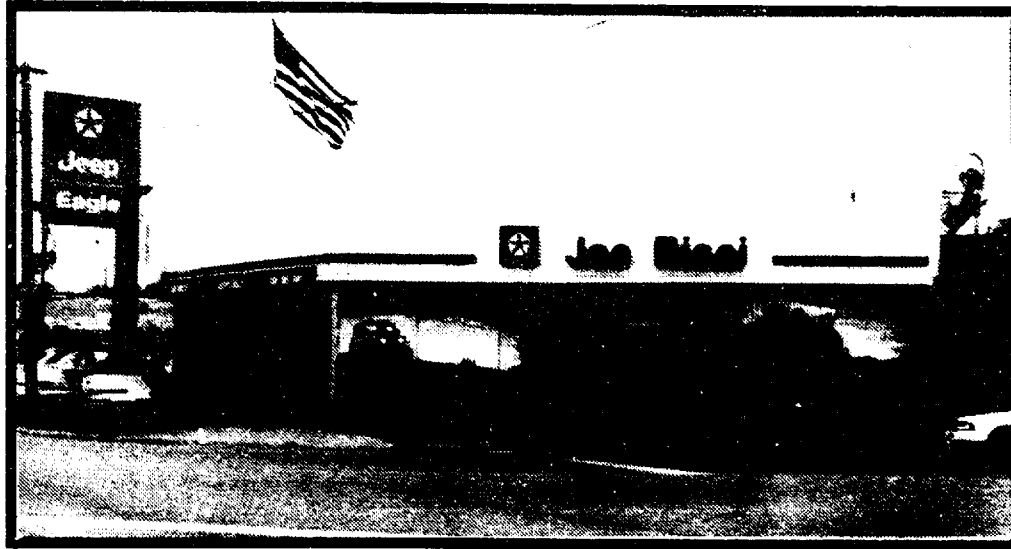
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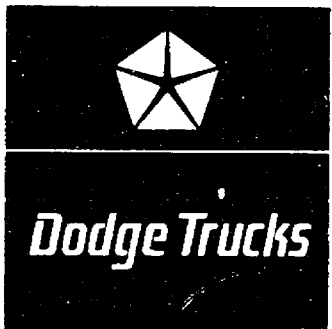
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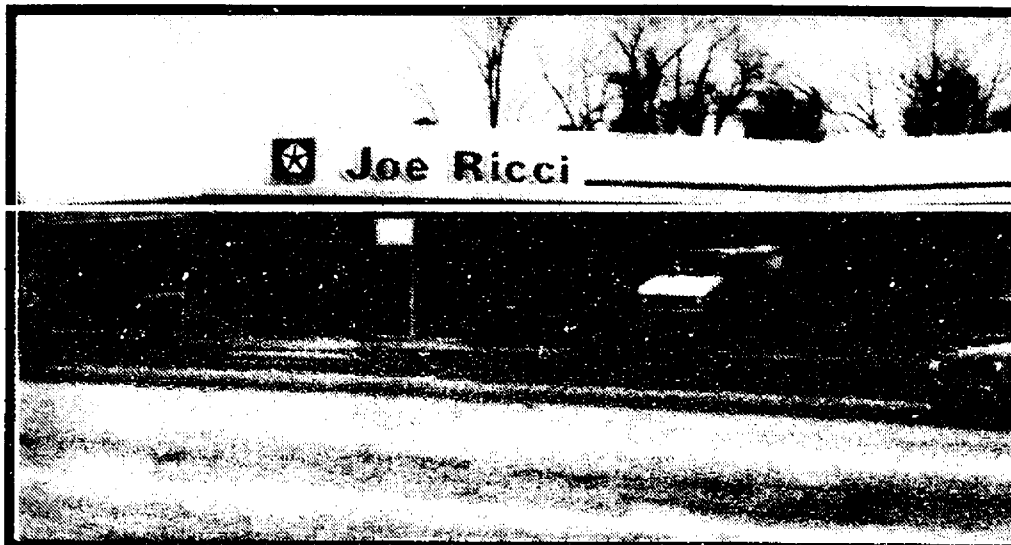
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# Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate means success

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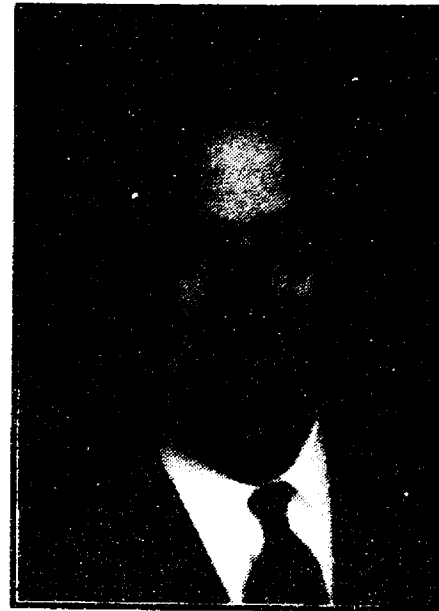
Success in real estate demands knowledge and understanding of the industry and a keen ability to anticipate and accept change. It requires skills that can only be developed through experience, education and training. The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company has the dynamic leadership experience to achieve true success. They are dedicated to providing quality, professional service with a commitment to helping you, the client, realize your vision.



J. Dennis Andrus

## Experience

Douglas and Dennis Andrus have over 33 years combined experience as executives in the real estate industry. They have used their knowledge and expertise to the advantage of their customers and their associates. Offering a full range of real estate services, they have developed many unique marketing ideas that are unprecedented, and training programs that have enhanced the skills of their experienced staff. In an ever changing real estate market, this organization continues to meet these new challenges.



Douglas E. Andrus

## Unprecedented support

Using state-of-the-art computerized sales support, The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company has the ability to access information that enables them to have an acute perception of the market. They are able to use this information to the advantage of the customer by educating them and giving them a better interpretation of the entire real estate process. It is a one-of-a-kind system in this market area.

## Community involvement

Douglas and Dennis remain extremely active within the community of real estate, having held high-ranking positions within the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors, the Michigan Association of Realtors, the Macomb Association of Realtors, the Michigan Multiple Listing Service and the National Association of Realtors. Dennis is an Associate Broker holding the GRI (Graduate Realtor Institute) designation and CRB (Certified Residential Broker); Douglas is an Associate Broker and holds the GRI and CRB designations. In addition, the associates of The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company have the highest percentage of designations in the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors, including GRI and CRS. The entire staff of The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company possesses first hand knowledge of the Grosse Pointes and surrounding communities.

## Relocation and referral services

The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company also networks with extensive relocation and national referral services, helping them to better communicate a customer's needs when statewide or nationwide relocation is part of the agenda. Prudential Relocation Management represents over 400 national companies, with over 100 of these being Fortune 500 companies. Prudential Referral Services, Inc., networks with over 30,000 realtors nationally, which empowers them with the ability to provide maximum assistance with nationwide support. It is all part of their commitment to superior personal service.


## Specialized marketplace development

Although The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company specializes in the purchase and sale of residential properties throughout the Grosse Pointes, St. Clair Shores, Eastpointe, Harper Woods and Roseville, they also have developed an innovative Builder Services Division that consists of project managers and sales associate specialists who work exclusively with new development properties along the shoreline of Lake St. Clair. Current projects consists of Lakepointe Towers, Lakeview Village

## History

The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company was founded when Dennis and Douglas Andrus purchased the Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company in September of 1987. Since the acquisition, the company has developed a reputation for excellence in their quality of service that is unsurpassed. The Prudential Company's respectability in the industry further enhanced their ability to produce results. The Prudential Company has long held a reputation for integrity and heritage that people have come to trust and appreciate. Coupled with the superior personal service and dedication that the Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company team had developed, the result was The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company, an association dedicated to providing exceptional results in a challenging real estate market.

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## Reputation for excellence

The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company is dedicated to excellence. The entire staff works diligently to ensure complete customer satisfaction through superior personal service that produces extraordinary results. They take great pride in their company's reputation and integrity, and consistently remain a team of elite professionals devoted to successful real estate transactions. On a national level, the company has received the "Cornerstone" Award for customer satisfaction and profitability three years in a row.

The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company is located at 19615 Mack Avenue in Grosse Pointe Woods, with an on-site office at Lakepointe Towers. They are open seven days a week to best serve the needs of their clients and customers. Phone 882-0087. If success is what you want to achieve, we're prepared to make it happen!

## Eastside Eye Physicians welcome fourth ophthalmologist to practice

Eastside Eye Physicians, 22151 Moross, Suite 123, welcomed Dr. Michael J. Clune into the practice on July 1.

Dr. Clune will join three specialists in ophthalmology, Dr. Henri S. Bernard, Dr. Anne M. Nachazel and Dr. Neal M. Krasnick, to the office in the St. John Hospital Professional Building. He is the son of the late Dr. John Clune, one of the original physicians in the practice.

"I am very excited to practice where my father's name was so well known and well respected," Clune said. "This is a fantastic opportunity to return to my roots in Grosse Pointe."

Clune grew up in Grosse Pointe Shores and graduated from Kalamazoo College with a bachelor of arts degree in chemistry.

He attended Georgetown University School of Medicine, where he earned a M.D. degree.

Clune returned to the Detroit area to complete an ophthalmology residency with the Kresge Eye Institute at Wayne State University, where he served as chief resident in his final year.

He joined a private practice in Palm Beach County, Fla.

He's returning to Grosse Pointe to continue his specialties, which include cosmetic, cataract and other intraocular surgeries.

Clune is a member of the American Academy of Ophthalmology, the American Medical Association and the Palm Beach County Ophthalmological Society. He received a National Travel Fellowship grant from the Association for Research and Vision in Ophthalmology.

Eastside Eye Physicians (formerly Evans, Clune, Bernard & Associates) has served the metropolitan Detroit area since May 1960.

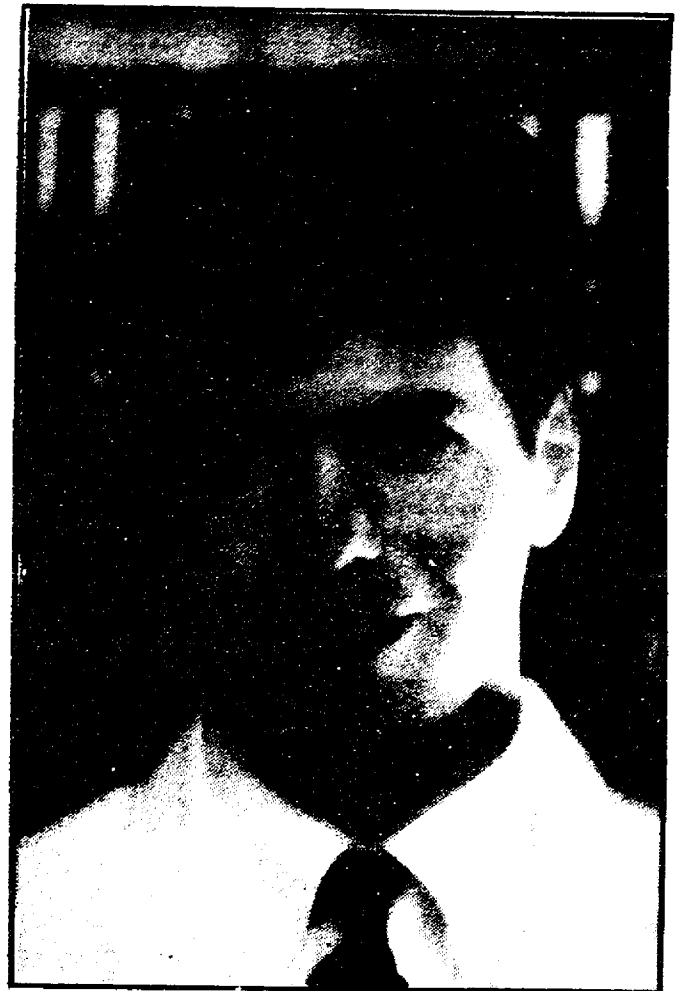
The four licensed medical doctors are specialists in ophthalmology and are trained to examine the eye and treat its diseases. All are certified by the American Board of Ophthalmology and are fellows of the American Academy of Ophthalmology.

Services include eye exams for children and adults, contact lenses, eyeglass prescriptions and treatment of eye diseases.

Surgical procedures include cataract and implant surgery, laser surgery,

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glaucoma surgery, eye muscle surgery, eyelid surgery and radial keratotomy (RK) surgery.

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## A good Joe goes the extra mile.

A lifelong East Side resident, Joe Ricci has developed a prosperous and well-known automobile dealership group and established himself, through his countless charitable projects, as a community leader. Although business takes the lion's share of his time, Ricci's passion for sports, his desire to motivate young people and his commitment to giving back to the communities in which he does business have made him a well-known personality in Metro Detroit.

At 45, Ricci remains an avid hockey player (and coach of the girls' ice hockey team at Grosse Pointe University Liggett School). A self-described "stay-at-home defenseman," something the Detroit Red Wings haven't seen since . . . well, just haven't seen before . . . Ricci invests his resources, monetarily and voluntarily, to support his hometown.

In hockey, a game enjoyed by Ricci since his days as a player at Notre Dame High School, certain defensemen are on the ice for only one reason: to stop the puck before it reaches the goalie. Sort of a last line of defense for the last line of defense. Often, this player receives little credit for his efforts because he score no goals, gets no assists and has no statistics in the morning box scores. But his teammates understand the magnitude of his contribution. "Life is a lot like sport," explains Ricci. "It's a team game. There isn't enough room for everyone to get the glory but there are plenty of important jobs to go around."

Based on his ideals of athletic competition — play hard, strive to be the best and remember to stay-at-home and protect the goal — Ricci began his career in automobile sales in 1979. After completing a master's degree in occupational psychology from the University of Michigan — he paid his tuition by working nights at the Jefferson Assembly Plant in Detroit — Ricci opened his first car dealership, now Joe Ricci Jeep/Eagle, at 18201 Mack Avenue in Detroit. Today, Joe Ricci Jeep/Eagle sells more vehicles than any other Jeep/Eagle dealership in the nation. Ricci also owns Joe Ricci Imports/Saab & Volkswagen at 17181 Mack in Grosse Pointe, and opened Joe Ricci Dodge, at 14765 Michigan Avenue in Dearborn in 1993.

In 1992, Ricci became actively involved with the Detroit Hornets, a Federation baseball club (with squads for 13-14 year-olds, 15-16 year-olds, and 17-18 year-olds) designed to show-

case outstanding players from the east side who otherwise might not have the opportunity to be noticed by scouts or earn scholarships. He has recently organized successful fundraisers involving Eastland Mall and the Detroit Tigers to benefit the Hornets.



Joe Ricci

Ricci organizes Hornets finances for everything from uniforms to sunflower seeds, but believes that scheduling visits from college and professional scouts — and providing scholastic and career opportunities for Hornet players — is the most important facet of his responsibilities with the team. This year, as a result of the increased visibility Ricci generated for the Hornets, four Hornets players earned scholarships to NCAA Division I universities.

Ricci was a fairly typical parochial high school student, where he learned first-hand the benefits of attending a private school. Today, he is a frequent contributor to Notre Dame High School, his alma mater, and to Grosse Pointe's University Liggett School. Ricci emphasizes, however, "I'm not a guy who just writes the checks. I get involved."

For the past two years, Ricci has been coach of University Liggett's girls' ice-hockey team. As the only team of its kind in Metro Detroit, Ricci must schedule tournaments against similar teams from Illinois and Canada. "The team is a great experience for both the girls and myself," he says. "We get to travel a bit, but, more importantly, we are breaking ground on what could become a popular women's sport in the future."

The original "Good Joe," a resident of Grosse Pointe, is married and has four children.

## Philip F. Greco Title Company opens sixth office

Philip F. Greco Title Company, the oldest locally owned title company in Macomb County, was founded by Philip F. Greco in 1972.

Its main office is located at 118 Cass Avenue in downtown Mount Clemens, a building once owned by Burton Abstract Co.

Greco Title started out with three employees. This year it opened its sixth office in the metropolitan Detroit area at 340 N. Main in Plymouth. Greco Title now has 187 employees, including four attorneys.

"Anybody who sells property in Michigan must provide proof of title for that property at the closing," said Philip E. Greco, president. "Our business is insuring the validity of titles."

Philip F. Greco Title Company insures titles for property that has been purchased and mortgaged. It deals with real estate brokers, banks, attorneys, certified public accountants, builders, property owners and purchasers.

Greco Title provides a full complement of escrow services and

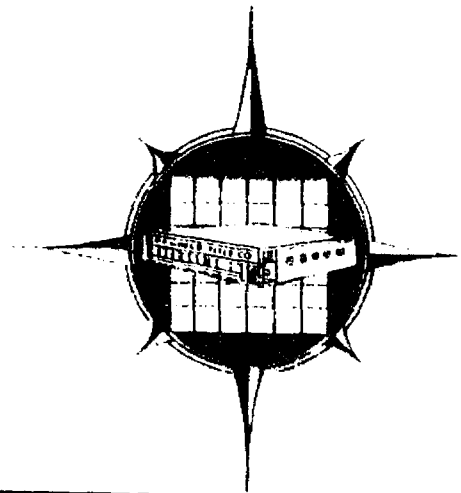
new construction servicing. It also closes commercial loans.

Greco said that most of the company's work is in the tri-county area.

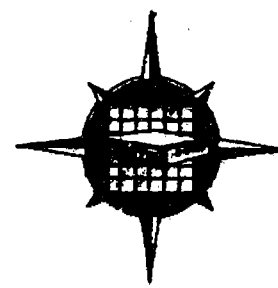
"We're proud of our experience and abilities as well as the years of service we have given to residents and others who need title insurance," he said.

Philip F. Greco Title's offices are located in Mount Clemens, Grosse Pointe Farms, Grosse Pointe Woods, Pontiac, Flint and Plymouth.

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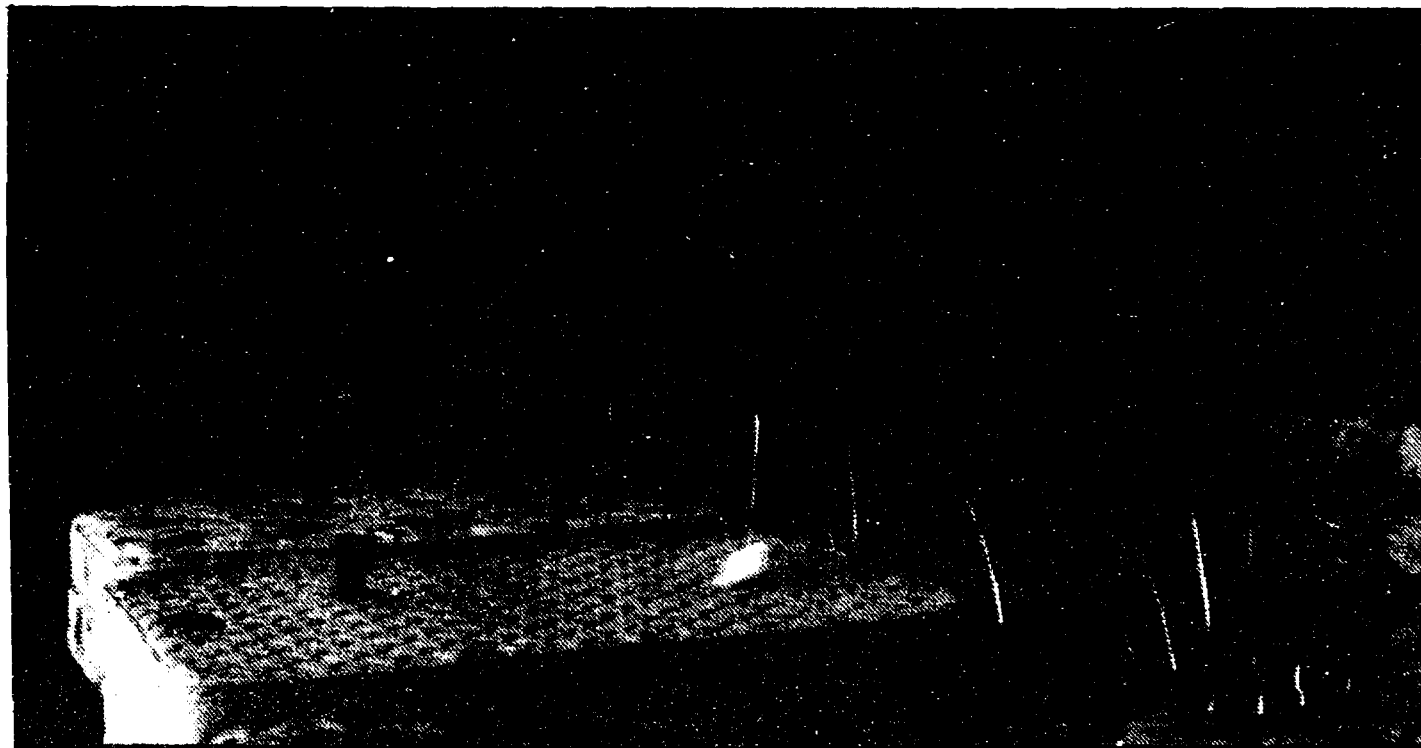
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This family-owned business which has been at the same location — 33251 Gratiot Avenue, 2 blocks north of 14 Mile Road — since 1986, strives to educate their customers instead of simply trying to sell them something. The customer is offered a refreshing change from department stores and furniture stores. Customers are encouraged to lie down on the mattress sets on display, stretch out and



relax — pillows are even provided. Imperial Mattress, as a further service, offers a 30-night home trial on most models to make sure you have selected the correct set for your needs.

Imperial Mattress also carries a large selection of brass, special finish and white iron headboards and beds, as well as rollaway beds, daybeds,

frames, even mattress covers to protect your new purchase. A new addition of interest to many people are electric adjustable beds. These beds provide a totally unique level of comfort and enjoyment as well as being helpful for some health problems.

Imperial Mattress makes every effort to provide their customers with the services needed to make this one of

your most satisfying purchases in a long time. Immediate financing is available. Delivery to the Pointes and Shores is always FREE. Imperial Mattress will also remove your old bedding set FREE.

During their customer appreciation days, Imperial Mattress would like to extend their sincere appreciation to all the customer's who have shopped with them over the last nine

years. In fact, ask your friends and neighbors. Odds are, with over 40 percent of Imperial's business coming from previous customers and referrals, someone you know sleeps on a bed from Imperial Discount Mattress. Call them today at (810) 791-0100 or for your convenience 1-800-295-BEDS (2337).

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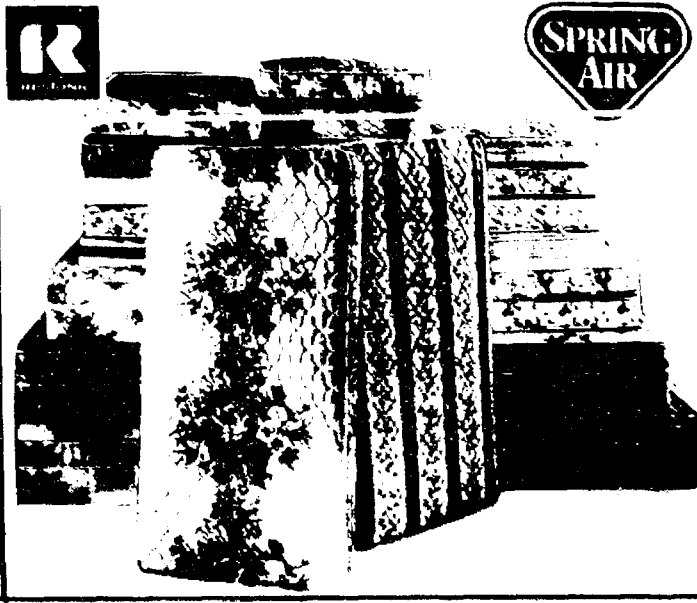
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Nora Maya Kachaturoff, M.D., and her staff would like to thank her patients in the Grosse Pointes, Harper Woods, St. Clair Shores, and the east side of Detroit as she celebrates her 10 year anniversary in the private practice of dermatology.



(Left to right: Lisa, Mary, Dr. Kachaturoff,  
Reggie, Diana, Kay)

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# Local dermatologist celebrates 10 years in the Grosse Pointe community

Dermatologist Nora Maya Kachaturoff, M.D. is celebrating 10 years of private practice in Grosse Pointe this summer. A decade ago she took over the practice of Dr. Harold Usndek. Her goal is to provide the highest quality and most efficient dermatologic care possible and she has been busy updating and improving the practice ever since.

"Dr. Usndek and I still keep in touch," she said. One of the first improvements made was a state of the art computer billing system. It allowed us to file claims for patients making it easier for them (although it was pretty complicated for us at first!)."

She named the computer system "Harold" in honor of Usndek and because she liked the idea of "having a man around the office."

Next came the remodeling, which never seems to cease. First the 1950's waiting room with wood panelled walls and shag rug gave way to glass block, contemporary furniture and art. As an art collector, Dr. Kachaturoff has colorful contemporary art displayed throughout the office.

One of the latest improvements to

**"You only get one skin, and it has to last a lifetime."**

— Dr. Nora Kachaturoff

the office is a voicemail system. Dr. Kachaturoff has realized how frustrated it is to be put on "endless hold" and with her new system, you can leave a message and your phone number for the nurses or receptionist to get back with YOU.

Dr. Kachaturoff also is an avid gardener and even takes care of the office grounds. Of course, you'll only see her out in her wide brimmed hat, protective clothing and sunscreen on her face (which she wears year-round). In 1990, she was presented with an award for garden beautification by the city of Grosse Pointe Farms.

To communicate with colleagues about patients they have referred to her or to dictate chart notes, Dr. Kachaturoff uses a state-of-the-art voice-to-print computer system. This allows her to dictate quickly and accurately and eliminates the need for a keyboard or transcriptionist. Incidentally, Dr. Kachaturoff started college as a computer science major, but switched to pre-med after one semester. She preferred more involvement with people.

Dr. Kachaturoff is known for the best collection of waiting room magazines in town. Although she wishes that patients would never have to wait, anyone who's worked with people will quickly learn that not every interaction can be precisely timed. If you have to wait, a pleasant atmosphere and plenty of great reading material make it more tolerable. You can find copies of Architectural Digest, Victoria, GQ, Sailing, Town & Country, Prevention, Sierra and, of course, the Grosse Pointe News in her waiting room.

The feeling of community is what Dr. Kachaturoff likes about Grosse Pointe. Last year she sponsored a winning girls' softball team through the neighborhood Club. She also contributes to the annual Fourth of July fireworks display at Parcels Middle School. (She prefers seeing no pediatric patients with burns on July 5th.) She has spoken on dermatology at both North and South high schools, informing teens on the facts about acne and the need for lifelong sun protection — "you only get one skin," she says, "and it has to last a lifetime."

"I'm celebrating my first 10 years in dermatologic practice in Grosse Pointe by thanking all my patients in the Grosse Pointes, Harper Woods, St. Clair Shores and the east side of Detroit for making it all possible," she said.

In addition, she notes that she couldn't have done it without her bright and friendly staff. Dr. Kachaturoff looks forward to providing the best dermatologic care to the community in the future.

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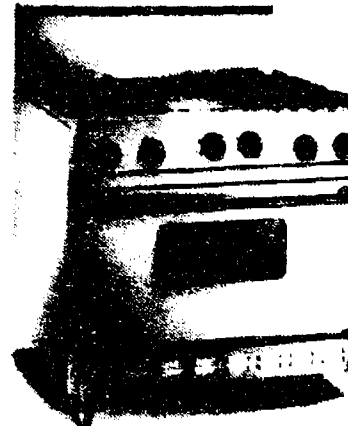
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Hurst offers ranges, ovens and refrigerators with well-respected brand names like Sub-Zero, Thermador, Gagganau and Viking.

"We are also selling a lot of European stainless steel dishwashers that are quiet and energy efficient. They use half as much water as American dishwashers. Bosch, Regency and Asco are some brand names.

Hurst has been associated in the appliance business since 1979. He said comparing his store to a fast-track appliance store is like comparing a fine old restaurant to a fast-food drive-through hamburger joint.

Fine dining involves time; quality

ingredients; attentive service.

"We often design a kitchen around the appliances, then let them make decisions based on facts. I often spend two or three hours with one client."

Hurst also holds the patent on a new high-tech ventilation system that he has started distributing nationwide.

He and his partner, Bill Finley, invented Vari-Vent, a vent that adapts to all kinds of range hoods and downdraft systems already on the market.

"Venting is very important today because of environmental hazards," Hurst said. Vari-Vent can be mounted in an attic, in crawl spaces or basements. It leaves more cabinet space available in the kitchen.

"We invented this, developed it, patented it. It's in the UL lab now. We have representatives in about 20 states," Hurst said. "It's also good for venting basements to get rid of odors, dampness and radon gas. It's like a dehumidifier."

For more information about Hurst Appliance, call (810) 778-8670.



# Pointe Fitness & Training Center offers personal training services by professionals

When Ken Welch moved to Grosse Pointe a few years ago, he looked for a place to work out. He wanted to find strength conditioning machines and circuit equipment close to his home. He searched for a friendly, club-like atmosphere. He couldn't find it.

So he bought a place of his own.

Pointe Fitness & Training Center, 17243 Mack (north of Cadieux, between Notre Dame and St. Clair) opened Feb. 1, 1995.

"We already have more than 300 members," Welch said, "and they're 300 of the nicest people in Grosse Pointe."

Welch's background is in behavioral services. He developed treatment programs for psychiatric patients at Wyandotte Health and Medical Center. His programs included strength training and volleyball.

Welch also has 30 years personal experience working out.

"Pointe Fitness & Training is a bit different than most places," he said.

"We teach people the value of circuit

and cross training and we place an emphasis on health."

The center offers personal training services by degreed certified professionals and features a cardiovascular room, free weights, weight machines.

Nadine Seeber, 68, is a new member. She's enthusiastic because she lost three pounds in the last few weeks.

"Exercise makes me look and feel a lot younger," Seeber said. "I feel good about coming here. Everybody needs this for a good quality of life."

Sandy MacMechan, who is in his early 50s, works out four days a week.

"It's like having your own private workout space, but better," he said.

"Nobody bothers you. But if you need help or direction, someone is always here."

Jim, 50, works out five days a week.

"This is one of the finest places I've seen," he said. "It's well laid out and the staff is made up of first-rate trained professionals."

Renee Keogh, who is in her 40s, works out at Pointe Fitness &

Training Center three times a week. "I was a beginner," she said. "Now this feels like home."

Welch has 25 pieces of Bodymasters



Ken Welch

equipment, which he chose for its state-of-the-art design, its smoothness and its excellent biomechanics.

"We're a lot like a private club. We only offer one-year memberships," he said. "We have approximately an equal number of men and women and all ages are represented, from those in their 20s

all the way up to people in their late 60s. All levels of fitness are represented."

"It's a comfortable place. We have a lot of professional and business people here who get to know each other."

Reservations are not necessary. Most members come in at regular times, but change their schedules when necessary.

"When people come in for the first time, they spend an hour with a trainer who sets up a customized program for them," Welch said. "After that, the trainer is available as needed. It's a hassle-free, friendly atmosphere."

Fees are \$295 a year or \$32 a month after a one-time start-up fee of \$50. Hours are 5 a.m. to 10 p.m. Mondays through Fridays; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays; 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sundays.

Pointe Fitness is offering a free introductory personal training session through August and an extra month free with a one-year membership if you sign up before the end of August. For more information, call (313) 885-3600.

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# Roseville Chrysler Plymouth dedication to excellence

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Since 1967, Roseville Chrysler-Plymouth has been providing their customers with service that is unparalleled. Thousands of satisfied customers have walked through their doors to purchase their cars here. They continue to receive complete customer support for as long as they own their cars. Roseville Chrysler-Plymouth is dedicated to excellence, and for the past twenty-eight years has been the proud recipient of the Chrysler Award for Excellence, a highly prestigious award only achieved by dealerships whose sales staff have met Chrysler's requirements for supreme service. They are even more proud to be rec-

ognized this year as the number one Chrysler-Plymouth retail dealer in the world by the Chrysler Corporation.

This can only be achieved by a team of employees and sales associates who are truly dedicated to complete customer satisfaction. General Sales manager Mike Riehl oversees all operations of Roseville Chrysler-Plymouth, and sees to it that the entire staff works to ensure that each and every customer is satisfied. Mr. Riehl maintains an open door policy, inviting customers to come and see him any time with questions or concerns.

Sales Manager Ken Reszczyk leads the team of sales associates, and has achieved the recognition of being among the Top 50 in the nation in sales. He is proud of his team of highly qualified and motivated associates who have also achieved high levels of excellence among their peers. Among them are business managers Dennis

Peternel and David Shepherd, both members of the Intercircle Membership of Business Managers Association. Both Dennis and David are also experts in finding the best possible financial program for each customer, whether they are buying or leasing a vehicle.

Roseville Chrysler-Plymouth has expanded their previously-owned vehicle department for better trade-in and selections of used automobiles. Associates Joe Prantera and Sean McAdam oversee this department that now consists of two used car areas.

Each member of the Sales Professional Club are eligible to compete for gold, silver, bronze and platinum level awards, and recognition through accumulation of point credits during a calendar sales year. This year, Chrysler is proud to acknowledge the sales staff at Roseville Chrysler-Plymouth with these awards: Brian

Ackerman, John V. Swanson, Mike Saigh, Phil Manis, Dennis Peternel and Jim Stec received gold level awards; and Stan Fildew, Marcelene May, Wilson (Duke) Mathews and Jeff Jones received silver level awards. Gold level achiever Brian Ackerman has also been recognized as being within the Top 30 in the nation. Brad Degroot, Bill Yuhas and Clint McIntyre have also worked diligently to help Roseville Chrysler-Plymouth achieve and maintain its number one status in U.S. Retail Sales.

Although sales are important to Roseville Chrysler-Plymouth, customer satisfaction is their number one priority. Certified and highly trained technicians staff their service department to ensure quality automobile maintenance and repairs. Because of the outstanding service their customers receive, Roseville Chrysler-Plymouth has maintained very high Customer Satisfaction ratings among the nation.

Roseville Chrysler-Plymouth invites you to come out and see the latest, most exciting automobiles that Chrysler has to offer, and experience for yourself the very best in customer service. Jim Riehl's Roseville Chrysler-Plymouth is located at 25800 Gratiot Avenue in Roseville. Phone (810) 772-0800.



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## Shady business makes old lamps look like new

Cook's — The Lamp Shaders usually has more than 5,000 lampshades and 200 table and floor lamps on displays in the store.

"Our typical customer comes in with a lamp in hand, some fabric, a sample of wallpaper or carpet — and is looking for guidance," said Marcia Connolly, owner/manager of the store.

"We work with our customers. Some want the same shade they had before. By bringing their lamp into our store, they can try on a variety of new styles and colors and create different looks."

Cook's is located at 27427 Gratiot in Roseville (three blocks north of I-696 on the west side of the street) and was established in 1954. The store has been owned by Connolly's family since 1962.

Cook's also recovers lampshades, makes new lamps and does repairs and restorations.



Connolly remembers some lamps better than others. "A few years ago, somebody brought in the biggest lampshade I've ever seen. This solid maple floor lamp had a shade that was 35 inches wide in diameter. Sad and tired-looking. It was a challenge. It looked great when it was recovered with a beige damask material and new

fringe."

Customers often bring in items for Cook's repair experts to make into lamps — telephones, trumpets, French horns, bubblegum machines, coffee grinders and fire extinguishers.

"One man came in with a car headlight that he wanted us to make into a lamp. It was from the first car he had

owned as a young man."

"We did it," she said. "We can do just about anything. We can replace Tiffany-style leaded glass, drill through crystal and ceramic, polish brass bases, and refinish metal and wood. We can take any attic treasure and make it look great again."

The store carries an extensive collection of finials — the decorative ornaments that screw onto the tops of the shades of some lamps.

"We have thousands of finials to choose from," Connolly said. "Our selection includes brass finials, crystal, semi-precious stones, cloisonne, seashells, jade and wood finials."

Cook's — The Lamp Shaders Co. is open from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays, Tuesday, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays; from 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursdays. For more information, call (810) 778-4002.

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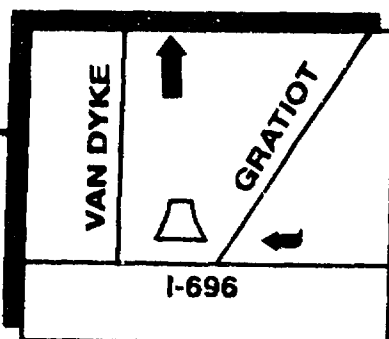
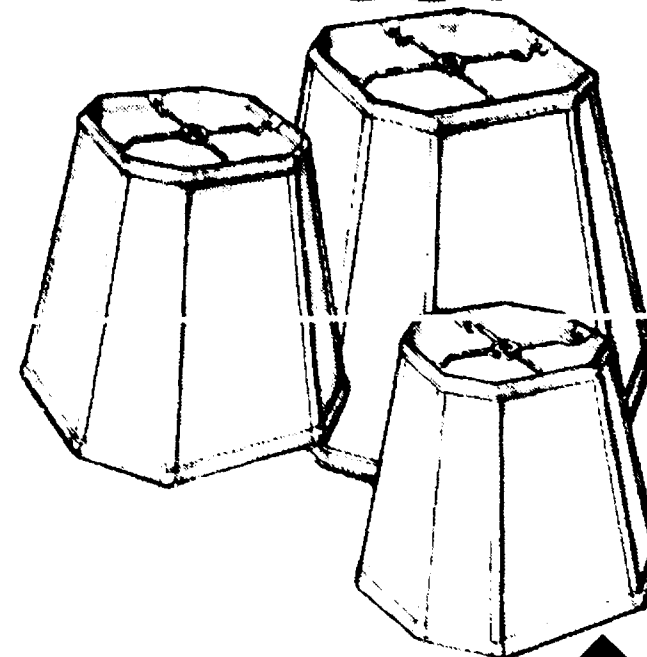
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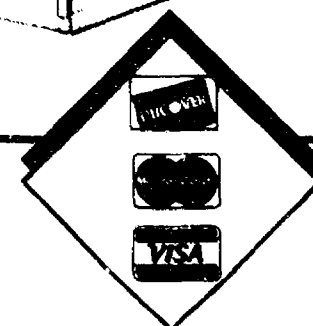
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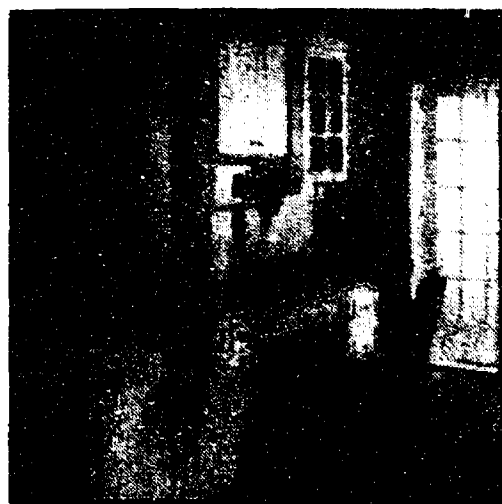
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It all begins with the design services of Mr. Baccus, who, after careful consideration of a customer's ideas and

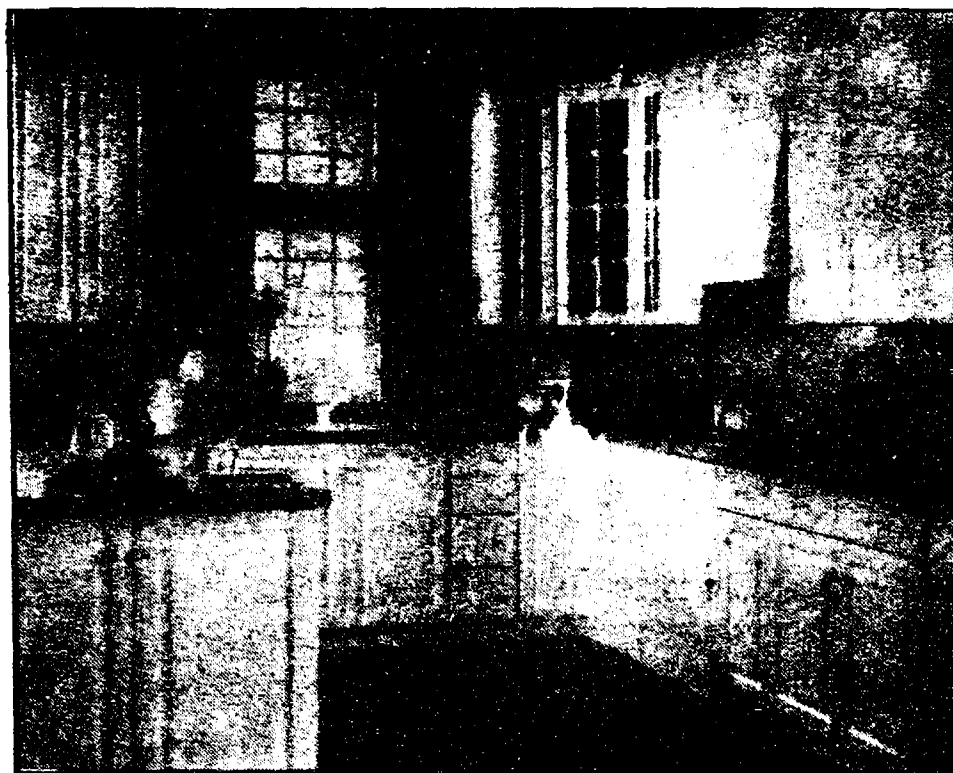
specifications, produces a design and cost of the prospective project. From there, Mr. Downey oversees the construction and works diligently to ensure that the finished application is just what the customer had in mind.

The Carpentry Shop does both residential and commercial work, including kitchens and bath remodels, major and minor additions, window replacements and some custom on-site cabinetry, usually required to match existing.

The Shop carries three cabinet lines, including Superior, a premium custom cabinet maker located in the Amish country of Indiana; Yorktown, a mid-range semi-custom line and Marsh, which is a modular cabinetry line very competitively priced.

The Carpentry Shop also features the Weathershield window line for new replacement application. According to Baccus, "it allows us to offer clad exteriors, real wood interiors, insulated glass with true 7/8" divided lights as opposed to snap in grills."

The showroom and offices are located at 15212 Charlevoix in Grosse Pointe Park. This excellent location offers free parking, unlike the Hill and



Village. Grosse Pointe Park has done an excellent job revitalizing this business area with its vintage street lamps, brick sidewalks and curb side trees.

Among the rewards The Carpentry Shop has reaped are a 1993

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## Victoria Place: dine and shop in romantic, historic atmosphere

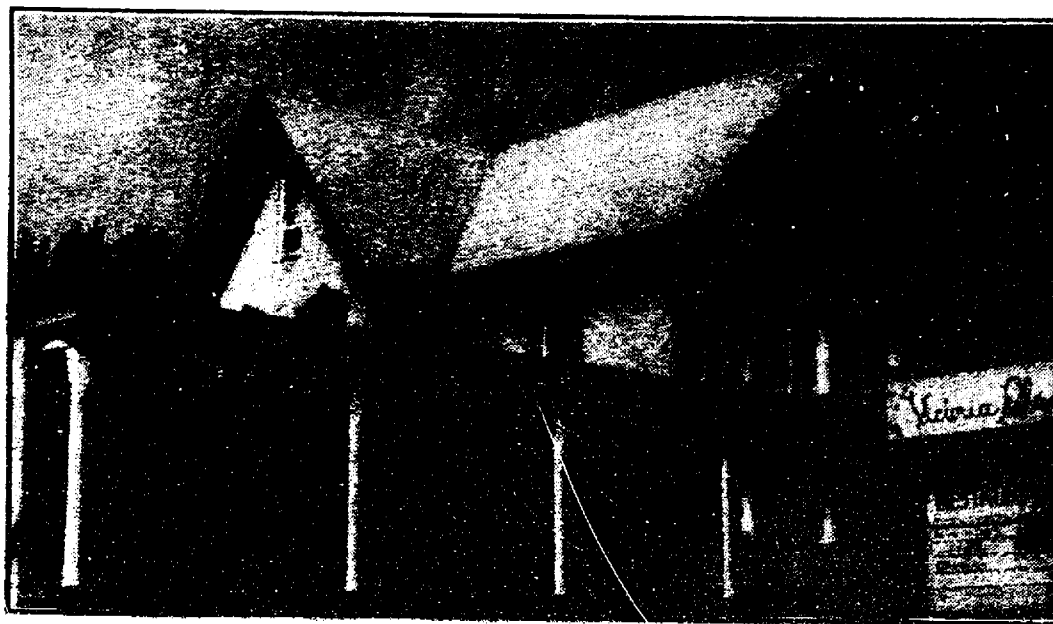
In a world of franchise dining and generic food, Victoria Place, 26717 Little Mack in St. Clair Shores, is unique.

Located in St. Clair Shores' oldest home, the Schneider Farm, Victoria Place is an excellent example of adaptive reuse of a historic structure.

The building was constructed before the Civil War. In 1986, Ray Domke and Larry Berdasono purchased the building and began renovating and adapting it.

Today, Victoria Place is home to the St. Tropez Cafe, an elegant restaurant with a romantic atmosphere; and Just a Little Bit of Everything, a gift shop. A hair salon, a nail salon and an antique jewelry store are also located in the building.

"We want this to be a casual and homey place where people will feel comfortable shopping and dining," Ray said. "This is a down-to-earth place



that's not stuffy. We enjoy a friendly rapport with our customers, and that's nice."

The dining atmosphere of St. Tropez Cafe may be laid back, but the food isn't, he said.

"For lunch we offer a selection of salads, sandwiches, pasta dishes and hot entrees. We also have our blend-of-the-day coffees, like raspberry or hazelnut cream."

Lunch is served Mondays through

Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Reservations are a good idea, but are not required.

"Our dinner menu always offers a variety," Larry said. "We have seafood, veal, poultry, pasta and beef dishes. We have original dishes that people can't get at upscale restaurants or franchises — things like pork tenderloin with apples, raisins and cheese.

"Plus, we have a choice of several stuffed chicken dishes and some excel-

lent pastas filled with a variety of seafoods."

The restaurant offers light entertainment with the meals. On Friday and Saturday evenings and during Sunday brunch, a classical guitarist provides background music.

"We're especially proud of our Sunday brunch," Ray said. "It's a four-course sit-down meal that begins at 10:30 a.m. and runs until 2 p.m.

St. Tropez Cafe is also available for private parties, wedding receptions, showers and anniversary celebrations.

Just a Little Bit of Everything is a unique gift shop that offers hundreds of greeting cards, a selection of gift books, candles, potpourri and small gift items.

"Some people spend the whole day here," Larry said. "It's hard to describe Victoria Place. You have to see it to believe it."



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Blair Gilbert, son of Gilbert's Hardware founder, Gordon Gilbert, has continued the tradition of quality service that his father instilled when he opened this business 46 years ago. Customers have come to appreciate the dedication Blair and his staff put forth when helping them with all of their hardware needs.

Located on Harper Avenue in St. Clair Shores, Gilbert's Hardware carries the most complete line of hardware supplies on the east side. Many hard to find pieces can be found here,

selection of products they have to offer. If they don't have what you're looking for, special orders are no problem, and can be available to you within two days.

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**"If we don't have it, you don't need it,"**

— Blair Gilbert

with thousands of items in stock.

If we don't have it, you don't need it, says Blair Gilbert, who takes great pride in the selection Gilbert's Hardware has to offer. We carry no housewares here, just the largest selection of industrial strength and industrial quality materials and products.

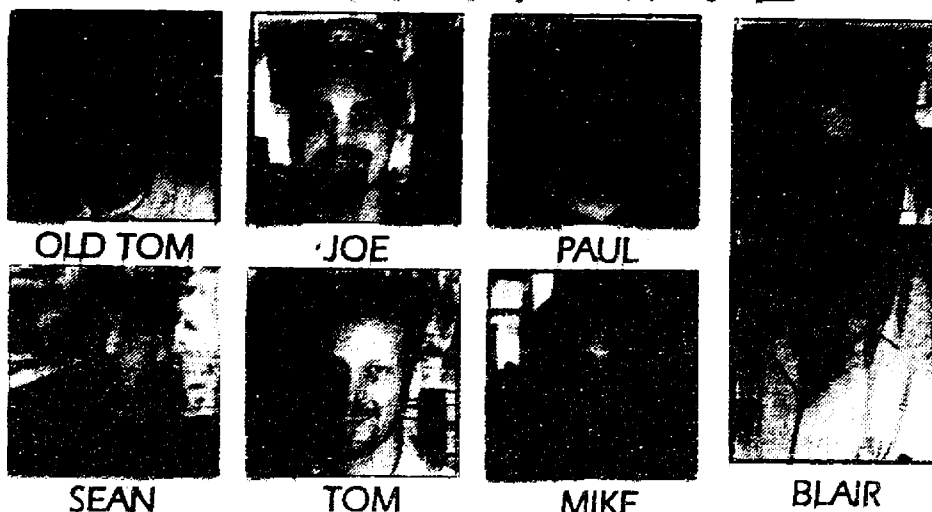
Gilbert's does indeed have a very large selection. They are a purchasing agent for many of the industrial businesses in the area, and over 25 percent of their clientele are industrial accounts. They ensure that all customers, however, receive the same expert service, and will appreciate the

ers many services, such as sharpening of almost anything and custom mixing of paints. Gilbert's can re-key locks and master key locks, cut and thread pipes, cut glass and plexiglass, and repair screens. All services are done quickly and expertly, and are guaranteed for your satisfaction.

Very community oriented, Gilbert's Hardware has participated in many community activities, and is a proud sponsor of the St. Clair Shores Memorial Day Parade. They also have provided support to many organizations within the area.

Gilbert's Hardware is located on the corner of Harper and Rosedale in St. Clair Shores. They are open Monday through Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., and Friday and Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Phone 776-9532.

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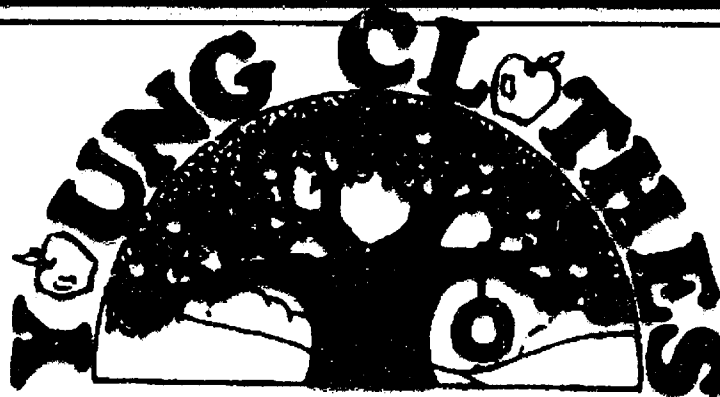
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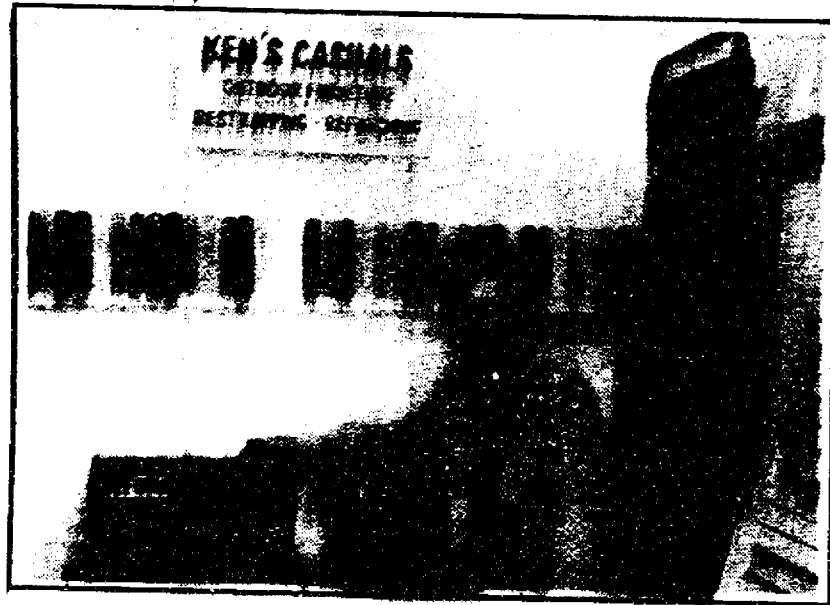
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## Turning a unique idea into a Thriving idea — Ken's Casuals



### Ken Bockemuehl

Owner

### Ken's Casuals

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Ken Bockemuehl, owner of Ken's Casuals, has turned a unique idea into a thriving business. Serving the multi-housing and hotel industries, as well as a large residential clientele, Ken's Casuals specializes in the refinishing and restrapping of outdoor pool and patio furniture.

Ken started his business on a part-time basis out of his home in the early 1980's, while working at another retail casual furniture store.

"We had requests from time to time of refinishing outdoor furniture and there was no one in Michigan providing that service. Little did I know how much need there was!"

In 1985, Ken's Casuals was officially founded and Ken turned his attention full time to the refinishing business.

His business soon outgrew his two-car garage and in 1987, Ken moved to his present location in an industrial complex in Troy. Expansion is still underway. The size of his shop has increased from 1500 to 4000 square feet in 1993. Another 2000 square feet was added in early 1994. Ken currently has six year-round employees and adds six to 10 more in the busiest seasons of spring and summer.

Ken attributes the growth of his business both to a real need for this type of service and his commitment to quality and customer satisfaction.

"Much of our new business is from referrals made by previously satisfied client," he said. "Knowing that we do a good job makes all the long hours and hard work worthwhile."

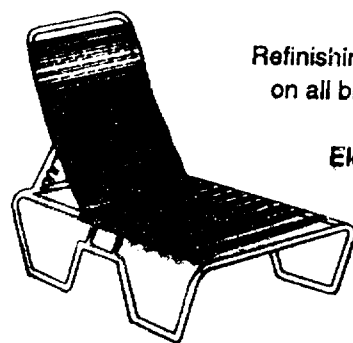
To provide a high quality finished product, Ken uses a high tech electrostatic paint application system with specialized automotive finishes

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for exceptional durability. All prep work, including sand blasting, is done in-shop and only top quality vinyl strapping is used, available in 50 different colors.

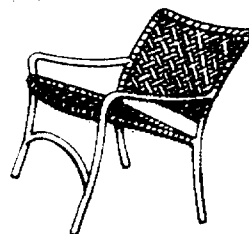
"Sometimes the hardest part for the client is deciding which color to pick," he said.



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## Owners of Village Locksmith like being known as neighborhood handymen

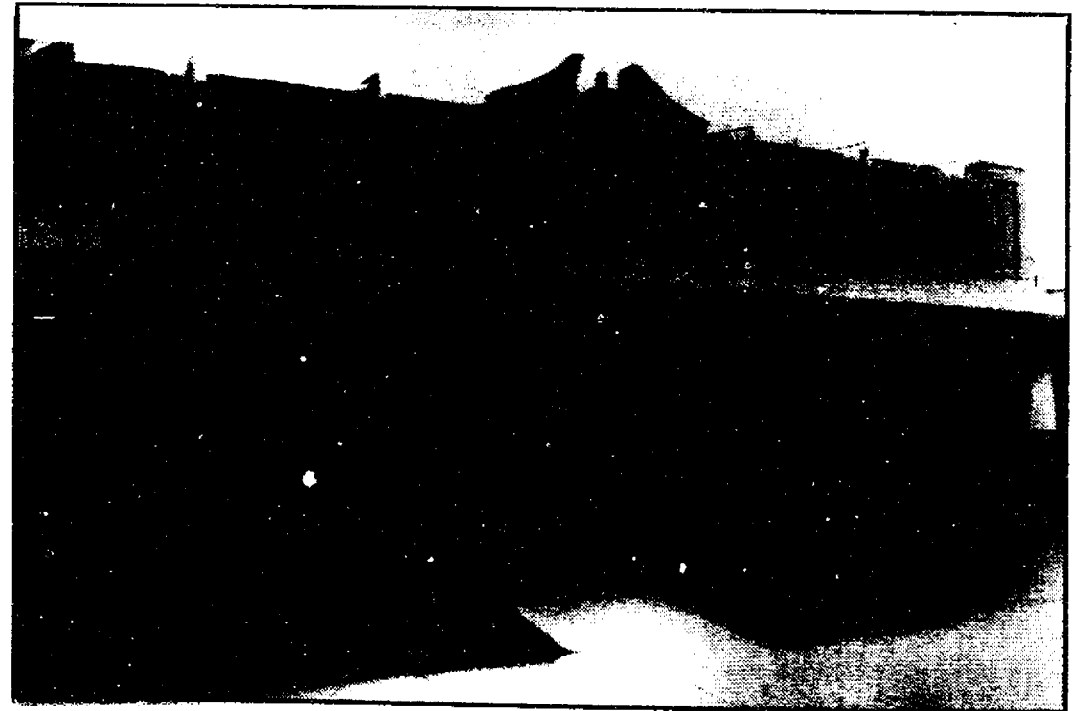
Village Locksmith & Home Repair started out as a neighborhood "Mom and Pop" home repair service. It still is.

"We like our image as the friendly

door knocker installed.

"We get big jobs too. But we specialize in the \$20 to \$300 jobs."

When Petkowitz can't solve a repair problem, he will refer a customer to



neighborhood store," said Mike Petkowitz, who owns the business with his wife Cindy. "We try to take care of small household jobs that people don't know how to do themselves and don't know who to call to do them."

Customers to Village Lock are usually greeted by a couple of friendly Brittanies — Sam (short for Samantha), her wiggly 10-week-old puppy (the last one of a litter of eight) or Jessie.

"When there's a couple of dogs wandering around the store, you know it's really a mom-and-pop operation," Petkowitz said.

"We'll get calls from people who want their storm windows taken off, or their gutters cleaned, or their window air conditioner put in or taken out," Petkowitz said. "Or from someone who wants a towel rack put up or a

someone who can help.

"I know there are three or four hardware stores in Grosse Pointe," he said. "I like to think that among all of us, we should be able to solve just about any repair or problem that a customer brings in."

Petkowitz said if he — or one of his five employees — can't fix something in a cost-effective manner, he'll say so.

"Sometimes we tell the customer that if the broken item doesn't have any sentimental value — throw it away and buy a new one."

Village Lock specializes in locksmithing, including special orders, rebuilding and repairing antique locks and making new parts. It's located at 18554 Mack in Grosse Pointe Farms.

For more information locks or home repairs, call Village Locksmith and Home Repair Co. at (313) 881-8603.

# RE/MAX In The Pointes exemplifies quality

Grosse Pointe residents Chris and John Cotzias are making headlines in the news. Chris and John have recently opened RE/MAX In The Pointes, located at 18472 Mack Ave. in Grosse Pointe Farms. They purchased this RE/MAX franchise in 1994 and opened their doors in January of this year. Their names and faces are familiar, as they have over 30 years combined real estate experience throughout the Grosse Pointe community.

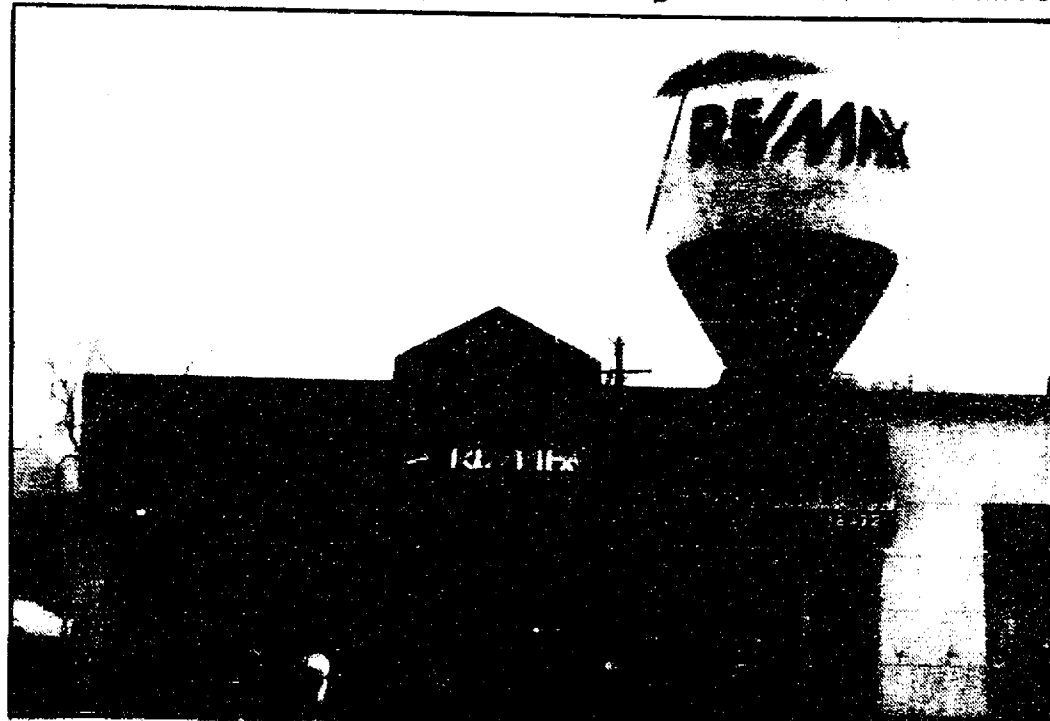
RE/MAX regional director Ed LeVoir states that the RE/MAX organization is very pleased to have Chris and John Cotzias as the Broker/Owners of RE/MAX In The Pointes. Chris and John exemplify the quality of individuals that makes

in mid-January of this year, and already has nine associates. John Cotzias adds that RE/MAX offers the total package in real estate, setting the

RE/MAX Satellite Network (RSN) is a great informational and marketing avenue that only RE/MAX has. It offers training and education via satellite to

one of that company's top producers.

Very active within the Grosse Pointe community, Chris and John have been instrumental in little league baseball, Babe Ruth baseball, and various soccer and basketball programs through coaching and sponsorships. Recently they donated the RE/MAX hot air balloon to raise money for the Grosse Pointe Park Little League program and Trombley School. RE/MAX In The Pointes hired the RE/MAX hot air balloon racing team to take children and adults for tethered rides to help kick off the opening day little league festivities. They also brought the balloon for Trombley Schools' recent ice cream



Chris and John Cotzias, Broker/Owners

RE/MAX the fastest growing real estate organization. Their reputations in the Grosse Pointe community and in the real estate industry, combined with the national and regional support of the RE/MAX organization, will set RE/MAX In The Pointes on course in establishing premier market presence in the Grosse Pointe real estate market.

RE/MAX In The Pointes has a goal to offer the most comprehensive real estate service to our customers and clients, says Chris Cotzias. To do this, our office is set up with state-of-the-art equipment and technology. The associates at RE/MAX In The Pointes all have fully furnished private offices, giving them a great environment to conduct business. We intend to have 15 to 17 full time realtors that desire, and are willing to take real estate to the highest level of professionalism.

RE/MAX opened in Grosse Pointe

standard of what people expect when seeking real estate representation and counseling.

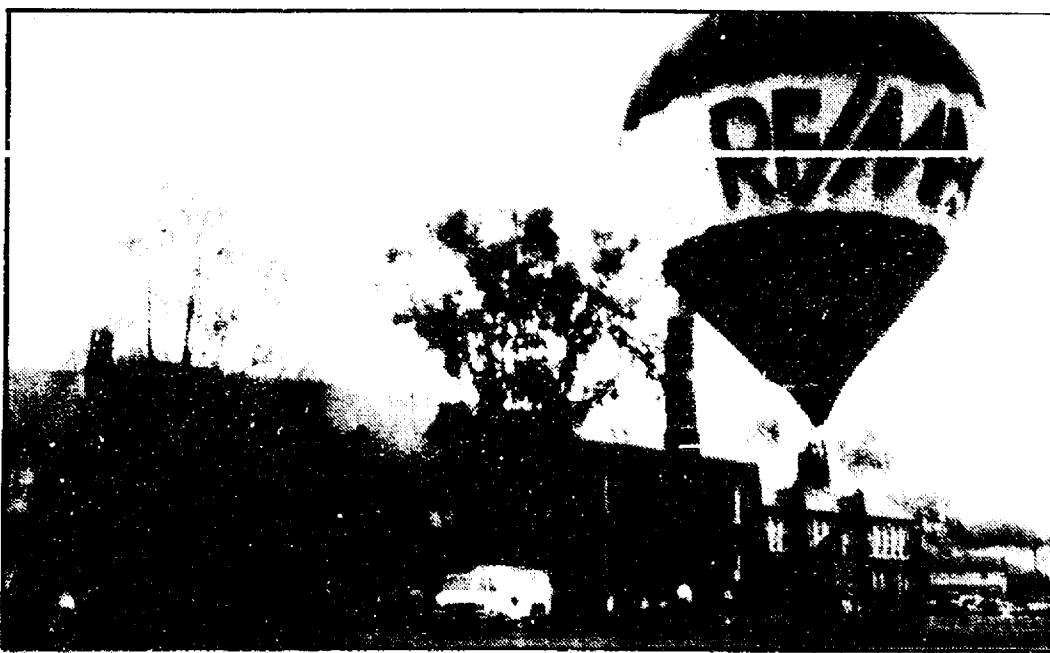
This is an industry where it is no longer who you know. Home buyers and sellers are looking to their realtors for what they know, demanding accurate information and accountability. The difference, says John Cotzias, is that it is an organization designed by top producing realtors for top producing realtors. RE/MAX allows the associates to be in business for themselves, not by themselves.

While the average years of real estate experience is six years, according to the National Association of Realtors, RE/MAX boasts an incred-

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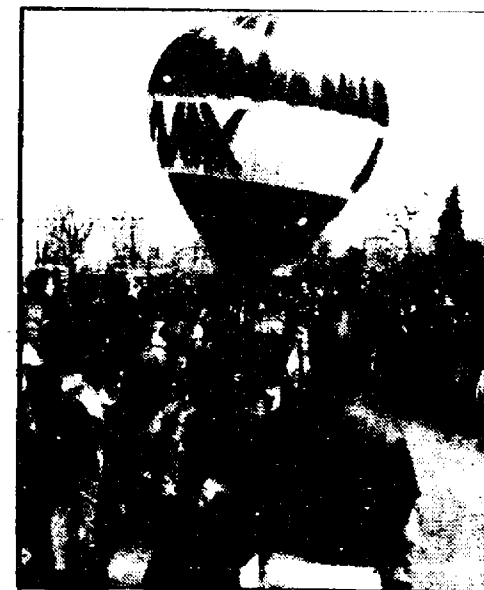
Locally, RE/MAX In The Pointes is a member of the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors and the Grosse Pointe Multi List system. LeVoir also commented that the enthusiasm, excitement and ideas generated by Chris and John Cotzias are new and aggressive. Their attitude is contagious and will be well



Trombley Ice Cream Social

ible average of 13.6 years of real estate experience for their associates. Chris also adds that, RE/MAX is the only real estate organization that owns and operates its own satellite network. The

received by the Grosse Pointe market. LeVoir said that he is not surprised as Chris was the managing vice president of another local real estate company for 10 years, and John was consistently



Park Little League opener

social. All proceeds raised for both events were donated by RE/MAX In The Pointes.

The success that RE/MAX In The Pointes is already having and will continue to have is attributed to the fact that Chris and John have created a team concept where they sincerely welcome and seek out input from their associates. John sums it up by saying, "Working together for a common goal is what RE/MAX is all about. Our goal is simple, to be the best at living up to our associates expectations, so they can provide their customers and clients the real estate counseling they deserve and should expect."

The Cotzias brothers are life-long Grosse Pointe residents and are active members of the Community. Chris and John are both graduates of Grosse Pointe South High School. They furthered their education at Western Michigan University where they both received their Bachelor of Science degrees.

## Spangle Portrait Design captures memories that last forever

Spangle portrait Design creates images that capture the feelings and personalities of their clients on film. Careful planning is one of the main ingredients that sets Spangle apart from other studios.

"We want our photographs to capture people being themselves," said

Jackie and Phil Spangle prefer photos of families on location interacting with each other. They're also known for their "soft touch" portraits. They start their weddings with a "love story," a casual session at an outdoor location with the bride and groom. This captures the feelings that



Harriet Kepes, portrait consultant for Spangle. "We meet with our clients before the photo session to talk about the 'feeling' of the portrait."

"We recommend choices of clothing and colors. We discuss effective use of make up with women" Jackie Spangle said. "We talk about the setting for the photo. If the setting will be outdoors, we plan what time of day will be best for the children and to capture natural light."

"A consultation with the family helps us find out what they like to do together. If they like picnics, for instance, we might select an outdoor park setting. One family's children played different musical instruments, which we included in their portrait."

Another family might want to include pets in their photo, she said, or they might want to be photographed on skis or on the deck of their boat.

The preliminary discussion also includes where the finished portrait will be displayed and whether the family wants a formal or a casual setting, Kepes said.

brought the couple together.

Then Jackie and Phil and the couple plan the wedding photographs together in a manner that will allow the couple to preserve the precious memories of their wedding, yet still enjoy the magic of the day.

In addition to the Spangles, an excellent staff of photographers is trained in their style.

Spangle Portrait Design, 21024 Mack in Grosse Pointe Woods, has been in business for 15 years. Phil and Jackie have won more than 35 international awards for their unique wedding photography.

"Our most important concern is our clients," Jackie Spangle said. "We want the portrait session or wedding to be a memorable occasion. We want the finished photographs not only to make them look their best, but portray character and personality."

"We'll do whatever is necessary to achieve these goals."

For more information about Spangle Portrait Design, call (313) 343-9169.

## BabySafe helps parents childproof their homes

Like most parents, when Sherrie Humphry's two daughters were toddlers, she put a gate at the top of her basement stairway. She covered electrical outlets with child-proof plugs. She locked up drain cleaners and bleaches and poisonous household products where her children couldn't get to them.

Still, she worried about the children's safety.

Her children are now 8 and 4. Humphry is marking the first anniversary of her new business, BabySafe Childproofing Co. BabySafe is a service that helps parents make environments safer for children.

"My goal is simple," she said. "I want to help assure safe, secure lives for children in their parents' and grandparents' homes."

Humphry and her staff do free in-home evaluations. They make recommendations about potential hazardous situations. And they sell and install safety products for children.

BabySafe inspections take about an hour, Humphry said. She then recommends changes parents can make.

Child-resistant electrical outlet covers are popular items for parents of infants and toddlers, she said, as are toilet lid locks, stairway gates, fire safety equipment, smoke alarms, protective devices for mini-blinds, child-proof cabinet latches and CPR certification for parents and babysitters.

According to the U.S. Surgeon General, about 100 children die every day because of in-home accidents that were avoidable.

Most parents are watchful. They never leave a child unattended. But they may not think about turning pot handles inward so that a toddler doesn't reach up and grab them, she said.

"And many parents aren't aware that some plants are poisonous. Baby can pull leaves off the plant and choke on them or be poisoned by them."

"Adult supervision is the best safeguard for children," she said. "Children should never, ever be left unattended. But taking a few simple precautions can increase the safety of most homes even more."

Humphry said parents can take advantage of her free estimate. Then they can purchase the childproofing equipment from her and have one of BabySafe's three part-time employees install it. They can purchase the items elsewhere and install it themselves. Or they can purchase the equipment from her and install it themselves.

Humphry is a member of the National Safe Kids Coalition, an organization that works to improve awareness of the safety and well-being of children which is based at Children's Hospital of Michigan.

For a free estimate or for more information, call Sherrie Humphry at BabySafe Inc. at (313) 882-BABY (2229).



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We try to give everyone the feeling that this is a family, in a friendly atmosphere, says Mazda Sales Manager Greg Lozon. Greg is very proud of his staff of associates, who ensure that each and every customer is completely satisfied.

The service department at Arnold Mazda is also top of the line. Using state-of-the-art technological equipment, every automobile brought in for service receives the utmost in quality care. Every technician on staff is a certified Mazda mechanic with a strong working knowledge of Mazda products. The entire staff must receive this certification to ensure quality, and continue their education regularly for updated skills

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# Merry Maids: The formula still works

Find a need and fill it. Seven years ago, Pointers Jill McBride and Trudy Rhoades applied the formula, forsaking careers as Million Dollar real estate agents. The need: to provide thorough, affordable housecleaning services to working mothers, seniors and others while providing flexible-hours employment to local women.

Starting with a small office on 8 Mile, and one cleaning team, McBride and Rhoades launched the first area outlet of Merry Maids, a booming national franchise with over 750 Merry Maid franchises throughout the country whose corporate siblings include Service-Master, Chemlawn, and Terminix.

Almost immediately, Merry Maids took off, with McBride and Rhoades achieving a 96.4 percent sales success ratio, and the number of cleaning Team Mates growing steadily to 26, each bonded and insured.

Merry Maids office was opened, on Grant Street in Birmingham. In 1992, Grosse Pointe Merry Maids moved to its present office at 21127 Mack in the Woods.

In 1990, the two entrepreneurs identified another growth area: Birmingham/Bloomfield, and a second

Today, the two offices are among the top-producing 10 percent in the U.S., according to Merry Maid's national figures, and McBride and Rhoades have won five sales awards.

## Merry Maids Ranked No. 1

What do the No. 1 maid service in the world, the fastest-growing maid service in the world and the No. 1 low-investment maid service have in common? The answer is Merry Maids, and the result is another Merry Maids sweep of the Entrepreneur magazine group's franchise rankings.

For the 12th year in a row, Entrepreneur magazine ranked Merry Maids the No. 1 maid service in the world. Merry Maids improved from No. 41 to No. 37 in the overall ranking of all franchises. Entrepreneur is widely recognized by business opportunity experts as the bible of business opportunity publications because of the

laborious, thorough review of thousands of franchisor applications and surveys to compile the multi-feature special report in the magazine's annual January edition.

The magazine also featured Merry Maids in its ranking of the top 100 fastest growing franchises. Merry Maids ranked 19th in this listing with 116 new franchises in 1994 (which includes international franchises). Merry Maids was the only maid service in the top 25 listing. Among the leaders were McDonalds, Burger King, Dunkin' Donuts and General Nutrition Centers.



"Our philosophy is simple," said McBride. "Trudy and I estimate fairly, hire and train good people who do the work right, and we genuinely care about customer satisfaction. That's why our work is guaranteed."

Asked how Merry Maids differs from some other housecleaning services, Rhoades replied, "unlike them, our ladies get down and do the grunge work, top to bottom. They don't just show up in a cutesy costume and dust lampshades."

Merry Maids estimates are based on the amount of area to be cleaned, and are free of charge.

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## Bedding plants, special orders, service are priorities at Allemon's on Warren

Allemon Florist and Garden Center, 17931 E. Warren in Detroit, is best known for its bedding plants.

During May and June mounds of impatiens (five different colors, three sizes), flats of begonias, pots of geraniums and petunias crowd the aisles, according to manager Bernie Allemon.

Colorful perennials compete for attention — pots of carnations, foxgloves, clematis, azaleas, black-eyed Susans, morning-glories, forget-me-nots and more beckon gardeners.

Browsers are welcomed.

Questions are answered. Seasoned green-thumb types and novice gardeners mingle.

Asked to compare his stock to that of Eastern market, Allemon said, without hesitation, that the market's plants are cheaper.

"However, we deal in a quality product," he said. "Sure we're a little more expensive. We get our plants from suppliers that don't deal with Eastern Market."

"We're also known for service," he said. "We will special-order plants and products our customers want."

"We're also a full service florist. Many people don't know that. We do weddings and we provide funeral arrangements."

Allemon's on Warren also sells a full line of Ortho products and Greenview products. And Allemon's provides FTD and Teleflora services. "We can send flowers anywhere in the world," he said.

"We're cleaner. We're closer. And — we have coupon specials."

# Century 21 East raises funds for Easter Seal Foundation

Bill Eldridge, owner and CEO of Century 21 East, likes to talk about his employees' commitment to the Easter Seal Foundation.

"More than 8,000 children in the Detroit area receive assistance from Easter Seals," Eldridge said. "Our support and commitment is a way to directly—and in a very personal way — give something back to the community."

Century 21 is an international organization of more than 8,000 Real Estate companies. The Easter Seal Foundation is the national organization's chosen charity.

Century 21 East sponsors several local Easter Seal fundraisers each year.

"We're fortunate to have some local celebrities who help us out with these," Eldridge said.

The biggest event is a 24-hour marathon relay. This year it will be held at Henry Ford II High School in Sterling Heights. It raised \$70,000 last year.

"We're looking for teams as well as individuals to participate," Eldridge said. "Kirk Gibson is our honorary



chairman this year. We sponsor teams and individuals who, in turn, solicit pledges for Easter Seals."

Century 21 East also puts on an annual dinner dance. For the last six years it attracted about 400 people and was held at a private club in Grosse Pointe Shores.

"We sell tickets," he said, "and the band donates its time, vendors donate door prizes and we give all the proceeds to charity. Mort Crim, WDIV-TV anchorman, and Chuck Gaidica, WDIV-TV meteorologist, take turns emceeing the gala evening. Last year,

the benefit raised \$16,715."

This year's dinner dance will be Nov. 10.

Century 21 East will sponsor the Dino Ciccarelli Golf Tournament this summer at the Black River Country Club in Port Huron.

"We will raise between \$15,000 and \$20,000 at this event," he said. "It all started when we sold a house to Dino about three years ago. Now he helps out by lending his name and his time to the Easter Seals."

This year's tournament will be July 17.

"In addition to these three benefits," Eldridge said, "each of our 10 offices also organizes something like a garage sale or a bake sale to raise even more money."

Century 21 East has been in the Grosse Pointe area for the last 12 years. It has 10 offices, employs 55 real estate professionals who sold \$360 million worth of real estate last year.

The fifth largest broker in the state of Michigan, Century 21 East was among the leaders in quality service among all Century 21 offices in the world for the last two years. It also sold more waterfront homes in the Grosse Pointes and St. Clair Shores than any other single company.

Century 21 East is known for quality services in listing and selling homes, Eldridge pointed out.

"But the flip side is that we're also known for helping people. And that's why we're involved with Easter Seals."

Eldridge was honored at a recent national gathering of Century 21 owners in Las Vegas. He is shown accepting an award for his contributions to Easter Seals.

## Home Buyer's Dilemma — The Century 21 East Solution

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# Hadley Home Improvement Doll Hospital & Toy Soldier Shop specializes in traditional toys

If you're considering making any investments in the near future, you might start by renovating your home. Adding more living space or improving on the space you do have will increase the value of your home considerably.

Since 1975, Hadley Home Improvement Company has been providing quality building and remodeling services to their customers. From kitchens, baths, recreation rooms and additions, to aluminum siding, trim and gutters, roofing and cement work, Hadley Home Improvement incorporates the expertise of many skilled tradesmen that enable them to offer professional, quality home improvement services, guaranteed.

Bill Hadley, President of Hadley Home Improvement, and his proficient craftsmen have many years combined experience in all areas of remodeling, and their sales staff are highly trained individuals who can offer expert advice on home improvement. With so many experts in-house, it enables them to ensure quality, professional service to each and every customer.

One other way to ensure customer satisfaction is through their recently developed "Customer's Roofing Expectation List." Most people replace their roof only once, and many people do not know what

to expect or how to prepare for it. Hadley Home Improvement provides their customers with a list of important points to be aware of to better prepare them for this renovation to their home. As with every job that Hadley Home Improvement does, they are honest and straightforward, and stand behind the work that they perform.

In addition to their home improvement company, Hadley also owns Grosse Pointe Painting for interior and exterior painting, and paper hanging. Using only the highest quality materials, Grosse Pointe Painters are just the people you need to finish your newly renovated living space, or provide that beautiful new look you've been dreaming of.

All jobs are inspected daily to ensure quality of service and complete customer satisfaction. All work comes with a five year warranty, as well as manufacturer's warranty. But Hadley does not hesitate to provide service and advice even after the warranty expires.

Hadley Home Improvement has been providing quality service to the Grosse Pointes and surrounding suburbs for almost twenty years, and fully stands behind their work. Honest and highly qualified, Hadley Home Improvement and Grosse Pointe Painters are fully licensed and insured.

For a free estimate, phone Hadley Home Improvement at 886-0520. Office hours are 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., but voice mail hours are twenty four hours a day, seven days. Grosse Pointe Painters can be reached by phoning 882-9234.

The Doll Hospital and Toy Soldier Shop, 3947 W. 12 Mile in Berkley, is a 47-year-old third generation family business dedicated to preserving traditional toys and learning activities.

The store appeals to parents who are concerned about the lack of play value associated with many modern "TV" toys. The Doll Hospital offers thousands of playthings characterized by desirable qualities (they're con-

exquisite miniatures. Or, how about a Marklin train, with all-metal construction, reminiscent of the Lionel "S" gauge of 60 years ago. You will also be delighted to find Michigan's largest selection of Brio, Playmobil and Erector sets.

Good service also keeps customers coming back. Whether installing a large wooden play system, restoring a doll, repairing a train or assembling



The Doll Hospital and Toy Soldier Shop is a 47-year-old family business. From left, are Stacey Parish, granddaughter and general manager; Jim Noettl, grandson-in-law and doll restorer; and Kay Parish, owner.

structed of wood or metal; they're hand-crafted; durable; collectible; etc.) and by their ability to stimulate fantasy play derived from the child's own imagination.

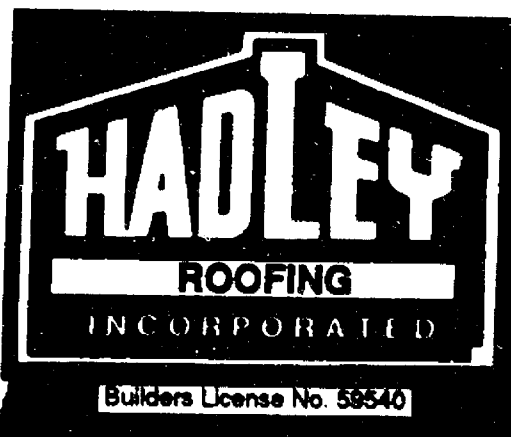
Since children often don't see traditional toys on TV, a summer field trip to The Doll Hospital can be an eye-opener. Children may discover "new" toys that just happened to have delighted their great-great grandparents when they were kids.

There are smartly dressed antique dolls from all periods and modern collectible dolls by Alexander, Gotz, Effanbee, Wendy Lawton, and more. Metal-based, hand-painted toy soldiers and castles stand alongside a doll house village and thousands of

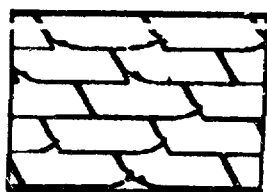
and painting a doll house, a genuine interest in customer satisfaction guides Doll Hospital employees.

If you can't come into the store, call 1-800-551-PLAY for an experienced salesperson, who will suggest appropriate gifts and send them promptly. Catalogs are available in the fall and a regular newsletter will be sent to those who are interested in specialty toy trivia. Still, it's only a 20-minute trip for east siders via I-696. So why not treat yourself to a visit?

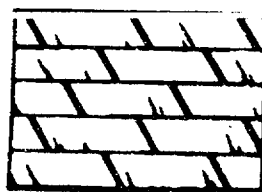
First-generation owners Kay or Roger, second-generation family members Jack and Ruth, and third-generation family Stacey, Cindy, Jim and Sara, are active in the day-to-day operation of the business.



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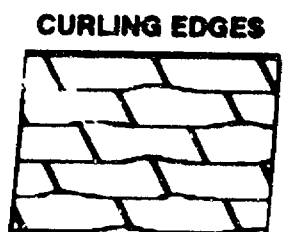


1. MISSING SHINGLES. Blown off in high winds or storms.



2. AGE. 15 years is the normal life expectancy of organic shingles - ones most commonly used in the 70's.

3. CURLING EDGES. Due to water absorption into the back of the shingle.



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4. COLOR VARIATIONS between areas of shingles.

5. CUPPED SHINGLE TABS. Abnormal shaped shingles.

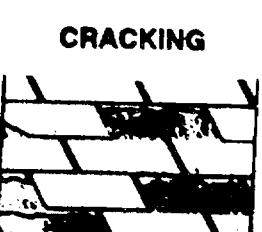
6. CRACKED SHINGLES. From cold weather and wind.

7. DISCOLORED ROOF DECKING. Water damage to the inside wall of attic.

8. BLISTERING. Caused by moisture within or under the shingles.

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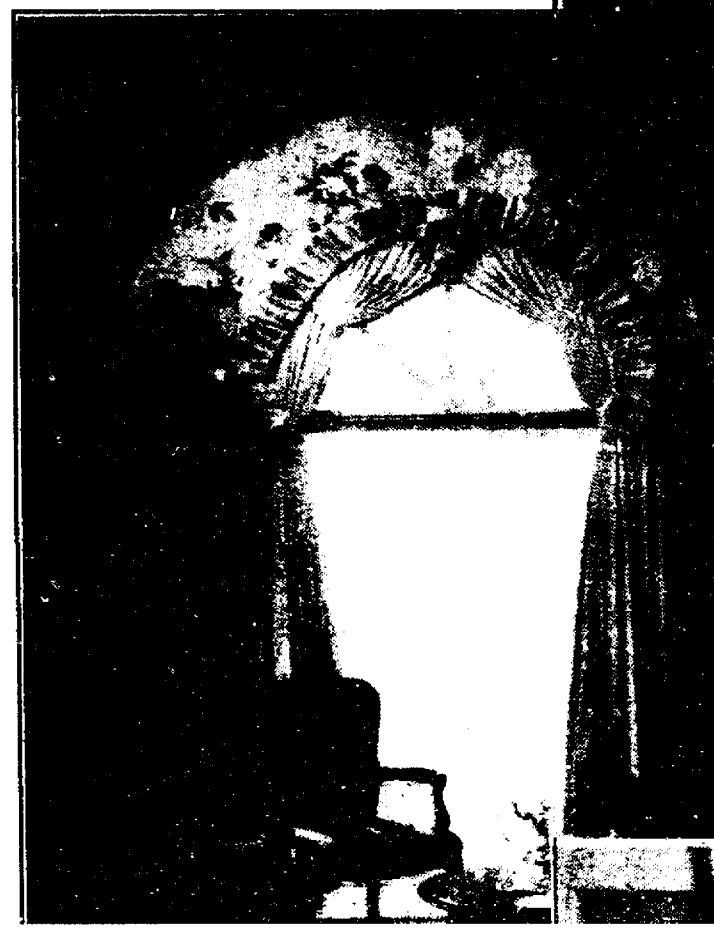
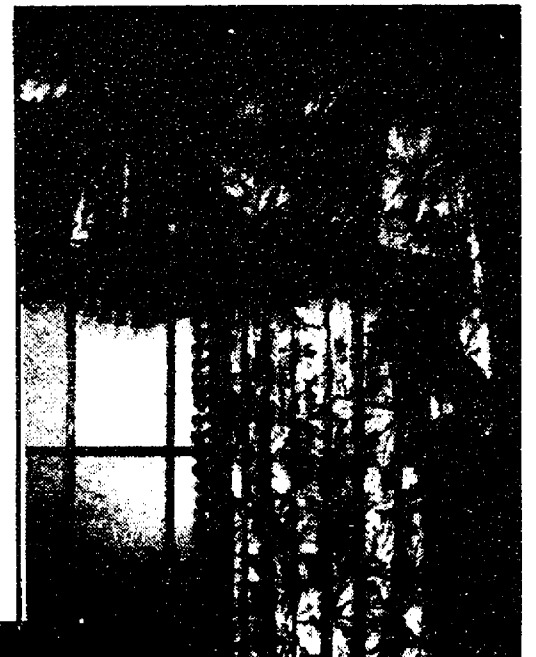
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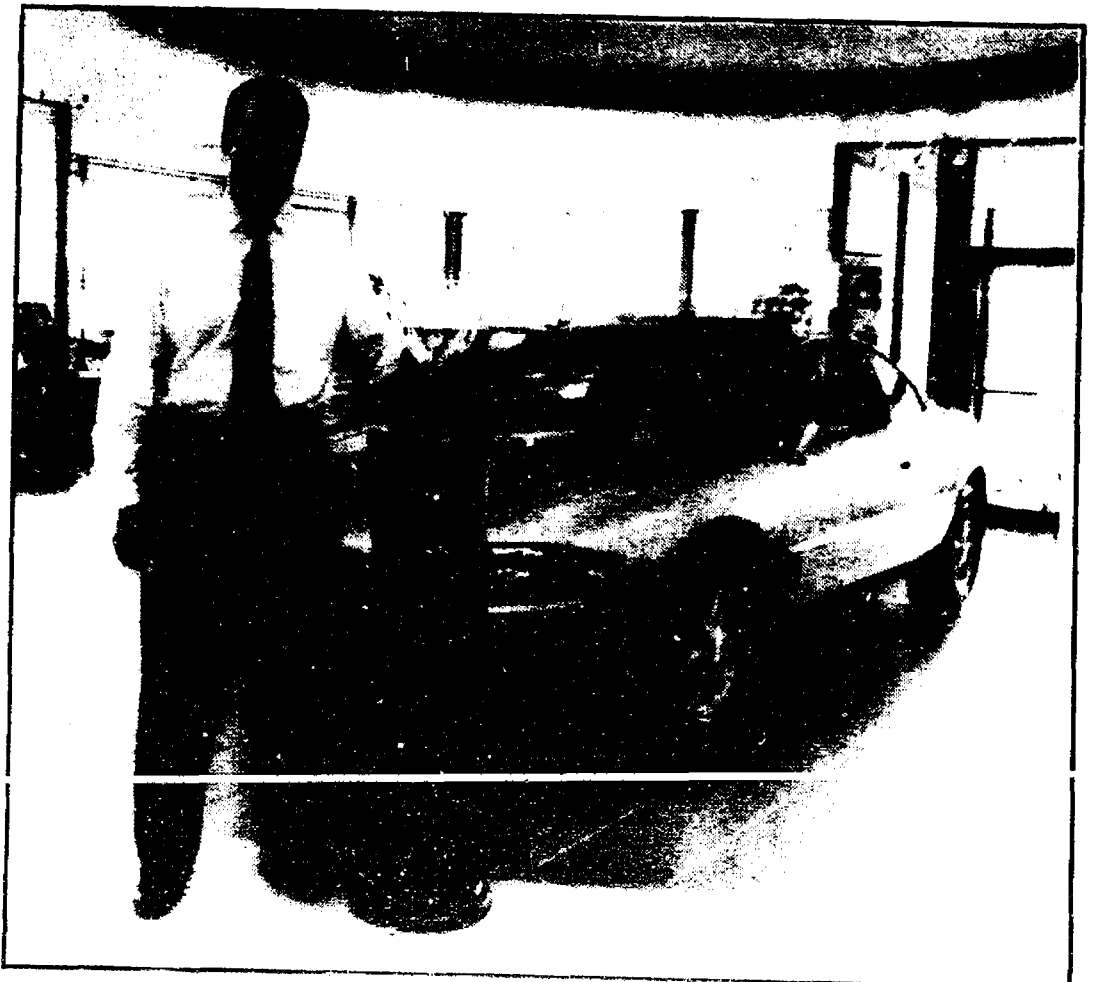
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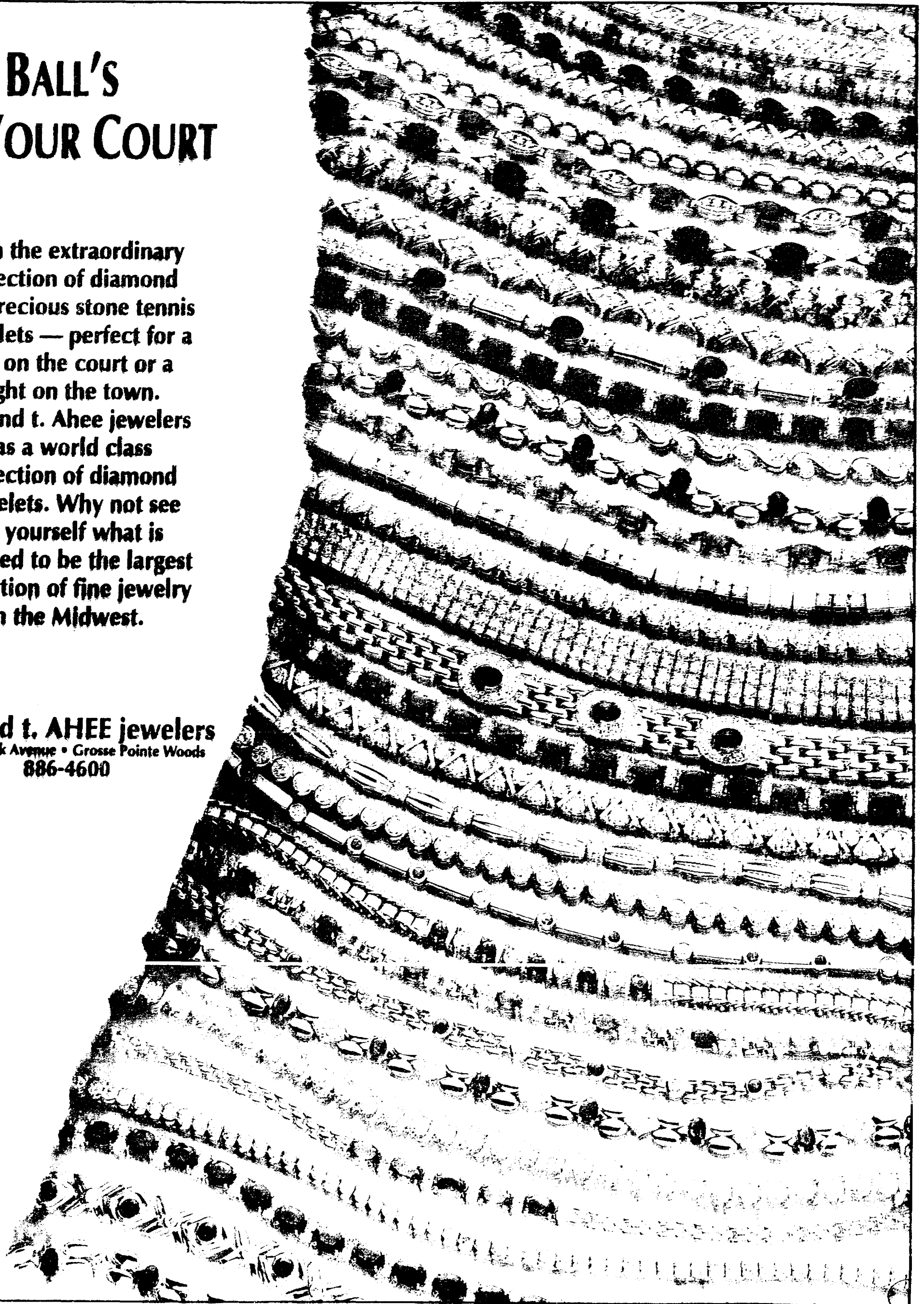
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# Plant an extra row of vegetables for the hungry

Sowing a few extra seeds in your garden this year may seem a small way to join the fight against hunger, but come harvest time it will make a world of difference to someone without food.

A new program aimed at wiping out hunger through the help of home gardeners is gaining support throughout the country. Dubbed "Plant a Row," the idea is to enlist gardeners to go a step further during the planting season by laying down an extra row of seeds, resulting in vegetables and fruits that can be donated to local food pantries after they've been planted.

"Plant a Row" organizations have begun springing up around the country thanks to the generosity of gardeners and the encouragement of The Garden Writers Association of America (GWAA), a group of 1,300 journalists interested in horticulture.

"We want to send the message to each gardener that their contributions can really make a difference," said Jeff Lowenfels, president of the GWAA. "Garden writers across the country are already helping to get the word out to close to 100 million gardeners who read magazines and newspapers, listen to the radio and watch TV. Between the garden writers and our nation's gardeners, we can make a tremendous contribution toward ending hunger."

Easy Gardener Inc., manufacturers of gardening products such as WeedBlock and BioBlock, are supporters of the Garden Writers Association of America, and fully back the "Plant a Row" program.

"Providing fresh fruits and vegetables to the hungry is something Easy Gardener stands behind strongly and we will help to make this program grow," said Boyd Thomas, marketing director for Easy Gardener.

"Donations of fruits and vegetables really make a difference in the fight against hunger, and that is a tribute to those gardeners who support this program."

Planting one extra row will take up a very small area in the garden. The following are some helpful tips on getting the most out of the space you have.

There are a number of ways to go about raising vegetables. Planting in

wider rows, up to 15 inches across, or in blocks, with seeds scattered at random, yields four times as many vegetables than those planted in narrow rows. If your garden is small, planting in blocks will increase your yield.

Another way to boost your harvest is to grow vegetables on vertical supports. This increases the yield per square foot. Planting crops in raised beds, where the soil is several inches above ground level, allows the bed to warm up faster and provides for better drainage.

Last, planter boxes mainly used for herbs and spices may produce small yields, but they take up no garden space and can be trimmed throughout the summer for food. Remember, the smallest donations help in the fight against hunger, so whatever planting style you prefer to generate food is the one you should stick with.

Almost all cities and towns have a food program for the hungry. Many are sponsored by churches, synagogues, the Salvation Army or similar organizations. If you can't locate a food program where you live, contact the county offices, which will direct you to a program.

Lowenfels added that the hungry are sometimes forgotten during the warm summer months, but the need for fresh fruit and vegetables remains high even at this time, especially for children.

"During the summer months fresh produce and vegetables are crucial because the gardens can help feed

children while free school breakfast and lunch programs are not available," he said.

The vitamins and minerals contained in fresh vegetables, as opposed to canned products where some nutrients are lost, will help in child development.

So come August, when the tomatoes are red and the green beans are ready to eat, pick the row designated for the hungry. You're likely to find that your garden once again has provided an abundance of food even after the donation. Plus, you'll have that extra satisfaction that you can only get from sharing with others.



**Plant a Row For The Hungry**

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**SHARE THE HARVEST** - Make a difference this year by joining the Garden Writers Association of America and Easy Gardener in supporting Plant a Row for the Hungry. Simply plant an extra row of vegetables and bring the food to a nearby soup kitchen or homeless shelter.

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## ON THE COVER

### 1004 BERKSHIRE Grosse Pointe Park

Grosse Pointe Park — Traditional styling and attractive landscaping add to the many other appealing features of this well located home. Features include four large bedrooms, two full baths plus powder room. New family room with fireplace measuring 22 x 18. Fine decorating touches - wallpaper and matching window treatments. New Anderson windows. New landscaping. Finished basement with wet bar and fireplace. Two car attached garage. It's here today! May be sold tomorrow! Immediate possession is possible for the lucky buyer of this well-designed Colonial.



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<b>Berkshire</b>	English Tudor	4 Bedrooms	3 1/2 Baths	Fam. room, library, laundry rm.
<b>Bishop</b>	Colonial	3 Bedrooms	2 1/2 Baths	<b>Open Sun. July 9th &amp; 16th</b>

# Garden clubs have gained in popularity this century

Those of us who belong to garden clubs tend to think of our own small group as a little, self-contained island of activity that is unique and special — which, of course, it is in many ways, but it is also a very real part of what has become a great force over the last 100 years and one which has had a tremendous influence on gardening all over the world.

The first garden club on record in this country was the Athens Garden Club, formed by a group of women in Athens, Ga. in 1890. It was a small, local group established for exchanging gardening know-how and experience. Soon, other localities, hearing of the group, began to form their own garden clubs, and in 1913, the Garden Club of America was founded in Philadelphia.

The clubs began to multiply, and in 1914 many of them were amalgamated into the Federated Garden Clubs.

In the beginning, garden clubs concentrated on home gardening, but it was not long before they began to take on civic responsibilities as well, including wildflower conservation, preservation of wildlife, and landscaping of parks, public buildings, nature centers and highways.

Flower shows and horticultural demonstrations proliferated until world-class events, such as the famous Chelsea Flower Show in

England, became annual occurrences.

There has even been a specialization of garden clubs as a result with the formation of countless single-plant societies — the Rose Society, the Lily Society, the Hoya Society, for example. Scarcely a plant exists that does not have its own supportive society.

Grosse Pointe has more garden clubs for its size than any other community in the country, except for Stamford, Conn., which is another garden-oriented place.

A recent visitor from England said that Grosse Pointe seemed to be one vast garden situated on the shore of a beautiful lake. A nice thought, and very nearly true. How fortunate we are to be also surrounded by many public gardens within easy driving distance. The spectacular gardens at the Henry Ford Estate, Fairlane, in Dearborn, and the equally spectacular gardens at the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House in Grosse Pointe Shores were both designed by famed landscape architect Jens Jensen, who specialized in large estates and public parks with vistas, meadows, pools and flower lanes to delight the eye. And the gardens at Cranbrook, or at Greenmeade in Livonia are also horticultural treasures.

Vegetables share the spotlight with flowers at this season in our gardens, when so many of them have blossoms



which we tend not to notice, having our minds set on the products to come.

Looking at the delicate flowers which adorn potato plants, for instance, it is not difficult to understand why Marie Antoinette wore them in her hair and started a fashion for potato flowers.

Even though the potato is a staple food in a great part of the world, it is a native of South America and was developed many centuries ago by the Inca Indians, who not only used potatoes as an important food item, but also measured time by how long it took a potato to cook.

It was the Incas, too, who invented freeze-dried potatoes, and in South America, the Indians still prepare them by laying potatoes outside on freezing nights and walking over them the next morning to squeeze out the water. By the time the Spaniards arrived in the 16th century, the

Indians were cultivating several hundred varieties of potatoes, including some in shades of yellow, blue, red and purple.

By 1596, potatoes were all over Europe. The frontispiece of English botanist John Gerard's famous "Herbal" published in 1597 shows him proudly holding a potato plant. He called them "potatoes of America" but the first potatoes in North America were planted in Derry, N.H., in 1719.

In 1630 there was a theory that eating potatoes caused leprosy, and their popularity understandably declined, but by the end of the century this had been forgotten and they were well on their way to becoming the food staple they are today.

Potatoes are related to eggplant, peppers and tomatoes, but the French name for them translates to "apples of the earth."

In many old Herbals, onions are listed as a major ingredient in cosmetics and face creams, an idea which does not find many enthusiasts today, and during the Renaissance onions were also an ingredient in many medicines.

The onion, humble cousin of the lily, has an ancient lineage too. It originated in Central Asia and was known to the Chaldeans before the beginning of the Christian era. In ancient Egypt it was an object of worship, as well as a culinary necessity, as it was in Rome and Greece, and as it is in our world today.

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## Summertime activities create particular fire hazards

The impending summer season has many Michiganders waiting to go outdoors and enjoy fun-in-the-sun activities. However, common summertime activities can cause potentially dangerous, even fatal, fires.

Joe Edgerton, executive secretary and treasurer of the Michigan State Firemen's Association, stresses that fire prevention rules must be followed in the summer as they are in the winter. "In the summer, everyone, especially children, want to do fun and exciting things, like making bonfires, but this seemingly 'fun' activity can be deadly."

If you are going camping this year, learn how to build a safe campfire and follow the legal requirements in that area. In some areas, you need a permit to build a campfire. It is the individual's responsibility to find out where and under what conditions you may build a fire.

People must be aware that certain routine summertime activities can be dangerous — like mowing the lawn. When it's time to take out the lawn mower, make sure it is clean before you use it. Build-up and residue can be flammable. And never, never smoke while fueling a lawn mower or any other gasoline engine for that matter.

This summer, when you are cleaning up your yard, also clean up your storage areas. Get rid of oily rags, including those used for shoe and furniture polishing. And make sure

you have your snow blowers, snowmobiles and portable heaters cleaned and drained of fuel before storing to prevent a fire.

Summer means the grills will be going, but remember to keep all outdoor cooking equipment at least three feet from the house. To light a charcoal grill, make sure you use lighting fluids specifically made for charcoal fires, never gasoline. And never apply any liquid fuel after the fire is lit. When storing charcoal, put it in a cool, dry area. Under certain conditions, charcoal can self ignite. With a gas grill, make sure you check it for gas leaks before you use it. Be sure to store propane outside.

And just because it's summer and you spend plenty of time outdoors, don't ignore your smoke detector inside. During the summer, people can wander outside and easily forget what they left cooking on the stove. According to the Michigan State Firemen's Association, people can help firefighters, and more so themselves, by installing a working smoke detector, which doubles a person's chance of surviving a fire.

This summer, Michiganders also can help support their firefighters by participating in "Stroh's Salutes Michigan Firefighters." This program has been created to promote fire safety and prevention, and also to raise funds for the Michigan State Firemen's Association. From June through

October, Michiganders can purchase through mail order specially created T-shirts with the slogan "Stroh's Salutes Michigan Firefighters" printed on the front.

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The Michigan State Firemen's Association was started by Detroit firemen back in 1875. The association

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**CLEAN IT OUT**— I found the best way to clean the inside of a pumpkin is to use the flat, round seal from canning jars. It's perfect for scraping out every last bit. Julie K., Las Vegas.

**SHAMPOO** — My daughters are always trying different types of shampoo for their hair.

When they change from one to the next, instead of throwing away the leftover old ones, I use them to hand-wash panty hose and delicate clothes. Irma N., Metairie, La.

**SHOULDER PAD USE** — Stitch two unwanted shoulder pads (make

sure they're pretty thick) from a blouse or dress together and add some trim. You have now created a great hot pad for the table. Karen G., Coral Gables, Fla.

**CLOTHING STORAGE** — I store, pack and hang all of my knits inside out so that if they are snagged accidentally, it will be on the inside and save the job of pulling the thread through. Connie F., Bozeman, Mont.

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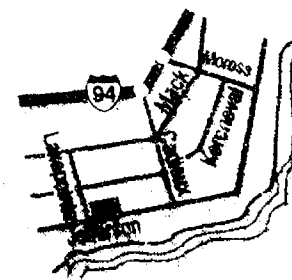
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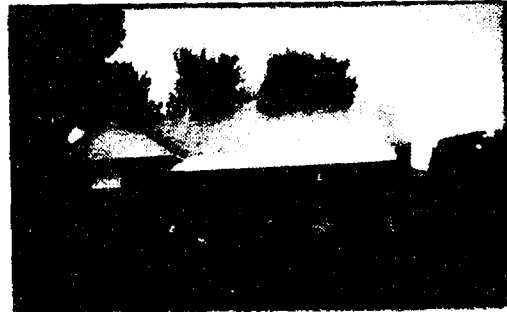


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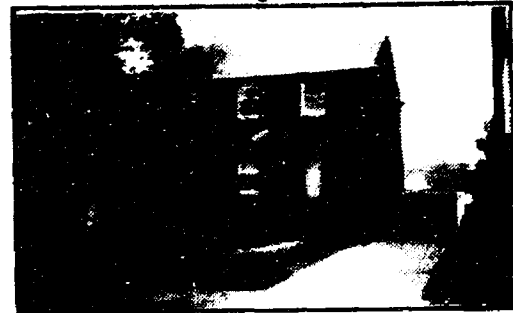
**1430 YORKTOWN, GPW — THE HOME YOU'VE ALWAYS WANTED** is this three bedroom, 2.5-bath home that features a cozy fireplace in the family room, beautiful hardwood floors, master bedroom with bath and walk-in closet, new carpeting, 2-car garage. **\*\*ONE YEAR HOME WARRANTY\*\***

**22065 SHORE POINTE, SCS — BREATHTAKING TOWNHOUSE** in the desirable Shorepointe Condo featuring a living room with a 16 foot ceiling, second floor family room and library which overlook the living room, master bedroom with fireplace and ceramic bath, formal dining room with a closet wet bar, kitchen with many cabinets, ceramic floor and eating space, oak floors throughout, finished basement and more.

**529 LAKELAND, GPW — WONDERFUL** custom Dutch Colonial with a large entrance foyer. So spacious and graceful offering a first floor master bedroom with bath, family room with a wet bar and walk-out to the yard/patio, living room with a natural fireplace, formal dining room, kitchen with all appliances, plus many cabinets. 2nd floor features a master bedroom with a natural fireplace and bath, besides three other bedrooms.

**546 BLAIRMOOR CT., GPW — READY FOR SUMMER FUN?** This quaint home boasts of a 20 x 40 heated pool - perfect for those hot summer days! The location of this home is another plus, in addition to the four bedrooms, 2.5-baths, newer windows and furnace, family rm. and kitchen with a brick floor, rec. room in the basement, plus much much more!

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SUPERB, IMPECCABLE brick Colonial that is extremely sharp and functional. Circular floor, a natural fireplace in the living room, formal dining room, plus eating space in the kitchen, fabulous family room, rec. room in basement, 1.5-baths, and the 2-car garage complete a well appointed home on an excellent street. Priced at \$150,000.

**A FIRST OFFERING**  
829 Harcourt, GPP  
...at \$184,900\*...

BEAUTIFUL 6/6 income located on Grosse Pointes finest income street. There are separate basements, natural fireplaces in each unit, plus a 3-car garage. Lower is vacant — perfect for owner occupant.

**227 RIVIERA TERRACE, SCS — MOVE IN CONDITION!** Mid-level Condominium unit which offers 1 bedroom, 1-bath, dining room, new carpeting, loads of closets. The bedroom faces the pool & clubhouse and the balcony faces the courtyard. Call for the details.

**581 SHELDEN, GPS — LOOKING FOR SUMMER ENTERTAINMENT?** This is what this outstanding four bedroom, 1.5-bath Colonial will provide, with its large entertaining family room, living room with a natural fireplace, formal dining rm., walk-out basement leading to the built-in pool and deep lot.

**620 NEFF/17201 KERCHEVAL, GPC — CORNER** Multi-family unit - close to the Village offering cac, newer windows updated kitchen, natural fireplaces, appliances - in each unit, plus a 3-car garage, gas grill in the backyard. The first floor has a family room, and extra bedroom.

**792 HOLLYWOOD, GPW — METICULOUS** describes this three bedroom, 2-bath ranch home which offers a beautiful family room with a natural fireplace, new 'Pella' windows & double glass doorwall leading onto a 2-tiered deck, wood flooring in the kitchen, dining room and hallway, natural fireplace in the living room, finished basement w/half bath & dry bar, 2-car attached garage.

**617 S. HIGBIE, GPW — PRIVATE & COZY** brick Ranch located on a Court! This three bedroom home offers a beautiful updated kitchen with oak cabinets, ceramic tile flooring, newer cooktop built-in oven/range, den, natural fireplace in the living rm, plus a recreation rm, fireplace and 10x15 bath w/ceramic tile & oversized stall shower in the basement, plus!





# REAL ESTATE

## I. GROSSE POINTE WOODS

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
74 Regal Place	4/3.5	Cust. Exec. Colonial (contemporary). By owner	\$498,500	881-0925
47 Roslyn	3/2.5	Open Sun. 2-4. Ranch. C/A. By owner.	\$329,000	884-4411
41 Vernier	4/2.5	Open Sun. 2-4 p.m. Fabulous farmhouse - old world charm with many new features. Call Tappan	\$249,000	884-6200

## II. GROSSE POINTE WOODS

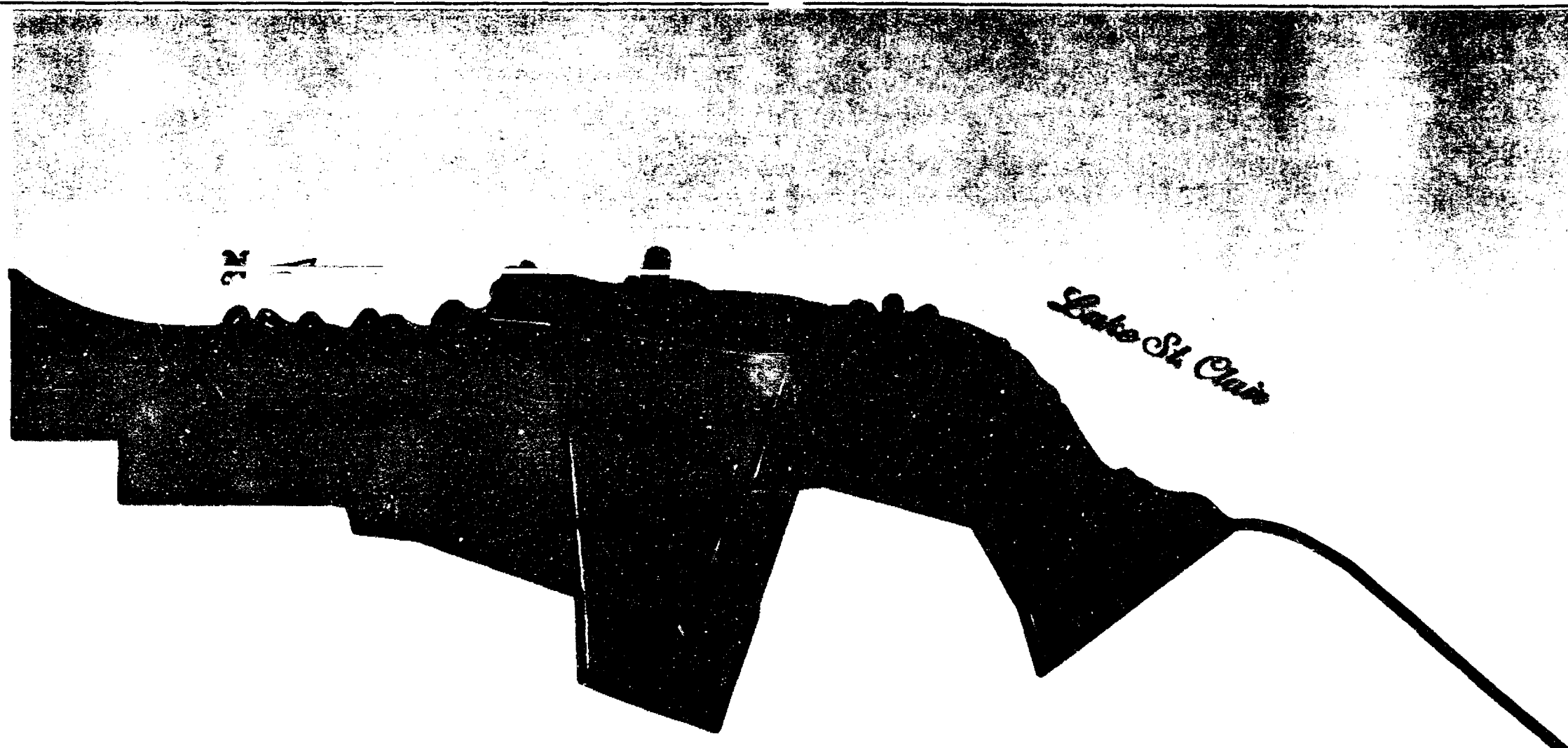
Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
990 N. Brys	3/1.5	Very well maintained ranch. Many features. By Owner.	Call	886-3126
1336 Fairholme	4/2	Open Sun. 1-4. Well maintained. By owner.	Call	884-7205
2352 Stanhope	3/2	Dan Kuhnlein, Coldwell Banker Schweitzer	\$111,000	886-5800
1756 Allard	3/1.5	Colonial. New furn. w/central air. Monteith Schools. Move in cond. By appt.	Call	882-2075
2032 Lennon	3/2	Brick bungalow, many extras. By owner.	\$145,000	881-7263
1549 Hampton	4/2	Open Sun. 1-6. Reduced \$8,000. 2 lots 1853 sq. ft. Large fam rm., deck. A/C 2 NFP, new furnaces. (*This price not avail. until Aug. 8 if you've seen - house via realtor)	\$161,900*	886-6761
1800 Vernier	3/2.5	Condo. nicely maintained. Welsh Real Estate	Reduced \$149,000	810-727-1101

## II. GROSSE POINTE WOODS (Cont'd)

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
21407 River Road	4/1 & 2	2,300 sq. ft., many updates. The Prudential G.P. R.E. Co.	Call	881-0965
1585 Hampton	4/2.5	Second fl. laundry, lg. lot, all new approx 2,350 sq. ft.	Call	985-6762
850 Shoreham	2/1	Exquisite inside and out. Many pegged floors, brick patio and don't forget to checkout the super special basement. Call Tappan for an appointment.	Call	884-6200

## III. GROSSE POINTE FARMS

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
360 Mary St.	3/1.5	Secluded neighborhood, high quality, low maintenance.	\$229,000.00	886-5688
111 Mapleton	2/1	Open Sun. 2-4. Carolyn Candler Bolton-Johnston	\$159,900	884-6400
1058 Woodbridge	2/1 + 2	Open Sun. 1-4. Fantastic upgrades thru out. Sue Dungan, Coldwell Banker, Schweitzer Real Estate	\$98,500	810-308-2061
428 Moross	3/1	Open Sun. 12-4. By owner. Brick bungalow 2 car garage. Air, newer furnace. Move-in condition.	\$115,900	885-3555
459 Cloverly	3/1.5	New kit., hdwd. floors, great condition.	\$147,500	881-1494
264 Fisher	3/2.5	Charm Colonial. Loralie Muccioli Prudential Grosse Pte. Real Estate Co.	Call	882-0087



# RESOURCE

## IV. GROSSE POINTE CITY

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
419 Lincoln	5/3.5	2,900 sq. ft. 20x20 fam. rm. New Mutschler kit.	\$289,000	882-4844
412 St. Clair	3/1.5	Renovated Farm House close to Jefferson - Must walk through to appreciate. Call Betty Morris, Tappan & Assoc.	\$138,000	884-6200

## V. GROSSE POINTE PARK

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
1225 Maryland	3/1	Newly renovated. Must see!	\$95,000	313-885-1252
1216 Maryland	3/1	Spacious in the Pk. By owner.	\$74,900	882-8670
1059 Devonshire	4/2.5	Lovely Colonial. Loraine Muccioli, Prudential Grosse Pts. Real Estate Co. Call		882-0087
883 Westchester	4/1.5	Lovely Tudor with updated kitchen, nat. woodwork, leaded glass. Call Betty Morris, Tappan & Assoc.	\$199,900	884-6200
776 Lakepointe	4/3.5	Open Sunday 2-4. Attractive English. New cherry kitchen, library, large yard. Call Betty Morris for feature sheet. Tappan & Assoc.	\$289,000	884-6200
1404 Balfour	3/1.5	Open Sun. 2-4. Central Airt Well maintained Colonial on large lot. Higbie Maxon, Inc.	\$165,000	886-3400

## VI. JEFFERSON

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
17801 Chester	3/1	Completely updated, fresh decor 2 car garage, large lot. Stieber Realty	\$44,900	810-775-4900
3444-3446 Devonshire		Multi-family, 2306 sq. ft. investment property. Bolton-Johnston, Assoc., Cheryl Barbour	\$61,900	884-6400

## VII. HARPER WOODS

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
20419 Fleetwood	3/1.5	Family room, 2-1/2 garage, fin. basement. Stieber Realty Co.	CALL	810-775-4900
20705 Woodside	3/1	Ranch w/updated kit., nfp, 1st floor laundry, spacious lot. Jim Saros Agency, inc.	Call	886-9030
19943 Vernier	3/2.5	Condo, master bdrm. w/ private bath and dble. closet, kitchen w/appliances, alarm system. Jim Saros Agency, Inc.	Call	886-9030
20291 Beaufait	5/3	Ranch/Cape Cod w/open floor, lrg. family rm. w/nfp, updated kitchen, nfp in living rm, G.P. Schools. Jim Saros Agency, Inc.	Call	886-9030
21217 Bourmemouth	3/1	Open Sun. 2-4. Cozy bungalow, plus full bath in basement. Higbie Maxon, Inc.	\$79,900	886-3400

## VIII. ST. CLAIR SHORES

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
22455 Maple	4/2.5	Canal home, 1,650 sq. ft. See Class #800. By Owner.	\$189,000	810-777-3831

## VIII. ST. CLAIR SHORES (Cont'd)

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
28111 E. Jefferson	2/1	Condo, pool, front porch, heat & H2O incl. in maintenance fee.	\$59,000	810-778-9178
22446 Alexander	3/1	Deep wide canal, 10 ton boat hoist. Pat Harvey, Century 21 Mackenzie.	\$207,900	810-779-7500
22487 Sunnydale	3/1.5	Open Sun. 1-5. Completely updated bungalow. Must see!	\$87,500	810-777-4781
Office lease on Mack		approximately 1,900 sq/ft, big open area w/2 private offices one of which has a 1/2-bath in addition to another bath, 8-car parking. Call Jim Saros Agency, Inc.		(313) 886-9030
2250 Corteville	3/2	Brk. ranch, att. 2-car, lg. kit., fin base. Owner	\$152,900	810-293-5684

## ALL OTHER AREAS

Address	Bed-room/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
Shelby Twp. condo	2/2	Marble fireplace, air, full bsmt. Dan Kuhnlein, Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate	Call	886-5800
18045 Toepfer EASTPOINTE	4/1.5	Colonial w/separate quarters for an in-law apartment, etc. . . situated on a spacious and private lot. Jim Saros Agency, Inc.	Call	886-9030
21272 Bellevue CLINTON TWP.	3/2.5	Home that overlooks Clinton River/Golf Club, w/dining room, updated kit., family rm, 2-nfps, country setting. Jim Saros Agency, Inc.	Call	886-9030
11258 Olive WARREN	4/2.5	Executive Colonial, library, family rm., bi-level deck, many recent upgrades. Call Betty Morris, Tappan & Assoc.	\$176,900	884-6200
23662 King CLINTON TWP.	4/1.5	Open Sun. 2-4. Colonial with family room in Clinton Twp. Higbie Maxon, Inc.	\$122,000	886-3400



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# Your exterior is the color of money

If you are planning to spruce up the exterior of your home this spring here are some tips to enhance its value and make it more visually appealing.

The exterior color of your home is the color of money.

A home that says, "welcome, come on in," is not only pleasing to the eye but a bonus when it comes time to sell. It is a reflection of what's going on inside. A home should enhance its surroundings and vice versa.

What is wrong with Picture A?

Gutters, downspouts, garage doors, and milk chutes all fall into the category of "better not seen." Painting them a contrasting color makes them "jump" forward and draw attention. This can give your home an unsettled, choppy appearance.

Picture B presents a better appearance.

Contrast or draw attention to the front door, play it up. It is the welcoming center of your home. Use a deep-toned color and add colorful pots of flowers or even a hearty wreath. An attached garage represents about 40 percent of the house. Play it down. Blend it into the shell of your home. Beige is a neutral color. It is safe to



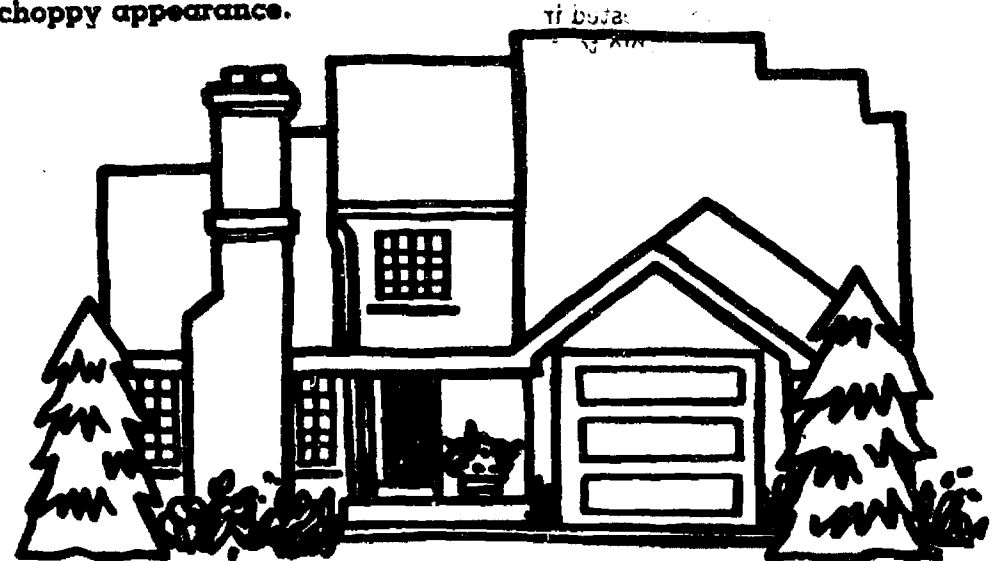
Virginia Ficarra  
The Color Wizard

use on any home for trim, downspouts and garage doors. Also consider landscaping to extend the length of your home and soften the corners.

For more tips and a chart for selecting exterior colors, see Section B, page 81 in "Your Home Color Guide, Making Color Work." The book is available at all Damman Hardware Stores and Calico Corner Fabrics. For ideas for your home contact Virginia at 1-313-885-8772.



Picture A. What's wrong with his picture? Gutters, downspouts and garage door draw too much attention and give the home an unsettled, choppy appearance.



Picture B. Here's a better look. The front door is the focal point. The landscaping also enhances and extends the length of the home while softening the corners.

## Free service helps area residents find honest, quality contractors for home improvement

Metro Detroit homeowners who are frustrated trying to find a trustworthy contractor or service firm for a home improvement can now use a free referral service to make it easier to find a quality contractor with good references.

Home Advantage, a free home improvement referral service, screens contractors and service firms for homeowners to ensure they provide quality services at fair prices. The screening includes verifying licenses and insurance, checking with the Better Business Bureau for complaints, and talking with recent customers to ensure the contractor's work was satisfactory.

Keith Paul, president of the free referral service, said his company can provide homeowners with referrals for more than 250 home improvement categories, from appliance repair and carpet cleaning to roofing and window installation.

"The number one reason people call Better Business Bureaus is to check on home improvement contractors to ensure they are honest and provide quality workmanship," Paul said. "We make sure that the contractors or service firms we refer are honest and have a

good track record. That really brings peace of mind to consumers when they are in the market for home improvements."

Paul started his referral service in 1993 when he realized that many senior citizens were losing money to dishonest contractors. Over the past two years, the service has grown beyond the senior citizen market and has made close to 2,000 referrals to Detroit-area homeowners.

Home Advantage is supported through the membership of approved contractors and service firms.

Paul said that he contacts homeowners after each referral to ensure the contractors and firms in his referral service provide quality, consistent service. Firms are removed from the service if they don't meet Home Advantage's quality and customer service standards.

Homeowners interested in receiving a free referral for home improvement contractors or service firms can contact Home Advantage at 1-800-733-3778. Or they can get answers to home improvement questions by contacting Keith Paul on his bi-monthly radio show on WCAR-AM radio, Fridays from 1 pm to 2 pm. The call-in number is 313/525-1090.

**BRRR!**—I just love your Home Tips! Here's mine: I use ice cube trays to keep my earrings in order. If you have a lot of earrings, the trays can be stacked one upon another.

Also, an accordion-type coat or mug rack is great for necklaces. I usually hang this device behind a door, not on the door. This way, it's out of sight. Pearl K., Coventry, R.I.

**NUKE IT!**—My home tip for your readers is an easy way to clean a messy microwave. When food splatters and is not cleaned off immediately, it can be a real chore to clean. Place a small bowl of water in the microwave and heat until hot. Let stand for a few minutes and the steam will then soften baked-on foods. Wipe clean! Cindy B., Mechanicsburg, Ohio

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# Proper lawn care lets you display your green pride

By Ellen Henke  
John Deere Lawn and Garden  
Expert

## Green and Growing

If you enjoy working on your lawn and take pride in its appearance, you aren't alone. More than 58 million households are involved in lawn care ... making lawn care the number one outdoor leisure activity. Why do so many people spend time working in their yards? A beautiful lawn can enhance the beauty of your home's landscape, provide a soft play area for children, and allow you to enjoy a sense of accomplishment — the "Green Pride" that a beautiful lawn can inspire.

And believe it or not ... it is easy

being green. By following a few simple mowing techniques, you will encourage a beautiful, healthy lawn that you can enjoy year after year.

First, follow the one-third rule, by cutting only one third of the grass blade per mowing. Some people let their grass grow too high and then cut it too low — this is called "scalping." Scalping can actually kill part of the root system and make it more

susceptible to thatch build-up and disease. By following the one-third rule or using a specially-designed mulching mower, you encourage a healthy, deep root system.

Also, mow in a different direction each time you mow to prevent a "lean." And overlap your mowing paths two to four inches.

Engage your blade when the mower is on the lawn and, whenever possible, turn the mower on a hard surface such as your driveway or walkway. These techniques prevent scuffing.

Keep your mower's cutting blade sharp. A dull blade can shred your grass, turning it brown and providing entrance ways for disease organisms.

Mow on the high side of the recommended mowing height for your variety of grass. For cool season grasses, the ideal height is 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 inches. For most warm season grasses, mow at 1 to 2 inches, except for St. Augustine grass which should be 3 inches.

A beautiful lawn can make all the difference in how you feel about your home and your yard ... and it's easy. Like my dad always said, "Take pride in your work" — Green Pride.

America's Plant Doctor and John Deere lawn and garden expert, Ellen Henke, is a botanist, garden writer and nationally recognized authority on "Earth Friendly" gardening.

## New Who's Who helps consumers identify results-oriented real estate agents

Someday soon anyone interested in real estate services will be able to go to the local library, open a book and find out who the most successful real estate sales people in his or her community really are.

Someday soon corporations relocating employees will find results oriented Realtors by using a single publication.

Someday soon a real estate agent wanting to send a referral to another city will be able to consult one source to discover identities of leading sales associates throughout North America.

Someday soon is here!

There are over three quarters of a million Realtors in the U.S. and

Canada. *Who's Who in Residential Real Estate* has identified and compiled a resource book listing successful real estate salespeople throughout North America, regardless of their company affiliation.

"For homebuyers and sellers who have been perplexed about how to determine which real estate sales people have successful track records in getting homes sold and helping find 'just the right house,' this directory will be a valuable resource," says Denver-based, RE/MAX international executive vice president Daryl Jespersen.

To qualify for inclusion in the directory of top producing salespeople, Realtors had to meet a sales criteria of

over \$3 million in annual sales volume or close at least 30 residential transactions per year. The production of each qualifying real estate professional was verified by his or her brokerage company, an outside accounting firm, or local multiple listing service.

Over 2,400 U.S. and Canadian Real Estate sales associates are listed in the 1995 second edition of *Who's Who in Residential Real Estate in North America, 1995*. Salespeople are listed alphabetically by last name. There is also a geographic index and a company index.

"Objective criteria have been applied and verified to try to identify the most successful real estate

salespeople in the U.S. and Canada regardless of their company affiliation," said Rich Rector, CEO of Realty Executives International, a Phoenix-based real estate franchise organization. "Although not every top producer in North America is in the book, it's a good start."

"We believe *Who's Who* is an excellent resource for consumers to differentiate firms and agents" said Linda Lara, CEO of The Prudential Connecticut Realty, the firm with the largest agent population represented in *Who's Who 1995*.

For more information, contact REAL Trends Inc.; P.O. Box 260010; Highlands Ranch, Col., 80126, FAX (303) 791-7388.

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**ST Clair Shores-** 22500 Corteville, 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick ranch, 2 car attached garage. Large kitchen, ceramic, living & family room, finished basement \$152,900. 810-293-6684.

BY owner- 1063 Sunningdale, 2400 square ft. Most customized ranch, completely updated, 3 bedrooms, neutral decor throughout, covered terrace, inground heated pool, finished basement with kitchen and bedroom/ office plus rec room with fireplace, attached garage, central air, sprinkler and security system, lot size 125 X 195. Home warranty. \$335,000. By appointment. Call 882-0643

**GROSSE** Pointe Woods, 2352 Stanhope Ave. 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, central air. Priced to sell at \$111,000. Call Dan Kuhnlein, Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate, 886-5800.

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**1144 Bedford-** Charm and ambience describes this unique 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home. Large living room with cathedral ceilings and gumwood paneling, formal dining room, new family room with 2 car attached garage. Private brick patio, sprinkler, alarm system and much more. \$268,000. Days 810-790-3773, evenings 884-4384. Open Sunday 2-4.

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**THREE** bedroom brick, beautifully landscaped, large front porch, large deck, 10 ton boat hoist, deep wide canal. \$207,900. Call Pat Harvey, Century 21 Mackenzie, 810-779-7500.

**2050 Roslyn-** Cute as can be starter with 3 bedrooms, dining room area, upgraded kitchen, first floor laundry, basement area, 2 1/2 car garage. Immediate possession. \$96,000. Ask for Ron Samuel, Century 21 Americana, 526-6500 or 330-1999.



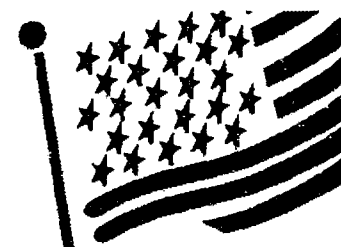
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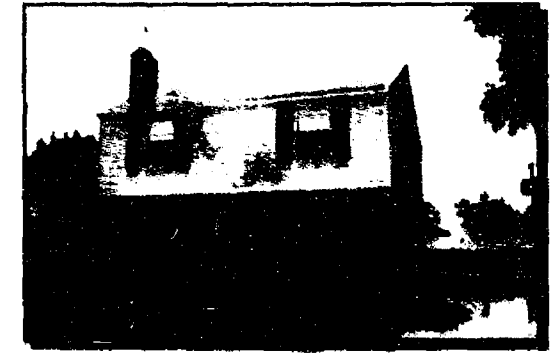
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