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"He is the greatest artist who has embodied in the sum of his works, the greatest number of the greatest ideas."

—John Ruskin

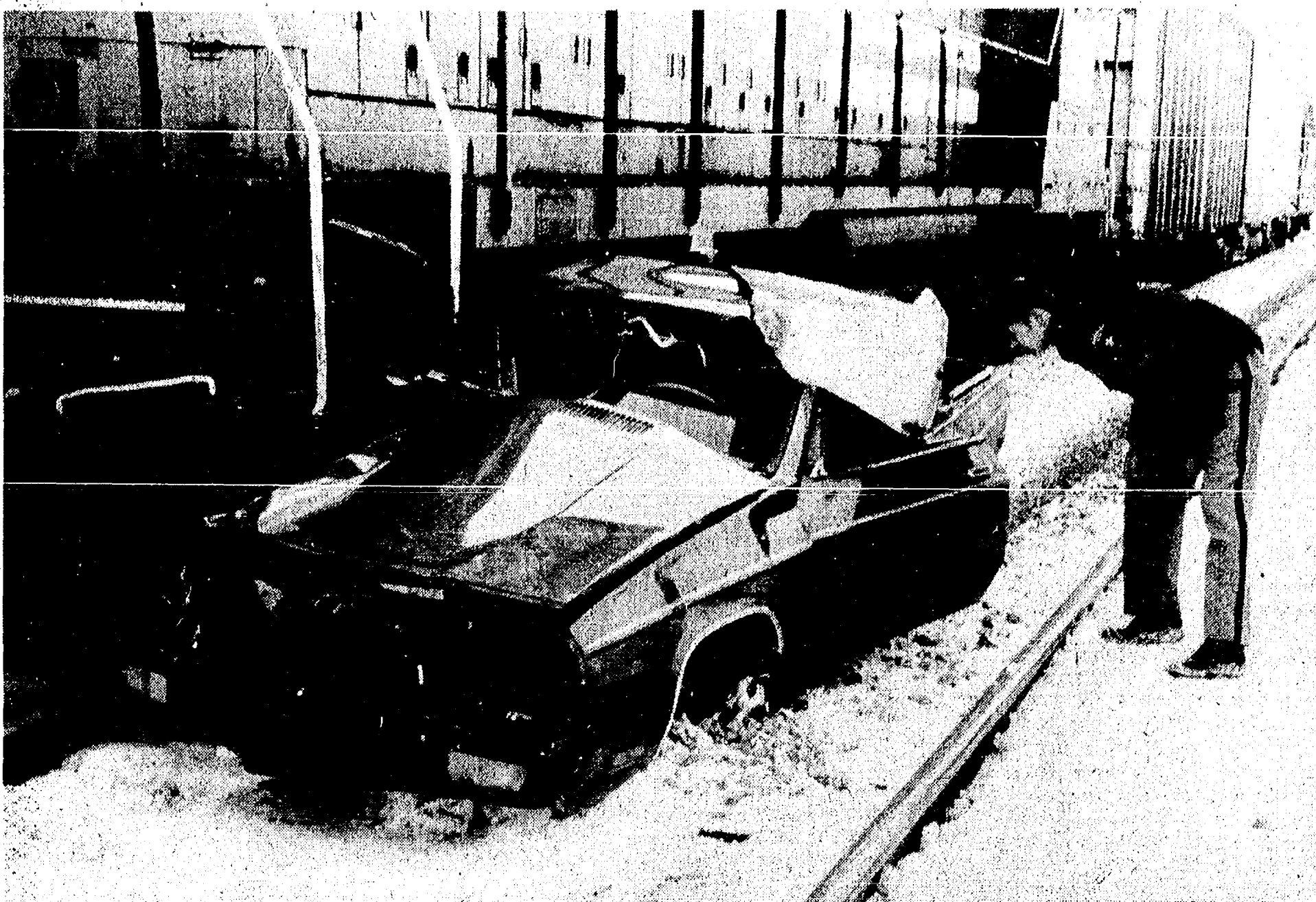
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CAR-TRAIN COLLISION: A 21-year-old Chelsea man was killed last Friday when a four-car Conrail freight train hit a small pick-up truck at the Fletcher Rd. crossing and pushed it nearly half a mile down the tracks. Looking at the wreckage of the truck is sheriff's department Sgt. Don Wenk.

Traffic Fines Money Handling Probe Launched

State police are investigating how money paid for traffic fines has been handled in the Chelsea village offices including the police department.

The probe began last Friday afternoon following an informal, unannounced meeting of several village officials.

Village attorney Peter Flintoft was consulted, and he referred the matter to Washtenaw prosecutor William F. Delhey, who in turn asked for a state police investigation.

Detective Timothy Ryan from the Jackson state police post later impounded village traffic fine records. Ryan said the investigation would take 10 days to two weeks.

Chelsea police chief Robert Aeillo left on vacation at the end of the day Friday and could not be reached for comment.

President Jack Merkel was out of town attending a business meeting and was likewise unavailable to news reporters.

Other village officials stonewalled the situation. Administrator Frederick A. Weber said, "I can't tell you anything. You'll have to talk to Pete Flintoft."

Flintoft confirmed that Aeillo is on vacation and that an investigation of some sort is under way. "That's all I'm going to tell you," he said several times in response to questions.

Herman Radloff, a member of the village board's police committee, acknowledged that he attended a special meeting last Friday but then insisted he knew nothing about it. "No comment, no comment, no comment" was his answer to questions. "I'm not going to say anything. It will all come out after awhile."

Mayor pro-tem Jerry Satter-

thwaite said he was not present at the Friday meeting, did not know what was going on, and wished he did. "You'll have to wait until Jack (Merkel) gets back," he told a reporter. "He and Pete Flintoft are the only people authorized to talk about the matter."

Trustee Richard Steele said, "I only know what I've read in the paper and heard on the radio. I was aware there was an investigation going on, but that's all. You'll have to get the story from somebody else. I've told you all I know."

Trustee Joe Merkel, who heads the council's police committee, acknowledged that an investigation is being made and said it is a potentially serious matter.

"I can't tell you any more than that because we just don't know any more at this point," Merkel said. "We have some questions, and the state police have been asked to give us the answers. We should know more by the next council meeting (scheduled next Tuesday)."

Trustee Loren Keezer professed surprise, said he knew "nothing about it," and could not understand why he had not been informed.

Trustee Jeanene Riemen-schneider told a reporter "thanks for letting me know" when asked if she had any information, and added that she intended to "call some people and find out why I haven't been told about this. I think as a council member I have a right to be informed."

Aeillo has an unlisted home phone number and could not be contacted. Dispatchers at the police department reported him as being "on vacation."

What is known is this:

The village council, led by Keezer, several months ago questioned bills received from Shell Oil Co. on a credit card issued to Aeillo for use on official village business.

"I wasn't saying there was anything wrong, I just questioned some of the monthly amounts," Keezer said. "They seemed kind of high, and I wondered why the police chief had to do so much traveling on village business. I still don't know whether there was anything wrong. I wanted some answers."

Trustee Joe Merkel was asked to investigate, and he requested a detailed accounting from Shell on when and where the charges were credited, and what for.

Last December a question was raised in council about a drop in traffic fine revenues. Aeillo responded by saying it was primarily that the department's radar gun had been out of order and was obsolete, and was told to submit a request for a new one, which he did.

Last Friday Flintoft was asked to take a look at the traffic fine situation. Flintoft forwarded the request to Delhey, who in turn asked for a state police investigation.

"We don't know at this point what we have," Delhey said. "There's a question about where certain funds have gone."

Motorists receiving tickets for violating village traffic and parking ordinances pay the fines at the village offices. If payment is late, a penalty is assessed.

Delhey said he did not know how much money, if any, might be involved.

Aeillo has been Chelsea's police chief since 1979. He was a sheriff's deputy for 11 years prior to that.

Chelsea Man Dies Friday In Train-Truck Collision

A 21-year-old Chelsea man was killed last Friday afternoon when the small pick-up truck he was driving was hit broadside by a Conrail train at the Fletcher Rd. crossing and pushed nearly half a mile down the tracks.

Pronounced dead on arrival at Chelsea Medical Center was James Arthur Cobb of 13877 Old US-12, the only occupant of the vehicle struck by the four-car train which was traveling at an estimated 50 miles an hour.

Sheriff's deputies said that Cobb apparently drove into the unguarded crossing, and his truck was hit in the right front by the oncoming train. Cobb apparently was on his way to work at the Independent Heat Treat Corp. at 11850 Dexter-Chelsea Rd.

Train engineer William J. Kelly, 50, of Michigan Center, said at the scene that he "didn't see" the truck at the crossing, didn't

realize there had been a collision, and stopped his locomotive only after he sensed that it was "running funny."

Kelly said he had sounded his warning horn upon approaching the Fletcher Rd. crossing heading west toward Chelsea. He was driving a short train consisting of a locomotive, two freight cars and a caboose.

Cobb was driving his truck north over the crossing and apparently neither saw nor heard the train. The vehicle was hit squarely on the passenger side, caught on the front framework of the locomotive, and was pushed sideways just short of a half a mile.

Despite all that, sheriff's deputies said, Cobb might have survived the impact had he been wearing lap and shoulder seat-belt restraints. "There was surprisingly little damage on the

driver's side of the truck (a nearly new small Dodge pick-up)," an investigator said. "If he had been strapped in and hadn't bounced around, I think he would have lived."

The Fletcher Rd. crossing is unusual. The railroad tracks are perched on a high bank, and vehicles approach it at a steep up-hill angle. It is difficult for a motorist to see anything coming either way on the tracks. There are no gates or signal lights at the crossing.

Headed north on Fletcher Rd. as Cobb was, a driver encounters a series of signs. The first warns that there is a "stop" ahead. The second tells there is a railroad crossing ahead. The third marks the crossing. The fourth, across the tracks, calls for a stop at Fletcher Rd. dead-ends.

"It's possible that a driver unfamiliar with the crossing might assume that the stop sign is on the 'safe' side of the tracks," a sheriff's deputy said. "That's something we need to look at for traffic safety purposes. In this case, though, the driver apparently had been using the route regularly between home and work, and presumably knew the hazards."

The Conrail tracks were closed for more than two hours in both directions until the wreckage of the pick-up truck could be removed.

'It's Funny But Serious,' Milling Firm Chief Says

"It would be funny if it weren't so serious."

That is how Howard Holmes, president of Chelsea Milling Co., summed up his reaction to a Florida-announced ban on two of the company's products—one of which it doesn't make and never has—because of alleged contamination by a chemical that the firm quit using more than 10 years ago.

"It's terribly hard to understand how all this happened," Holmes said, "especially the fact that I didn't know anything about it until I picked up a newspaper and read that two of our products had been banned in Florida."

"Then my phone started ringing with calls from news reporters and, more important from my standpoint, from our Jiffy Mix distributors across the country wanting to know what was going on and what they should do about it."

"We have been hurt, no question about it. I can tell you that our products are being pulled off the shelves not only in Florida but also in other states, because retail grocers have to protect themselves."

"I can't estimate the dollar loss, but it will be substantial. What is impossible to assess is the damage done to our reputation as a company that markets high-quality, safe and reliable products in a highly competitive field of merchandising. Our reputation is our most important asset."

"What has gotten out to the public is that our products are poisoning people. They aren't, never have, and never will. But it's going to be difficult to overcome that impression. The news stories were mainly accurate if you read them all the way through, but the headlines and first paragraphs were pretty scary."

Over the New Year's weekend the Florida agriculture commissioner, Doyle Conner, released a statement saying that two

Chelsea Milling products—cornbread stuffing mix and corn muffin mix—contained intolerable levels of ethylene dibromide (EDB), a chemical once widely used in a spray to kill insects in grain storage and processing plants.

Chelsea Milling does not make a cornbread stuffing mix and never has, Holmes said, and it quit using EDB more than 10 years ago.

"He (Conner) could have found out those two facts simply by telephoning or writing a letter," Holmes noted. "He didn't do either. He announced his action and left it up to us to learn about it by reading it in the papers. I don't think that is a responsible way to act. We had no notice whatever that this 'news' was being released."

Holmes said Chelsea Milling will join in a suit already filed by the Grocery Manufacturers of America against an earlier Florida order banning products of 26 milling companies. That first order did not name the Chelsea firm. The second order prohibited products from nine more companies, including Chelsea Milling.

"They have hit just about all of us in the business," Holmes said, "and that could be good. At least we have all been put in the same boat."

Holmes added that he could not claim that Chelsea Milling quit using EDB a long time ago out of suspicion it might be a carcinogen (cancer-causing chemical).

"We had no idea back then that it could be dangerous," he said. "We just found something that works better. It's possible that some of our suppliers are still using the stuff, although I wouldn't know why because there are more effective insecticides available."

"If some trace amounts of EDB are still getting into our plant from suppliers—and that is possible although unlikely—the simple fact is that EDB is evaporated

and made absolutely harmless when heated to a temperature of 270 degrees."

"The instructions on all of our mixes call for heating to at least 375 degrees. If you tried to bake any Jiffy Mix at 270 degrees or under, you would have something that isn't fit to eat."

EDB has caused tumors and other diseases in laboratory rats when fed in massive amounts several thousand times more than the average human could ingest over a lifetime.

"I suppose you could eventually make me sick on anything if you forced me to eat enough of it," Holmes said, "even a Jiffy Mix."

What bothers Holmes most is that grocers probably will not be

selective, in Florida and possibly elsewhere, in removing Jiffy products from their shelves.

"Grocery store employees in Florida may start out by looking for the cornbread stuffing, and they won't find it because it can't possibly be there. They will then decide to take out everything with a Jiffy Mix label, just to be sure they have complied with the state order. It is the easiest way to stay out of trouble."

"We're undoubtedly going to have the same sort of thing happen in some other states, just because wrong information was released and some people will react in the wrong way."

"We will survive, of course, but we sure don't need something like this."

Council Retains Tuesday Meeting Schedule in 1984

The village council will continue to meet at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at the village hall during 1984, trustees decided unanimously with all present and voting.

There was brief discussion of switching the meeting night to Monday, but nobody could come up with a good reason to make the change and so the present schedule was kept.

Caralee Hoffmeyer Dies Suddenly at Age 49

Caralee Hoffmeyer, 49, a leader in local church and community events, died suddenly Thursday, Jan. 5, at Chelsea Community Hospital.

Mrs. Hoffmeyer had been a resident of Chelsea for 25 years. At the time of her death she resided with her family at 146 Orchard St. She was born May 26, 1934 in Hillsdale, the daughter of Vernon and Loris Stevens.

Mrs. Hoffmeyer was an active member of Chelsea First United Methodist church where she participated in the choir and was a member of the United Methodist Women Sarah Circle. She was also a state officer in the Church Women United organization and the state conference Task Force on Hunger. In addition, she was a founding member of the Chelsea Home Meal Service program as well as being a member of the Ann Arbor Symphony Orchestra. She is survived by her husband of 30 years, James; one son, Paul of Chelsea; two daughters, Holly Richardson of Ann Arbor and Merry Hoffmeyer of Tacoma, Wash.; one sister, Ann Todd of Monroe and several nieces and nephews.

Sesquicentennial Meeting Planned

It's 1984, and serious plans are getting underway for the Chelsea Sesquicentennial. There will be a community meeting held on Wednesday, Jan. 18, at 8 p.m. in the Woodland Room at Chelsea Community Hospital to further discuss plans for the celebration. All interested community groups and individuals are urged to attend this meeting.

At the meeting of Nov. 30, all

attending were briefed on some activities in the works for the week of the Sesquicentennial (June 30 - July 4). Other matters discussed were the possible renovation of the Chelsea depot, downtown improvement and how this will relate to the Sesquicentennial, and the commemorative book.

Although it seems that 1984 is stretching endlessly ahead, there are only approximately five months in which to plan for the celebration. Everyone's help is needed to make this Sesquicentennial celebration one to remember and the committee looks forward to seeing everyone at the meeting on Jan. 18.

If you are interested in the Sesquicentennial, but are unable to attend the meeting, please contact Anne Merkel at 475-3272 (after 5 p.m.) or Marcie Stump at 475-3429.

Set Being Built For Neil Simon Production

Production has begun on the nine-panel modular set for the upcoming Chelsea Area Players Production of the Neil Simon comedy "The Last of the Red Hot Lovers."

The play, which will be presented Jan. 27, 28 and 30, is set in a two room apartment. The set is being constructed on the stage in the gymnasium of the St. Louis School For Exceptional Boys.

Champagne and dessert will be served at 7 p.m. preceding the Friday, Jan. 27, and Saturday, Jan. 28 productions.

Tickets are currently on sale at Chelsea Cleaners, 113 Park St.



CARALEE HOFFMEYER

Funeral services were held Monday at 3:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church of Chelsea, with the Rev. David Turan and the Rev. Marvin McCallum officiating. Arrangements were made by Cole-Burghardt Funeral Chapel. Memorial contributions may be made to the First United Methodist Church for World Hunger.

Parts Peddler Shuts Middle St. Store, Expands Services

Parts Peddler Auto Supply has closed its store at 108 E. Middle St. and moved the inventory to its 1414 S. Main St. location, owner Dick Kolander announced.

The vacated space on Middle St. will be taken over by the Loft Frame and Art Gallery, now located at 107 1/2 S. Main. Loft owner Walter Brown said he plans extensive remodeling of the site.

During the past year Parts Peddler has purchased the former Big A Auto Parts stores in Ann Arbor and Saline, and along with Dexter and Whitmore Lake stores will have a network of five outlets.

The Chelsea store on S. Main St. will be the main office for Parts Peddler, Kolander said. During the next two months a

central computer system will be installed, enabling the firm to tie its stores together in part-sourcing capability.

The system will also allow the company to communicate with several warehouses, which means Parts Peddler will have access to most car and truck parts overnight.

The firm's Ann Arbor store includes a complete automotive machine shop capable of rebuilding most engines.

During the next two months the Chelsea store on S. Main St. will be updated with new fixtures and lighting. A complete automotive paint department has been added.

"The end result should be complete automotive parts service to our many customers," Kolander said.

Junior Women's Club Forming for Chelsea Area

A new club is forming for women in Washtenaw county, called the Chelsea Area Junior Women's Club. The club is affiliated with the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

The GFWC is an internationally known organization. The main headquarters in the United States is in Washington D. C. The GFWC keeps in close contact with the Capital.

The Chelsea Area Junior Women's Club will be dealing with the problems that affect women in Washtenaw county and has the support of the GFWC.

Chelsea Area Junior Women's Club meets once a month. The next meeting is Jan. 16 at 7:30. If interested in coming to the meeting, contact Linda Wyss, 426-2186.

Progressive Dinner Highlights Lioness Christmas Party

The Chelsea Lioness Club celebrated Christmas with a progressive dinner party in early December.

Members and their guests began the evening with punch and hors d'oeuvres at the home of Barbara Selwa. Vivian Michelson served the main course and the evening concluded at the home of Rosemary Bushway, who served dessert.

Mrs. Willard Johnson was the winner of a drawing for a "Holiday Entertainment Basket" worth more than \$100. Proceeds from the drawing will be used to purchase fencing material for the Island Lake Home for mentally and physically handicapped people.

Florence Gentner of 316 Jackson, St., Chelsea, returned gently from a holiday visit to son and daughter-in-law, Lane and Carole Gentner, and their family in Aurora, O.



BRADBURY-DARNES: Terrilyn Bradbury and Dennis Wayne Darnes were married Friday, Jan. 6 at Dexter United Methodist church. The Rev. John E. Harnish performed the ceremony for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bradbury of Dexter and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Darnes of Woodhaven and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Singleton of Wyandotte. Honor attendants were Rebecca Merrian of Dexter and Rodney Ward of Brownstown. Dawn Darnes, sister of the bridegroom was the bridesmaid, Karen Bradbury, sister of the bride, was junior bridesmaid. Kevin Bradbury, brother of the bride was usher. Tammi Singleton, sister of the bridegroom and Chastity Faust, were in charge of the guest book. A reception was held in the church hall following the ceremony.

Munson-McDowell Engagement Told

Vickie Munson and Michael McDowell are engaged and plan a July 7 wedding.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schmidt of Patterson Lake and he is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Glen McDowell of Chelsea.

A 1978 Pinckney High school graduate, the bride-elect is employed at Industrial Technics, Inc., in Dexter. He is a 1977 Chelsea High school graduate and is employed at Maynard Battery and Auto Electric Shop of Ann Arbor.

Meeting Planned For 15-Year Reunion

There will be an organizational meeting to plan the upcoming 15 year reunion for members of the Chelsea High school class of 1969 Monday, Jan. 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the teacher's lounge of the high school. All class members are invited to attend.

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North Lake Co-Op Nursery Yule Party Said Success

The North Lake Co-Operative Nursery fund-raising Christmas party was held at the Chelsea Rod and Gun Club Dec. 10.

Rochelle Martine Moulleux played Christmas music on her harp. There was dancing to the music of "Stolen Moments," a band from Ann Arbor.

A drawing took place early in the evening with the main prizes going to Chris Gaunt, Mary Ferrett, Winona Landwehr and Jack Welch.

There was an auction and sale of hand-crafted ornaments, centerpieces and Dale Fisher photos.

The following persons and

business firms made contributions:

Ann Arbor Trust Co., Arend Tree Farm, Jerry Ashby State Farm Insurance, Body Glow by Peg Skelton, BookCrafters, Inc. Cole-Burghardt Funeral Chapel, Chelsea Greenhouse, Dayspring Gifts, Fairwind Aeronautics, Dale Fisher, Ralph Fletcher's Friendly Service, Floral Designs by Fay, Gar-netts, Keynote Music, Karen Koch, Don and Penny Laier, Lane Animal Hospital, George Lawrence, McCalla Feeds, McDonald's, Park St. Produce, Schneider's, Schumm's, This 'n' That, Wolverine Bar, and Woodshed Eatery.

Senior Citizen Nutrition Program

Week of Jan. 11-Jan. 18

MENU

Wednesday, Jan. 11—Liver and onions, succotash, waldorf salad, wheat bread, blueberry pie, milk.

Thursday, Jan. 12—Meat loaf, baked potato, buttered beets, whole grain bread, fresh melon, milk.

Friday, Jan. 13—Baked chicken, mushrooms, pineapple sweet potatoes, green beans, rye bread, yellow cake with chocolate icing, milk.

Monday, Jan. 16—Site closed.

Tuesday, Jan. 17—Pork chow mein on chow mein noodles, sliced orange salad, muffin, tapioca pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 18—Cornflake crumb chicken, spinach salad, yellow beans, white bread, apple crisp, milk.

ACTIVITIES

Wednesday, Jan. 11—9:00 a.m.—Dr. Bukowski. 1:00 p.m.—Fitness.

1:00 p.m.—Bowling.

Thursday, Jan. 12—10:00 a.m.—Ceramics.

1:00 p.m.—Needlework.

1:00 p.m.—Kitchen band.

2:00 p.m.—Walking club.

Friday, Jan. 13—11:45 a.m.—Birthday party.

Monday, Jan. 16—11:00 a.m.—Hostess meeting.

1:00 p.m.—Bingo.

1:00 p.m.—Building committee.

1:30 p.m.—Stained glass.

Tuesday, Jan. 17—9:30 a.m.—Art class.

1:00 p.m.—Euchre.

Wednesday, Jan. 18—1:00 p.m.—Fitness.

1:00 p.m.—Bowling.



Some studies have shown that people working at home put in 20 percent more time than those working at the office.

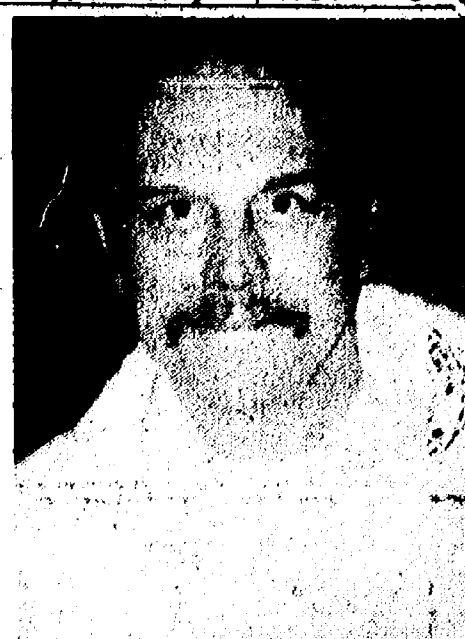


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GOING AND MAYBE COMING: Jack Merkel (left) has said that he will not be a candidate for re-election as village president, and trustee Jerry Satterthwaite (right) has announced that he will run for the office. So far at least, Satterthwaite is unopposed. Deadline for filing nominating petitions for the March 12 election is Feb. 6.

State Board of Education Proposes Longer Year

Chelsea Superintendent Ray Van Meer said he has mixed feelings about an informal recommendation by the State Board of Education last week which would increase the school year by a month and decrease the number of possible "snow days" in school districts across the state.

Van Meer said he thinks the preliminary recommendation that would allow schools to miss only five days of school because of severe weather is "quite reasonable" but said the recommendation that the school year be increased from 180 days in most districts to 200 days was "aiming high."

The State Board of Education took the surprise action last week. Their proposal will face a final vote this week.

Erosion of school time and not the number of days in the year is the immediate problem facing school districts today, Van Meer said.

Students lose class time for reasons like "pull-out" programs, which are meant to assist students with special educational problems, assemblies or announcements over the public address system, he said. Many schools in the state have also been forced to cut the minutes in

each class hour because of mileage failures.

Van Meer, part of the Michigan Commission on High Schools which recently advocated an increase in school hours from 900 to 1,000 (185 days) said that initially the commission had also been in favor of a 200-day school year, but later revised its recommendation.

"Personally, I didn't think it (A 200-day year) was the answer," he said. "To prescribe 200 days is certainly aiming high and with great expectations and I don't think they'll be able to achieve it. The amount of school time we have now must have less interruptions," he said. "Until we get that in order, I don't think extending the school year will solve the problem."

Van Meer said he did not see a major problem with the restrictions the State Board is recommending be placed on snow days. Currently there is no limit to the number of days a district can miss without making them up. Van Meer said he assumed that schools would have to begin tacking days onto the end of the school year to compensate for any snow days which exceed the five which would be allowed.

"I think it's quite reasonable and, in a normal winter here, would be OK."

Council Mulls Bids For Village Audit

Chelsea has received five bids, ranging from \$4,700 to \$8,000, to conduct the annual village audit, and the council has decided to study them awhile before awarding the contract.

The low bid of \$4,700 was submitted by the Bay City firm of Campbell, Kusterer & Walraven, which did last year's audit at a cost of \$4,800. The offer to do it this year for a lower price surprised some members of the council.

Asked if the company had done an adequate job last year, village administrator Frederick A. Weber said yes. "They did everything they were required to do under the contract, submitted all the necessary reports to the state, and we haven't had any complaints," Weber said.

"There were a couple of things I wish they had done that they didn't do," he added, "but I don't think the contract demanded that they do them. They did a minimum job, but that's all they were asked for. At that price you can't expect any extras."

Much the same issue arose last year, before Campbell, Kusterer & Walraven was finally awarded

the contract because its bid was far under the others submitted. It bothered council members then to award the job to an out-of-the-area firm, but they decided to stick to a general policy of accepting low bids so long as contract specifications are met, regardless of where the bidder comes from.

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- Flannel Shirts.....20% Off
- Quilted Flannel Shirts.....20% Off
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10:30 a.m.—Morning worship.

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10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.

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11:15 a.m.—Worship service.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST
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The Rev. Dr. David Truran, Pastor
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Wednesday, Jan. 11—
3:30 p.m.—Praise choir.

8:30 p.m.—Rainbow Ringers.
7:15 p.m.—Tintinabulators.
7:15 p.m.—Carolers.
7:30 p.m.—Cooperative Ministries at
North Lake United Methodist Church.
8:00 p.m.—Chancel choir.
Thursday, Jan. 12—
3:15 p.m.—Girl Scout Cadet Troop 78
meets in the Social Center.
4:00 p.m.—Staff meeting in rooms 3 and 4
of the Education Building.
7:30 p.m.—Board of Trustees will meet in
the Litteral room.
Sunday, Jan. 15—
9:00 a.m.—Worship service, crib nursery
for children up to age 2 and church school
classes for all pre-schoolers.
10:30 a.m.—Glory choir leaves to go to
Education Building.
11:00 p.m.—Church school classes begin
for all ages.
12:00 noon—Church school classes
dismissed.
5:00 p.m.—Senior High UMYF, meeting
runs until 7 p.m.
7:30 p.m.—Square dance at Beach Middle
school gym, hosted by 3F group.
Tuesday, Jan. 17—
7:30 p.m.—Wesleyan Circle will meet in
large room upstairs in Education Building.
Wednesday, Jan. 18—
9:30 a.m.—Sarah Circle meets.
1:00 p.m.—Ruth Circle meets in Crippen
Building.
3:30 p.m.—Praise choir.
6:30 p.m.—Rainbow Ringers.
7:15 p.m.—Tintinabulators.
8:00 p.m.—Chancel choir.

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Mearl Bradley, Pastor
Wednesday, Jan. 11—
7:00 p.m.—Mid-week service.
Thursday, Jan. 12—
7:00 p.m.—Evangelism class.
7:30 p.m.—Growth group.
Friday, Jan. 13—
Men's get-away at pastor's cabin.
Saturday, Jan. 14—
12:30 p.m.—Junior high fun day.
Sunday, Jan. 15—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a.m.—Hospital ministry.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship service.
8:00 p.m.—Musical program by "Com-
mon Bond" singers from Spring Arbor Col-
lege.
Tuesday, Jan. 17—
8:00 p.m.—Community ministers
meeting.
Wednesday, Jan. 18—
7:00 p.m.—Mid-week service.

METHODIST HOME CHAPEL
The Rev. Ira Wood, Chaplain
Every Sunday—
9:45 a.m.—Worship service.

SHARON UNITED METHODIST
Corner Pleasant Lake Rd. and M-52
The Rev. Evans Bentley, Pastor
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.

Presbyterian—
FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN
Unadilla
William O. Kuenzli, Pastor
Every Sunday—
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.

Assembly of God—
FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
The Rev. Richard Coury, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a.m.—Worship service and Sunday
school nursery for pre-schoolers.
6:00 p.m.—Evening worship.
Every Wednesday—
7:00 p.m.—Christ's Ambassadors. Bible
study and prayer.

Non-Denominational—
CHELSEA FULL GOSPEL
11452 Jackson Rd.
The Rev. Chuck Clemens, Pastor
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.
6:30 p.m.—Evening worship.
Every Wednesday—
7:00 p.m.—Midweek prayer and Bible
study.

IMMANUEL BIBLE
145 E. Sunnunt St.
The Rev. John A. McLean, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school, nursery pro-
vided.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship, nursery
provided.
6:00 p.m.—Evening worship.
Every Wednesday—
7:00 p.m.—Family hour, prayer meeting
and Bible study.

COVENANT
Dr. R. J. Ratcliff, Pastor
50 N. Freer Rd.
Every Sunday—
9:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a.m.—Worship service.

MT. HOPE BIBLE
12884 Trist Rd., Grass Lake
The Rev. R. H. Brandow, Pastor
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.
7:00 p.m.—Evening service.
Every Wednesday—
7:00 p.m.—Bible study.

NORTH SHARON BIBLE
Sylvan and Washburne Rds.
The Rev. William Enslin, Pastor
Saturday, Dec. 31—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.
6:00 p.m.—Senior High Youth meeting.
Youth choir.
7:00 p.m.—Evening worship service.
(Nursery available.) All services inter-
preted for the deaf.
Every Wednesday—
7:00 p.m.—Bible study and prayer
meeting. (Nursery available.) Bus transpor-
tation available: 426-7222.

CHELSEA CHRISTIAN MEN'S
FELLOWSHIP PRAYER BREAKFAST
Chelsea Hospital Cafeteria
First Saturday Each Month—
8:00 a.m.—Breakfast.
8:30-10:00 a.m.—Program.

CHELSEA HOSPITAL MINISTRY
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Morning service, Chelsea
Community Hospital Cafeteria.

Church of Christ—
CHURCH OF CHRIST
13661 Old US-12, East
David L. Baker, Minister.
Every Sunday—
8:30 a.m.—Radio program-WNRS in
Saline.
9:30 a.m.—Bible study.
10:30 a.m.—Worship service. Nursery
available.
Every Wednesday—
7:00 p.m.—Bible study classes for all
ages.
First and Third Tuesday of every month—
7:00 p.m.—Ladies class.

Mormon—
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST
OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
Chelsea Branch-Rebekah Hall
Every Sunday—
9:30 a.m.—Sacrament.
10:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:40 a.m.—Priesthood.

Episcopal—
ST. BARNABAS
The Rev. Fr. Jerrold F. Beaumont, O.S.P.
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Eucharist, first, third and fifth
Sundays.
10:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer, second and
fourth Sundays.
11:00 a.m.—Eucharist, second and fourth
Sundays.
Nursery available every Sunday. Family
coffee hour follows all Sunday services.

Baptist—
CHELSEA BAPTIST
337 Williston St.
The Rev. Barry Hampton, Pastor
Every Sunday—
10:00-10:45 a.m.—Church school.
10:50 a.m.—Morning worship.
11:20 a.m.—Junior church school.
6:00 p.m.—Evening fellowship.
Every Wednesday—
7:00 p.m.—Mid-week Bible study and
prayer.

GREGORY BAPTIST
The Rev. W. Truman Cochran, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.—Young people.
7:00 p.m.—Evening worship.
Every Wednesday—
7:00 p.m.—Youth group.

FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST
The Rev. Larry Mattis,
The Rev. Roy Harbison, pastors.
682-7036
Every Sunday—
3:00 p.m.—Worship service at the
Rebekah Hall.

Catholic—
ST. MARY
The Rev. Fr. David Philip Dupuis, Pastor
Fall and Winter Schedule—
Every Saturday—
3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.—Confessions.
6:00 p.m.—Mass.
Every Sunday—
8:00 a.m.—Mass.
10:00 a.m.—Mass.
12:00 Noon—Mass.

Lutheran—
ST. JACOB EVANGELICAL
LUTHERAN
The Rev. Andrew Bloom, Pastor
12501 Rietmiller Rd., Grass Lake
Every Sunday—
9:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:10 a.m.—Divine services.

ST. THOMAS
EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
Ellsworth and Haab Rds.
The Rev. Paul Puffe, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:45 a.m.—Worship service.

FAITH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
The Rev. Mark Porinsky, Pastor
Wednesday, Jan. 11—
7:30 p.m.—Choir.
Sunday, Jan. 15—
8:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a.m.—Worship service. Sermon on
Titus 2:11-14, "God's Very Own Holy
People."

6:30 p.m.—Adult Bible Fellowship.
Tuesday, Jan. 17—
8:00 p.m.—Confirmation.
8:00 p.m.—Board of Education.
Wednesday, Jan. 18—
7:30 p.m.—Choir.
8:00 p.m.—Voters.

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN
1515 S. Main, Chelsea
The Rev. Franklin H. Giebel, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:00 a.m.—Sunday school, adult Bible
class.
10:30 a.m.—Worship service.
(Holy communion 1st, 3rd and 5th Sunday)
Every Wednesday—
7:30 p.m.—Advent mid-week vesper.

ZION LUTHERAN
Corner of Fletcher and Waters Rds.
The Rev. John R. Morris, Pastor
Sunday, Jan. 15—
9:00 a.m.—Group Sunday school.
10:15 a.m.—Worship service.

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William J. Trosten, pastor
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Every Sunday—
8:00 a.m.—Worship service.
9:30 a.m.—Sunday and Bible school.
10:45 a.m.—Worship service.

United Church of Christ—
ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL
AND REFORMED
Francisco
The Rev. Paul McKenna, Pastor
Every Sunday—
10:30 a.m.—Sunday school and worship
service.
First Sunday of every month—
Communion.

BETHEL EVANGELICAL AND
REFORMED
Freedom Township
The Rev. Roman A. Reineck, Pastor
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Worship service.

ST. PAUL
The Rev. Erwin R. Koch, Pastor
Wednesday, Jan. 11—
6:00 p.m.—Cherub choir.
8:30 p.m.—Chapel choir.
6:30 p.m.—Confirmation class.
7:30 p.m.—Chancel choir.
7:30 p.m.—Stewardship Dept.
7:30 p.m.—Church school teacher's
meeting.
Sunday, Jan. 15—
9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.—Church school
classes.
10:30 a.m.—Morning worship.
Wednesday, Jan. 18—
6:00 p.m.—Cherub choir.
6:30 p.m.—Chapel choir.
6:30 p.m.—Confirmation class.
7:30 p.m.—Chancel choir.

CONGREGATIONAL
The Rev. Kenyon Edwards, Interim Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Worship and Sunday school.
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Rogers Corners, Waters and Fletcher Rds.
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Every Sunday—
10:30 a.m.—Worship service, Sunday
school.

Christian Scientist—
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Every Sunday—
10:30 a.m.—Sunday school, morning serv-
ice.

Ski Racing Course To Be Conducted

A workshop to introduce cross country skiers to racing will be held Thursday, Jan. 12, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the University of Michigan Department of Family Practice classroom, 1018 Fuller St., Ann Arbor.

The class is designed for skiers interested in racing, who want to know how to prepare for the sport and what they can expect on a race course. Topics which will be discussed are the reasons for racing, training techniques, equipment, ski techniques, clothing and waxing.

The workshop is being conducted in preparation for a Jan. 28 ski race which will begin at 9 a.m. at Maybury State Park in Northville. The race, specifically designed for new racers, will be sponsored by the Family Practice Center at Chelsea. Par-

ticipants may enter a three kilometer (1.8 mile) or a 10 kilometer (6.2 mile) race.

Pre-registration for the workshop is requested. There will be a \$2 fee, payable at the door. To register call Peggy L. Alford at 764-8010.

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Millie Warner

What you should do and who you should call when your phone's in a fix.

It isn't very often that you need to deal with telephone repairs, but when you do, you want them taken care of as fast as possible. Now that Michigan Bell has separated from AT&T, there are some changes in the way repair problems are handled.

We have some suggestions for you on how to identify your phone repair problems so that you can get them handled as quickly as possible. But first it's important to know *who* will make specific telephone repairs. For example, effective January 1, 1984:

1. AT&T assumed ownership of the phones Michigan Bell had been providing you for a monthly fee. AT&T will continue to lease those phones to you and will offer repair services.

2. AT&T will also offer repair service for phones that you purchased from Michigan Bell prior to January 1, 1984.

3. Michigan Bell will continue to service and repair the *lines* that lead to your home or business.

Now let's talk about how you can tell if it's your phone that needs repairing or your phone lines.

Here's how:

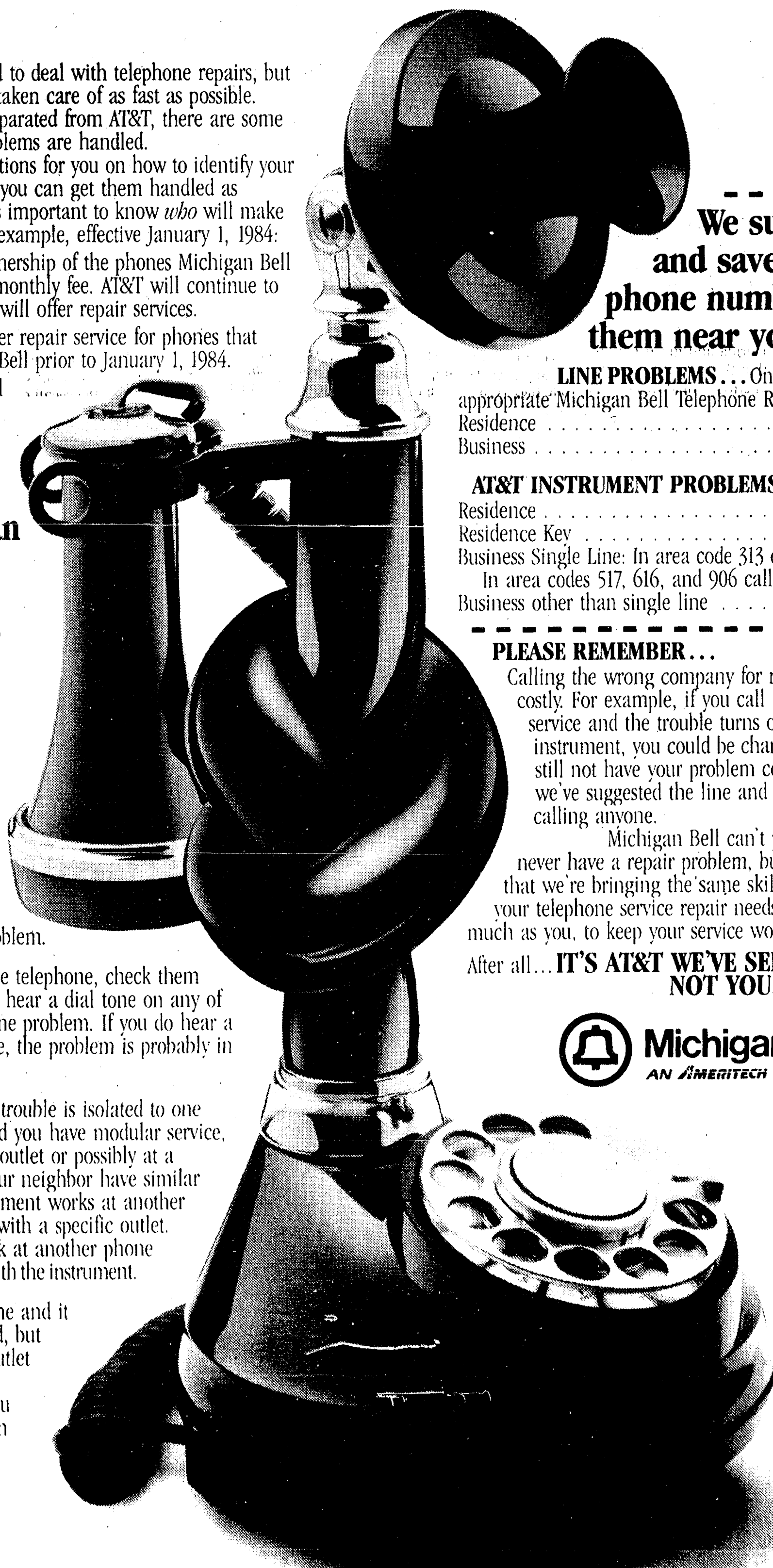
✓ If you have plug-in or modular service, make sure all of your phones are properly plugged in.

✓ Check all phones for physical damage or frayed cords. If you find damage, it's probably an instrument problem.

✓ If you have more than one telephone, check them all for a dial tone. If you don't hear a dial tone on any of the phones, you may have a line problem. If you do hear a dial tone on at least one phone, the problem is probably in one of your other instruments.

✓ If you determine that the trouble is isolated to one instrument at one location, and you have modular service, try that instrument at another outlet or possibly at a neighbor's (if both you and your neighbor have similar one-party service). If the instrument works at another location, the problem may be with a specific outlet. If the instrument does not work at another phone outlet, the problem is probably with the instrument.

✓ If you have only one phone and it does not appear to be damaged, but cannot be moved to another outlet for testing, call Michigan Bell Repair Service. We will help you determine whether you have an equipment or line problem.



We suggest you clip and save the following phone numbers and keep them near your telephone.

LINE PROBLEMS... On all line problems, call the appropriate Michigan Bell Telephone Repair Service:
Residence 221-2121
Business 221-3131

AT&T INSTRUMENT PROBLEMS...
Residence 1 800 555-8111
Residence Key 1 800 526-2000
Business Single Line: In area code 313 call 1 800 992-2772
In area codes 517, 616, and 906 call 1 800 248-2772
Business other than single line 1 800 526-2000

PLEASE REMEMBER...

Calling the wrong company for repair service could be costly. For example, if you call Michigan Bell for repair service and the trouble turns out to be in a telephone instrument, you could be charged for a service call and still not have your problem corrected. That's why we've suggested the line and instrument checks before calling anyone.

Michigan Bell can't promise you that you'll never have a repair problem, but we can assure you that we're bringing the same skill and experience to your telephone service repair needs. We want, just as much as you, to keep your service working as it always has.

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Facts down the line. Because your telephone business office is busily engaged in normal, day-to-day telephone service matters, we are providing this toll-free number as a source for answers to the questions you may have about your changing telephone company. We also suggest that you watch for our informational messages in your newspapers and in your monthly telephone bills. **1 800 555-5000**

A VIEW from the CLOCK TOWER

Bill Mullendore

When bureaucrats go off on a tangent, some strange and unfortunate things can happen. There were two examples in last week's news.

First was the comedy of errors that caused the South Lima Historic District to be designated although a clear majority of the affected property owners opposed the idea and said so in sworn statements properly filed with the history division of the Michigan Department of State in Lansing.

Under the law, an historic district can't be created and registered if a majority of the land owners disapproves. Yet, the history division went ahead and made the recommendation even though it had the written objections in hand, and the National Park Service compounded the error by approving the wrongful recommendation. Neither agency bothered to tell anybody what it had done.

The temptation is to suspect some kind of skulduggery, and it's possible there was. However, on the basis of my 17-year experience in the state bureaucracy, I doubt it. My educated guess is that the officials involved just plain goofed by rubber-stamping the first page of a big pile of paper without digging down to see what was in the rest of the pile.

I saw that sort of thing happen a good many times during my years in Lansing.

Fortunately, the error can be corrected with no damage done except to the emotions of the people concerned. My hope is that the history division and the park service will follow through quickly on their declared intent to rectify their mistakes.

Last week's other bureaucratic bungle was far more serious, because it definitely did do some damage. Chelsea Milling Co. has been hurt in the pocketbook (see news story elsewhere in this edition) and its loss probably will not be recovered even though the firm intends to try by pressing its complaint in court.

The tragedy is an unjustified injury to the company's reputation, and it's impossible to put a price on that. There is no way of calculating what it will cost Chelsea Milling to overcome the adverse publicity generated by a Florida official who acted in far too much haste without first getting the facts.

It's a shame. As Howard Holmes, president of Chelsea Milling, put it, "It would be funny if it weren't so serious."

How do you "ban" a "product" that a company doesn't make and never has? How do you blame a chemical that the company quit using more than 10 years ago? Above all, how do you justify taking those actions without contacting the people you are accusing and giving them the opportunity to tell you their side of the story?

Why should the president of Chelsea Milling Co. have to find out by reading in a newspaper that his firm has been charged with what amounts to poisoning the public?

The only justification for the accusations made against Chelsea Milling by Florida agriculture commissioner Doyle Conner would be that they are true. They aren't, and are probably false. A simple phone call or letter from Conner to Holmes could have cleared up whatever problem Conner imagined there was. It only costs 20 cents to mail a letter, and telephone toll charges between Tallahassee and Chelsea aren't prohibitive.

Instead, a statement was issued in Florida and given nationwide publicity. There is no possible way that that action can be excused. It was not an "honest mistake," an error of inadvertence. It had to have been done deliberately.

Public officials all too often forget that they hold in their hands the well-being of the people they are hired to serve. Their decisions can and do have enormous impact on both individuals and groups of citizens. The responsibility of being a "public servant" is so important that nothing less than carefully weighed judgments are acceptable.

Of the two instances discussed in this observation from the Clock Tower, one was an apparent double oversight, the other an obviously misuse of authority. Neither can be condoned.

Letters to the Editor

Mr. Ronald D. Olmsted
19816 Ivey Road
Chelsea, Michigan 48118

Dear Mr. Olmsted:

This is in response to your recent letter regarding the problem of escapes from the Cassidy Lake Technical School.

Substantial changes have recently been implemented at Cassidy Lake. These include the redeployment of several staff, the addition of a car to continuously patrol the perimeter, and improved frequency and methods for taking prisoner counts. The population assigned to Cassidy Lake will be more closely screened and housing assignments will be improved to minimize the potential for walkaways. Improved radio communications with the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department and increased prisoner counts have already demonstrated their effectiveness. They have contributed to the apprehension of the most recent walkaways within 30 minutes.

It is expected that, given time to prove themselves, these measures will substantially reduce the escape problem. If not, it will be necessary to consider additional measures. The Department of Corrections will also continue to work with the Community Liaison Council to monitor the situation. I hope these measures prove effective. If so, they will reflect money well spent for prudent resolution of the problem. Although they are not as extensive as the two alternatives you have advanced, they do reflect sound fiscal and correctional policy.

Sincerely,
James J. Blanchard,
Governor

Editor's Note: The following letter was sent to Gov. Blanchard, Sen. Lane Falkenberg, Rep. Margaret O'Connor, Rep. Philip Hoffman, and Rep. Jeffrey Padden. The governor's response follows:

The Hon. James Blanchard,
Governor
State of Michigan
Executive Office of the Governor
Capitol Building
Lansing, MI 48909

My Dear Governor Blanchard:

Thank you for your letter of Dec. 19.

The measures listed in your letter are, of course, improvements. But they're not enough. The recent incidents committed by escapees from Cassidy Lake Prison, one with the threat of force proves our point.

What we really don't understand is why the Department of Corrections will not put the right kind of prisoner at Cassidy Lake Prison and take responsibility for keeping them there. As we have tried to communicate to you, and as the Department of Corrections itself will admit, the nature of the Cassidy Lake prisoner has changed through the years. There are not more "youthful first time offenders" or "hub-cap stealers" in the prison system today. We have a harder core prisoner there now at Cassidy Lake.

You state that the Department of Corrections will continue to work with the Community Liaison Council. The Liaison Council has tried to work with the D.O.C. and failed. Twice the Liaison Council has submitted recommendations to the D.O.C. only to have them rejected. Why is this?

Cassidy Lake Prison should be fenced. As we have communicated to you and the Department of Corrections, the whole 88 acres doesn't have to be fenced. The buildings used by the prisoners can be fenced. They can still go to the garden or to the lake or to recreational areas, but under supervision.

The Committee To Fence Or Close Cassidy Lake Prison has 1,350 members. We have been trying to communicate our fear and our anger for the last six months. Are you listening to us? Please be responsive to our concerns.

Please take action before something more serious happens. Sincerely,

Ronald D. Olmsted, Organizer
Committee To Fence Or Close Cassidy Lake Prison

To the Editor,

I am writing to you as a follow-up to the original invitation given for possible media coverage. A very active series of Christmas programs and services were presented at Cassidy Lake by community volunteers during the month of December.

On Dec. 16, our annual Alcoholics Anonymous banquet was held in our dining hall. This Alcoholics Anonymous group is led by a dedicated volunteer from Ann Arbor and averages 30 prisoner enrollments a month.

On Dec. 18, Pastor Barry Hampton of the Chelsea Baptist church presented a special Christmas program for the prisoners of Cassidy Lake in our chapel. This program included Mrs. Hampton, Pastor and Mrs. Thomas Skoog, Pastor and Mrs. Ted T. Thodeson and 14 members of the Chelsea Baptist church. Approximately 37 prisoners attended this program.

On Dec. 19, Richard Cobb, Mrs. Pat Parrish and our director of prisoner services, Tom Mann, escorted our All Faiths Chapel Choir, composed of 11 prisoners, to the St. Louis School for Exceptional Boys for a program of Christmas carols. Over 70 stockings containing assorted fruits and nuts were given to the boys at the St. Louis school for Christmas. Afterwards, the school staff treated the choir to donuts and Kool Aid in the cafeteria. This is an annual program between these two schools.

On Dec. 21, ten members of the Antioch Prison Ministries, led by the Rev. Roman Whitlaw of Belleville, presented a Christmas program of gospel singing and Christmas celebration in our chapel. This organization has been coming to Cassidy Lake on a monthly basis for four years.

On Dec. 22, our All Faiths Chapel Choir presented a program of Christmas carols in our chapel. This program was open to prisoners and staff.

A special Mass was celebrated in the chapel by Father Dupuis and Deacon Richard Cesarz of St. Mary's Catholic church on Dec. 24.

On Dec. 30, the Christian Brotherhood church of Royal Oak, led by Pastor Harold Ballew and seven members of his church, presented a special religious service for the prisoners. Over 35 prisoners participated in this service.

As you can see, in the past month, there have been a number of noteworthy efforts by volunteers from Chelsea and other communities on behalf of our prison population as well as positive acts by our prisoners themselves.

I believe that these activities present a different view of the nature of our prison population here at Cassidy Lake than the more publicized, but far fewer, activities of a handful of escapees.

I would like to suggest that a more balanced coverage of this facility and the activities of its prisoners towards self-improvement would not only alter the community's perception of these prisoners, but would also serve to



BEHIND THE SCENES: When the curtain rises on the upcoming Chelsea Players production "The Last of the Red Hot Lovers" these people won't be on stage, but they will have put a lot of hours into producing, directing and building sets.

Pictured are, seated from left Mary Helen Gilday, assistant director, Michele McClear, director and Bob Penskar, technical director. Dave Tiedgen, producer, is standing.

Half Price Season Pass Sales Started

The City of Ann Arbor, Department of Parks and Recreation began selling season passes for Buhr Park Ice Rink at half price on Monday, Jan. 9. Passes may be purchased at Buhr Park, 2751 Packard Rd., or the 5th floor of City Hall. Half price for skating passes are: adults, \$11.00; youth and senior citizens, \$7.50; and families - \$20.

The passes are good for all public skating sessions through the end of the 1984 outdoor skating season.

lesson public anxiety regarding a prison in its midst.

There are 47 community volunteers in our program who would agree that the public image of these prisoners could be changed for the better.

We are willing to co-operate with you to the fullest extent in giving you access to these numerous programs, prisoners and the various community volunteers active in working with our prison population.

John T. Staten, Superintendent
Cassidy Lake Technical School

To the Editor,

Not that I was completely in favor of the state income tax increases of 1983, my only question is how much additional money is it costing Michigan taxpayers for the recall of each representative and the election for the vacancy to be filled? It must be costing something to someone and isn't it usually the taxpayer that's the one to get it?

I can understand, that I'm already having to pay the additional taxes. There's not a lot I can do about that. I don't understand having to pay for these recalls and elections out of my tax dollars, in fact I am. It really seems, that these dollars could go toward something much more useful to the Michigan taxpayer.

John Morris
517 McKinley, Chelsea

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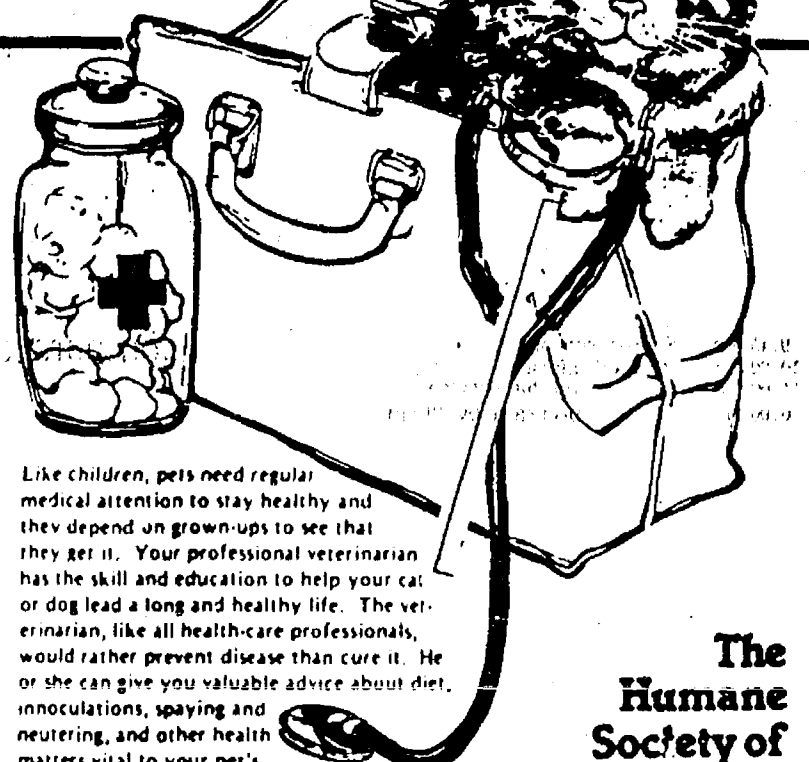
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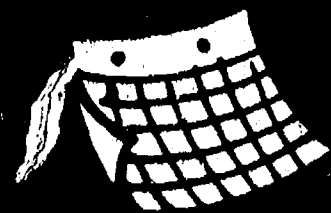
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Monday—

Huron Valley Mothers of Twins Club, Monday, Jan. 16, 7:30 p.m. at the Assembly of God Evangel Temple, 2455 Washtenaw, Ann Arbor, Dr. William Rayburn, director of High Risk Obstetrics U. of M. Hospital, will present his research.

Parent-Teacher South meets the second Monday of each month in the South School Library at 7:15 p.m.

Lima Township Board meets the first Monday of each month. advx14tf

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets every Monday, 6:30 p.m. at Chelsea Community Hospital.

Chelsea School Board meets the first and third Monday of each month, 8 p.m., in the Board Room.

Chelsea Lionsess, second Monday of each month at the Meeting Room in the Ann Arbor Trust Co. on M-52, Chelsea, at 7:30 p.m. Call 475-1791 for information.

Parents Anonymous Group, Chelsea, a self-help group for abusive, or potentially abusive parents, Mondays, 7-9 p.m. Call 475-9176 for information.

Chelsea Recreation Council 7 p.m., 2nd Monday of the month, Village Council chambers. 35tf

Tuesday—

Woman's Club of Chelsea, 8 p.m. second and fourth Tuesdays at McKune Memorial Library. For information call 475-2857.

American Business Women's Association 6:30 p.m. at the Chelsea Hospital fourth Tuesday of each month. Call 475-9244 for information.

Lima Township Planning Commission, third Tuesday of each month, 8 p.m., Lima Township Hall.

Chelsea Village Council, first and third Tuesdays of each month. advtf

Sylvan Township Board regular meetings, first Tuesday of each month, 7 p.m., Sylvan Township Hall, 112 W. Middle St. advtf

Lions Clu. first and third Tuesday of every month, 6:45 p.m., at the K of C Hall, Ph. 5-2831 or write P.O. Box 121, Chelsea.

Chelsea Jaycees, first Tuesday of each month. For more information call Wendall Wagner, 475-2571.

Chelsea Rod and Gun Club regular meeting, second Tuesday of each month at the clubhouse, Lingane Rd. 49tf

Chelsea Rebekah Lodge No. 130 meets the first and third Tuesday of each month, at 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday—

January meeting of the Washtenaw County Convalescent Homes Auxiliary has been postponed one week. The meeting will be on Wednesday, Jan. 25, at Zion Lutheran church in Ann Arbor, at 9:30 a.m.

Lima Center Extension group, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 11 at Lima Township Hall. Hostesses are Adeline Stone and Charlotte Inglis.

OES Past Matrons — dinner and meeting at Senior Citizens site at North school, 11:45 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 11. Reservation must be made by Jan. 9. Phone 475-1141 or 475-7591. If schools are closed meeting will be cancelled.

VFW Post 4076 meeting second Wednesday of month, 7:30 p.m., VFW Hall, 105 N. Main.

Chelsea Communications Club, fourth Wednesday of each month, 8 p.m., Chelsea Lanes basement meeting room.

New Beginning, Grief Group 1st, 3rd (5th) Wednesday each month, 7:30-9 p.m., Family Practice Center, 775 S. Main St., Chelsea.

Thursday—

Washtenaw County Farm Bureau Auxiliary, at 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 19 at Farm Bureau building. Husbands are invited. Program on field identification with Ron Gaskille as speaker. The Sirab Middle Eastern dance troupe will entertain, followed by a light lunch. For reservations call 663-3141 or Mrs. Andrew Poet at 429-7333.

Chelsea Community Farm Bureau, Thursday, Jan. 12, potluck, 7:30 p.m., home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Zeeb on Lingane Rd.

McKune Memorial Library will have a story hour for 3-5-year-olds each Thursday. Story hour will begin at 9:15 a.m. and end at 10 a.m. Cheryl Ford will be the storyteller.

Lyndon Township Planning Commission, 8:00 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. adv26tf

Knights of Columbus Women's Auxiliary, second Thursday of each month, 8 p.m. at K. of C. Hall, 20750 Old US-12.

Friday—

Rogers Corners Farm Bureau group, Friday, Jan. 13, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Grau.

Senior Citizens meet third Friday of every month, potluck dinner, games and cards, 6 p.m. at Senior Citizen Activities Center at North School.

Misc. Notices—

Chelsea Area Players present Neil Simon's comedy "The Last of the Red Hot Lovers" Jan. 27 and 28, at 8 p.m., and Sunday, Jan. 29, at 1 p.m. Ticket prices are \$10 for the Champagne Dessert Theatre, and \$3.50 for the matinee. adv344

Drop-In Service, the Children's Center at Chelsea Community Hospital, 475-1311 ext. 405 or 406. advx32

North Lake Co-Op Nursery school is taking enrollments for the 1983-84 school year for 3- and 4-year-old sessions. We offer classroom assisting and two options for non-assisting. For further information call Nancy Montague, 475-1080. adv15tf

Chelsea Co-op Nursery is accepting applications for the 1983-84 school year. Three-, four- and some late-birthday five-year-olds are eligible. Classroom assist and non-assist programs are available. Please call Karen at 475-7161 or Janet at 475-9370 for information. xadv24tf

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Home Meals Service, Chelsea. Meals served daily to elderly or disabled. Cost per meal, \$2.25 for those able to pay. Interested parties call Ann Feeney, 475-1493.

Chelsea Social Service, 475-1581, 2nd floor of Village Offices. Thursdays, 10 to 4, or if an emergency need at other times, call Linda at 475-7405 or Jackie at 475-1925.

Free blood pressure screening offered in co-operation with Chelsea Community Hospital is available to seniors at the: Dexter Senior Meals Program, the first Tuesday of every month from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., located at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 8265 Dexter-Chelsea Rd., Dexter; Waterloo Senior Meals Program, the third Thursday of every month from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., located at Waterloo Township Hall, Waterloo; Chelsea Senior Citizens Center, located at North Elementary school, Chelsea. Call 475-9242 for specific screening times. For further information, call Julie Say, R.D., community nutritionist, 475-1311, ext. 369.

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Social Worker Joins Family Practice Staff

Social worker Marian Cohen, A.C.S.W., recently joined the staff of the University of Michigan Family Practice Center at Chelsea.

A graduate of Cornell University, where she earned a bachelor's degree in child development, Cohen received a master's degree in social work from the University of Michigan.

Cohen was formerly a counselor and social worker in the Social Work department at U. of M. and University Hospital. She specializes in family communications and says she is interested in marital/couple relationships as well as relationships between parents and their children. In addition, she has had experience dealing with patients with chronic pain and illness.

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14th District Court Proceedings

Week of Jan. 2-Jan. 6

Judge Karl Fink Presiding
John W. Loy, 8870 Evergreen Rd., Brighton, was sentenced for impaired driving to \$305 fines and costs; 90 days restricted license; 15 days, three in the jail work program and 12 suspended and alcohol education classes.

Wendall J. Wagner, 8636 Plainwell Dr., Gregory, was sentenced for impaired driving to \$305 fines and costs; 90 days restricted license; 15 days, three in the jail work program and alcohol education classes.

Douglas Herman, 5620 Sharon Hollow, Manchester, was sentenced for indecent exposure to \$305 fines and costs; 12 months probation and 15 days, five in the jail work program and 10 suspended.

Sandra N. Griffiths, 2735 S. Wagner Rd., Lot 6, Ann Arbor, was sentenced for impaired driving to \$305 fines and costs; 24 months probation; 90 days restricted license; 60 days, suspended; attend Child and Family Services; attend weekly Alcoholics Anonymous classes and no alcohol.

David S. Stone, 3455 Oakridge, Highland, was sentenced for operating under the influence of liquor to \$405 fines and costs; 180 days restricted license; 30 days, six in the jail work program and 24 suspended and alcohol education classes.

Volunteers Needed For Senior Citizens Program

The Chelsea Senior Citizens Program is in need of volunteers to help out in a number of areas. The pay is nonexistent, but the rewards are numerous, said Jackie Rogers, Community Education director.

Volunteers are badly needed to work with seniors interested in creative writing, drawing, painting, and music appreciation Rogers said.

Someone who would be interested in leading a newly formed walking club is also needed, she added. The club currently meets every Thursday at 2 p.m. During the winter months, club members are walking indoors.

Volunteers may work as many or as few hours as they wish. For more information call 475-9242.



REMOVED FROM CAR: Sylvan township resident John Hand, 38, is removed from his damaged car following a collision at M-52 and Werkner Rd. last Monday afternoon. He was admitted to Chelsea Community Hospital with chest injuries.

Two Persons Injured In M-52 Accident

Two persons were injured in a traffic accident at M-52 and Werkner Rds. late Monday afternoon during a snowstorm.

Hattie Davis, 18, of Munith was treated in the Chelsea Community Hospital Emergency room for superficial injuries and released. John Hand, 38, of 1051 Liebeck Rd., Sylvan township, was admitted to the hospital for treatment of chest injuries. His condition was described as good.

Sheriff's deputies who investigated the accident said that a car driven south-bound on Werkner Rd. by Hand skidded into the intersection and collided with a car driven by Davis. Both vehicles were badly damaged.

It was snowing heavily at the time and the roads were slippery. The south-bound approach from Werkner to M-52 in a down-slope. "If you aren't familiar with the road and don't know the hill is there, you are probably going to skid if it's slippery, deputy Lee

Collier said. "You have to begin stopping a long way back. It's a bad intersection, especially in winter weather."

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Kindergarten is a very "in-between" time.

"Children grow up so much between the ages of four and five. They're so hungry to know about anything. They discover each other," said Arne Daniels, director of a recently formed kindergarten group which is part of the Chelsea Children's Center. The group, specifically for kindergarten children, meets daily in the basement of St. Pauls United Church of Christ.

Before the group was formed kindergarten students who were brought to the center following their half-day of school were usually placed in the pre-school class. The situation was unpopular with many school age children who viewed a nap as "a half-hour of torture," Daniels said.

Children in the kindergarten group spend their time at the center in various ways. There are structured periods when Daniels will read a story or discuss various topics with the youngsters. But more often, the children pursue their own favorite activities, such as sledding down a nearby hill, painting, dressing up in old clothes or dancing. Dancing is clearly the favorite of all

favorites—the children in Daniels' class know the words to every top 40 song played on the radio.

"What I'm hoping for here is a kind of continuation of kindergarten," Daniels said. "Kindergarten is a little more structured. I have a little more freedom and can get a little more individual with them."

The children themselves enjoy spending time with each other, she said.

"They're really spontaneous. They're really into helping each other out. And if someone is having difficulty and is upset and crying, then everybody is right there to help."

The Chelsea Children's Center is a benefit for Chelsea Community Hospital employees, who pay a lower fee to enroll their children, Daniels said. However, children whose parents are not employed at the hospital may also enroll their children in one of the classes. Students are also accepted on a "drop-in" basis, in the event that a regular babysitter is ill.

Daniels, who has a bachelor's degree in Child Development and has worked both in infant and child abuse prevention programs, said she thoroughly enjoys her class of four and five-year-old students.

"They're still not sophisticated, they're still not old enough to be cool."

Winter Term Brings New Community Ed Classes

It's only 12 pages long but the Chelsea Community Education winter brochure is overflowing with opportunities.

Want to get flabby muscles into shape, learn about hot air ballooning or become computer literate? It could all be possible by enrolling in a Community Education sponsored course.

Director Jackie Rogers said several new courses have been added this term to an already lengthy list.

Introductory photography seminars are one of the Community Education additions. Two three-hour sessions will be held on Jan. 23 and 31, to instruct participants in basic camera operation.

Another addition this winter is a new course in early childhood education called "Mother Goose On The Loose." The course, for

two-year-olds and their parents, will be held each Friday from Jan. 6 to Feb. 3 and feature art and musical activities and play time. Rogers said Community Education infant programs are "getting off the ground slowly but surely," but need more participants. Infant programs are offered for the "Nestling Newborn" (two to six months) "Curious Crawler" (six months to one year) and "Traveling Tot" (one to two years.)

Two new classes, "Taming the Snake Attack" and "What, No Meat?" have also been added to the Community Education "Cooking With Whole Foods" series.

Winter term classes begin Monday, Jan. 16. For more information call Community Education at 475-9830.



SHE LIKES TO DABBLE: Hillary Smith may not be a great artist, yet, but painting is a favorite activity that she pursues during the time she spends at the Chelsea Children's Center, sponsored by Chelsea Community Hospital.



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LET'S TALK ABOUT THIS: Anne Daniels, director of the Chelsea Children's Center kindergarten group, says her four and five-year-old students seem to really care about each other.

Dexter High Class Of '74 Planning 10-Year Reunion

Dexter High school class of 1974 is planning their 10-year reunion.

A meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, Jan. 25 at 7 p.m. at Dexter High school, Room 204 for a planning session. Anyone interested in helping with the reunion is welcome to attend.

For more information, phone Debbie DeGraf at 426-2608, evenings and Sarah Clark at 426-3240 days.

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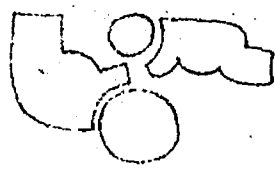
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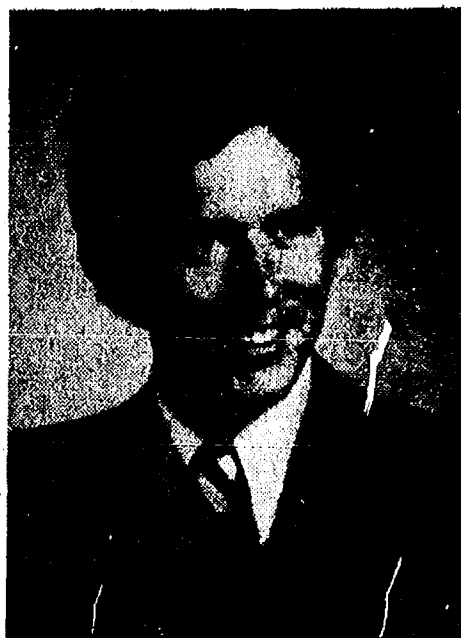
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Dr. Chenoweth Joins Medical Center Staff

The Territorial Family Medical Center has announced that James Chenoweth, M.D., is joining their staff.

Dr. Chenoweth is a graduate of Alma College, Wayne State Medical School, and completed his residency at the University of Michigan in family practice. In July of 1983, he became board certified in family practice.

Dr. Chenoweth will continue to practice at Foote Memorial Hospital in the emergency room, and will be available at Territorial Family Medical Center for appointments on Monday and Thursday afternoons and evenings.



JAMES CHENOWETH, M.D.

Fisher Photos Are Fun Fair Grand Prize

The grand prize for the annual South Elementary school "Fun Fair" drawing this year will be a set of three photographs by local photographer Dale Fisher. The photos, valued at \$600, are matted and copper framed. In addition, there will be various other prizes awarded through the drawing, said Kathy Grob-Rickard, of the "Fun Fair" committee.

Tickets for the drawing, which will take place during the "Fun Fair" Feb. 4, will be on sale at Chelsea State Bank and Polly's Market beginning Jan. 28. Tickets may also be purchased from any Parent Teacher South member or by calling Grob-Rickard at 475-9991.



AREN'T THESE PRETTY: Three 22x26 nature photographs by local photographer Dale Fisher are the grand prize in the upcoming South Elementary school "Fun Fair" drawing. Admiring the photographs are South Elementary school students Matt Gaken, left, Lisa Buckner, center, and Callista Tuttle.

GE, Lear, Air Force at Village Electric Power Defense Contract Meet Program Study Suggested

Continuing its drive to open subcontract opportunities for South Central Michigan firms, the Center for Defense Procurement will feature two major defense contractors and an Air Force buying command at its special January seminar.

Congressman Carl Pursell announced that the sales opportunity/business expansion conference will be held Monday, Jan. 16, starting at 9 a.m., in the Dow Conference Center at Hillsdale College in Hillsdale.

The meeting is open to all businesses in the area. Congressman Pursell will attend and be available for discussions with business people. He said he thought the seminar would be "well worth the short drive to Hillsdale, and I encourage businesses to send a representative."

Featured at the conference will be General Electric Corp. of Cincinnati, and Lear Siegler, Inc. of Grand Rapids. They will explain their extensive aircraft-related government contracts and outline potential opportunities for subcontracting work. Local business people will be able to meet directly with representatives of the companies to explore possibilities for their firms.

G.E. is heavily involved in providing aircraft engines and related equipment, while Lear's strong point is aircraft instrumentation. Both companies require numerous subcontractors and are alert for chances to expand their base of quality suppliers.

Primary government participants in the conference will be Tinker Air Force Base, Oklahoma, one of five U.S. Air Logistics Centers, and the Defense Department's contract administration office in Detroit.

Tinker AFB purchases a wide variety of items, including guided missile components, aircraft engines and related equipment, and flight instrumentation. Their mission, and the business opportunities it represents, will be explained.

The contract administration office representative will discuss quality assurance.

A special attraction will be Jim Price, president of Abrasive Materials, Inc. of Hillsdale, who will recount for fellow-business people his success in government contracting.

Also featured will be Ralph Schneider of the National Contract Management Association, who will explain that organization's services to business.

The Center for Defense Procurement is a pilot program initiated by Congressman Pursell to help diversify and expand business and job opportunities by competing more aggressively for defense supply and other government contracts. During the current six-month demonstration phase, the Center is staffed by experienced Defense Department personnel. When the pilot program concludes on March 31, the Center's work will continue as a community-based effort.

No registration fee or reservation is required for the Jan. 16 conference. Additional information is available from the Center (517/783-2337), or Congressman Pursell's district office (toll-free 800/772-0077).

The Center for Defense Procurement recently expanded its activities into Washtenaw County. Several Washtenaw businesses attended last month's seminar at Jackson Community College. Congressman Pursell expressed the hope that additional firms would attend the Hillsdale meeting and become familiar with the help they can obtain from the Center in seeking government supply contracts to expand their sales.

Class of 1974 10 Year Reunion Being Planned

An organizational meeting for the 10 year reunion of the Chelsea High school class of 1974 will be held at Stivers Restaurant, Tuesday, Jan. 17 at 7:30 p.m.

All interested class members are invited to attend. Anyone who would like to be involved in the planning of the reunion but is unable to attend the meeting may contact Larry Doll at 662-3213, days, or 475-7568, evenings.

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OPENING JACKSON CLINIC: Atkinson Chiropractic Clinic has announced the soon to be opened Jackson clinic. Shown above are, from left, Drs. Warren and Linda Atkinson and Alline Weltz and Bruce Bradley of Century 21-Action Phoenix Realty of Jackson.

Chelsea Chiropractors To Open Jackson Clinic

Chelsea Chiropractors, Drs. Warren and Linda Atkinson, have recently acquired the vacant building and property on Shirley Dr., next to Gilbert's Steak House in Jackson. They are pictured here with Alline Weltz and Bruce Bradley of Century 21-Action Phoenix Realty of Jackson, whom they purchased the property from.

"For the past few years we have considered the possibility of a second office in Ann Arbor or Jackson. Things just never worked out right for an office in Ann Arbor, but the people we have dealt with in Jackson have been very helpful and receptive to us," states Dr. Linda Atkinson.

Dr. Warren Atkinson will maintain his Chelsea practice at 7970 Clark Lake Rd., which he and Dr.

Linda started seven years ago. She will then be the director of the Atkinson Chiropractic Clinic, Jackson.

The building, which was previously Mar-L's Gifts, is currently being remodeled and is scheduled to begin patient care in January.



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Proves Our Point, Olmsted Says of Cassidy Incident

"This is exactly what we have been worried about and tells you why the Fence It Or Close It Committee was formed," said chairman Ronald Olmsted in the wake of the latest escapes of walk-aways from the Cassidy Lake Technical School.

"They (prison officials) can't provide security out there even though I recognize they are trying," Olmsted added. "There just plain is no such thing these days as a minimum security institution. Prisoners are going to get out, and some of them are going to terrorize people."

"It's about time that fact was recognized and something done about it for the protection of local citizens who happen to live in the vicinity of the prison. We're going to push our campaign to fence it or close it."

Two inmates of the Cassidy Lake Technical School walked off from the Cassidy Lake grounds on Monday evening, Jan. 2, wandered around all night, and then broke into a Dexter township

home early the following morning.

Under pressure of physical violence, they forced the homeowner to surrender his car keys, tried to start the car and failed to do so. They fled into the nearby woods and were tracked down and caught by sheriff's deputies, after a two-hour chase.

"This is something new, a break-out in the middle of winter," Olmsted said. "Normally, you breathe a little easier during the winter months, but you obviously can't anymore. The prisoners the Department of Corrections is putting into Cassidy Lake—hardened criminals—are going to get away at any time of the year, and some of them are going to threaten innocent people when they do."

"The time has come for a show-down, either fence it or close it, and I'm prepared to push for a solution to a problem that has us living in terror. I've been a victim and I know how it feels."

"As chairman of the Fence It

or Close It committee, I represent more than 1,300 people who have said they can't take the terror any longer. You never know where these murderers and other assaultive criminals who walk away from Cassidy Lake are going to strike next. The situation is getting worse instead of better, despite the efforts of the staff at the prison. The solution lies in Lansing, and that's where we intend to push for it."

"It's all very well to report that the escapees were recaptured and will be transferred to higher security prisons and will serve longer sentences. That doesn't do much for the man who was beaten up and had his car keys taken."

"This problem has to be solved at its source. It's too easy for prisoners to escape from Cassidy Lake. The Corrections Department should either fence it or close it, and we won't quit insisting on that until one or the other is done."

Cassidy Escapee Steals Car in Chelsea, Is Caught

An escapee from Cassidy Lake Technical School early last Saturday morning was arrested at the Wolverine Plaza truck stop at I-94 and Baker Rd. a few hours later after he stole a car in Chelsea.

In custody at Southern Michigan Prison, Jackson, is Kristopher Keith Anderson, 19, of Wayne county, who is serving concurrent terms of 18 months to

10 years for burglary and 18 months to five years for receiving stolen property.

John Andrews, deputy superintendent at Cassidy Lake, said Anderson had been an inmate there for three weeks before he walked away.

"We're still investigating the circumstances of the escape," Andrews said. "We're not sure

exactly what time he got out or how he did it, but it apparently happened about 5 a.m. last Saturday."

According to a sheriff's department report, Anderson apparently walked into Chelsea—a distance of 3-6 miles depending on whether he used roads or went cross-country—and stole a car in the village.

Sheriff's deputies alerted to the auto theft spotted the car on I-94 west of Baker Rd. at about 10 a.m., and signalled the driver to stop. He did, jumped out of the car, and fled on foot. Anderson was caught in the truck plaza a short time later.

"It's another case of somebody leaving shortly after being sent here," Andrews said. "The pattern is evident. Most of our walk-aways go during their first few weeks of residence. Once they settle in, accept our program and go to work to earn parole, they seldom try to escape."

"I'll say about Anderson what I've said about others. He has made a lot more trouble for himself. Now he will have an auto theft term to serve on top of his other convictions. And he won't see a minimum security prison again."

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ESSAY WINNERS: These South Elementary school fifth grade students were winners in a recent essay contest developed by teacher Lois Moore. Each fifth grade student at the school wrote an essay about the Statue of Liberty. In addition, each student in Moore's homeroom donated a small sum, which they would have used for a class Christmas gift exchange toward the ongoing restoration

program for the Statue of Liberty. Class members donated approximately \$30 toward the project. Shown are, Melanie Bendry, left, and Jennifer Cole, second from left, first prize winners in the essay contest; Sara Musolf, second place winner; and Cindy Noble, third place winner. Each student was allowed to choose a number of books from Moore's collection as reward for their essay.

Chelsea Mirrors State's School Enrollment Decline

Chelsea is reflecting the same decline in public school enrollment as schools across the state, says Superintendent Ray Van Meer.

A state Department of Education report issued last week listed a decline in enrollment of 27,000 in Michigan public schools for the current school year.

Chelsea enrollment dropped by 37 students this year.

Van Meer blamed the loss, as it is being blamed around the state, on declining enrollment.

"We have had declining enrollment for the last five years, generally that is the trend," Van Meer said.

Since 1978 enrollment in the Chelsea school district has been on a steady, gradual, decline. During that period enrollment has decreased by 431 students. There were 2,663 students attending Chelsea schools during the 1977-78 school year and 2,232

enrolled for the 1983-84 school year.

The biggest drop came during the 1979-1980 school year when enrollment dipped by 106 students from the previous year.

Van Meer said that the drop in enrollment figures has led to the loss of eight or nine teachers, over the years. Most of the teacher cut-backs have been made through attrition, although there have been some pink slips issued.

"It's hard," he said. "You can't say that for every 30 students you lose a teacher, because the loss (of students) is spread out over 12 grades."

Van Meer is optimistic that the decline is about to even out. One positive sign is the recent growth of kindergarten classes, he said. With that increase the forecast is for enrollment in Chelsea to stabilize in the near future. There will, however, be one more major drop in enrollment during the 1989-90 school year, after this year's large class of eighth grade students graduate, he said.

As in schools around the state, one area which has shown continual growth is the Chelsea High

school completion program. Because of the recent poor economy and a need for further training more people are returning to finish their high school education.

"Our high school completion program has gradually grown over the years," said Jackie Rogers, Community Education director. "But the growth has been very gradual."

Growth in the high school completion course is less than

dramatic chiefly because of Chelsea's stable population base, Rogers said.

"Once people return and get their diploma they're done, and there aren't that many other people to take their place," she said.

This year, for the first time, Community Education has expanded its completion course to include residents of Manchester. Approximately 150 students are enrolled in the program from both villages.

Hatch Stamping Asks For Tax Abatement

Hatch Stamping Co. has petitioned the village for an Industrial Development District (IDD) to be created at the former IPSCO plant site which the stamping firm is moving into.

The village council has set a public hearing on the request for Feb. 7.

The site is located east of Cavanaugh Lake Rd. and north of the Conrail tracks. The entrance is off Cleveland St.

Designation as an IDD qualifies the property owner for a 50 percent tax abatement on improvements made during the next 12 years.

There are presently four IDD's in Chelsea—established for BookCrafters, Chelsea Milling, Chelsea Industries and the doctors' group which bought the old Rockwell plant. Of those, only BookCrafters has so far used its option to receive tax relief.

In addition, the council has taken steps to have the Sibley Rd. industrial park established as an IDD.



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SPORTS

Bulldog Varsity Cagers Squeeze by Lincoln, 67-65

The record shows that Chelsea's varsity basketball team was undefeated going into last night's game at Mason and is tied with Milan for the South-eastern Conference lead.

What it doesn't show is that the 4-0 Bulldogs have had three uncomfortably close calls because of their feeble efforts from the free-throw line. The latest was a 67-65 hang-on victory over Lincoln here last Friday night in a game that should not have been anywhere near that close.

What made it close was the fact that Chelsea converted only 17 of 41 foul shots, and most of the misses came on the front end of one-and-one attempts.

"We've got to get better on our free throw shooting," said coach Paul Ash after the game. "It's going to cost us somewhere along the line if we don't."

Ash was quick to admit that he doesn't know any quick and easy cure for the Bulldogs' failures at the charity stripe. "We practice free throws a lot, and we shoot them very well in practice. One boy hit 44 out of 50 one day last week."

"I think the problem is primarily mental. The kids are worrying too much about what happens if they miss, instead of just walking up there, putting the ball in, and accepting the points for what they are—free gifts."

"I was a better than 80 percent free throw shooter in college, and I think it was because I had a positive attitude. It's mainly a matter of concentrating on repeating a set of motions that you've learned how to make."

"We'll just have to keep working on it."

Chelsea played a splendid first quarter against Lincoln, jumping out to a 21-10 lead by out-playing the Railsplitters at their own running game. After having gained control, the Bulldogs promptly gave it away with stone-cold shooting which allowed the Railsplitters to come back and tie the game at 30 before Chelsea edged back to a 41-34 half-time margin.

The Bulldogs came out on top, 12-10, in a toughly played third quarter and went into the final eight minutes ahead by nine, which appeared to be plenty. Needing to foul to get the ball, the Railsplitters found out they could do it without being hurt on the scoreboard, closed the gap to two, and barely missed a last-second shot that could have forced an overtime.

It was a hard-fought, extremely physical contest which threatened at times to degenerate into a free-for-all brawl. Some strange officials' calls (see accompanying story) didn't help. Lincoln got back into the game in the late minutes, with the aid of a four-point play and a two-shot technical foul on both of which one referee stretched the rules to say the least.

Perhaps to make amends, the same official nullified an ap-

parent tying Lincoln field goal with 15 seconds left on the clock by calling a traveling violation. Both teams had been doing a lot of traveling all evening and getting away with it.

In the end it was Chelsea's tough defense and the excellent play of center David Kiel that made the difference. The defense took Lincoln out of its run-and-shoot game and forced a bunch of bad shots.

However, the Railsplitters made a few of those low-percentage heaves and did a fine rebounding job on the offensive boards to get second and even third opportunities. They also hit 15 of 21 free throws, including eight without a miss in the fourth quarter.

Kiel put in 18 points, most of them in heavy traffic underneath, and completely dominated Lincoln's Joey Ross who is an inch taller. The 6-7 Ross was not a factor in the game.

Kiel also had 10 rebounds and used his size and strength effectively to help neutralize the visitors' jumping ability.

David Steinhauer, who is emerging as an excellent player, had 17 points and steady Eric Schaffner 16.

After it was all over and he had a chance to wipe the sweat off his brow, Ash was quick to praise Lincoln. "They didn't give up when we had them down, and they could have, several times," he said. "They are very fast and very good jumpers. They kept coming back at us, and they made it too close for comfort. The game down there (in the Lincoln gym on Feb. 3) is going to be a very tough one. We have to get better, and we have a lot of things to work on besides free throw shooting if we are going to keep on winning."

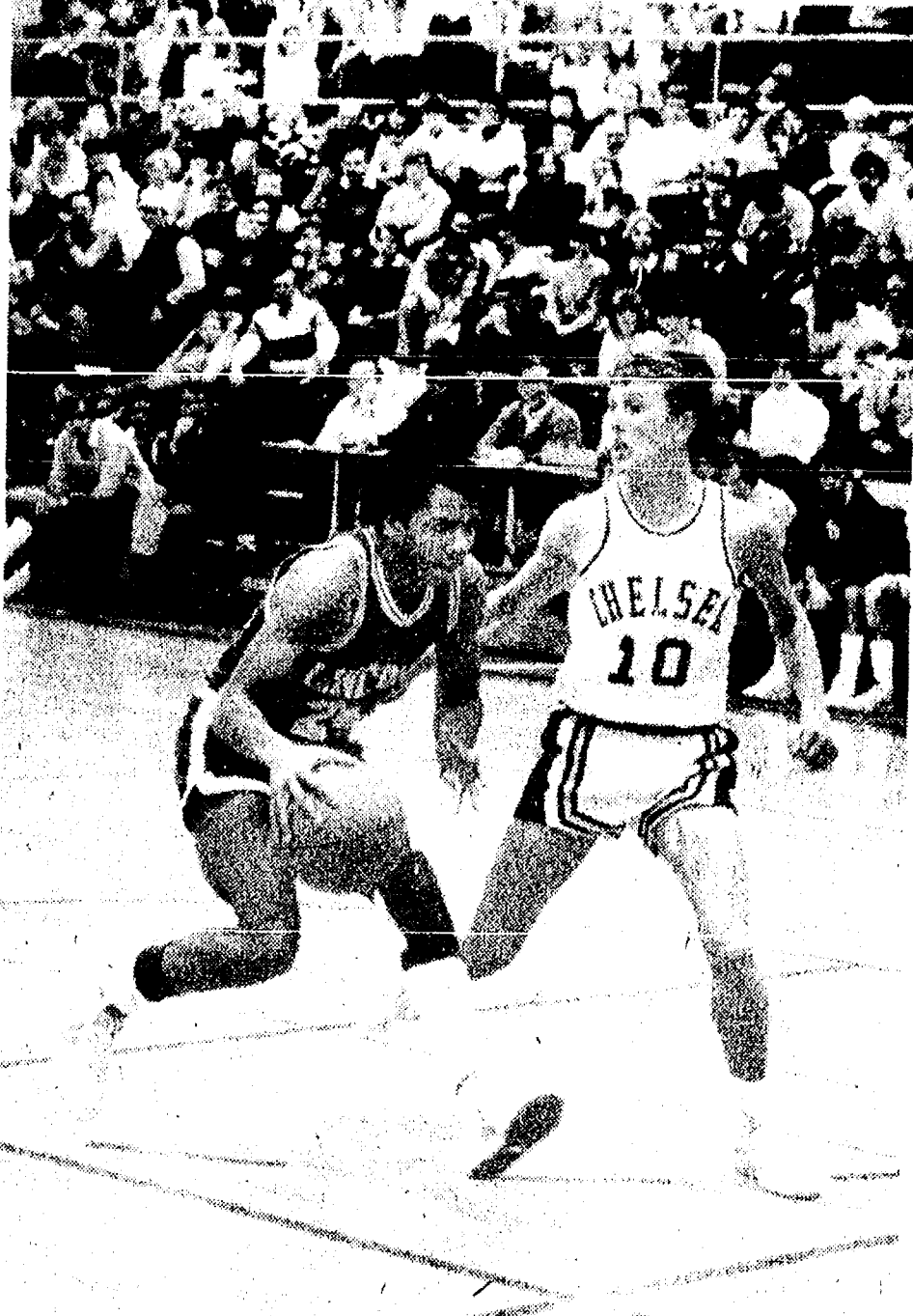
Ash noted that Lincoln had played a game the previous Tuesday while Chelsea had an open date, and said it perhaps made a difference.

"We were rusty coming off the holiday lay-off," he said, "and it showed. We played some streaks of good basketball, but we weren't consistent. The schedule worked against us, and fortunately we overcame it. When you look at the record, we have played only four games, and everybody else has played six or seven."

(One Bulldog game was postponed because of a blizzard which prevented travel.)

Chelsea was to play at Mason last night in a non-league game, and will go to Tecumseh for an SEC contest on Friday. The Indians are always tough in their own gym, which has some peculiarities that can cause problems for visiting teams.

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HE CAN PLAY: Chelsea freshman Todd Starkey (10) proved beyond a doubt last Friday night that he can play varsity-level basketball. Here he sticks like glue to a Lincoln guard bringing the ball up-court, maintaining the essential half-step advantage to prevent a drive to the basket. Not also that the Lincoln player is carrying the ball, a violation that happened often but was seldom called during the game.

Starkey Earns Right To Play on Varsity

Freshman Todd Starkey made his debut as a varsity basketball player last Friday night against Lincoln, and his performance should quiet those Chelsea cage followers who were wondering out loud whether he "belonged."

He spelled starting point guard Eric Schaffner twice during the Bulldogs' 67-65 victory over Lincoln, scored on two of four shots from the floor, hit one of two free throws, made two steals, did not turn the ball over in the backcourt, and was called for one questionable foul.

"He played extremely well," coach Paul Ash said. "He did exactly what I hoped he would do—come in and play on the point, give Eric a chance to rest, and hold his own out there. He will help Eric to be better player. He (Schaffner) plays so hard that he has to come off the floor a couple of times during the game to catch his breath, and Todd showed that he can handle things when Eric is out."

"When you substitute, you're looking to stay even, not hurt yourself. You hope the player off the bench will catch fire and do something outstanding. That happens sometimes, but you can't count on it. Starkey definitely played good basketball. He was a plus."

The 14-year-old freshman was obviously nervous during the pregame warm-up, and it was good to see the old players, especially senior co-captain Marty Steinhauer, pat him on the back and calm him down.

The best thing that could have

happened for Starkey did happen. He made his first varsity field goal attempt, a driving 10-foot jumper from the lane that wasn't easy. The successful shot drew a roar of approval from the Bulldog fans in Chelsea's gym, and Starkey was on his way. He played with confidence from there on.

Starkey is listed at 5-11 and 155 pounds on the Bulldog roster, but is smaller than that by at least an inch and 15 pounds. He is small even by Class B high school basketball standards, but is still growing.

"Todd has very quick hands and feet," Ash said, "and he is going to put on some height and weight. He's intelligent and very coachable. He understands his varsity role as a substitute, and that isn't easy for a boy who is used to being a starter and leader. He is devoted to the game."

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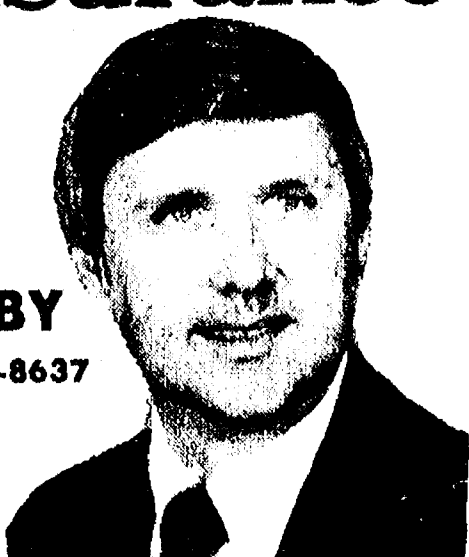
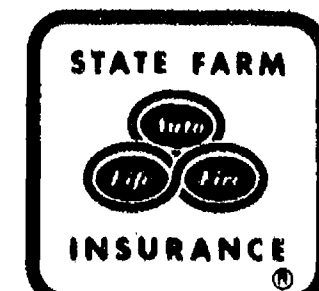
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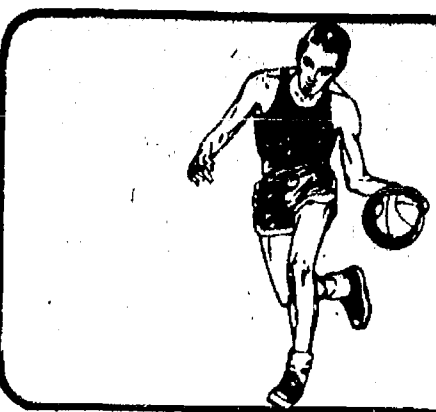
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IT WENT UP AND IN: Chelsea center David Kiel turned out to be the dominant inside force that made the difference in last Friday's 67-65 victory over Lincoln, and it was plays like this one

that did it. Looking on as Kiel puts up a successful shot are Chelsea's Keith Niebauer (44) and Eric Schaffner (24).

Coach Ash Unhappy Over Officials' Rulings

Chelsea varsity coach Paul Ash is regarded as one of the best high school basketball referees in the state, but he was shaking his head over the officiating in last Friday's game here against Lincoln.

"Let's just say that there were some very strange calls, calls that I wouldn't have made," Ash said. "And there were calls that should have been made but weren't."

The strangest call of all was a two-shot technical foul assessed against Ash for telling an official, on the sidelines in a low voice, "I don't think I want you back here for another game."

"It wasn't a smart thing to say, and I regret it," Ash said, "but there is no way it can be a technical foul. I didn't go out on the floor, I didn't shout. I was upset by some of the bad calls, I asked the official to come over to the bench, and I told him so."

"I learned something from that experience," added the 26-year-old Ash who is in his second year of coaching and is not doing refereeing this season. "I'm sorry the incident got into the papers, but it did, and I'll stand by my conviction that there is no way under the rules that a technical foul should have been called."

The incident could have cost Chelsea the game, which the Bulldogs finally won, 67-65. Lincoln converted both throws on the two-shot technical to pull within two points and barely missed a chance to tie at the end.

What upset Ash most was a four-point play executed by Lincoln when a Railsplitter was awarded two free throws after scoring a field goal because of a ruling that he had been "deliberately" fouled in the act of shooting.

"It's within the rules, but it is almost never called," Ash said, "and there was no justification for calling it in this instance. It was a normal foul committed by one of our players who was trying to block a shot."

"I'm not saying that all the calls went against us," Ash added.

ed. "Lincoln had some strange ones, too. It was a poorly officiated game."

Ash was also unhappy over the fact that Lincoln players were "carrying" (palming) the ball as they brought it up court. "They did it just about every time, and we couldn't get it stopped so we finally started doing it, too."

"It's one of those violations that an official is supposed to warn against first, and then begin calling if it continues. You just plain can't put your hand under the ball when you are dribbling. It's a good rule, and it should be enforced."

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Beautiful hilltop site, partially wood-
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NEW TRI-LEVEL on your improved lot.
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YEAR ROUND HOME on Crooked
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YOUR OWN SWISS CHALET —
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Farm.

UNIQUE 3-BEDROOM, 3-bath cedar
and brick "chalet" situated on one
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land contract.

VERY COMFORTABLE 3-bedroom
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PARTIALLY EARTH SHELTERED brick
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fireplace and two full baths. Ex-
cellent access to I-94.

DEXTER SCHOOLS — Custom built
3-bedroom ranch on 5 wooded acres.
Seller will consider offer with closing
as far ahead as six months.

BOYCE ROAD — Very nice 3-bed-
room ranch on approximately 3
acres. Open floor plan. Fantastic
view of countryside from all direc-
tions.

CHOICE BUILDING SITES also
available—with very good terms.

LOVELY NEW COLONIAL on 3 acres.
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bor and Chelsea; Chelsea schools.
\$94,900.

VERY COMFORTABLE 3-bedroom
home in Chelsea. All new appliances
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NEED A MOTHER-IN-LAW'S apart-
ment? This is the place for you. Plen-
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roof. Priced right at \$59,000. x29if

THORNTON

475-9193

CAVANAUGH LAKEFRONT — 1,800
sq. ft. year-round home. Oak
kitchen cabinets. Screened porch.
Nice deck. No steps to lake. \$89,000
L/C possible.

REDUCED! Owner says sell now!
Nice 4-bedroom, 2 bath older home.
Could possibly be converted to two-
family. Village of Chelsea. \$48,000.

NORTH LAKE — Nice executive home
on 1 plus acre. Area of new homes. 4
bedrooms. 2 plus baths. Fireplace.
Well decorated. Access. \$99,700.

GREAT BUY! 4-bedroom, 2 bath
ranch with walkout lower level.
Super for young couple or retirees.
Chelsea schools. \$53,900.

BUILDING SITES

LAND CONTRACT TERMS — 3- to
10-acre sites. Rural area in Chelsea
schools. Some trees, some open and
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OVERLOOKS PRIVATE LAKE — One-
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40 ACRES with wooded hills, some
sunny open areas, low wet woods,
and swampland, 1,320 ft. road front-
age, 1 mile off I-94. Grass Lake
schools. \$40,000. L.C. possible.

RENTAL—Chelsea Schools — 3-bed-
room, two-story home, fireplace,
partial basement. Clear Lake Rd.
\$450 per mo. Sec. dep. and
reference.

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Real Estate

WATERLOO REALTY

A NEAT LITTLE HIDEAWAY in the
woods. One bedroom, year-round
home. New kitchen, large living
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all-sports lake, Waterloo Rec Area.
Leased land. \$15,900. Terms possi-
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LAKEFRONT — Pretty 3-bedroom bi-
level is nestled on the edge of a pic-
turesque, quiet fishing lake, with a
gorgeous view of State Land across
lake. Rec room with attached Florida
room at lower level on lake-
side. Two-car garage, plus second
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ment. On 2 ½ acres. Close to I-94,
Chelsea schools. \$85,000.

HARD TO BEAT this excellent buy —
3-bedroom ranch with full basement,
patio, off dining room; attached
double-garage with automatic door
opener. Nat. gas forced air heat. On

Legal Notices 18

MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by JOHN E. HECHLIK and PATRICIA A. CHLIK, husband and wife, of Plymouth, Michigan, to Great Lakes Federal Savings & Loan Association, of the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, a corporation organized under the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, of the United States of America, as amended, Mortgagee, dated the 26th day of January, 1980, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, on the 30th day of January, 1980, in Liber 1746 of Washtenaw County Records, at Page 831, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Thirty One Thousand Four Hundred Twenty & 10/100 (\$31,420.10) Dollars plus an escrow deficit of One Hundred Twenty Three & 04/100 (\$123.04) Dollars plus deferred late charges of Thirty Two & 52/100 (\$32.52) Dollars.

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of January, 1984 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, Local Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Huron Street entrance, to the Washtenaw County Building, in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at Twelve and 50/100 (12.50%) per cent per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Said premises are situated in the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan and described as:

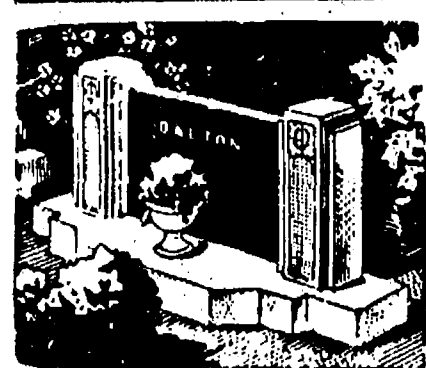
The NE 40 feet of the SW 44 feet of Lot No. 51, except the NW 1/4 50 feet thereof in Tappan Park, a subdivision, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 34, Washtenaw County Records; also known as 807 Arch Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan, also known as: Beginning at a point on the NW side of Arch Street, 4 feet NE of the SW corner of Lot 51; thence NW 1/4 parallel to the SE line of said Lot 51, 80.79 feet to the SE line of a strip of land, 30 feet in width sold to Mrs. Julia LaBar by deed recorded in Liber 167 of Deeds, Page 119; thence NE 1/4 along the SE line of Mrs. LaBar's land, 40 feet; thence SE 1/4 parallel to the SW line of said Lot 51, 80.10 feet to the NW line of Arch Street; thence SW 1/4 along the NW line of Arch Street 40 feet to the Place of Beginning, being part of Lot 51, according to the recorded plat of Tappan Park, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 34, Washtenaw County Records.

During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed. Dated at Ann Arbor, Michigan, December 6, 1983.

GREAT LAKES FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION,
Mortgagee

LAIRD & CHIN, By: Sheila Schwartz
Attorneys for Mortgagee
Great Lakes Federal Savings Bldg.
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Legal Notices 18

MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by GEORGE L. ROBERTSON and FLORENCE ROBERTSON, husband and wife, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, to Ann Arbor Federal Savings and Loan Association, now known as Great Lakes Federal Savings & Loan Association, of the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, a corporation organized under the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, of the United States of America, as amended, Mortgagee, dated the 3rd day of October, 1977, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, on the 8th day of October, 1977, in Liber 1618 of Washtenaw County Records, at Page 958, which said mortgage indebtedness was on or about September 28, 1978 assumed by Dorothy J. Simpson, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Forty Four Thousand One Hundred Twenty Seven & 82/100 (\$44,127.82) Dollars plus an escrow deficit of Four Hundred Thirty One & 11/100 (\$431.11) Dollars plus deferred late charges of Fifty Nine & 20/100 (\$59.20) Dollars;

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of January, 1984 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, Local Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Huron Street entrance, to the Washtenaw County Building, in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at Nine and 50/100 (9.50%) per cent per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Said premises are situated in the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan and described as:

Lot 26, Ann Arbor Home Park Subdivision, City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 20 of Plats, Pages 92, 93 and 94, Washtenaw County Records.

During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed.

Dated at Ann Arbor, Michigan, December 6, 1983.

GREAT LAKES FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION,
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Dec 14-21-28-Jan 4-11

MORTGAGE SALE—Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by KENNETH EDWARD KEISER and SUSAN ANN KEISER, husband and wife, to Ann Arbor Mortgage Corporation, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, Dated February 17, 1978 and recorded on February 21, 1978, in Liber 1539, on page 275, Washtenaw County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Thirty Six Thousand Nine hundred and 21/100 Dollars (\$36,090.21), including interest at 8 1/2% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Huron St. entrance to the Washtenaw County Building in Ann Arbor, Michigan at 10:00 o'clock A.M., Local Time, on February 23, 1984.

Said premises are situated in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 429, excluding the North 15 feet and the North 25 feet of Lot 430, Pines Subdivision according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 8 of Plats, Page 1, Washtenaw County Records.

During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed.

Dated: January 4, 1984.

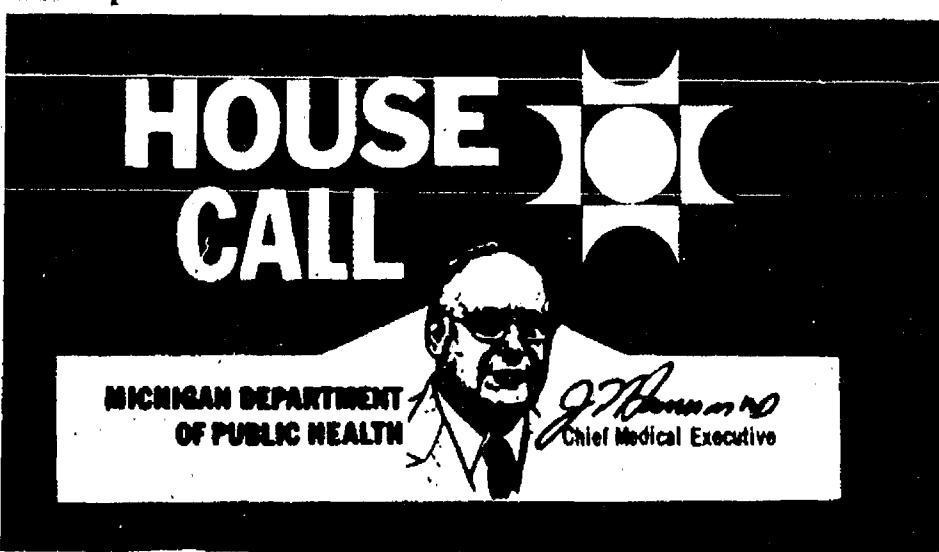
FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION
Assignee of Mortgagee

GEORGE E. KARL,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
1475 Penobscot Bldg.,
Detroit, Mich. 48226
Jan 4-11-18-25



"COMMON BOND," a musical ministry group, will appear at Chelsea Free Methodist church Sunday, Jan. 15, at 6 p.m. Comprised of eight students who attend Spring Arbor College, "Common Bond" performs at churches, camps, clubs, rallies

and schools. The group will perform hymns and spirituals as well as contemporary Christian songs. Chelsea Free Methodist church is located at 7665 Werkner Rd.



★ Snow Shoveling ★

Snow. Nobody's indifferent to it. If you enjoy skiing or snowmobiling, you love it. If you wade through it or drive in it—or shovel it—you probably hate it. Either way, in Michigan it's a part of our winter lives which we've become accustomed to. Yet, every year, there are people who go out to shovel their drives and end up having heart attacks. Perhaps there's no way to prevent every case. But if you observe certain common-sense precautions, you can reduce your chances of suffering a heart attack.

So I'd like to offer the following suggestions to you.

First, if you have heart disease or high blood pressure, or if you're over 60 and lead a sedentary life—don't shovel! Arrange to have someone do the shoveling for you, if at all possible, or consider using a power snow plow or self propelled snow blower with electric start.

Second, no matter what your age, when you do shovel—or even use a snow blower—pace yourself with frequent rest periods. Oxygen consumption and heart rate are lower during intermittent exercise than during continuous prolonged exercise.

Third, warm up by beginning exercise gradually. You might warm-up indoors first. The problem to avoid is sudden, strenuous exertion which can strain the heart excessively.

Fourth, always lift small loads of snow. Don't try lifting and throwing large heavy loads. To help you do this, use a short shovel with a small scoop.

Fifth, wear a cold-weather mask, or a scarf over your mouth, to avoid inhaling cold air into your lungs.

Sixth, don't shovel right after eating a large meal or drinking coffee or other caffeine drinks, or alcoholic drinks. Alcohol especially may decrease coronary blood flow and increase heart rate.

Seventh, avoid overdressing. Snow shoveling like any vigorous exercise, increases body temperature. Overdressing can elevate body temperature too much and cause more strain on the cardiovascular system.

Well, those are my suggestions about snow shoveling. They can't guarantee freedom from a heart attack but they can reduce the risk. Finally, while you're shoveling, pause now and again to enjoy the beauty of the snow. No matter how you feel about it, fresh-fallen snow brings with it a hushed loveliness—so why not appreciate it?

‘Chili’ Open Golf Tournament Slated

The first annual "Chili" open golf tournament will be held Saturday, Jan. 14, at Leslie Park Golf Course.

The tournament, sponsored by the City of Ann Arbor, Department of Parks and Recreation, consists of six (6) holes of golf, played in snow, and delicious "hot" chili for all participants upon completion of the round.

Prized will be awarded for first and second places, closes to pin, and highest score. Pre-registration of \$5 is required.

Sylvan Township Board Proceedings

Regular Board Meeting
Jan. 3, 1984

7 p.m. Sylvan Township Hall
Board members present: Supervisor Sweeney, Treasurer Pearsall, Trustee Lesser and Clerk Harris.

Board members absent; Trustee Carruthers.
Minutes of Dec. 10 meeting approved.

Bills presented by the Clerk. Motion carried that orders be drawn and bills be paid.

Dale Berry, manager of Huron Valley Ambulance was present. Variance permit approved for building on a Private Dr.

Sesquicentennial Committee given permission to use the Township Hall.

Zoning report given by Walter Berjeski.

Meeting adjourned.
Mary M. Harris, Clerk.

Dexter Township Board Proceedings

Regular Meeting
Date: Tuesday, Jan. 3, 1984,
7:30 p.m.

Place: Dexter Township Hall.

Present: Arlene Howe, William Eisenbeiser, Julie Knight, Doug Smith, Jim Drolett.

Meeting called to order by the supervisor, Arlene Howe.

Agenda approved.

Moved by Knight, supported by Smith, to approve the minutes of the Dec. 13, 1983 meeting. Carried.

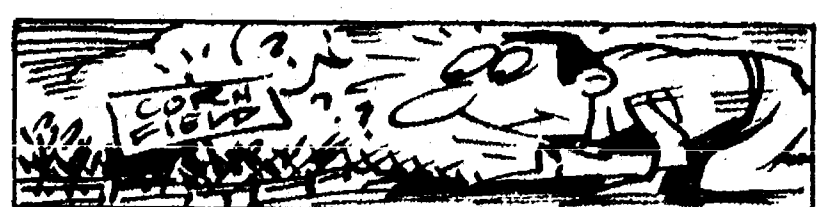
Treasurer's Report.
Clerk's Report.

Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Drolett, to approve attendance at the Robert Lillie dinner for board members and their spouse. Carried.

Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Knight, to approve the purchase of a data file for the work roles by the Supervisor. Carried.

Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Smith, to adjourn the meeting. Carried.

Respectfully submitted,
William Eisenbeiser,
Dexter Township Clerk.



The ears of corn we eat today were, in their wild form hundreds of years ago, only an inch or so long.

NOTICE

LYNDON TOWNSHIP TAXPAYERS

I will be at 17301 M-52 to accept taxes and issue dog licenses every Tuesday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and every Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. during the months of December, January, and February. I will be available at Lyndon Townhall on Saturday, February 4 and 11 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. to accept payment of taxes and issue dog licenses.

Payments by mail will be accepted

Dog license fees are as follows:

Regular dog license	\$10.00
Spayed or Neutered dog license (with written proof)	\$ 5.00
Blind and Deaf Citizens with Leader Dogs	\$ 0.00
Senior Citizens 65 years and older	\$ 5.00

Rabies Vaccination Papers must be presented

JANIS KNIEPER

LYNDON TOWNSHIP TREASURER

Phone 475-3686

17301 M-52

Chelsea, Mi. 48118

- NOTICE -

Lima Township Taxpayers

In December, I will be at my home, 13610 Sager Rd., to collect Lima Township taxes. Every Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and every Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. In January and February I will collect Lima Township taxes on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Feb. 24th I will be at the Chelsea State Bank from 9 a.m. to 12 Noon and 1 to 5:30 p.m. Evenings and other dates by appointment.

Payments may be made by mail. Receipt will be returned.

All Dog Licenses must be paid to Lima Township Treasurer before March 1, 1984, to avoid penalty.

Dog License \$10. With proof of spaying or neutering, \$5. Blind and deaf citizens with Leader Dog, no charge. Senior Citizen, 65 years or older, \$5.

Unexpired rabies vaccination papers must be presented in order to obtain dog licenses.

BETTY T. MESSMAN

LIMA TOWNSHIP TREASURER

13610 Sager Rd.

Ph. 475-8483

- NOTICE -

DEXTER TOWNSHIP TAXPAYERS

I will be at Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Rd., Dexter, to collect Dexter Township taxes on the following days: every Tuesday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for months of December, January and February. Also, on Saturday, Dec. 31, and Wednesday, Feb. 29, 1984, from 9 to 4.

Those who wish may send check or money order. Receipts will be returned by mail.

All dog licenses must be paid to the Dexter Township Treasurer before March 1, 1984 to avoid penalty.

Dog Licenses \$10. If spayed or neutered, \$5. Proof of altering required. Senior Citizens pay only \$5 for dog licenses.

Unexpired rabies vaccination papers must be presented in order to obtain dog licenses.

JULIE A. KNIGHT

Dexter Township Treasurer

6880 Dexter-Pinckney Rd.

Ph. 426-3767

- NOTICE -

Sylvan Township Taxpayers

Sylvan Township Treasurer will be at Sylvan Township Hall, 112 W. Middle St., Chelsea, to collect Sylvan Township Taxes every Wednesday and Friday from 1 to 5 p.m., and Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. during the months of Dec., Jan., and Feb.

PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED BY MAIL
Receipt Will Be Returned

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Rabies Vaccination papers must be presented in order to obtain license.

FRED W. PEARSALL

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP TREASURER

PHONE 475-8890

OFFICIAL NOTICE
REGULAR MEETING OF THE
DEXTER TOWNSHIP BOARD

will be held

TUESDAY, JAN. 17, 1984 - 7:30 p.m.

at the

Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Rd.

WILLIAM EISENBEISER

Dexter Township Clerk

NOTICE OF
REGULAR MEETING
and
PUBLIC HEARING
of the
DEXTER TOWNSHIP
ZONING BOARD

to be held

Monday, Jan. 16, 1984

7:30 p.m.

Dexter Township Hall

6880 Dexter-Pinckney Rd.

AGENDA:

- Request from Walter Esch of 221 Barton Drive, Ann Arbor 48105 to rezone that portion of DE 13-4A west of Dexter-Pinckney Road from C1 to RR, and the westerly 400 feet of DE 13-5 from C1 and C2 to RR, these parcels being a part of the former Ledwidge farm located in the NW quadrant of the intersection of N. Territorial and Dexter-Pinckney Roads.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP
ZONING BOARD

Thomas F. Ehmen, Chairman - 426-4155



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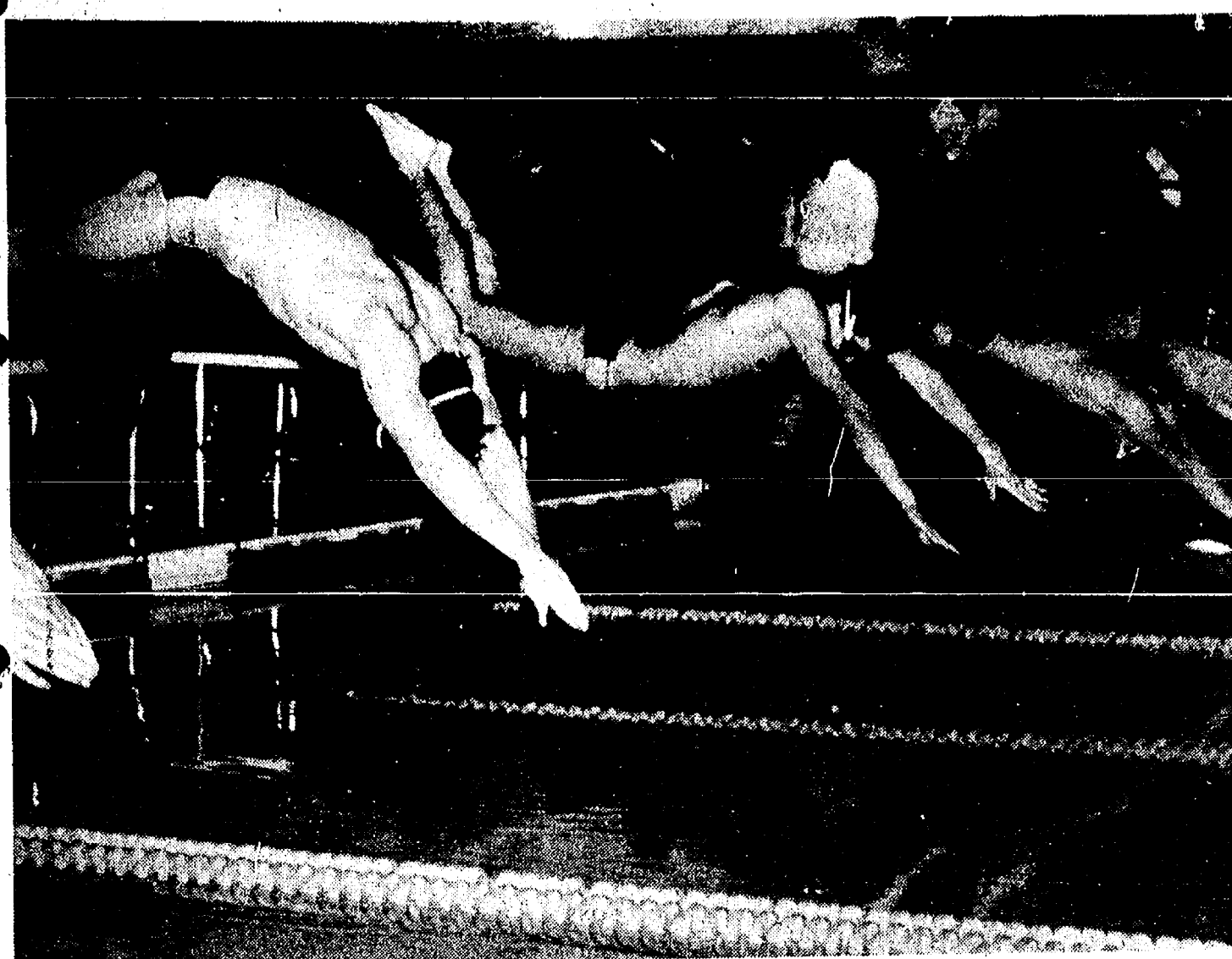
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THEY'RE OFF: Chelsea and Ann Arbor Huron High swimmers showed various forms as they dove into 50-yard freestyle competition during last Friday's meet. Chelsea's Brent Bauer, left, finish-

ed third in the event with a time of 23.90. Don Skiff, right, had a season best time, 23.85, and finished second.



CHELSEA SWIMMER DARRIN FOWLER was one of several Chelsea swimmers to have season best scores during last Friday's unsuccessful meet against Ann Arbor Huron High school. Fowler swam his best time of the season, 5:49.62, in the 500-yard freestyle event.

Boys Swim Team Lose First Home Meet Since 1979

It hasn't happened at home since 1979, but, despite some very good performances, it happened last week. The Chelsea boys swimming team lost.

The defeat came in competition Friday with Ann Arbor Huron High school. The Bulldogs lost, 115-57. The team's season record now stands at 2-1, after earlier wins over Cherry Hill and Okemos.

Despite the disappointing loss, Coach Larry Reed said his swimmers achieved 14 lifetime best and five season best scores during the meet.

Jeff Nemeth had a lifetime best in the 200-yard freestyle event with a time of 2:00.76. Reed said he expects Nemeth to break the five-year-old freshman record of 1:59.8.

The medley relay team qualified for state Class B competition with the fastest Class B time in the state, 1:45.03, Reed said.

Reed said other swimmers to have outstanding performances in the Ann Arbor Huron meet were Kraig Leach, Eric Bell and Mark Westhoven, in diving events; Mike Carignan in the 100-yard freestyle; Wayne Lewis in the 50 and 100-yard freestyle events; Paul Robbins in the 500-yard freestyle; Mike Coffman in the 100-yard breaststroke; and Craig Miller, Jeff Nemeth and Darrin Girard in the 100-yard backstroke.

The team has another difficult week ahead.

They were scheduled to travel to Fenton (ranked eighth in the state) last evening, will travel to Milan (sixth in the state) Friday and will compete against Bridge-

man (ranked third in the state) on Saturday. Next Tuesday, the Bulldogs will swim against Adrian.

Following are the scores of Chelsea swimmers in the meet with Ann Arbor Huron High school:

Medley relay—The team of Miller, Don Skiff, Ted Merkel and Brent Bauer, second, 1:45.03. The team of Coffman, John Hoffman, Scott Pryor and Steve Ramsey, fourth, 1:50.50.

200-yard freestyle—Jeff Nemeth, fourth, 2:00.76; Dan Degener, fifth, 2:02.92; and Darrin Fowler, sixth, 2:08.29.

50-yard freestyle—Skiff, second, 23.85; Bauer, third, 23.90; Ramsey, sixth, 24.55; Wayne Lewis, 26.3 and Brad Doan, 33.1.

100-yard freestyle—Skiff, second, 51.89; Hoffman, third, 54.10; Carignan, sixth, 57.13; Lewis, 59.3 and Doan, 1:19.1.

200-yard I.M.—Merkel, fourth, 2:18.87; Kevin Colombo, fifth, 2:24.60; and Jeff Mason, sixth, 2:41.24.

Diving—Leach, first, 254.55; Westhoven, fourth, 190.95; Bell, sixth, 134.10; and Olav Meyer, 116.0.

100-yard butterfly—Bauer, second, 1:00.63; Pryor, third, 1:03.04; Girard, sixth, 1:21.84.

100-yard breaststroke—Coffman, second, 1:08.10; Merkel, third, 1:08.19; and Colombo, fifth, 1:12.45.

400-yard freestyle relay—The team of Hoffman, Ramsey, Degener and Nemeth, third, 3:44.84. The team of Carignan, Merkel, Miller and Pryor, fourth and the team of Mason, Robbins, Girard, and Lewis, sixth.

JV Cage Team Gets Lessons

Chelsea's junior varsity basketball team learned three lessons the hard way last Friday night during the course of losing to a talented Lincoln team, 63-47.

The first one was that you can't afford to fall behind a team that is taller and quicker. The second was that, if you do, you had better be prepared to cope with a fast-break offense featuring length-of-the-court outlet passes. The third one is that it helps mightily to make free throws.

The Bulldogs had a chance to take control of the game in the first half, but lost it with 1-of-8 shooting from the foul line in one-and-one situations. That allowed Lincoln to gain a substantial lead and settle into a zone defense which opened up fast-break opportunities during the second half. The Railsplitters proved to be very good at taking advantage of those.

"If we had made our free throws early in the game, we could have stayed close and kept them in a man-to-man defense," coach Marlin Wilson said. "Once they got ahead and could play their zone and fast break, they made us look pretty bad."

"Our boys hadn't seen anything like it before, and they didn't know what to do. There are ways to handle it, but you can't teach them in a few minutes. We mostly stood around and watched while they made easy baskets off the long outlet pass."

"It was a good learning experience, and I think that may be more important than winning at the junior varsity level. The kids saw some things that they are going to experience again when they move up to the varsity. As a JV coach, it's my job to see that they know what to do."

Wilson saw some positive things in the loss. "We showed a lot of patience and discipline in the first half, had Lincoln in foul trouble, and were in position to go ahead and win. We're better than our 2-2 record suggests."

The coach was also pleased with the playing of Jeff Harvey, brought up from the freshman team as a replacement for Todd Starkey who had been promoted to the varsity. Harvey had eight points on 4-of-5 shooting from the field and collected three rebounds from his guard position.

Volleyball Suffers Bad First Week

It wasn't a very good first week of the season for the Chelsea varsity volleyball team.

The squad dropped two contests, with Stockbridge and Saline, and finished poorly in the Chelsea Invitational held Saturday.

But coach Cathy Vlcek has hope.

"Unfortunately you can't see the improvement which has been made by the scores," Vlcek said. "But I could see the improvement in the team."

The team began its disappointing week last Tuesday with a 10-15, 3-15 loss to Stockbridge. Vlcek said she was pleased with squad member Cathy Basso who served for seven points.

On Thursday the team lost 3-15, 3-15 to Saline, in a contest Vlcek said she was "glad to have behind us." The team always presents a mental obstacle because of its tough-to-beat reputation.

The Chelsea Invitational held Saturday was considered a successful tournament, but the lady Bulldogs didn't have much luck. The team lost each of four contests.

The first two matches of the day, against Vandercook Lake and Pinckney were total disappointments, Vlcek said. Chelsea lost to Vandercook Lake, 8-15, 7-15, and to Pinckney, 2-15 and 4-15.

In the afternoon the team started to look better, she said.

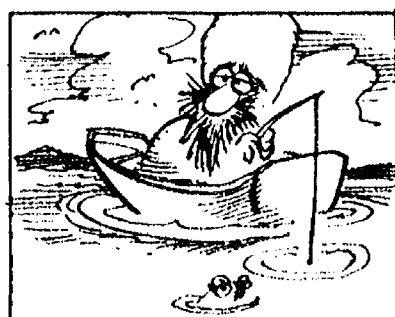
"They actually came back to life and started playing volleyball."

Still, the team lost both contests, to Williamston, 9-15, 15-10, 9-15, and to Fowlerville, 10-15, 11-15. In the Williamston match Missy Keiser and Kris Matloff both served for six points, Vlcek said.

The team is scheduled to host Dexter tomorrow night.

CHS Volleyball Schedule

Jan. 3—Stockbridge H 7:00
Jan. 5—Saline T 7:00
Jan. 7—Chelsea Inv. H 8:00
Jan. 12—Dexter H 7:00
Jan. 19—Lincoln H 7:00
Jan. 24—Western H 7:00
Jan. 26—Tecumseh T 7:00
Jan. 30—Gabriel H 7:00
Feb. 2—Milan T 7:00
Feb. 6—Saline H 7:00
Feb. 9—Dexter T 7:00
Feb. 13—Lincoln T 7:00
Feb. 16—Tecumseh H 7:00
Feb. 18—County Tourney at U-M
Feb. 23—Milan H 7:00
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OUT IN THE OPEN

By BILL MULLENDRE



This is going to be a normal ice fishing season, in sharp contrast to that of last winter when there was safe ice for something less than a month altogether, in periods of a few days at a time between thaws.

Whatever else they may have accomplished, those record sub-zero readings during the last two weeks of December, 1983, locked in local lakes with safe walking ice that should last until March unless we get a really unusual spell of warm weather.

(Note: That doesn't mean there is safe driving ice. We had a tragedy in the area last winter because a car was driven out on the ice of a local lake and broke through. As far as I am concerned, there NEVER is enough ice on the lakes around here which are fed by rivers and springs, to support anything heavier than a snowmobile.)

(Last winter I got involved in the rescue of a cross-country skier who fell and broke a leg while traversing a lake. The driver of the ambulance was determined to go out to the scene after discovering eight inches of ice near shore. I walked out a little farther, looked into an ice fisherman's hole over a spring, and eye-balled a scant four inches. That ambulance might be on the bottom of the lake yet had the run been attempted. It wasn't all that difficult to carry the injured man to shore on a stretcher.)

Fishing in the kind of record-cold temperatures we have lately experienced gets to be a test of fortitude, one that I would just as soon not undertake at my age. When the mercury gets down under 20 degrees, it's better for a man in his late 50's to stay inside and wait for a warmer day.

In past years I've been out on the open ice in below-zero weather and, thanks to the miracles of modern clothing, have kept reasonably warm. I've caught fish on some of those days, but can't honestly say that I had a whole lot of fun doing it.

Your best ice-fishing bet on a

really cold day is a heated shanty. A well-built shanty with an efficient stove will keep you comfortable under the worst of weather conditions. No matter what is going on outside, you will be stripped down to shirt-sleeves within half an hour after you get inside and fire up the stove.

Just be sure that you vent the stove to the outside and that you provide an air intake. Otherwise, asphyxiation can result. It happens a few times every winter, both in fishing shanties and in recreational vehicles that have not been properly vented and aired.

The problem with a shanty is that it is fixed to where it is. It's possible to move a shanty, but it's difficult enough to do that you would rather not. My experience in ice fishing, especially for bluegills and perch, is that you need to move frequently, at least until you find a spot where the action is, and that can vary day to day from place to place. The honey-hole that produced a limit yesterday may not yield a nibble today. A hole cut a few feet away may strike paydirt.

If you insist on going out onto the open ice on a day when the temperature is near zero or even below, here are some suggestions:

First, of course, be sure you are dressed warmly enough. If any part of you starts to get uncomfortably cold, leave while you can. Hypothermia—drastic lowering of body temperature—is insidious. It can creep up on you, and it numbs not only your body but also your mind. A couple of times I've been close to waiting too long to get in out of the cold. The feeling develops that what you would most like to do is lie down and rest awhile. If you succumb to that feeling, you are as good as dead.

Second, take something along that will help keep your fishing holes open. Otherwise, you will spend most of your time skimming ice that forms just about as fast as you can clear it away. The best thing I ever found for the purpose

is glycerin which can be bought in any drugstore. A glycerin film carefully poured on the surface of open water will retard freezing, but won't stop it entirely. Neither will anything else that I know of.

Other winter fishermen I have known have used oil of one kind or another, fingernail polish (which is mostly glycerin), thin gelatin, commercial anti-freeze, medicinal alcohol, and even their own urine. The latter may relieve you of an urgency, but doesn't do much toward retarding freeze-up.

My feeling about ice fishing has always been that it is a sport which separates the men from the boys. In this day and age, I probably should add that it distinguishes the women from the girls. It isn't for everybody.

Looking back over personal records, however, I find that my success, in terms of fish-caught-per-hour-of-effort, has been consistently higher through the winter ice than at any other season of the year. That's what keeps those of us who belong to the fraternity of the frozen nose going back out there, no matter how nasty it is and how uncomfortable we get.

Area Students Earn WMU Degrees

Three area residents were among 950 Western Michigan University students to receive degrees from the college at the end of the summer semester.

Susan Lynn Pawlowski, 465 S. Freer Rd., Chelsea, received a bachelor of science degree.

Michael Andrew Roberts, 7707 Second St., Dexter, received a bachelor's degree in industrial engineering.

Julie Ann England, 10950 M-52, Manchester, received a bachelor's degree in business administration.

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+ AREA DEATHS +

James A. Cobb

13877 Old US-12
Chelsea

James Arthur Cobb, 21, of 13877 Old US-12, Chelsea, died last Friday at Chelsea Community Hospital from injuries suffered in a railroad accident.

He was born Sept. 14, 1962, in Jackson, the son of Arthur R. and Roberta (Barber) Cobb, and had been a resident of Chelsea since 1977. He was a 1980 graduate of Chelsea High school, where he participated in wrestling and other sports.

He was a member of the First Congregational church of Chelsea.

Surviving are his mother and father; his maternal grandmother, Dorothy Barber of Jackson; his paternal grandmother, Irene Cobb of Haslett; two sisters, Mrs. Richard (Sheryl) Johnston of Pinckney and Laurel Cobb of Chelsea; one niece and one nephew, and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services were held Monday at the Cole-Burghardt Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Kenyon Edwards officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Congregational church of Chelsea.

James E. Williams

Cody, Wyoming

James Everett Williams, 53, died Dec. 23, 1983, at his home in Cody, Wyo., where he had lived since 1973. He was the owner and operator of Mountain View Lodge and Williams Machine Shop.

He was born June 29, 1930, in Odin, Ill., the son of Quentin and Chloe (Deadman) Williams, and married Ruth Ann Vargason on July 14, 1967, in Ypsilanti. He lived and worked in the Ann Arbor-Ypsilanti area for many years until moving to Wyoming.

Mr. Williams was a member of the Milan Masonic Lodge, and the Order of the Eastern Star and the Baptist church.

Survivors include his widow; his father, who lives in Milan; three sons, James E. Williams, II, of Cody, Wyo., Jon Edward Williams of Upton, Wyo., and Jeffrey Eric Williams of Jackson; a daughter, Linda Greishaber of Jackson; a stepson, Steve Bondie of Daytona Beach, Fla.; two brothers, Richard Williams of Elkton, Md., and Quentin Williams, Jr., of St. Ann, Mo.; two sisters, Nancee Flemming of Manassas, Va., and Norma Stiene of Springfield, Ill., and 10 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother and a daughter, Lee Ann Williams.

Funeral services were held Dec. 28 in Cody, Wyo., and burial was made in Riverside Cemetery there.

Louin C. Wheeling

6447 Lombardy Dr.
Chelsea

Louin Clyde Wheeling of 6447 Lombardy Dr., Chelsea, died last Friday at University Hospital in Ann Arbor at the age of 75.

He was born Dec. 25, 1908, in Roanoke, Va., the son of John William and Elizabeth Wheeling, and on Sept. 14, 1935, married Ruth McAtee. She survives.

Mr. Wheeling had been a Chelsea area resident since 1947 and was retired from Dana Corp. He had attended North Sharon Bible church and was member of Faith Baptist church of Homosassa Springs, Fla.

Surviving besides his widow are two sons, Clyde Louis Wheeling of Chelsea and John William Wheeling of Hamburg; two daughters, Mrs. William F. (Charlotte) Adrich of Chelsea and Mrs. Donald (Dorothy) Kepler of Ann Arbor; 12 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by eight brothers and sisters.

Funeral services were held Monday from the North Sharon Bible church with pastor William D. Enslin officiating. Burial was in the North Sharon Cemetery. Arrangements were made by the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home of Chelsea.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to the North Sharon Bible church building fund.

Thomas Armstrong

11020 Hieber Rd.
Manchester

Thomas Lee Armstrong, 76, of 11020 Hieber Rd., Manchester, died Friday, Jan. 6, at Chelsea Community Hospital.

He was born Jan. 3, 1907, in Dexter township, the son of Thomas H. and Ettie Bell Armstrong. He had been a life resident of Washtenaw county.

He had been employed 25 years with Chrysler dealers in Ann Arbor and co-owner of Reliable Auto Service of Ann Arbor.

Mr. Armstrong was a former member of BPOE No. 325 of the Elks and Southern Michigan Beagle Club.

He married Elola E. Stoll, Sept. 26, 1936 in Ann Arbor. He is survived by his widow, and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by three half-brothers and one half-sister.

Funeral services were held Monday, Jan. 9, at 2:30 at the Hosmer Funeral Home with the Rev. John H. Sunburn of St. Andrew's United Church of Christ officiating.

Burial followed at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Dexter.

Memorial contributions may be made to Chelsea Community Hospital in Mr. Armstrong's name.

Amanda Randall

805 W. Middle St.
Chelsea

Amanda C. Randall, 98, of Chelsea, died Tuesday, Jan. 9 at the Chelsea United Methodist Home where she had resided since 1974.

She was born March 24, 1885, the daughter of John G. and Mary M. Klager of Ann Arbor.

She married Victor J. Randall in November 1914. He preceded her in death in September, 1962.

Survivors include three nieces, Margaret Moeller of Florida, Mary Jo Good of New Jersey and Kathryn VanBruggen of Kalamazoo; two nephews, Wayne Klager of Ann Arbor and David Klager of Texas; a foster son, Homer Gingrich of Florida and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Benjamin Klager.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. today at Chelsea United Methodist Retirement Home Chapel with the Rev. Ira Wood officiating. Friends may call at the chapel after 9 a.m. Burial will be at Scottville Cemetery, Scottville.

Arrangements were made by Cole-Burghardt Funeral Chapel, Chelsea.



SNOW DRAINS INTO LETTS CREEK: Chelsea village crews are piling snow in Veterans Park from where it will eventually melt and drain into Letts Creek. The snow picked up off village

streets contains some amount of salt, which is a pollutant, but can legally be drained into the creek as long as it is collected with 36 hours after it falls.

Snow Dumped in Vets Park Looks Dirty But Is Legal

Village trucks have dumped a big bunch of snow onto the parking lot at Veterans Park, but it's perfectly legal according to administrator Frederick A. Weber.

The snow, which contains a certain amount of salt, will eventually melt and drain into Letts Creek.

"As long as we pick the snow up within 36 hours after it falls, we can put it or the melted water into the creek," Weber said. "That's what the Department of Natural Resources' rules say. After 36 hours we have to do something else with it."

As a practical matter, Weber added, all snow pick-ups in the village are made well within the

36-hour time limit except under extremely unusual storm conditions.

"We collect snow that has been plowed to the sides of downtown streets so that people can get to the curb to park," Weber said. "On residential streets we plow to the edges and throw the snow far enough that it isn't a traffic problem."

Salt spread to help clear snow and ice off streets has been officially declared to be a water pollutant, and some Michigan municipalities have been forced to change past practices of dumping salted snow directly into the waters of the state.

"We don't use a lot of salt,"

Weber said. "We rely mostly on plowing. People don't like salt because it causes vehicle rust. Generally, what salt we do use is kind of a clean-up operation to get ride of whatever snow is left after the plows go through."

"The snow you see at Veterans Park looks dirty because it came off the streets, but it doesn't have a lot of salt in it."

Actually, any salt used on village streets eventually finds its way into Letts Creek, one way or another. Some goes in directly from the snow piles at Veterans Park. The rest is collected in the village sewer system, which empties into the creek. The sewage treatment plant does not remove salt from wastewater.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Weeks of Jan. 11-Jan. 20

Wednesday, Jan. 11—Vegetable soup with crackers, deli turkey sandwich, dill pickle spear, fresh fruit, milk.

Thursday, Jan. 12—Macaroni and cheese, ham patty, broccoli, dinner roll with butter, cake, milk.

Friday, Jan. 13—Tacos with sauce, lettuce, tomato and cheese, buttered corn, cinnamon applesauce, milk.

Monday, Jan. 16—Hot dog on bun, potato chips, dill pickle spear, crushed pineapple, milk.

Tuesday, Jan. 17—Chicken nuggets with sauce, hash brown potato patty, carrot and celery sticks, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 18—Crispy fish fillet, French fries, cole slaw, bread and butter, fruit compote, milk.

Thursday, Jan. 19—Lasagna, buttered green beans, warm French bread with butter, brownies, milk. No lunch at Manchester.

Births

A son, Michael Joseph, Dec. 28, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor, to Debra and Edward Sayers, 431 Railroad St., Chelsea. Maternal grandparents are John and Maudie Scarbrough of Ann Arbor. Paternal grandparents are Edward and Virginia Sayers of Ann Arbor.



George Custer was the youngest American man ever to make rank of General in the American army—he achieved that by age 23.

Cleary College Lists Honors Students

Cleary College has released the names of students who qualified for the President's Honor List for the fall, 1983, term, including students from both the Ypsilanti and Livingston campuses.

To achieve this honor, a student must maintain a grade point average of 3.5 or above for the term, while carrying a minimum of six credit hours and two courses. The honor students include:

Lisa Frame, Chelsea; Deborah Marriott, Dexter; Dixie Rudnicki, Grass Lake; Betty Barton and Gay Youngblood, Gregory; Gail Arnett, Manchester; Donna Crosby, Kathleen Faulkner, Carolyn Henning, Cynthia Hoeman, Kimberley Holiday, Patricia Lahm, Karen March, Linda Moreau, Diane Moyer, Sharon Nesseth and Kelly Reed, all of Pinckney.

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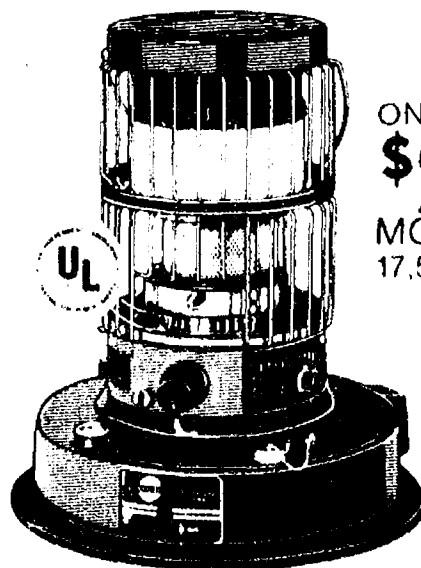
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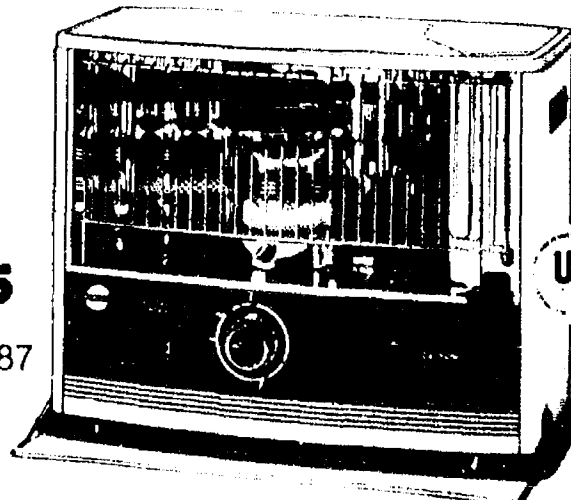
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