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"The greatest remedy for anger is delay."
—Seneca

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SYLVESTER WOJCICKI memorial items were dedicated Friday, Dec. 10 at South School Media Center. Wojcicki had served as principal of the school from 1984 to 1989 before his retirement and death in 1988. Robert Benedict, now retired principal of the school who succeeded Wojcicki in the position, gave the dedication address.

Lucy Stieber, present school principal accepted the memorial gifts on behalf of South school and parents. Among the items dedicated were a display case in the media center, a framed picture, library books and kites. Shown in the photo are, left to right, son Jim, widow Marilyn, Lucy Stieber and Robert Benedict.

State Awards \$400,000 Grant To Help Develop Golf Course in Area

The county's 18-hole golf course project just outside the village of Chelsea on Pierce Lake was awarded a \$400,000 grant from the Michigan Land Trust Fund Wednesday.

Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation Director Fred Barkley said the successful grant application will fund additional year-round facilities.

A summer day-use picnic area and handicap-accessible fishing pier on Pierce Lake will now be built on the park property, Barkley said.

An extensive nature trail system will wind around the lake with boardwalks constructed over wetland areas and wood chips spread over upland areas. The landscape architect firm Johnson, Johnson & Roy of Ann Arbor will provide the layout and design for the walkway, Barkley said, which will include interpretive markers at various points of natural interest. The land is said to be home of the largest beech tree in Washtenaw county, Barkley said.

The successful \$400,000 grant application received the second highest rating in the state for acquisition of lands," Barkley said.

The Land Trust Fund was set up with monies paid for oil and natural gas leases.

The county will spend an estimated \$3.5 million to build the new Harry Bowers designed golf course and year-round park in Sylvan and Lima townships just outside the village off M-52, according to Barkley.

warming area in the winter and may have skates and skis available for rent. It will also house a snack bar offering soft drinks and sandwiches. No alcohol will be served.

Access will probably be east off M-52 near McDonald's Restaurant or off Old US-12 near Pierce Lake.

Construction is planned next spring.

though the first round of golf will not be played until August, 1995.

Arcus Corp. which will sell 150 acres and donate 50 acres of the 200-acre tract on which the park will be constructed, will retain 107 acres east of the proposed golf course for housing. Of this total 107 acres about 60 acres are developable.

Chelsea Resident Attends Women's Forum in Rome

Chelsea resident Barbara Rose attended the International Symposium of the International Women's Forum in Rome, Italy, Nov. 18-21 as a guest of Dr. Nancy Badore of Ford Motor Co., with whom Ms. Rose has worked within the automotive industry for the past seven years transforming organizations. The symposium title was: "Women, Art and Fashion."

The week-long conference was held at the Excelsior Hotel in the via Veneto in Rome. About 100 women attended from 15 nations.

Participants were welcomed by political leaders of Rome, including Maria Pia Garavaglia, Minister of Health. Fashion notables who both presented and toured the group on a fashion trip through Rome were Anna Fendi, art director of Fendi Leathers, Silvia Fendi, founder of Fendissime and Linda De Sanctis, art critic, journalist and lecturer of Italian Literature and Art at the University of Rome.

The American Ambassador to Rome, Reginald Bartholomew, hosted a private evening for the group at the American Embassy in Rome.

Other notable experiences were a welcome and luncheon discussion with Gerardo Monibelli, director of the Italian Office of the Commission of the European Community held at the Italian section of the European Communities. Private showings of the Ferragamo store in Rome were given as was a fashion show given by Fendi Atelier.

Perhaps the most notable experience was the "Dine Around" which took members to dinner in the forum. The final gala hosted Roman leaders of the business and political communities. Dr. Rita Levi-Montalcini, Italian Nobel Prize

winner, closed the symposium and was inducted into the IWF's Hall of Fame.

The organization was begun in the 1960's by Elly Guggenheim in New York, for women business, political, educational and artistic leaders of the world.

The next conference will be in March in London, England and will be titled: "The Media—its Effect on the World." Ms. Rose was nominated for membership into the organization this coming Spring.

64 Donate Blood at Dec. 9 Clinic

Sixty-four people came to donate blood at the Chelsea Community Blood Drive on Thursday, Dec. 9.

Neil Horning completed his second gallon. Carolyn Parker, Becky House, and Mark Rickelmann each completed one gallon.

During 1993, many Chelsea area residents volunteered time to aid the four Chelsea Community Blood Drives. These people included: Jeanette Bailey, Doris Blanchard, Rose Bushway, Katie Chapman, Jan Coffman, Jim Eisenbeiser, John Eisenbeiser, Ann Friday, Wayne Harvey, Marilyn Haug, Ginger Haugen, Dave Hoffman, Pam Lesser, Willie Liebeck, Maxine Newton, Betty Mammee, Judy Park, Arlene Schroen, Pat Spade, Joanne Swope, Sue Teare, Debbie Torbet, and Ann Wood.

The next Blood Drive is Thursday March 3.

Judge Rules Chelsea Bus Driver's Association Can Not Mandate Dues

Just about a year has passed since Chelsea School District bus driver Susan van der Waard filed an unfair labor practice charge with the Michigan Employment Relations Commission. As of Dec. 7, an administrative law judge has settled the matter in favor of van der Waard with serious consequences for the Chelsea Bus Driver's Association.

Judge Bert H. Wicking, in his decision, has said the Chelsea Bus Driver's Association has lost its right to enforce the payment of dues/fees under the agency shop clause of the collective bargaining agreement with Chelsea Schools, and must provide back wages to van der Waard to remedy its wrong-doing.

van der Waard was fired from her position as bus driver, which she held for 15 years, in the summer of 1991 for not paying \$16.50 worth of union dues for the months of May and June. The union refused to represent her. She later settled the matter with the school district and got her job back, but nothing was settled with the Chelsea Bus Driver's Association.

"We just knew they (the association) wouldn't win this thing, and we bailed out of it over a year ago," said

Fred Mills, assistant superintendent of Chelsea Schools.

Union dues are collected by the school district and paid monthly to the union per a contract agreement. Since van der Waard was on vacation from late June until early August, she received no notice of delinquency until she returned. By then, 30 days had passed since the school district mailed notification.

According to a 1990 agency shop agreement between the bus driver's association and the school district, "Employees who fail to comply with this section shall be discharged by the district within 30 calendar days after receipt of written notice of such default from the Association," van der Waard and her attorney asserted that van der Waard did not receive notice until her arrival home, and which point the union had already called for her dismissal based on non-payment of dues July 30, 1991.

When van der Waard learned of her discharge she tried to rectify the situation immediately by contacting the schools and mailing in her dues to the union with an explanation. According to charges filed by van der Waard against the bus driver's association, the union representative

refused to accept her dues or grieve her termination.

Chelsea Bus Driver's Association claimed van der Waard received all the proper notification, and was in error when she didn't pay her dues/fees when she knew they were due. "All Union members know, or should know their obligation to pay dues, or fees, and the Charging Party (van der Waard) should have known. Dues, or agency shop fees are the life blood of a labor organization. Failure to pay creates financial hardship. The Charging Party should not be heard to complain," the bus driver's association stated as its official union position.

van der Waard's attorney, Cynthia L. Beauchamp, asked the Michigan Employment Relations Commission to strip the union of its right to enforce the agency shop clause in the contract and prohibit the union from seeking discharge of any Chelsea employee represented by the Bus Driver's Association. Judge Wicking agreed by issuing a cease and desist order. The school district can no longer discharge any employee represented by the Bus Driver's Association for failure to pay dues or fees under the agency shop agreement. Also, van der Waard was awarded back pay from the date of discrimination to the date that an offer of reinstatement would have been made by the school district, less interim earnings, together with six percent interest. Copies of the ruling must also be posted for employees to see.

"It sounds like they're out of the agency shop business," said Mills. He said it is the first decision of its kind he has heard from a judge even though its a standard clause in many union contracts.

Local Printers Donate Money, Food to Hungry

Several local printers got into the spirit of giving when they collected almost 11,000 pounds of food for the hungry, and \$1,870 for the Huron Harvest Food Bank.

Printers in Chelsea, Dexter, Ann Arbor and Saline, including BookCrafters, Braun-Braunfield, Thomson-Shore, Malloy, McNaughton & Gunn and Cushing-Malloy all played a part in raising the donation. Organizers dropped off the food at the Meijer's Thrifty Acres on Ann Arbor Saline Rd. where WIQB was "Rocking for the Hungry."

Contributing to BookCrafters sizable donation was 1,382 pounds of food donated by Chelsea Milling Co. and 1,018 pounds of food sold at cost from Polly's to BookCrafters.



CHS STAGE & DRAMA CLASS presented their 11th annual production Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 7-9, in the form of Agatha Christie's "Witness for the Prosecution." Members of the cast are, front row, left to right, Joe Lussier, Bryndon Skelton, Rob Frost, Dave Setz, Sarah Stolaski, Mark Carlson and James Sarna; middle row, from left, Charles Sell, Brian Atlee, Sarah

Spruce, Niki Leidner, Lloyd Eddy, Chris Montgomery, James Drain and Mike Peterson, back row, from left, Rachel Gordenier, Corrie Schoenberg, Nate Gillikin, Gary Hall, Amy Bowling, Mark Wallace, Nicole Raymond, Keri Kentala, Shannon Shemansky, Heather Gunnis, Nikki Brown, Tara Platt, Amy Gordon and Shauna Woods.

Stage & Drama Class Presents Mystery Play

Chelsea High school's Stage and Drama class completed their 14th annual production, Agatha Christie's "Witness for the Prosecution," Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 7-9 George Prinzing Auditorium.

The play is a murder mystery set in England in the 1940's. A young Leonard Vole (Nate Gillikin) has been accused of murdering an elderly lady and it's up to Sir Wilfred Roberts (David Setz) and John Mayhew (Mark Carlson) to get him off the hook.

Standing in his way is the ever-annoying prosecutor, Mr. Meyers (Rob Frost) and his star witness,

Vole's wife Romaine (Sarah Stolaski).

Surprisingly, one of the major stars of the production is the jury—a constantly active, responsive group that really pulls the play together, says Bill Coelius, director of the play and teacher of the Stage & Drama class.

Although the annual production rivals the quality of many school plays, it is actually a class project in which students taking Stage & Drama for a one-semester credit, assume responsibility for everything it takes for a small community to produce a stage play.

Students learn the business side of

theater: ticket design, box office, publicity, program design and house management. They also study the technical side of theater, costumes, make-up, lights, props, sound and sets.

The play is entirely cast from class members. Stage & Drama is a popular class at CHS with 30-50 students taking the class each fall. The class is self-funded, depending on ticket sales for the purchase of royalties, scripts and all materials.

"Students enrolling in Chelsea Stage & Drama will be great additions to any community theater program wherever they may go," says Coelius.

Foundation Names Executive Director

The Civic Foundation of Chelsea met Dec. 8, at the Common Grill to kick off its annual fund-raising drive.

The Civic Foundation has been in existence for approximately 10 years during which time it has funded a series of pilot projects for the Chelsea community.

The Foundation has assisted with funding for dozens of projects, including the Washington Street Show Choir, Chelsea Depot Association, Pierce Park Playground Project and Gazebo, and the Friendship Project for Faith in Action and Chelsea Social Services.

During its Dec. 8 meeting the Civic Foundation reaffirmed its decade long commitment to supporting the tremendous diversity and vitality of the Chelsea community. It is preparing to embark on a major project during 1994 and will release details of this project in its annual newsletter and The Chelsea Standard in early 1994. The new project intends to focus on the needs of a growing community and to expand on certain responses to these needs.

Bill Bott, who retired as a vice-president and branch administrator of Society Bank, has been involved in community and industrial development, commercial lending, real estate development, and has worked with several different Chamber of Commerce organizations, has agreed



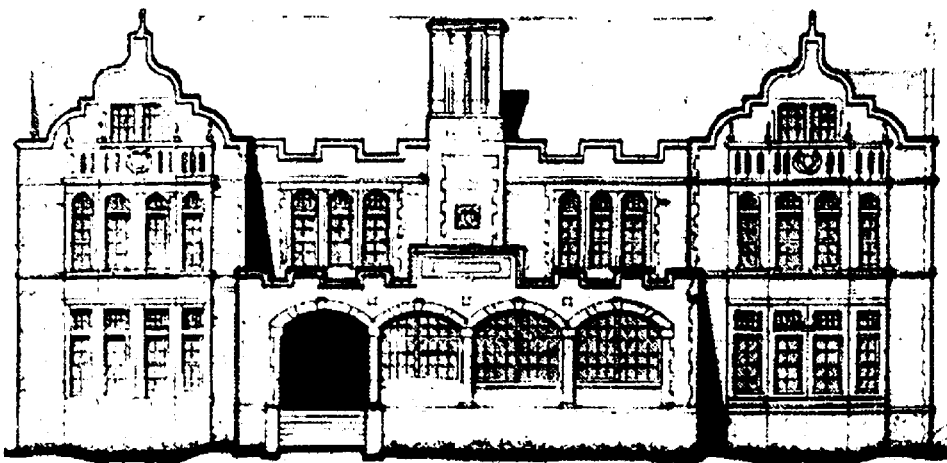
BILL BOTT

to be the Civic Foundation's first Executive Director. A full-time office has been established for the Civic Foundation. Communications may be directed to Bill Bott at the new office, 109 W. Middle Street, P.O. Box 45, Chelsea 48118, 313/475-6079, facsimile 313/475-8988.

The Civic Foundation looks forward to developing the spirit of Chelsea—one generation helping another.

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JUST REMINISCING

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4 Years Ago...

Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1989—

Robert W. Carr has been named executive director of the Foundation for Community Care for Chelsea Community Hospital. He will assume the position in January.

Although they appeared a little ragged around the edges, the Chelsea Bulldogs went on to defeat the Saline Hornets at home last Friday in their Southeastern Conference opener, 66-54. In other action last week, the Bulldogs opened the season on the road last Tuesday, Dec. 5 at Brooklyn Columbia Central and took a 66-57 victory.

Chelsea Bulldogs placed eight wrestlers in the highly competitive Temperance-Bedford Invitational last Saturday. The Bulldogs placed fourth among eight teams in a meet that was dominated by class A schools and numerous class A state qualifiers a year ago.

Ken Owens of Grass Lake presented an oil painting he created to Dr. Howard Reznick and his staff last week. That, in itself, may not seem like a great feat. But exactly seven years ago, Owens family was told Ken probably wouldn't survive his one-car crash, and if he did he would probably need constant attention throughout the rest of his life, and probably couldn't function on his own. Ken's recovery has been nothing short of remarkable. For nearly a year after his accident, he couldn't speak. He took up painting after his accident, providing a detailed rural landscape, framed in oak for Dr. Reznick's office—a constant reminder to the staff of Ken's progress.

14 Years Ago...

Thursday, Jan. 3, 1980—

Approximately \$577 worth of damage was done to windows at Beach Middle school sometime between Dec. 12 and 27, a custodian reported to Chelsea police this week.

Chelsea's First Congregational church on E. Middle St. will celebrate the 88th anniversary of the church building dedication this month and observe the 130th anniversary of the church organization this year.

Beach Middle school's annual art show will be held this coming Tuesday, Jan. 8 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the school.

Gary Packard, Jr., may still be waking up at 6 a.m., but the rest of the day is nothing like the heavy schedule he left behind at the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colo. Until next Sunday, Packard will be able to enjoy the relatively lazy life of a civilian before returning to a seven-class schedule of 24.5 credit hours interspersed with physical education, intramural sports and study time.

24 Years Ago...

Thursday, Jan. 1, 1970—

Approximately 120 people attended the Washtenaw county March of Dimes kick-off dinner held last night, Jan. 7 at the Moose Lodge in Ann Arbor.

Sunday, Jan. 11, the new Chelsea Medical Center Extended Care unit will be open for inspection by the public from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. The new 110-bed unit is the second building phase of the Chelsea Medical Center whose original building was the

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★ Send the Cash, Keep the Change

By Joseph P. Overton

On Oct. 5, Governor Engler presented a plan for comprehensive education reform in an address to a Joint Convention of the Michigan Legislature. "Real change," he said, "means not just more politics, but more principle. Not just talking about putting kids first, but doing it."

Two weeks earlier, the U.S. Department of Education released a survey which revealed that 90 million adult Americans—nearly half the adult population—possess only rudimentary literacy skills. With that as a powerful and self-evident argument for "real change," one might expect that those who profess to know the most about education would be leading the charge. But if initial reactions from the public school establishment to Governor Engler's address are any indication, Michigan's educational "Berlin Wall" won't be coming down as easily as the one of concrete and steel.

Reformers say, "Change the system so schools can work better, and we will be happy to fund them." Unfortunately, many of those in the education industry are saying, "Send the cash, keep the change."

One of the main divisions in the education debate concerns which should come first: quality reforms or replacing revenues. No business

decides first what its price will be before it decides what its product is, so the argument that reform deserves our primary attention would seem to be a strong one. As a general rule, those who are comfortable with the status quo will emphasize replacing revenues; those who see the need for genuine reform, like the Governor, will put money in second place. That describes the context of the debate in the month since the Governor's address.

One such group is the Michigan Education Association, which has insisted from the beginning that funding be put ahead of quality. In spite of the fact that spending for education is up 25 percent after inflation since 1970 and that the Engler plan restores virtually all of the revenue cut by the state's elimination of property taxes, MEA president Julius Maddox nonetheless declared the schools to be "woefully under-funded."

Maddox's response was not exactly unexpected. As president of the state's largest teacher union, his principal purpose is to secure the highest possible wages and benefits for his members. His organization opposes parental choice, opposes charter schools, opposes saving money through privatizing support functions, and opposes making it easier to reward good teachers for merit or

discharge bad ones for poor performance. It even opposes competitive bidding for teacher health insurance, which would reduce costs and allow more dollars to reach the classroom.

This reactionary, preserve-the-status-quo stance has plenty of allies in the public school establishment. Many administrators recognize that meaningful change will require changes in their own routine. When the Governor talks about allowing the people who pay the bills to have a little more choice, or when he speaks of competition and accountability, they take it as a personal attack. It seems that no one, not even the Governor, can criticize "the system" without legions of school people responding, "Oh, he's bashing me again."

By any conceivable definition, "a monopoly of mediocrity" (the Governor's words) is precisely what public education has become. Yet one school superintendent declared, "That's certainly an insult to all of the people who have worked so hard to improve education in this state." The Governor talks about liberating teachers and administrators from stifling rules and regulations so they can perform at their best, but that counts for little with some people.

In his speech, the Governor produced a sawed-off shotgun that a youngster had carried into a classroom. He declared that Michigan should not tolerate roughnecks endangering the lives and learning of innocent children. But the response from a spokesman for the Saginaw school district was to denounce the gun display as a "racially-biased slap" at urban schools. Parents might want to know what makes opposing guns in school a racist position.

Typical of many administrators on

the matter of parental choice was the reaction of the Meridian School District superintendent in Midland county. He called choice "a path to elitism" and told a local reporter, "Those people who are going to be most able to pick up their kids and move them to a different district are only going to be the most affluent people." His answer, incredibly, is to reaffirm the status quo and deny choice to everybody!

Currently, the wealthy have far more choice than low and middle income people. They can afford private schools or to physically move to a district with better schools. Broadening choice to include the non-wealthy is, in fact, just the opposite of elitism.

What makes the Meridian superintendent's remark all the more mistaken is that two years ago, his district tried to prevent the son of a low-income couple from attending a school in a nearby district. The Meridian board refused to release the gifted second-grader so that state aid could follow him to another public school that offered a gifted program. The system was deemed more important than the child.

The Governor is running head-on into the same buzz-saw of backward, self-interested, anti-change behavior that has for so long frustrated anyone who wants real change in public education. This is the way subsidized unaccountable monopoly works: treats its clients as hostages, not customers; it demands to be fed more of other people's money without end; and it throws up a smokescreen of the most absurd allegations when confronted with evidence of its own mediocrity.

Send the cash, keep the change. That sort of thinking prevails, the children of our state will be the real losers.

(Joseph P. Overton is vice-president of The Mackinac Center for Public Policy, a Midland-based research and educational organization.)

Per capita consumption of beef is expected to equal 94 pounds this year. That's higher than 78 pounds of chicken we eat per person, or the 65 pounds of pork. But poultry consumption has nearly tripled in the past 25 years, while consumption of beef peaked in 1976.

Uncle Lew from Lima Says:

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:

One of the wonders of Washington, Ed Doolittle said at the country store Saturday night, is that the end of the Government's fiscal year always hits everybody there by surprise. A visitor from another planet reading about appropriating deadlines, extending the national debt and advancing all the agencies money to pay the help would have to think nobody in Congress thought to look at a calendar in the past six months.

Furthermore, Ed told the fellows, the raised level of sermonizing by the honorables on the rewards of seeing their way reminds him of nothing so much as the time he and his Pa went to a tent revival. Ed said the fire and brimstone preacher went on for two hours about the glories of Heaven and how he was fighting the Devil and all the temptations of Earth to get there. Final, Ed said, he leaned over and ask his Pa if he thought the preacher would get to Heaven. Ed said his Pa nodded and said "yep, unless he overshoots the place."

General, Ed went on, overshooting the mark is what you would call an occupational hazard in Congress. If the truth ain't stretched to just short of the breaking point it never gets noticed at all, was Ed's words.

Democrat Clem Webster never sides with Republican Ed unless he can't see a way around it, but Clem agreed that the sudden attack of panic to do nine months work in the last two weeks of the fiscal year is as regular as the August recess and is no respecter of parties. But Clem went on to say the U.S. Postal Service never forgets. For eight months it brags about services, and September is set aside to cry about losses. This gives Congress just enough time to appoint another panel to study whither at some point in the next century Congress ought to go back to running the mail as the public service it is, instead of subsidizing it like it's a foreign country.

Speaking of the postal service, nobody appreciates it like my old lady. She has been going through catalogs and ordering stuff since the middle of July, and she announced last week that she is winding up her Christmas shopping. I know she already has got her Christmas cards ready for the mail because she ask me last week if she could put em on layaway at the post office.

The way she figures, she could save at least one postage hike if she could get em in now and mailed out later. I don't see why not, if a newspaper can scare me into renewing for two years by announcing it's going to raise the mail subscription rate the first of the year.

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But the Government ain't geared to see any kind of savings in our futures. Worse, it wants the money before we owe it. The fellow that runs the store said he got a letter from the Internal Revenue last week saying he owed a penalty on last year's taxes because he didn't pre-pay enough. Every three months he sends the IRS money that ain't due until next year. Now he's got to pay interest on what he didn't pay in advance.

Yours truly,
Uncle Lew.

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- ★ Take one of your favorite presents to that kid in your class you suspect Santa might miss
- ★ Take a thermos of hot chocolate to your school crossing guard
- ★ Pick someone up and take them with you to Christmas services
- ★ Put out bread crumbs for the birds and nuts for the squirrels
- ★ Pull out your mother's chair for her when she sits down to dinner
- ★ Offer to say 'grace' yourself
- ★ Invite someone who has no fireplace over to enjoy yours
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Modern Mothers Study Club Holds Christmas Auction

The annual Modern Mothers Study Club auction was held Tuesday, Nov. 9 at the Chelsea Depot. Auctioneer Barb Pruess did an outstanding job of extracting the highest bids on the many beautiful hand-crafted items donated by the club's membership. Sandra Wilkinson held the winning ticket for the raffle prize—a very large, hand-painted ark complete with Noah and a dozen pairs of animals. Several dozen Christmas stockings were given as door prizes and the audience enjoyed coffee, punch and holiday desserts.

On Dec. 7, members met at the Common Grill for their annual Christmas meal and then reconvened at Kathy Gunderson's home for refreshments, desserts and the Secret Santa gift exchange.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 11.

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ENGAGED: Karen Killelea and Glenn Vanneste have announced their engagement and are planning an Aug. 27 wedding at St. Joseph Catholic church in Dexter. The future bride is the daughter of Tom and Diane Killelea of Chelsea, the future bridegroom is the son of Eric Vanneste and the late Mary Vanneste of St. Clair Shores. Both attended Eastern Michigan University. Karen is employed at Domino's Pizza World Headquarters and Glenn works for the Wayne County Sheriff's Department.

Hospital Benefit Bridge Marathon Play Continues

The Dec. 5 meeting of the Couples (Pairs) Bridge Marathon for the benefit of the Chelsea Community Hospital was held in the Woodlands Room of the Hospital on Sunday evening at 8 p.m. Thirteen couples participated.

Winners for the evening's play were Helen Lancaster and Joan Van Orman, both of Chelsea, with a score of 4,560 for the 20 hands played; Shirley and Max Sweet, of Ann Arbor, were second with a score of 3,530; and Larry and Eric Wiedmayer, of Grass Lake, were third with a score of 3,120. Refreshments were brought by Helen Lancaster and Joan Van Orman, and Pat and Mark Becker. The Hospital donates the coffee and tea.

The same format will be followed as last year, using four scores to qualify for year-end prizes in this marathon event. A donation of \$2.75 is contributed each evening they play, and a quarter is also added to be used for prizes for the night's play. Of course, the amount given to the hospital is tax deductible. Mixed pairs may play, so think about a partner for the coming season and call for any further information: Marlene Rademacher (475-5121) or Roberta Barstow (428-3887).

The next meeting will be Sunday evening, Jan. 2, at 8 p.m. in the Woodlands Room of the Chelsea Community Hospital.

From All of Us at Trendsetterz Merry Christmas



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Addictions Counselor Offers Free Lecture on Spirituality in Recovery

"Spirituality in Recovery from Addiction: A Journey Toward Wholeness," is the title of a free community lecture being given in the Main Dining Room of Chelsea Community Hospital on Thursday, Dec. 16 at 7:15 p.m. In this lecture, Fred Prezioso, therapist and case manager at Chelsea Arbor Treatment Center, will discuss the relationship of spirituality, organized religion and our search for inner wholeness and serenity.

Fred holds a Master's degree in Addiction Counseling, and is a Certified Addictions Counselor and Licensed Professional Counselor. Self-help meetings take place immediately following the lecture.

For more information call the Chelsea Arbor Treatment Center, 475-4100.

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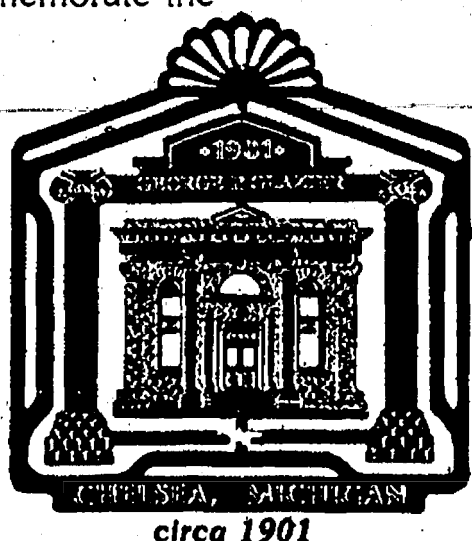
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4-H Clubs

REVERE'S RIDERS

After much reorganization, Revere's Riders 4-H Club is off and riding again! We are busy on the first and third Mondays of every month with business and project meetings at the Chelsea Fairgrounds. On Sundays we have ride meets where many members are learning new and different styles of riding. Many thanks to Otto and Kathy Cardew of Senneca Farms for the use of their indoor arena. Our winter ride meets are very comfortable there.

Several members attended the September clinic put on by the Michigan Junior Quarter Horse Association at Tom and Cindy Powers' training center. Top trainers shared tips and answered questions on showmanship, hunt seat and western pleasure. We have a lot of work to do to have our horses look and perform as beautifully as the ones we saw that day!

On Dec. 5 we had a Saddleseat Clinic at Senneca Farm. Lenny Kitchen shared his knowledge with us. Quietly, but persistently, he kept after us until we "got the hang of it."

As Christmas approaches our thoughts have turned to our community service project. We will be shopping for gifts for our "adopted" senior citizens that Faith in Action chose for us. We hope that as we shop we can spread Christmas joy in all directions.

If you think 4-H sounds like fun, you're right! For more information on clubs and activities, contact the Washtenaw Co-operative Extension Service.

SENIOR MENU & ACTIVITIES

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Wednesday, Dec. 15—
Pinochle and euchre every Wednesday.

Past Matrons second Wednesday of each month
LUNCH—Rotini macaroni with meat sauce, Italian blend vegetables, tossed salad, Italian bread with margarine, pears, milk.

9:00 a.m.—Ceramics.

1:00 p.m.—Exercise.

2:00 p.m.—Bowling.

Thursday, Dec. 16—

9:30 a.m.—Euchre and pinochle.

LUNCH—Savory chicken, savory peas and rice, Golden Glow gelatin salad, whole wheat bread with margarine, Tapioca pudding, milk.

1:00 p.m.—Senior Center closes.

Friday, Dec. 17—

LUNCH—Swiss steak with onion gravy, mashed potatoes, carrots, whole wheat bread with margarine, blueberry crisp, milk.

6:00 p.m.—Christmas dinner at Chelsea High school. Senior Center closed all day.

Monday, Dec. 20—

9:00 a.m.—China painting.

LUNCH—Stuffed green peppers, winter squash, cole slaw, whole wheat bread with margarine, applesauce, milk.

1:00 p.m.—Bingo.

Tuesday, Dec. 21—

9:30 a.m.—Creative expression and art class.

LUNCH—Roast turkey with dressing, gravy, mashed sweet potatoes, pear/cranberry salad, whole wheat roll with margarine, carrot cake, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 22—

9:00 a.m.—Ceramics.

10:00 a.m.—Blood pressure.

LUNCH—Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, three-bean salad, French bread with margarine, pumpkin pie with topping, milk.

1:00 p.m.—Exercise and bowling.

Thursday, Dec. 23—

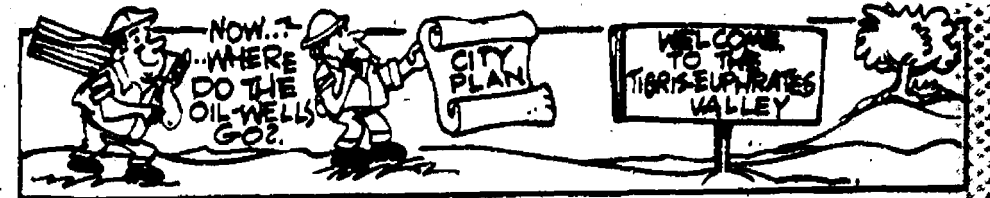
9:30 a.m.—Euchre and pinochle.

LUNCH—Roast pork with mushroom gravy, scalloped potatoes, Italian vegetables, roll with margarine, Christmas pudding, milk.

1:00 p.m.—Kitchen band.

Friday, Dec. 24—

LUNCH—No lunch/center closed.



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Chelsea Graduate's Band Releases Album

Former Chelsea resident Zachary Smith has hit the big time with the release of his first album.

Smith announced the release of his band's first album, "Out of Control." The Dixie Power Trio, of which he is a founding member, has been building a large following in the Washington, D.C. area since its formation in early 1992. The four-piece group plays an eclectic mix of New Orleans jazz, zydeco and progressive rock.

Smith, who plays cornet, accordion, harmonica and washboard with the DPT, graduated from Chelsea High school in 1982. He earned a bachelor's degree in jazz performance from the University of North Texas in 1986, and has been playing professionally in the D.C. area for the last five years. In that time, he has performed with Stanley Turrentine, Harry Connick, Jr., Melissa Manchester, the O-Jays and many others.

Releasing the CD is an important step for the DPT. "People don't know what to expect when they see our band at first," says Smith. "This album is a

breakthrough for us. It really captures the unique nature of our sound." Smith hopes to bring the DPT through Chelsea and Ann Arbor when they begin touring next summer.

The CD is available by mail order. It was designed to serve an overview of the band's unique sound, featuring 15 songs.

Zachary Smith is the son of Donald and Judith Smith of Chelsea. He will be home for the holidays Dec. 23-26.

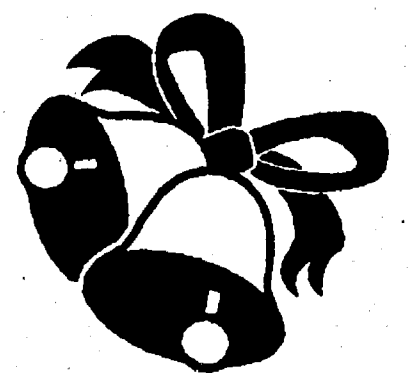
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Tom is well-liked and respected by his co-workers.

Tom and his wife, Jean, live in Chelsea with their two cats, Tory and Maxwell. Outside work, Tom says he enjoys reading, refinishing furniture, and watching movies. Tom adds that he's also a semi-golfer.

Check the meat case and you may find new labels to help you cut and save. Beef producers have financed a new labeling program for vacuumed packed boneless beef. The labels are actually little instruction pamphlets that give storage and wrapping guidelines and recipe ideas.



IT'S TIME to prepare the tea, Greta!" says Mark Wallace (Carter) to Corrie Schoenberg (Greta) in the Chelsea High school Stage & Drama class production of "Witness for the Prosecution."



A SPURNED WIFE seeks her revenge in "Witness for the Prosecution" presented Dec. 7-9 by the Chelsea High school Stage & Drama class. Shown in above photo are Sarah Stolaski (Romaine), Nate Gillikin (Leonard Vole), Nicole Raymond (the other woman), and Mark Carlson (Mr. Mayhem).

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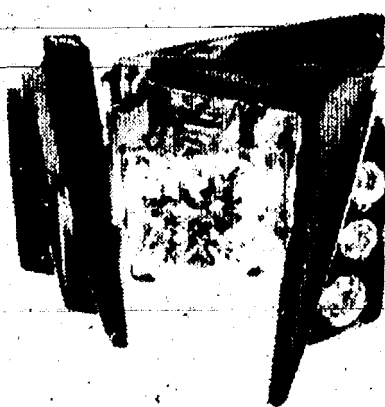
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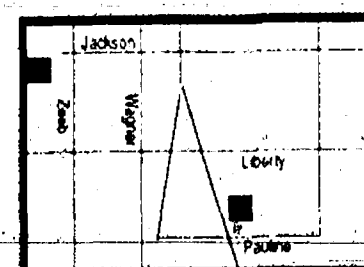
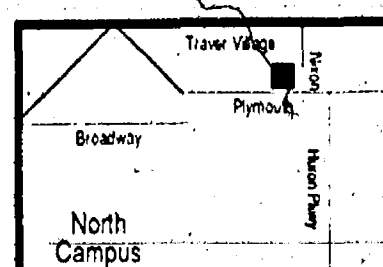
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Monday—

Chelsea Area Players Board meeting third Monday of each month, 7 p.m., at Society Bank meeting room. For more information call 475-2823.

McKune Memorial Library Mystery Book Club meets on the first Monday of every month at 7 p.m., upstairs at McKune Memorial Library. For further information call the library 475-5732.

SAVE—Sex Abuse Victims Everywhere is a newly formed organization working with the local communities to see what can and should be done to help prevent sex abuse. Meet the second Monday of every month from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Faith in Action Building, on the Chelsea Community Hospital grounds. Groups address is P.O. Box 354, Manchester 48158.

Lima Township Board meets the first Monday of each month at 8 p.m., Lima Township Hall.

Chelsea Recreation Council 7:30 p.m., fourth Monday of the month, Village Council chambers.

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets every Monday, 8:15 p.m. in the main dining room of Chelsea Community Hospital. For further information, phone John Knox, 475-9363, or write P.O. Box 87.

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

Chelsea Lioness, second Monday of each month at the Meeting Room in the Society Bank on M-42, Chelsea, at 7:30 p.m. Call 475-1791 for information.

Waterloo Area Historical Society Board of Directors meets the third Monday of each month 7:30 p.m., at Waterloo Farm Museum. For more information call Agnes Dikeman, 769-2219.

Tuesday—

Ann Arbor Sweet Adelines, women barbershop singers, welcomes all women to participate in weekly rehearsals from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Tuesday evenings at Glacier Way United Methodist church, 1001 Green Rd., Ann Arbor.

McKune Memorial Library Board, 7:30 p.m., third Tuesday of the month at McKune Memorial Library, 221 S. Main St. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the director of the library. For information call 475-5732.

Dexter Township Board will meet the first and third Tuesdays of the month, 7:30 p.m., at Dexter Township Hall.

Rotary Club, 12 noon Tuesday, at Common Grill.

Chelsea Village Council, second and fourth Tuesday of each month, 7:30 p.m., at Sylvan Township Hall, 112 W. Middle St.

Chelsea Village Planning Commission, third Tuesday of each month, 7:30 p.m., at Sylvan Township Hall, 112 W. Middle St.

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

American Business Women's Association 8:30 p.m. at the Chelsea Hospital fourth Tuesday of each month. Call 475-2941 for information.

Olive Lodge 156 F&AM, Chelsea. Regular meeting, first Tuesday of each month.

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

Lions Club, first and third Tuesday of every month, 8:45 p.m., at Chelsea Community Hospital. P.O. Box 7324 or write P.O. Box 121, Chelsea.

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

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

Chelsea Amateur Radio Club, Inc., fourth Tuesday of each month, 7 p.m., Society Bank basement.

Chelsea Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meetings, second Tuesday, each month, noon, Chelsea Community Hospital, private dining room.

Downtown Development Authority, second Tuesday of each month at 8 a.m. in the Chelsea Village Council chambers. It is a board of directors meeting. The public is welcome to attend.

Western Washtenaw County LaLeche League regular meeting, fourth Tuesday of each month, 10 a.m. For information and location call Marsha, 426-8831.

Smokers Anonymous—Every Tuesday (except the first Tuesday of each month) at St. James Episcopal church, 3279 Broad St., Dexter, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Questions? Call 426-8836.

Wednesday—

Parents Anonymous, a self-help group for abusive or potentially abusive parents, Wednesday 7 to 9 p.m. Separate children's group, same night. Call 475-3305 for information. Give only first name and phone number.

Friends of McKune Memorial Library meets at 7 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month upstairs at the library. Meetings are occasionally held at the homes of members. Upon request, meetings may be scheduled at an alternate accessible site. For information call the library at 475-5732.

VFW Ladies Auxiliary, second Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m., 106 N. Main St.

Chelsea Zoning Board of Appeals, third Wednesday of the month, 5 p.m., at Sylvan Township Hall, 112 W. Middle St.

Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ladies Auxiliary No. 2154 meet second, fourth Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m., 7330 Jackson Rd.

Chelsea Athletic Boosters membership meeting third Wednesday of each month; Board of Directors meet the second Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Chelsea High Media Center.

OES Past Matrons dinner and meeting at Senior Citizen site, Faith in Action building, second Wednesday every month at 11:45 a.m. Pk. 475-1141 for reservations by Monday preceding meeting.

VFW Post 4076 meeting second Wednesday of month, 7:30 p.m. VFW Hall, 106 N. Main.

Pittsfield Union Grange, No. 882, meets the second Wednesday of each month, 8 p.m. at Pittsfield Grange hall, 3337 Ann Arbor-Saline Rd., Ann Arbor.

Chelsea Depot Association will meet the first Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m. at the Chelsea Depot. Every third month, beginning with the month of November, the meetings will be at 7 p.m. All interested persons are welcome to attend.

Chelsea-Manchester Chapter No. 108, OES, meets the first Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple, 113 E. Middle.

Thursday—

Washtenaw County Board of Public Works meets third Thursday of month at 8 a.m., EIS Conference Room, Suite 200, 110 N. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor.

Chelsea Area Players Board meeting second Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m. at Society Bank meeting room. For more information call 475-2823.

As Parents We Will group meets third Thursday each month 7 p.m. Beach school media center. For information Cheryl Davis, 475-9131, ext. 28.

Chelsea Rod and Gun Club Auxiliary regular meeting, second Thursday of each month, 7:30, clubhouse, Lingane Rd.

American Legion Post No. 31, General meeting the first Thursday of each month at the post home, Cavanaugh Lake.

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

Substance Abuse Lecture Series: Meetings: 7:15 p.m. every Thursday; Chelsea Community Hospital, Dining Room. Series is open to the public to provide awareness and education regarding various aspects of alcoholism or other chemical dependence abuse.

Friday—

Senior Citizens meet third Friday of every month for pot-luck dinner, games and cards, 8 p.m. at Senior Citizen Activities Center at Faith in Action Bldg., on Hospital grounds.

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Saturday—

Alzheimer's, Dementia Caregiver & Family Support Group meets the third week each month, 10:30-noon, Chelsea Retirement Community, 805 W. Middle St., Chelsea.

Misc. Notices—

Chelsea Historical Museum open every Saturday, 1 to 3 p.m. Meet second Monday of each month, 7:30 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Parent to Parent Program: in home, friendly, visiting support system for families with children. Call 475-3383.

Parents Without Partners, support group for single parents. Youth activities, social events, discussion groups. For membership information, call recording at 975-1533.

Home Meals Service, Chelsea. Meals served daily to elderly or disabled. Cost per meal, \$3.25 with milk, \$3.00 without milk, for those able to pay. Interested parties call Mary at 475-9484 or Faith in Action at 475-3305.

Assault Crisis Center has moved to 1866 Packard Rd., Ypsilanti 48197. Ph. 483-RAPE, 24-hour crisis line, 465-7942, business line.

Faith in Action House Community Center, open daily throughout the week provides various free services to those in need. Services include food, clothing, financial help, advocacy and many other forms of assistance. Need friendly help? Call us from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., 475-3305.

Chelsea Together. For information, call 475-4030, M-F, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., or 475-5935, M-F, 9 p.m.-9 p.m.

Waterloo Senior Nutrition program meets Tuesdays and Thursdays at 12 noon, Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations call 475-7439 between, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Lunches, cards and fellowship.

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24 Years Ago . . .

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Chelsea Medical Center Emergency Clinic.

A two-year millage request was made by the Chelsea Board of Education at its Jan. 5 meeting. The special millage election has been set for Jan. 26.

34 Years Ago . . .

Thursday, Jan. 7, 1960—

A Chelsea Junior Chamber of Commerce Committee has been appointed to select the "outstanding young man of the year" in Chelsea, according to an announcement by the Jaycees president Robert Vanderkelen.

Robert L. Gipson waived examination on a murder charge last week Wednesday and was bound over to the Livingston County Circuit Court for a hearing on March 14. Gipson was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Otto Poulson of Pinckney on charges of murder and assault with intent of commit murder.

The \$235,000 sewage treatment improvement bonds have been sold to Kenower, MacArthur Co., of Detroit, it was announced following the village council meeting Monday evening.

A chimney fire at the Carl Lentz home on Garfield St. resulted in a run for the Chelsea fire truck at 12:10 p.m. Monday. The blaze was under control when firemen arrived.

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A Survival Guide For Winter Skin Problems

(NAPS)—The Pond's Institute, the research & development and consumer information division of Pond's skincare, is making news as well as sharing it. The Institute's new Beauty Advisors panel brings together an unprecedented group of well respected doctors, nutritionists, health and fitness experts, consumer advocates, and psychologists to explain the latest facts and findings about skin care and skin health and their relevance to our all-over well-being.

The first topic from the Pond's Advisory is how to keep your skin smooth and flake-free through the worst winter weather. The following, prepared with the guidance of Zoe Draelos, M.D., a dermatologist at the Central Carolina Dermatology Clinic in Highpoint, N.C., and the author of Cosmetics and Dermatology (Churchill Livingstone/Pond's Institute Beauty Advisory Member), addresses the most common winter-induced skin care problems and how to deal with them effectively.

Problem: Dryness, Itching, Flaking

Cause: The climate, both indoors (dry central heating, low humidity) and out (cold temperature, low humidity).

Solution: Use a more emollient moisturizer, and apply it more frequently. For example, switch to a cream if you use lotion, and apply whatever moisturizer you use at least twice a day—AM and PM—like Pond's Nourishing Moisturizer Lotion or Cream on recently hydrated skin to maximize efficacy (spritz water on the area to be moisturized if you're not showering or cleansing first). Also avoid skincare products that contain isopropyl or methanol alcohol if you're into outdoor sports—which by themselves are drying to the skin.

Problem: Redness, Chapping, Windburn

Cause: Cold temperatures coupled with wind and freezing precipitation: heavy scratchy fabrics worn next to skin.

Solution: Keep as much of you covered as possible during frigid, bitter weather. That means a hat that covers the forehead and ears and, foregoing a ski mask, a scarf to wrap around your nose and lower face. To prevent clothing-induced irritation, choose warm but soft fabrics, like cashmere or wool/silk blends. Or layer thin cotton or silk leggings and T-shirts under scratchy clothes. A hard-working but non-greasy moisturizer beneath clothing and on exposed areas acts as a barrier against irritation, and also can come to the aid of chafed, chapped skin. For severely abused skin, see your doctor.

Problem: Sunburn
Cause: Winter sunlight, which is intensified by reflection off snow and ice and at high altitudes, where more UV rays reach the Earth; harsh winter winds, which increase the effects of sun on skin.

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A GRAND OPENING for the Edward D. Jones investment and full-service brokerage office was held last Thursday. The suite of offices is in Middle Square building on W. Middle St. and is managed by Deb Bauer, investment representative. Invited guests included village president Richard Steele, village manager Jack Myers, Chamber of Commerce president John Evans and director Ann Feeney who attended to officially welcome the firm to Chelsea. Guests were invited to watch demonstrations of the satellite-driven communications system which offers instant access to information on investments and stocks. The Chelsea office is one of 2,000 Edward D. Jones offices in 48 states. Edward D. Jones is the largest

brokerage house in terms of number of offices in the United States and has been serving investors since 1871. Nearby offices include Ann Arbor, Saline, Tecumseh, Jackson and Hillsdale. Pictured above at the ribbon cutting ceremony are, from left to right, Tim Kirley, regional manager from the Hillsdale office; Deb Bauer, Chelsea investment representative; Ryan Crow, Bauer's son; and Chris Wolschleger, branch operations specialist. Trevor Crow, also Bauer's son was not present for the photo. Third graders from North and South schools entered essays and artwork with the theme of "My Favorite Thing About Chelsea" as part of the Grand Opening Celebration.

Swim Team 3rd in EMU Relays

Chelsea High school swimming team got off to a fast start with a third-place finish out of 12 teams at the 19th annual Eastern Michigan Relays.

Milan won the meet with 134 points; Monroe was 2nd with 123 and Chelsea 3rd with 100 point. West Bloomfield, Trenton and Novi rounded out the top five teams, respectively.

Some of the top performers were as follows:

200 Medley Relay of Matt McVittie,

Kevin Kolodica, Matt Fischer, David Brock finished 4th with a time of 1:38.47.

400 IM Relay of Kevin Kolodica, Steve Straub, Mike McEachern and Peter Straub finished 4th with a combined time of 4:20.66.

1500 Free Relay of McVittie, Brock and Fisher placed second with a combined time of 15:38.37.

The 200 Back Stroke Relay was the lone win for the Bulldogs. McVittie, Fisher, Straub and Christian Desorbo

stopped the clock at 1:47.01. Desorbo had to fight hard to fight off a charging Milan squad for the win.

The 400 Freestyle Relay was the last big finish of the day. Kolodica, Mike McEachern, Brock, and Straub placed 4th with a time of 3:41.00.

The first dual meet of the year is slated for Friday night at home against DeWitt. DeWitt beat the Bulldogs last year but the Bulldogs are much stronger and deeper this year and promise to look better.

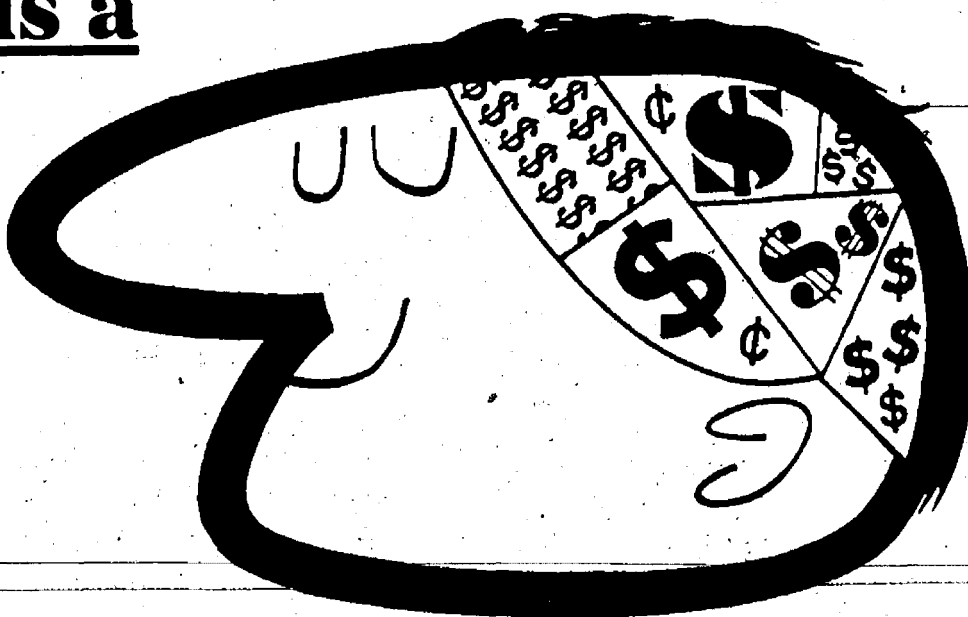
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County Deputies Investigate Domestic Disputes, Drunk Driving

Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department deputies investigated a number of incidents in Chelsea Village and Sylvan, Lima, Dexter, Webster and Scio townships between Dec. 1 and Dec. 8.

Chelsea

A 24-year-old Howell man was arrested on M-52 near Werkner Rd., Chelsea, for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor. During routine traffic patrol Dec. 8, an officer observed the man driving hazardously. He stopped him and administered field sobriety tests. After failing the tests, the man was arrested and taken to Washtenaw County jail. A bow found in the man's vehicle was confiscated because it was carried illegally. A breath test at the jail revealed a .14 percent blood/alcohol level.

An ATV Honda 4-Track was reportedly stolen from the 10000 block of Boyce Rd., Chelsea. A 42-year-old Chelsea man told police the vehicle is worth \$3,000. It was parked near his barn Dec. 4. Police have no suspects or leads in the case.

Sylvan Township

A breaking and entering was reported in the 17000 block of Cavanaugh Lake Rd., Sylvan township. A 49-year-old female resident told police thieves entered her home between 9:15 a.m. and 9:30 p.m. Dec. 1 and stole jewelry, a VCR and a cassette player. The deputy suspects local teen-agers. He will continue investigating the incident based on evidence found at the scene.

Lima Township

Domestic assault and battery was reported in the 1900 block of Steinbach Rd., Lima township. A 30-year-old Saline woman was arrested for assaulting her 29-year-old live-in boyfriend Dec. 1. The man's sister witnessed the attack. The man told police his girlfriend punched him in the face after a verbal argument. She claims he tried to choke her, so she hit him in self defense. The woman tried to resist arrest, but two deputies managed to handcuff her and take her to jail.

Dexter Township

Domestic assault and battery was reported in the 9200 block of McGregor Rd., Dexter township. A 44-year-old township woman told police she was beaten by her 36-year-old boyfriend Dec. 5. Police were called to the residence for an assault in progress with a woman locked in the bathroom. When they arrived they found the woman upset and crying. Her face was red and swollen from the attack. Her boyfriend was arrested and lodged in Washtenaw County jail. In a statement to police, the woman said they were arguing that night, so she went in the bedroom to escape from him. Later, she said, he came in

the bedroom, asked if she was asleep and when she answered he began kicking her and pushing her with his feet. According to the statement, he grabbed her out of bed and starting hitting her. The argument and assault continued until he threw her outside in the nude. She said she threatened to call 911, so he let her inside.

Webster Township

Domestic assault and battery was reported in the 7500 block of Base Lake Rd., Webster township. A township couple was arrested for assaulting each other after police were dispatched to the residence for a 911 hang up phone call. When deputies arrived they saw the couple struggling with each other. The 32-year-old woman told police her husband began tearing up the house after a verbal argument. She said he began dragging her on the floor and hit her several times. The woman's 29-year-old husband said she was the one throwing things in the house, and he only held her down on the ground to calm her. He said she hit him in the chest. Police saw abrasions on both.

A 17-year-old Webster township girl told police Dec. 5 an ex-boyfriend has been stalking and harassing her since their break up in August. Deputies took her statement at the substation in Dexter. She said she had been dating the 18-year-old Pinckney man for about seven months. When she ended the relationship he began following her around at school and work. The case is open pending an interview with the suspect.

Domestic assault and battery was reported in the 6100 block of North Territorial Rd., Webster township. Deputies were dispatched to the residence around 11 p.m. for a report of family trouble. A 30-year-old township woman told police her husband had been drinking, they argued and he attacked her. Deputies noticed visible injuries on the victim. Her 30-year-old husband was arrested and transported to Washtenaw County jail.

Scio Township

Assault and illegal entry was reported in the 800 block of Rose Dr., Scio township. A 43-year-old township man told police three men knocked on his residence door around 11:15 a.m. Dec. 7. They told the man that they needed to use the phone. When he unlocked the screen door, he said the three men barged in. One assailant apparently thought the victim had been dating his girlfriend. The victim said they knew him by name. According to a report, the three suspects hit the man's piano and shook him up. They left after demanding money from the victim, who said he was unemployed and had none. Descriptions of the suspects were given to the police by the victim.

Domestic assault and battery was reported in the 500 block of S. Zeeb Rd., Scio township. A 47-year-old township woman told police a transient, who had been living with her for about two months, assaulted her because she wouldn't let him use the car. She filed a complaint at the sheriff's station in Scio township, and asked police to remove him from her residence. In the past, the woman has called police on the man for using her car without permission. A deputy accompanied the woman back home and transported the suspect to a homeless shelter in Ypsilanti. The victim apparently wrote a check to cover the man's hotel expense, but he failed to have enough identification to cash it. The woman said she allowed the man, who is a co-worker, to stay at her home after she found out he was homeless. His stay there was meant to

be short-term until he could get enough money for his own place.

Two Ann Arbor youths were issued citations to appear in court after deputies found them in possession of alcohol on Liberty Rd. near Knight Rd., Scio township. He stopped the 18-year-old driver and 19-year-old passenger, Dec. 7, initially for speeding 61 mph in a 45 mph zone. Open beer was found in the car. The boys claimed the alcohol was left over from the night before. One of them told police his cousin purchased it for them.

Larceny of gasoline was reported at Pilot Oil on Baker Rd., Scio township. A cashier told police a semi-truck driver stole over \$100 worth of diesel fuel Dec. 4. Apparently, the truck driver called in false truck identification and license plate numbers. He told the cashier he would pay with credit, but never came inside to do so. A deputy noted in his report this is the third incident of its kind at Pilot Oil. He suggested they require customers to pay for gasoline before pumping it.

A 40-year-old woman was arrested on Parker Rd. near Liberty Rd., Scio township, for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor. After deputies observed suspicious

behavior and erratic driving by the woman in her vehicle, they stopped her. She failed a number of field sobriety tests and blew an illegal .16 percent blood/alcohol level on a breathalyzer.

Domestic assault and battery was reported at Scio Farms Estates on Jackson Rd., Scio township. A 41-year-old male resident was arrested after allegedly punching his 35-year-old live-in girlfriend in the

mouth. Police were called to the scene Dec. 4, and found the woman with a mouth full of blood from the attack. She refused medical treatment.

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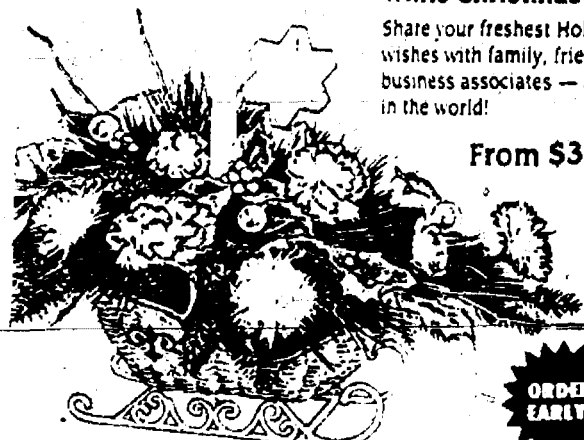
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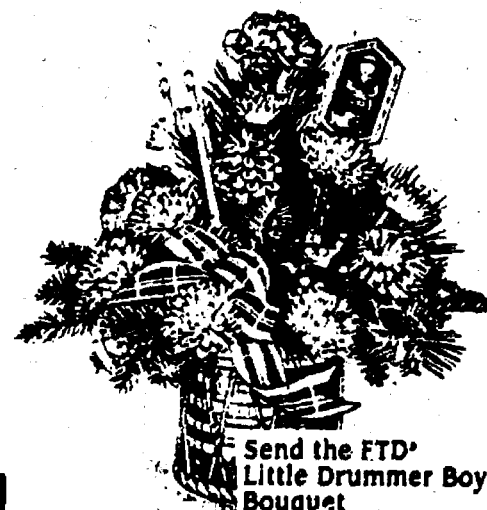


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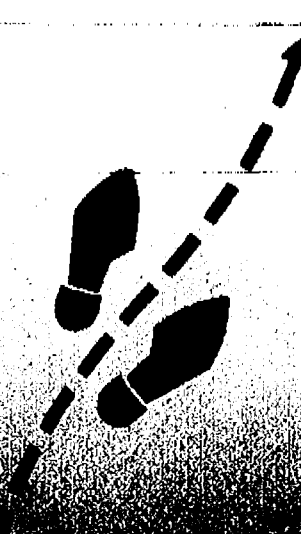
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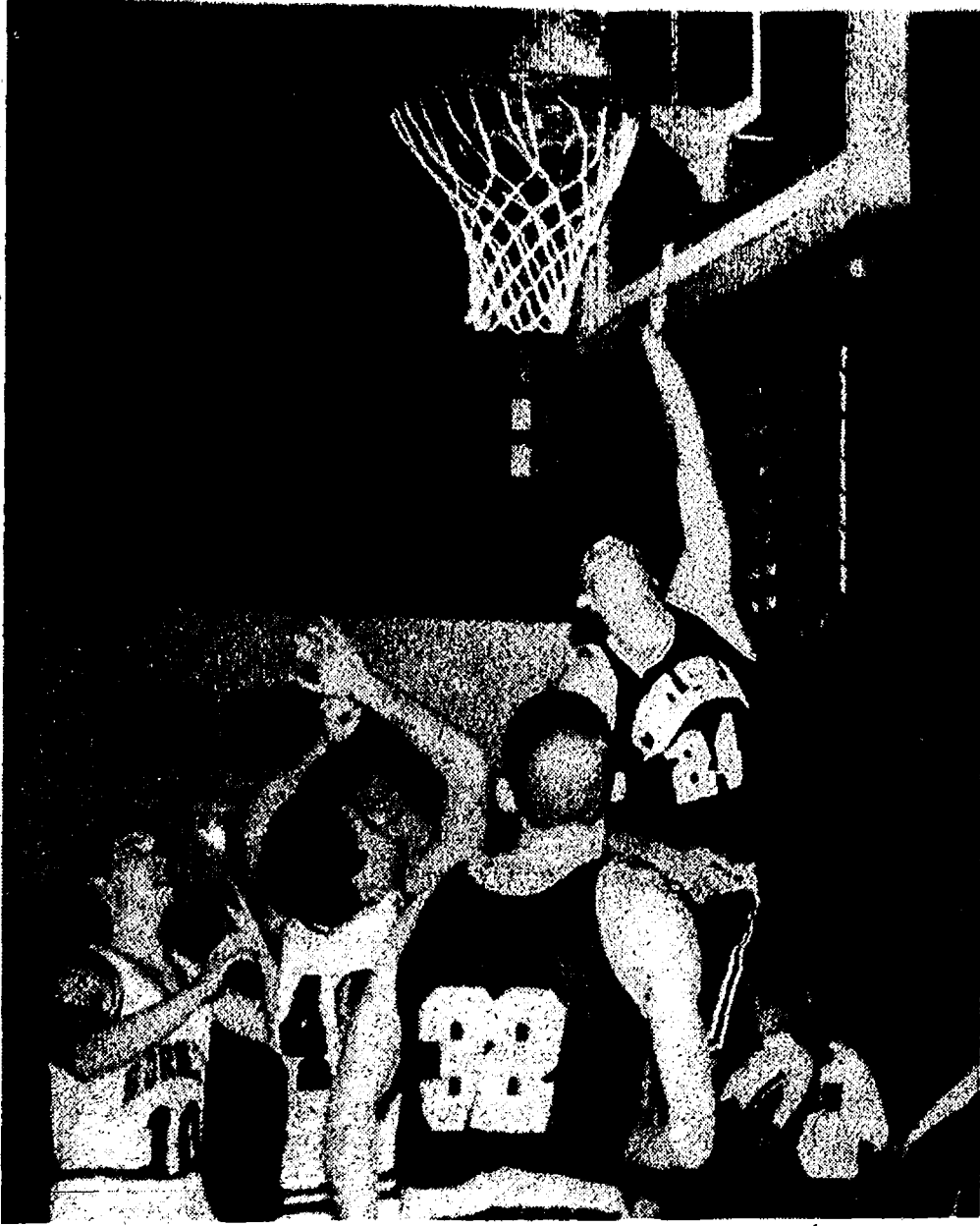
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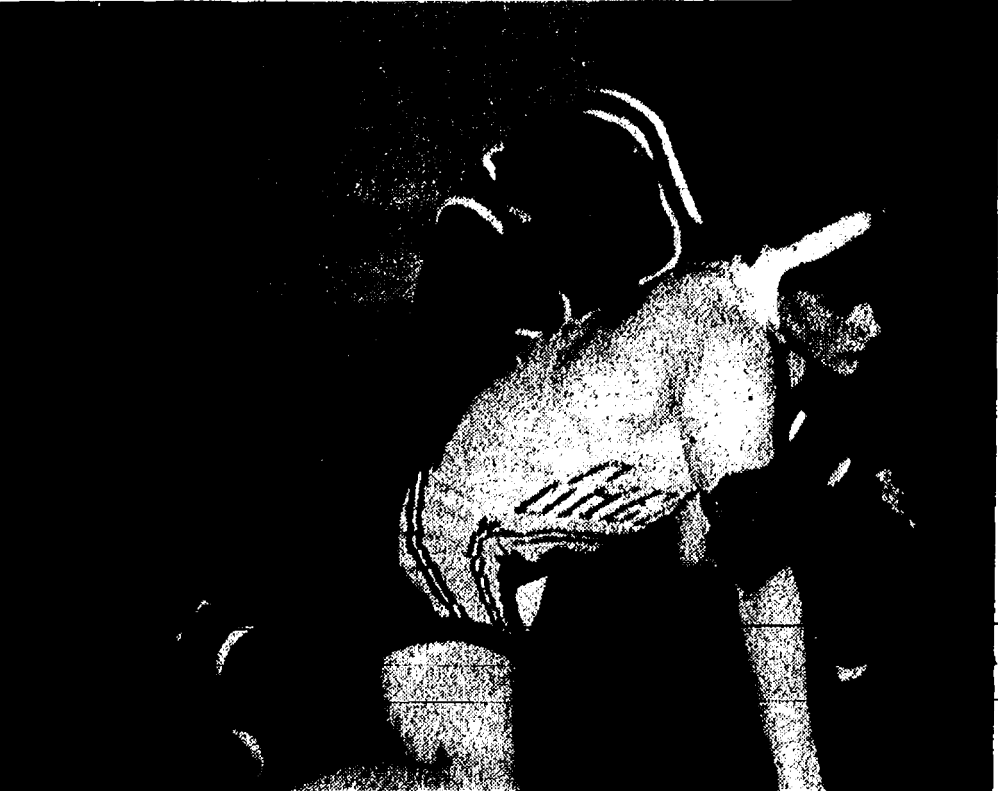
Section 2

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COLBY SKELTON (24) scores on a driving lay-up against Williamston last Tuesday, Dec. 7. Rob Davis (32) helps box out the opposition. Chelsea won the game, 68-59.



MIKE ALBER, 119 lbs., was defeated by R. Emmons of Allegan for a third place match at the Haslett Invitational Saturday.



BRASS PASS RECIPIENTS at Chelsea High school were announced Wednesday. The Brass Pass is awarded each quarter of the year to show exceptional character and attitudes towards school. The Pass is good for substantial discounts at many area stores. Those receiving the Brass Pass award this fall quarter include: Autumn Allen, Erin Armstrong, Aaron Atlee, Jeremy Bowers, Laura Castleberry, Courtney Chamberlin, Mariah Cherem, Scott Colvin, James Courdway, Angie Crandell, Jackie Crawford, Adam Daniel, Lesley Davis, Brian Dufek, Nona Giebel, Melissa Hand, Heather Hicks, Amy Hinshaw, Justin Hushke, Molly Griebel, Kevin Grifka, Chris Kargel, Scott Kinel,

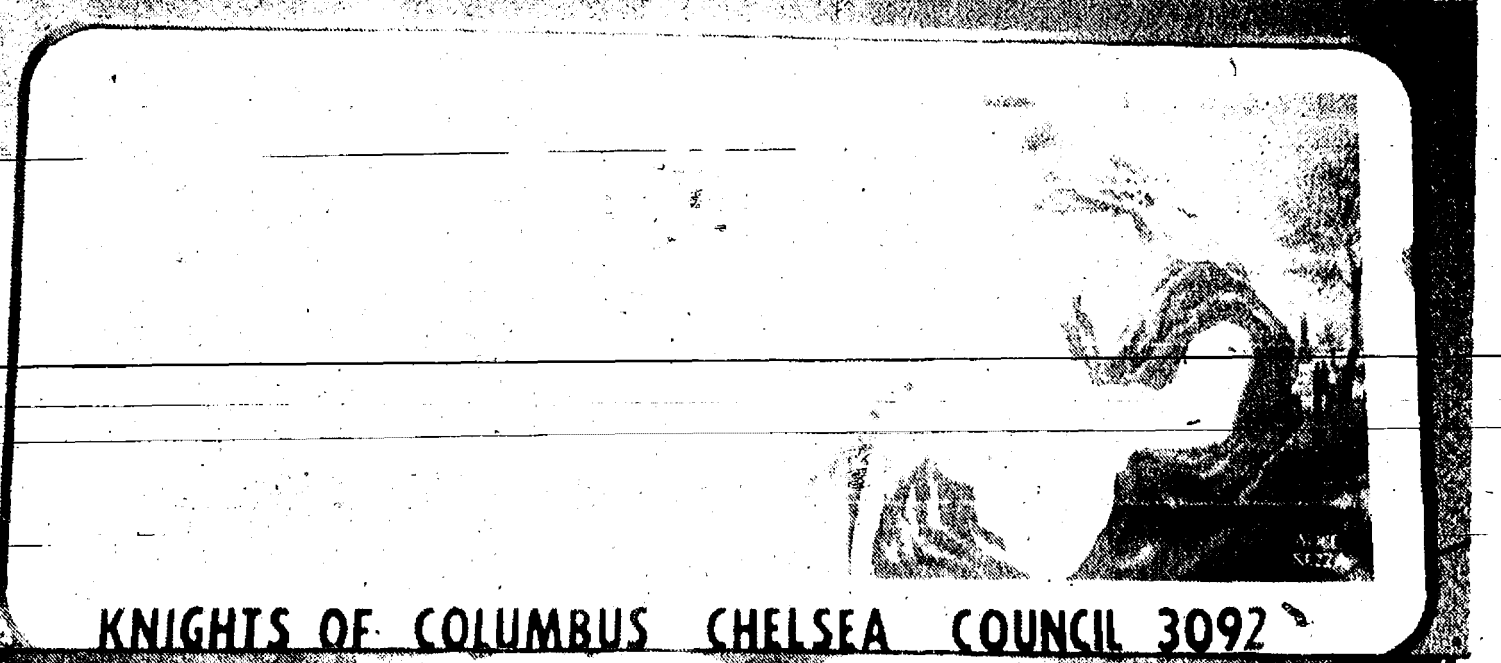
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Girl Scouts

DAISY TROOP NO. 82—

Daisy Troop No. 82 is comprised of nine South school kindergarten girls and meets approximately every other Tuesday with leaders Barbara Kindt and Sandra Wilkinson. The girls will have the meaning of Girl Scouts and their commitment to service explained to them throughout the coming year.

Thus far, the girls have begun their scrapbook and learned about Juliet Lowe, the founder. At the Nov. 29 meeting, the girls made a Christmas ornament and rehearsed the Daisy promise and song in anticipation of their upcoming investiture.

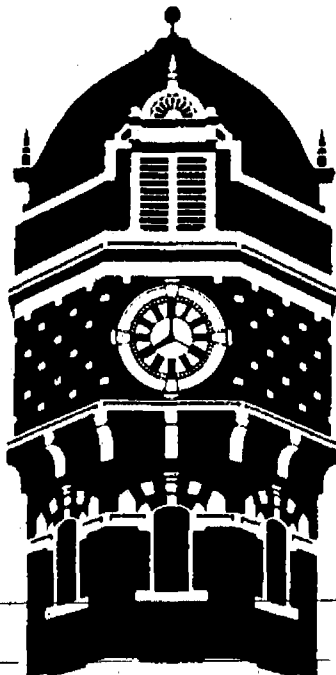


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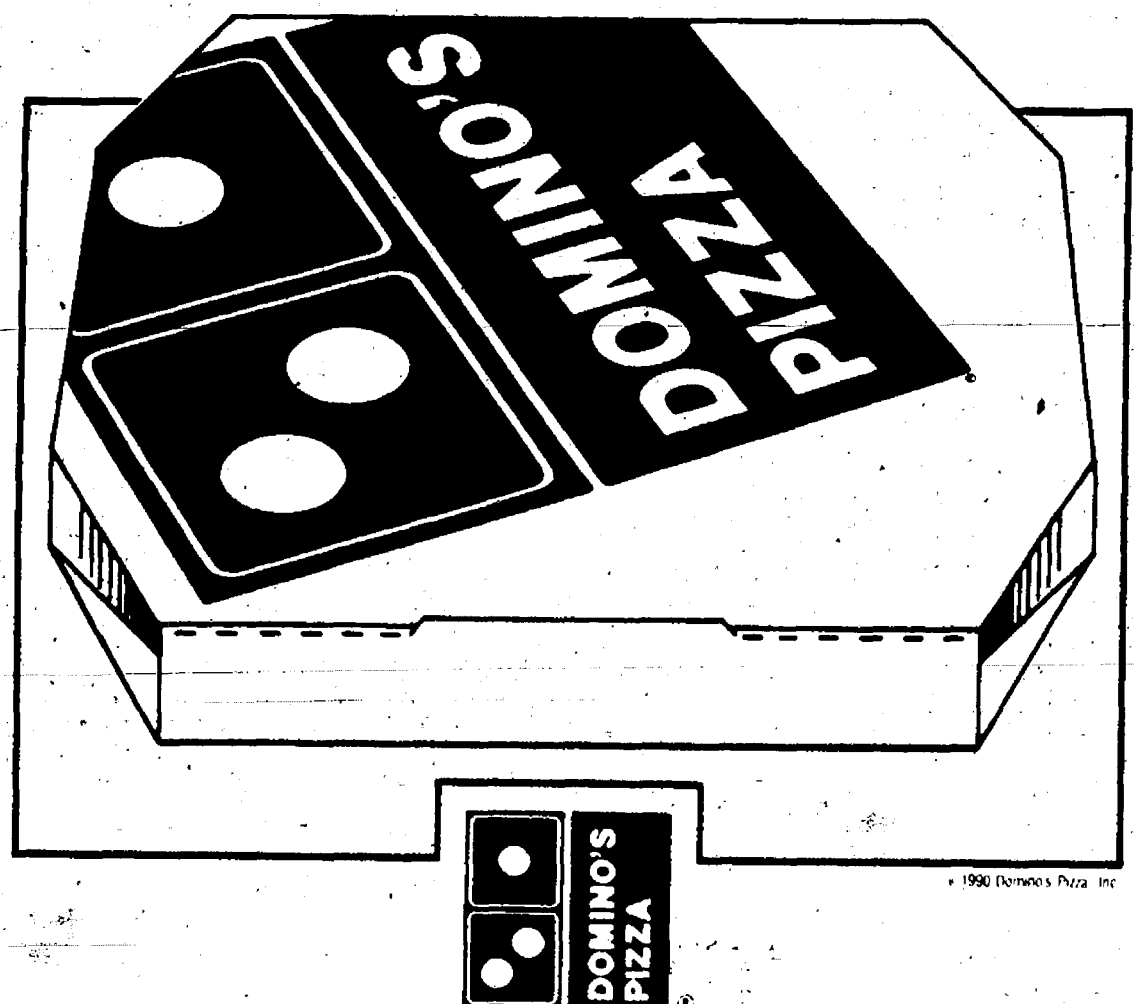
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Bulldogs Cagers Open SEC Season Friday With Win Over Saline

Chelsea Bulldogs beat arch-rival Saline Hornets last Friday night to open the Southeastern Conference basketball season, 67-59, at home.

Saline, considered one of the top challengers for the league title this year, led at halftime, 28-27, but got blown out in the third quarter, 26-10, and couldn't recover.

"We played well in spurts," said Chelsea coach Robin Raymond.

"We need to work on our consistency. We had some nice eight or 10-point runs, but we gave up too many of them. We've got some new kids in the line-up and the kids are still getting to know each other. We're not a cohesive unit on the floor, but the attitude is there."

Chelsea took a 19-11 lead in the first quarter, but a 17-8 Saline run in the second quarter gave the Hornets the lead.

Saline can be one of the most explosive teams in the league this year, but for the most part the Bulldogs held them in check. Twin guards Jay and Lee Haselschwerdt, two of the best perimeter shooters in the league, were held to a combined 28 points by Colby Skelton and Cory Brown, while Bulldogs senior Pat Steele limited Hornets center Bill Gladhill to just four points, all on free throws. Saline senior Jeff Kind, not projected to be a big scorer, had the biggest night with 18 points.

"We have an awful lot of kids who can play defense," Raymond said.

"Once we're all working together, I can see us devastating some teams. That will be the strength of this team."

Raymond called senior David Stimpson "the best player out there" on Friday. Stimpson scored 10 points and grabbed 11 rebounds.

"He's shown glimpses of that in practice, so it wasn't really a surprise," Raymond said.

"He was a big factor." The Bulldogs had one of their most balanced scoring attacks in the last couple of seasons. Steele and Skelton each finished with 13, Rob Davis joined Stimpson with 10, Cory Brown had 8, Nick Brink 6, Chad Brown 5, and Dan Wehrwein 2.

Chelsea was 24-55 (44 percent) from the field and 17-22 (77 percent) from the line, while the Hornets were 38 percent from the field and 75 percent from the line. Chelsea had 18 assists.

"We didn't shoot well from the outside," Raymond said.

"The kids may have been almost too excited to play. They were really high coming in, and that may have affected the shooting."

The Bulldogs opened the season on Tuesday at Williamston and won, 68-59.

Chelsea took a 14-8 lead in the first quarter and led by seven or eight points most of the rest of the game.

"We had several chances to blow the game open, but instead we let them back in," Raymond said.

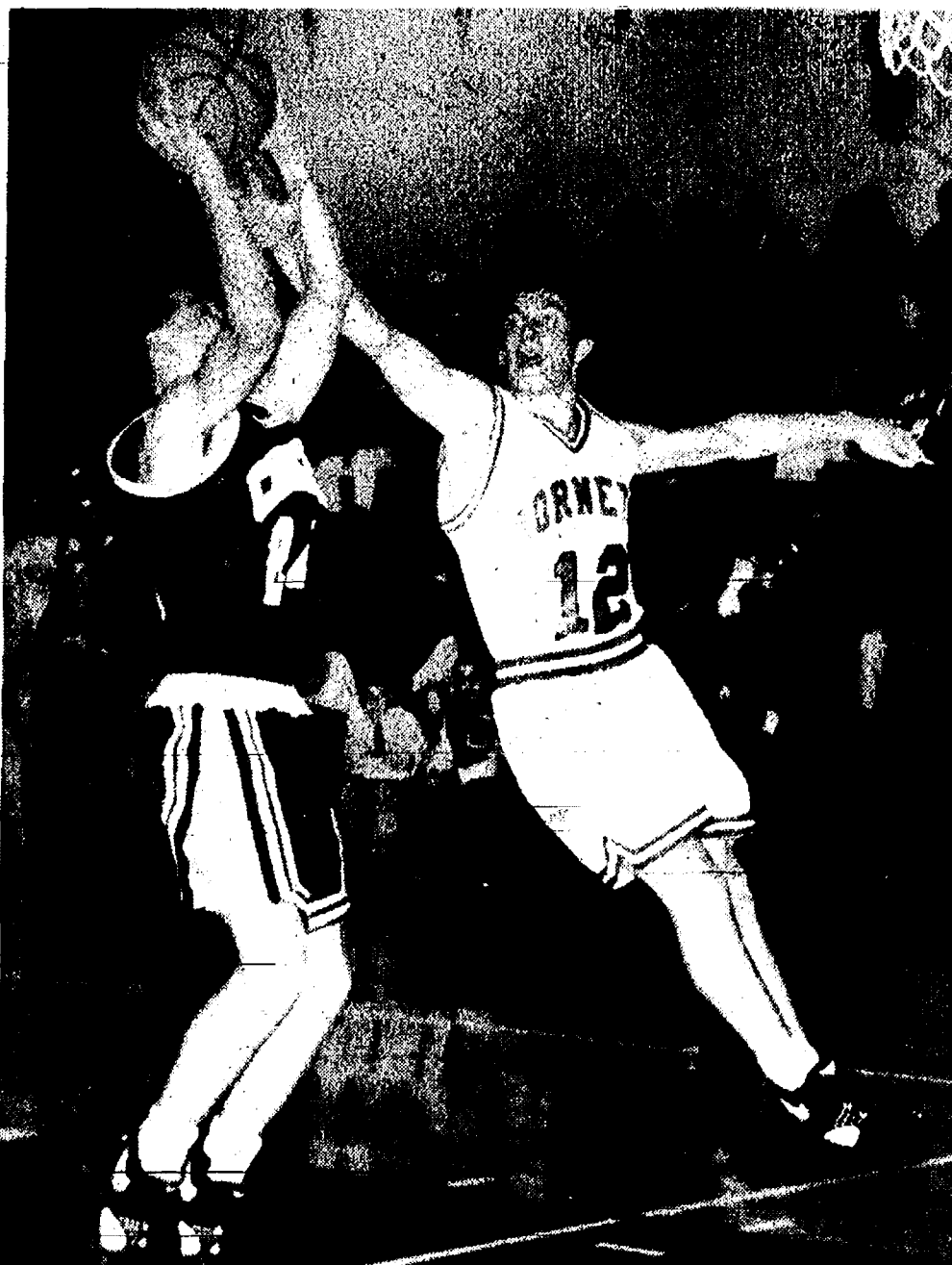
"I felt comfortable with our position so it wasn't a matter of winning or losing, it was a matter of executing the way we want to."

Davis provided most of the Chelsea offense in the first half as he scored 14 of his team-high 18 points. Other Bulldogs in double figures were Skelton with 14 and Steele with 13. Other scorers were Chad Brown 8, Brink 6, Cory Brown 4, Bryndon Skelton 2, Scott Colvin 2, and James Dising 1.

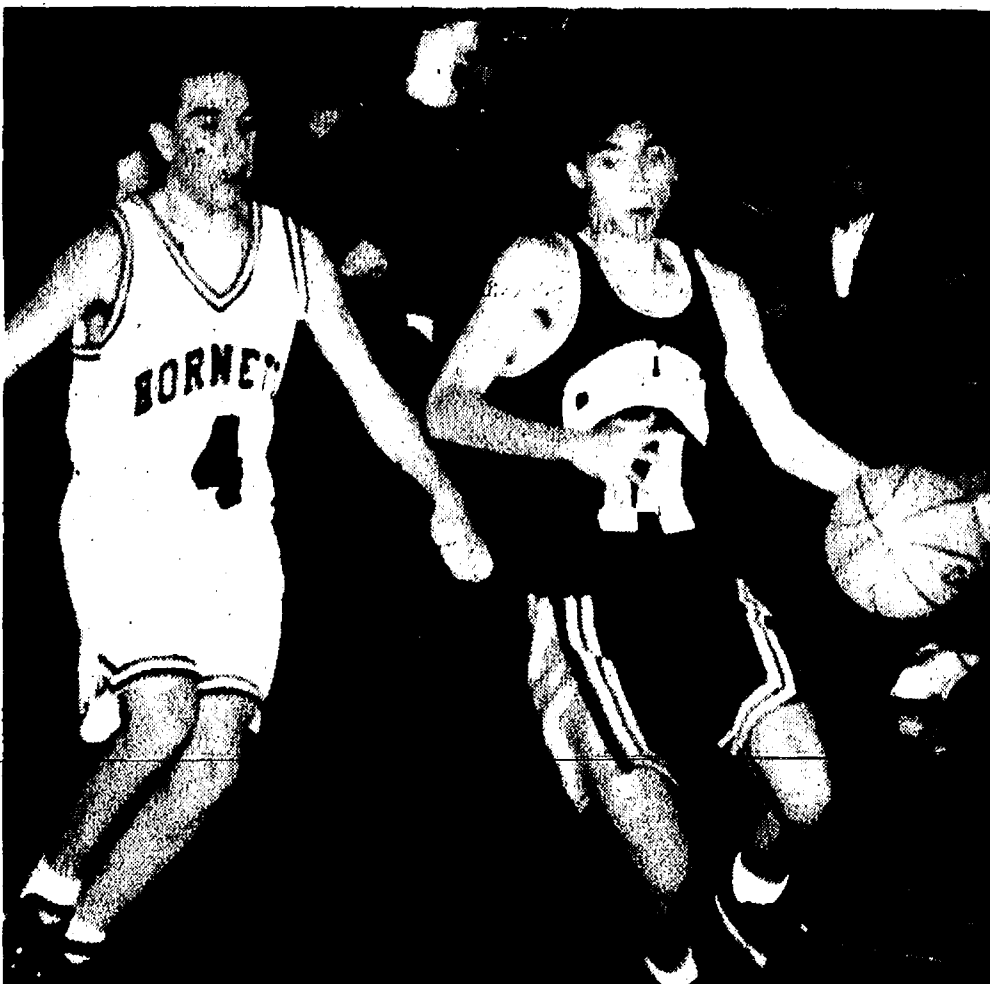
Steele added 13 rebounds and three assists. Davis and Skelton each had seven rebounds.

Chelsea shot 40 percent from the floor and 65 percent from the line.

The 2-0 Bulldogs were scheduled to host the Milan Big Reds last night before closing out the pre-holiday portion of the season this Friday at Lincoln.



COLBY SKELTON (24) gets a shot away despite a hand in his face by a Williamston defender in the Dec. 7 game which the Bulldogs won.



CORY BROWN (14) drives around a Williamston defender while bringing the ball up court.



ALL-STATE HONORS: Prior to the Chelsea-Saline basketball game Friday, Chelsea's two All-State football players were honored. Colby Skelton and Pat Steele were selected to the Associated Press first team all-state squad for Classes BB and B. Head Coach Gene LaFave and

assistant Jeff Sloan, Center, made the presentations. Second from left is Colby Skelton with his parents, Charles "Bo" Skelton and Margaret Moulleseaux. On right is Pat Steele with his parents, Sarah and Tom Steele.



CORY BROWN (14) scores with a jump shot from the foul line in a Dec. 7 game with Williamston. Chelsea put the Hornets away for a 68-59 victory. Pat Steele (42) at right is poised for possible rebound.



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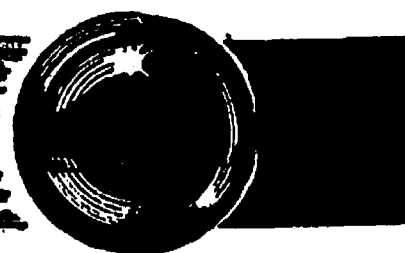
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Kahuna League

Standings as of Dec. 5

Dominic's Pizza	W	L
Splash	30	13
Hot Dogs	31	18
Strikers - Not	30	19
Fantasy Islanders	26	23
4 W's	24	18
Al's Cafe	24	18
Haydon	22	27
Ma Du	19	30
Strike Free	17	32
Barley Rollin'	14	35
Farmersville	14	35
High Games, women: J. Weiner, 160, 155; L. Smith, 173; J. Bruhn, 153; L. Kaiser, 161, 167; V. Wurstler, 158, 170; T. L. Day, 155; P. VanBlaricum, 157, 158, 174; E. Heller, 156, 158, 175; H. Barais, 154; V. Smith, 175; C. Miller, 174.		
High series, women: J. Weiner, 467; L. Kaiser, 494; V. Wurstler, 477; P. VanBlaricum, 516; E. Heller, 514; C. Miller, 452.		
High games, men: Ray Weiner, 187; Russ Weiner, 188, 233, 190; A. Kaiser, 203, 181; M. Frinkle, 194; H. VanBlaricum, 180, 181; S. Fauser, 183; B. Richards, 199; S. Percha, 178.		
High series, men: Ray Weiner, 478; Russ Weiner, 531; A. Kaiser, 515; M. Frinkle, 486; H. VanBlaricum, 535; P. Barais, 504; B. Richards, 486.		

Chelsea Lanes Mixed League

Standings as of Dec. 19

	W	L
Gutter Babes	70	42
Parky Pets	62	50
Two of Us	61	51
Lima Beans	60	52
Four Season Builders	59	53
Rugrats	58	54
Pinbusters	52	60
Babes R Us	52	63
Hard Heads	50	62
Women, 425 series and over: J. Schulze, 465; B. Schmenk, 478.		
Men, 475 series and over: T. Schulze, 504; R. Zatoraki, 518; L. Sweet, 492.		
Women 150 games and over: J. Schulze, 152, 157, 154; B. Schmenk, 157, 153; C. Mullins, 176; M. Erskine, 153.		
Men, 175 games and over: R. Zatoraki, 181, 179; L. Sweet, 180, 175.		

Chelsea Suburban League

Standings as of Dec. 8

Standings as of Dec. 5.		W	L
James Bauer Construction		73	32
3-D		68	37
AGUS		64	41
Flow Ezy		60	45
McCalla Feed		51	54
Great Lakes Bancorp		51	54
Schulze Enterprises		49	56
Chelsea Lanes		49	56
D & E Enterprises		47	58
Wills Wonders		44	61
Leeds Wonders		44	61
The Stage Stop		39	66
Games of 155 and over: A. Grau, 172; B. Wolfgang, 175; M. Lamey, 168; E. Layher, 221; M. Lander, 154; P. Trinkle, 159; K. Bauer, 182; K. Powers, 183, 178; S. Winkle, 187; D. Collins, 169; C. Underhill, 197; C. Schulze, 188; B. Wild, 173; S. McCalla, 159, 170, 185; D. Fouty, 187, 188; J. Mock, 156; M. Rush, 166; R. Foster, 162; J. Shepherd, 202; J. Schulze, 182, 214; D. Pastor, 187; Z. Zimmerman, 185; M. Stafford, 160; C. Miller, 184, 160; J. Ringe, 187, 173; S. Bassett, 180; T. Collinsworth, 159; J. Guenther, 190, 172, 171.			
Series of 465 and over: B. Wolfgang, 465; E. Layher, 511; S. McCalla, 524; C. Schulze, 481; J. Shepherd, 503; J. Schulze, 544; C. Miller, 477; J. Guenther, 540.			

Junior House League

Standings as of Dec. 9

	W	L
Cleary's Pub	63	35
Hughes Construction	61	37
Washington Engineering	58	40
Vogel's Party Store	56	42
Roto-Rooter	55	43
Jiffy Mix	55	43
Mark IV Lounge	50	48
3-D Sales & Service	48	50
Associated Drywall	47	51
Chelsea Industries	46	52
JENEX	45	53
Roberts Paint & Body	44	54
Chelsea Lanes	41	57
Parts Peddler	41	57
Little Weck Excavating	41	57
Ind. high games: R. Guenther, 229; P. Lehman, 222; G. Burnett, 212; D. Beaver, 212; L. Hughes, 211; G. Pratt, 210.		
Ind. high series: R. Guenther, 591; P. Lehman, 584; G. Pratt, 578; D. Beaver, 568; D. Boku, 564; M. Frinkle, 553.		

Youth Mixed League

Standings as of Dec. 11

Summary as of Dec. 22		W	L
Super Impact		58	33
X-Men		48	43
Ken and Stumpy		46	45
Norm From Cheers		42	49
Landale Mig		42	49
Wolverines		38	53
Male, games over 100: E. Greenleaf, 205; M. Milano, 189; A. Sweet, 164; K. Weiner, 160; R. Chase, 150; M. Klink, 147; B. Ranton, 143; E. McCalla, 142; M. Kravick, 126; B. Culver, 124; A. Batzdorfer, 119; K. Smith, 117; M. Pratt, 108; J. Middleton, 103.			
Male, series over 300: E. Greenleaf, 512; M. Milano, 458; K. Weiner, 414; A. Sweet, 405; M. Klink, 399; A. Batzdorfer, 316.			
Female, games over 100: H. Greenleaf, 125.			
Female, series over 300: H. Greenleaf, 366.			
Male star of the week: M. Klink, 50 pins over average for series.			

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Leisure Time League

Standings as of Dec. 5

	W	L
Late Ones	21	21 1/2
Who Knows	21	22
Sweetrollers	20	22
Tidy Bowler	20 1/2	22 1/2
Miahs	21	21
Games over 140: E. Haywood, 156, 158; G. Weston, 155, 148; M.R. Cook, 178; J. Campbell, 173, 170; M. Hanna, 158; B. Parish, 145, 177, 149; B. Miller, 149; G. Foley, 174, 152; R. Horning, 164; E. Swanson, 143; Julie Kuhl, 141; Judy Kuhl, 140.		
Series over 400: E. Haywood, 428; G. Weston, 446; M.R. Cook, 446; J. Campbell, 441; M. Hanna, 411; B. Parish, 448; R. Horning, 446; E. Swanson, 417.		

Sunday Nite Come Ons

Standings as of Dec. 5

	W	L
No Shows	23	19
T-C's	23	21
Sports Four	24	24
Who Cares	24	24
Kam Kar Klansies	34	22
The Big Dogs	34	22
Hogan's Heroes	30 1/2	25 1/2
Glosters	28	28
Waterloo Aces	28	28
Proctor Racing	28	31
Happy Campers	28	31
The Lakers	24 1/2	31 1/2
Sixty Niners	24	32
Hot-N-Cold	24 1/2	35 1/2
Four W's	19	37
Bottom's Up	17	39
150 games, women: B. Ahrens, 156; K. Strock, 154, 160, 158; P. Vogel, 153, 178; S. Bassett, 157, 177; M. Batzler, 176, 151; T. Proctor, 153; D. Kaminski, 152; R. Calkins, 155, 154; M. Noble, 158; J. Clouse, 156; M. Hogan, 165, 151; P. Lesser, 158, 150; K. Beeman, 170; G. Clark, 171, 161; E. Cronk, 161; D. McWhorter, 172.		
175 games, men: S. Strock, 187; R. Wals, 180; J. Vogel, 189; M. Bassett, 186; G. Batterbee, 227, 198; B. Calkins, 214; T. Klobuchar, 178; C. Clouse, 204; M. Dault, 183; M. Fouty, 211, 188; E. Tornalak, 178; D. McWhorter, 186, 178; T. Torricio, 180.		
450 series, women: B. Ahrens, 411; K. Strock, 452; P. Vogel, 508; S. Bassett, 508; M. Batzler, 475; P. Lesser, 488; G. Clark, 488; D. McWhorter, 450.		
500 series, men: J. Vogel, 516; G. Batterbee, 580; B. Calkins, 545; L. Kaminski, 511; M. Fouty, 574; D. McWhorter, 522.		

Senior House League

Standings as of Dec. 12

	W	L
Steele's Heating	62	35
Vogel's Party Store	58	42
3-D Sales	56	42
Bollinger Sanitation	55	43
K & N Tile	52	46
Sportsman's Bar	51	47
Waterloo Village Market	50	48
Kink Excavating	50	48
McCalla Feeds	47	51
VFW No. 4078	47	51
Gina's Cafe	46	52
Detroit Abrasives	44	54
Dapco	42	56
Wolverine Bar	42	56
Herrst Construction	42	56
Rod & Gun	39	59
High series, 425 and over: G. Leonard, 552; J. Alexander, 540; J. Bauer, 528; H. McCalla, 506; K. Kunselman, 506; A. Clouse, 501; M. Schanz, 502; T. Trinkle, 508; J. Vogel, 504; D. Boku, 507; T. Loucks, 534; D. Hall, 538; E. Riddle, 544; H. Hadd, 545; H. Spaulding, 528; J. Audet, 528; T. Schulze, 531; B. Faron, 529; D.D. Noye, 527; J. Hughes, 573; D. Beaver, 540; D. Thompson, 540.		
High games, 200 and over: J. Alexander, 208; K. McCalla, 228, 229; J. Bauer, 201; H. McCalla, 231; C. Collins, 201; J. Yelash, 212, 224; K. Kunselman, 202; M. Schanz, 202; T. Trinkle, 213; J. Vogel, 212; D. Boku, 202; T. Loucks, 200; E. Riddle, 202; F. Gucker, 213; R. Zatoraki, 208, 225; J. Audet, 213; T. Schulze, 207; B. Faron, 207; S. Guyor, 200; J. Hughes, 225.		
High series, 600 and over: K. McCalla, 629; J. Yelash, 618; R. Zatoraki, 609.		

Tri-City Mixed League

Standings as of Dec. 18

	W	L
Thunder Rolls	73	40
Cineplast Millacron	70	43
Astrom Electric	69	43
Cleary's Pub	65	47
Chasey Builders	64	48
3-D Sales	62	50
Chelsea Telecom	61	51
The Print Shop	58	54
T.G.I.F.	54	58
Strike-A	53	59
Colonial House Salon	53	59
Kam Kar Klansies	51	61
Chelsea Lanes	47	65
Draw-Tite	42	70
We Do It All Moving	39	72
Beaman Construction	38	73
Women, games 150 and over: N. Cavender, 171, 165; A. Houghton, 168; T. Boyer, 150, 150, 152; K. Stepp, 161, 159; J. Home, 152, 156; J. Ziel, 150, 162; J. Schulze, 190; J. Stanley, 177; D. Purdy, 161; D. Kaminski, 162; M.J. Gibson, 154, 160.		
Men, games 175 and over: D. Alstrom, 210; S. Cavender, 211; D. Boku, 177; T. LaCroix, 178; T. Stevens, 177; L. Miller, 180, 182; M. Hanna, 180; T. Schulze, 225; R. Stanley, 178; R. Zatoraki, 186, 182, 213; R. Webb, 208, 175; J. Millman, 205, 181; C. Staph, 192; B. Mann, 173; C. Ridenour, 188, 205.		
Men, series 475 and over: D. Alstrom, 538; S. Cavender, 533; D. Boku, 509; L. Miller, 489; M. Hanna, 509; T. Schulze, 522; R. Stanley, 465; R. Zatoraki, 490; R. Webb, 531; J. Millman, 540; C. Staph, 490; S. Henderson, 491; C. Ridenour, 542; B. Chaney, 432.		

Mid-Morning Mixed League

Standings as of Dec. 11

Standings as of Dec. 11		W	L
Team No. 11		69	29
Thompson Pizza		66	32
Hurricanes		59	39
Lightning Bolts		56	43
Seminoles		53	45
Marlins		52	46
Strike Force		48	51
Miller		44	54
Looney Tunes		43	55
Wolverines		35	63
Shockers		33	65
Team No. 12		28	73
Male, games over 100: J. Tripodi, 142; J. Summers, 155; B. Koopp, 120; T. Norris, 116; V. Newman, 115; J. Young, 114; I. Kummer, 114; M. Vargo, 110; N. Smith, 108; J. Schanz, 106; A. Hess, 104; R. Castleberry, 104; J. Goss, 103; B. Sayers, 103; G. Giddings, 102.			
Female, games over 100: V. Thompson, 144; S. Miller, 127; B. Newman, 123; J. Inwood, 106.			
Female, series over 300: V. Thompson, 518; S. Miller, 514.			
Male star of the week: T. Norris, 85 pins over average for series.			
Female star of the week: J. Gallas, 65 pins over average for series.			

Rolling Pin League

Standings as of Dec. 7

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	W	L
Kookie Kutters	35 1/2	20 1/2
Sugar Bolls	35	21
Tea Cups	33	23
Blenders	32	24
Pots	30 1/2	25 1/2
Grinders	29 1/2	26 1/2
Happy Cookers	21 1/2	34 1/2
Coffee Cops	7	49
Ind. games over 140: B. Parish, 182; P. Wurstler, 180; L. Orban, 174; Julie Kuhl, 170; S. Ringe, 166; J. Edick, 160; P. Harok, 156; P. Paige, 154; M. Hanna, 154; K. Strock, 153; J. VanMeer, 148; C. Stoffer, 147; J. Staph, 144; G. Clark, 141.		
Ind. series over 425: B. Parish, 468; P. Harok, 446; S. Ringe, 440; P. Wurstler, 438; J. Edick, 436; P. Paige, 432; M. Hanna, 427; Julie Kuhl, 426.		
Star of the week: B. Van Gorder, 70 pins over average for series.		

Chelsea Bantams League

Standings as of Dec. 11

Wild Cats	W	L
Strikers	39	31
Power Rangers	39	26
Team No. 3	4	61
Male, games over 50: B. Thornton, 129; B.J. Castleberry, 115; S. Schanz, 89; E. Guenther, 78; R. Kaiser, 68; R. Castleberry, 68; T. Thornton, 56.		
Male, series over 90: B. Thornton, 244; B.J. Castleberry, 182; E. Guenther, 144; S. Schanz, 143; R. Kaiser, 128; R. Castleberry, 118; T. Thornton, 107.		
Female, games over 50: S. Brigham, 101.		
Male star of the week: B.J. Castleberry, 64 pins over average for series.		
Female star of the week: S. Brigham, 21 pins over average for series.		

Chelsea Realty League

Standings as of Dec. 8

	W	L
Team Pending	68	47
Acces	65	50
Vacant Lot	54	61
Quit Claim	54	61
K. of C. LandLovers	52	63
All Most	42	63
150 games and over: S. Heim, 154, 226; S. Martin, 152, 157; R. Steele, 155; R. Hummel, 159; S. Eiale, 155; K. Greenleaf, 163, 153; K. Sloan, 158; L. Herrst, 150; D. Martell, 167; J. Wackenhut, 160, 153, 158; J. Perry, 152; D. Stetson, 156.		
Star of the week: S. Heim, 119 pins over average for series.		

8th Grade Cagers

Lose Two in Past Week's Action

The 8th grade basketball team had two games this past week.

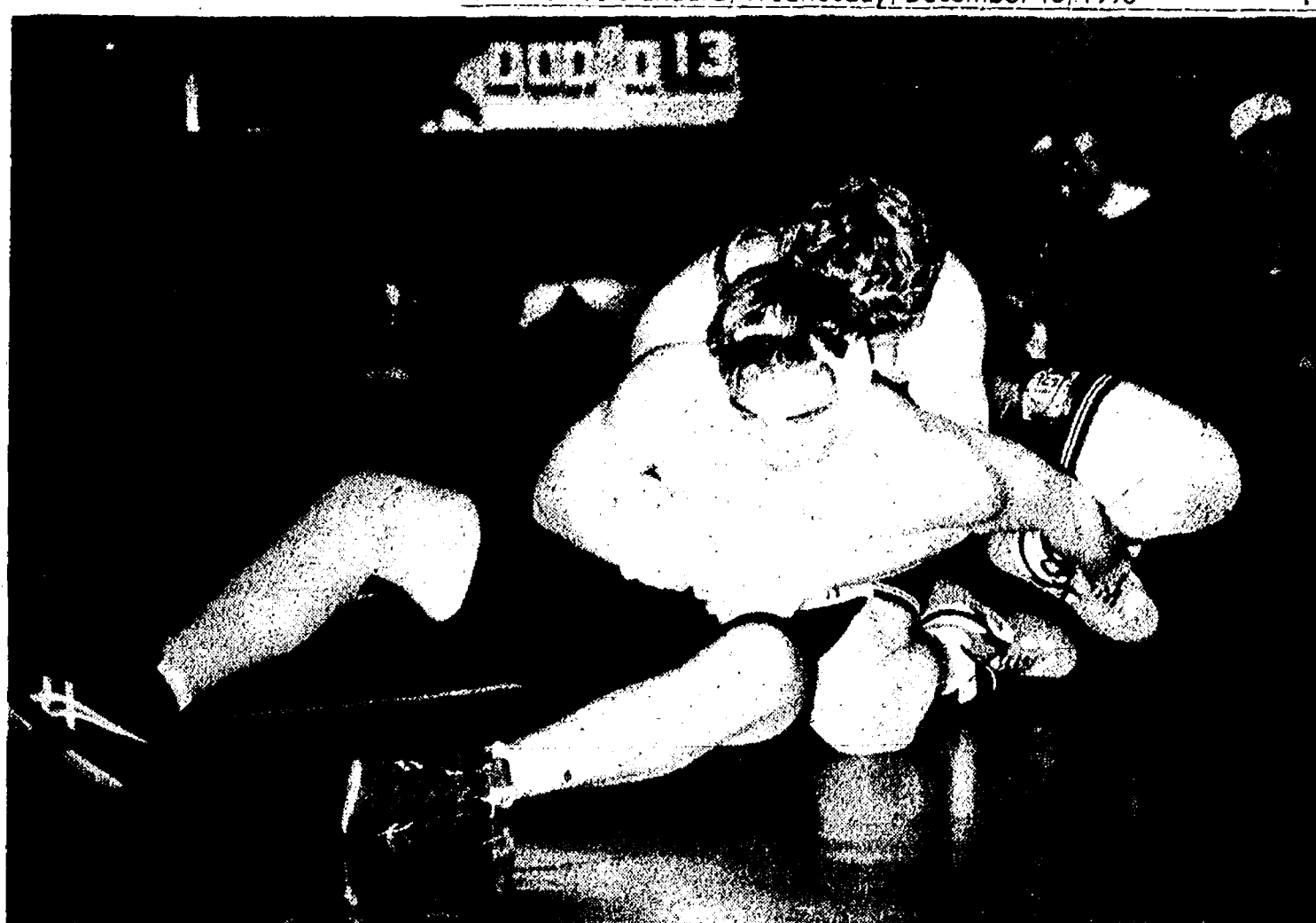
On Monday, Chelsea traveled to Saline to take on the Hornets. A very slow start found Chelsea trailing 24-2 at half-time and they were unable to recover.

In the second half Chelsea actually played them even but the 22-point lead given them in the first half was simply too much to overcome.

Leading scorers for Chelsea were Scott Basar 6, Matt Adams 4, Justin Kivi 4, Chris Hatch 2, Mike Kolesar, Bob Cooper and Don Reilly 2 each.

On Thursday, Chelsea played Dexter at Dexter and lost, 47-35. A slow start on offense in the first and second quarters allowed Dexter to get out to a 21-12 lead. In the third quarter Chelsea came back with better scoring (out-scoring Dexter 16-12) but were unable to make up the deficit created in the first half.

Leading scorers for Chelsea were Justin Kivi with 15, Scott Basar 8, and Mike Kolesar, Bob Cooper, Rob Ellis, Sean Stickney, Matt Adams and Don Reilly with 2 each.



JORDAN DYER finished 4th in the 189 lb. class at the Haslett Invitational tournament Saturday. Team scores: 1st, New Lathrop, 198; 2nd, Fowlerville, 192; 3rd, Brighton, 178; 4th, Haslett, 142.5; 5th, Chelsea, 131. A total of 16 teams participated.

Bulldog Wrestlers Open Season With 5th Place In Haslett Invitational

Chelsea Bulldogs wrestling team opened their season with a fifth-place finish at the Haslett Invitational last Saturday.

New Lathrop won the 16-team tournament with 198 points. Fowlerville was second at 192, Brighton was third at 178. Haslett placed fourth with 142.5 points; and Chelsea checked in with 131.

Coach Kerry Kargel started a young line-up that included four freshmen. In addition, his top wrestler quit, which forced another trade-off of experience for enthusiasm.

"I was really pleased with the kids," Kargel said. "There's one thing about this team. This group is aggressive. There's no stalling or hesitation."

Senior John Bobo was Chelsea's only champion, taking the title at 160 pounds as the number two seed. He beat Nico deWitt, 17-7, pinned Armstrong of Haslett in 3:50, and dominated Shane Bosch of Fowlerville in the finals, 9-1.

Junior Ruan Ludwig took second place at 135 pounds. He pinned Stull of Allegan in 3:12 and Kujac of Monroe Catholic Central in :41. In the semi-finals he beat Marshall of Midland, 10-4, but lost to Chapman of New Lathrop in the finals, 11-7.

Junior Ray Hatch at 112, senior Dan Alber at 119, sophomore Jordan Dyer at 189, and senior Chris Kargel at heavyweight each took fourth place.

Hatch pinned Theush of Lansing Everett in :37 and Fountain of Haslett in 1:12. In the semi-finals he lost to Spiess of Ovid-Elsie, 7-4, and in the consolation finals lost to Young of Brighton, 10-0.

Alber led off with a pin of Reed of Flint Beecher in :28, and followed with an 8-6 over-time victory over Brown of Midland. In the semi-finals, he lost to Dias of DeWitt, 10-0, then lost a 10-6 decision to Emmons of Allegan in the consolation finals.

Dyer started with a pin of Suderman of Midland in 1:26. He went on to beat Hosteller of Haslett, 11-7, before losing to Soden of Pinconning, 15-1 in the semi-finals. In the consolation finals, he was pinned by Wellman of Fowlerville in 3:45.

Kargel, wrestling for the first time at heavyweight, gave up nearly 90 pounds in a couple of matches. He beat number two seeded Washburn of



RYAN LUDWIG wrestling at 135 lbs., defeated his Allegan opponent by a pin at 3:12 in a preliminary match at the Haslett Invitational Saturday. Ryan was ultimately defeated in the championship round by Brandon Chapman from New Lathrop.

Midland, 4-2, then lost to Jim Paginer of Pinconning, 6-1, and Tyle of Fowlerville, 5-3.



MICHAEL MERKEL, center, was chosen "Knight of the Year" by Chelsea Knights of Columbus Council 3092 at their annual Grand Knight's Recognition Night Saturday, Dec. 4. Making the award were District Director Dale Schaedig of Dexter, left, and Chelsea Grand Knight Joe Yekulis.



*K.C. AUXILIARY members presented a check for \$1,000 to Council No. 3092 to help them with their 1994 programs. Representing the Auxiliary were, from left, vice-



FAMILY OF THE YEAR, Deborah and Daniel O'Connor, center, were chosen at the Grand Knight's Recognition Night Saturday, Dec. 4. Shown with the honored couple are District Director Dale Schaedig, of Dexter, left, and Chelsea Grand Knight Joe Yekulis.

K. of C. Holds Recognition Night

Chelsea Knights of Columbus Council No. 3092 held their annual Grand Knight's Recognition Night on Saturday, Dec. 4. During the event, approximately 100 Certificates of Appreciation were awarded to members of the Council for their charitable works throughout the year. Most significantly, Michael Merkel was chosen as the Council's Knight of the Year, and Daniel and Deborah O'Connor were selected as the Knight's Family of the Year.

Following the awards presentations, the Chelsea K. of C. Auxiliary donated \$1,000 to the Council to assist them with their upcoming needs in 1994.

Walter and Helen Leonard of The Chelsea Standard were also recognized for their assistance to the Knights of Columbus and the Chelsea Community during the 1993 calendar year.

7th Grade Cagers Defeat Saline, Dexter Last Week

Chelsea 7th grade basketball team defeated Saline 39-25 on Monday, Dec. 6 as Chelsea played their best game of the year. Chelsea's defense shut out Saline in the first quarter and only allowed 6 points in the first half. Meanwhile, Chelsea shot 50%, 16-33 from the field and 7-11 from the foul line, both season bests.

Rebounding: Sam Compton 6, Mike Holloway 5, Marc Helms 3, Anthony Arnold and Vince Scheffler, 2 each.

Steals: Aaron Ruhlig, Drew Henson and Holloway, 2 each.

Assists: Scheffler 3, Compton and Skelton, 2 each.

Scoring: Helms 8, Ryan Cook 6, Skelton and Compton 5 each, Ruhlig and Holloway, 4 each; Arnold, Matt Knight and Dan Seward 2 each. Henson 1.

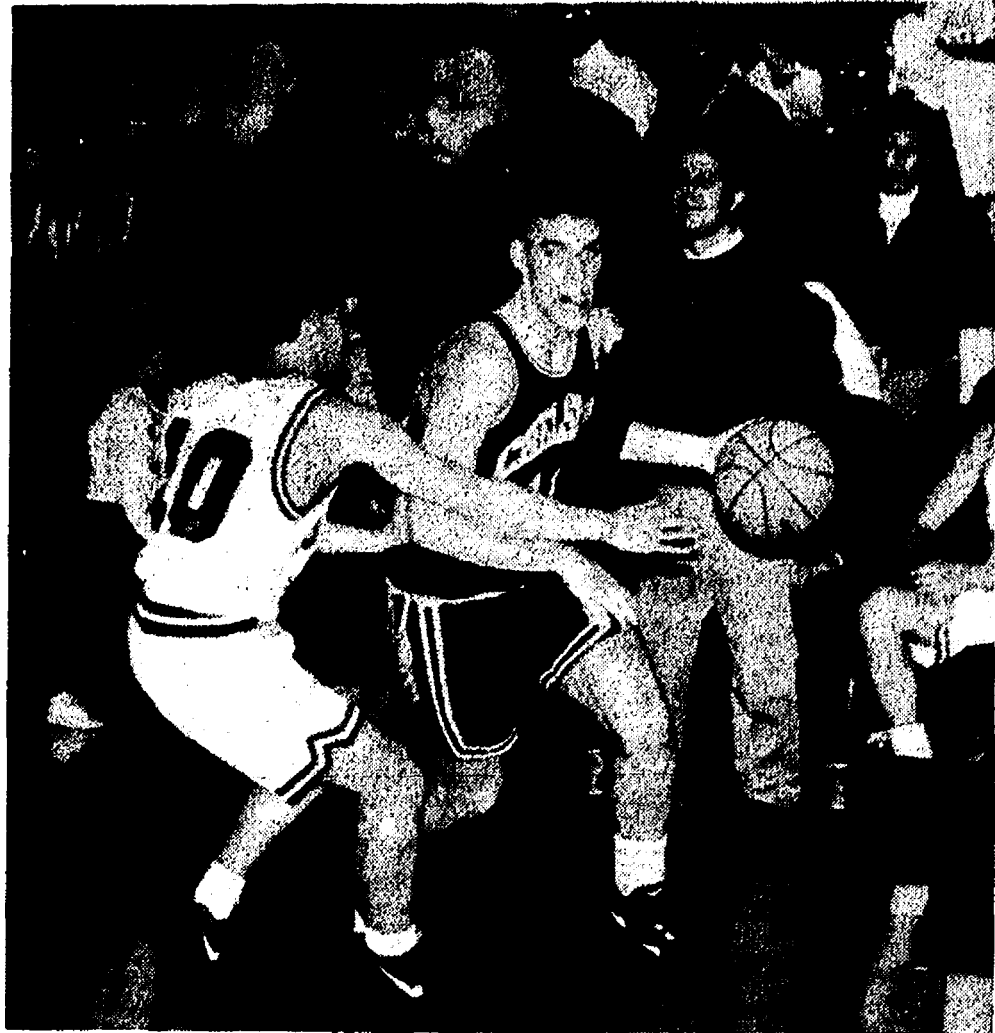
Chelsea defeated Dexter 37-28 to improve their record to 7 wins 1 loss. Chelsea did not play well. Just good enough to win on Thursday.

Rebounding: Helms 9, Compton 8, Skelton 4, Henson 3.

Steals: Helms 3, Henson 2.

Assists: Knight 3, Cook 2.

Scoring: Compton 12, Helms 7, Skelton 6, Henson 5, Scheffler 3, Knight 2, Seward 2.



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Frosh Cagers Defeat Webberville

Chelsea Bulldogs freshman basketball team beat Webberville at home last Monday, 44-30, to open the season.

Chelsea controlled the game in the second half after leading 16-13 at intermission.

Bulldog scorers included Nathan Butler 8, Lance Ching 6, Casey Wescott 6, Paul Bragalone 5, Jake Walker 5, Justin Strong 4, Tim Lawrence 4, Jay Schick 3, John Beeman 2, and Dusty White 1.

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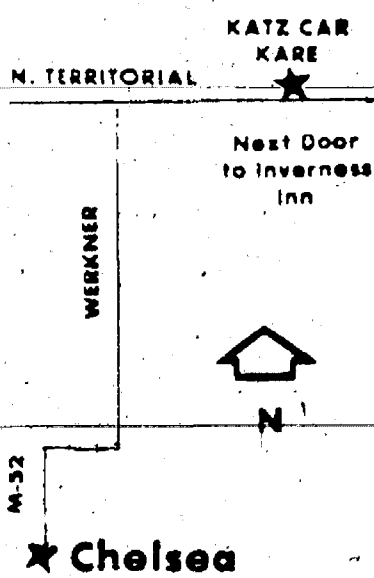
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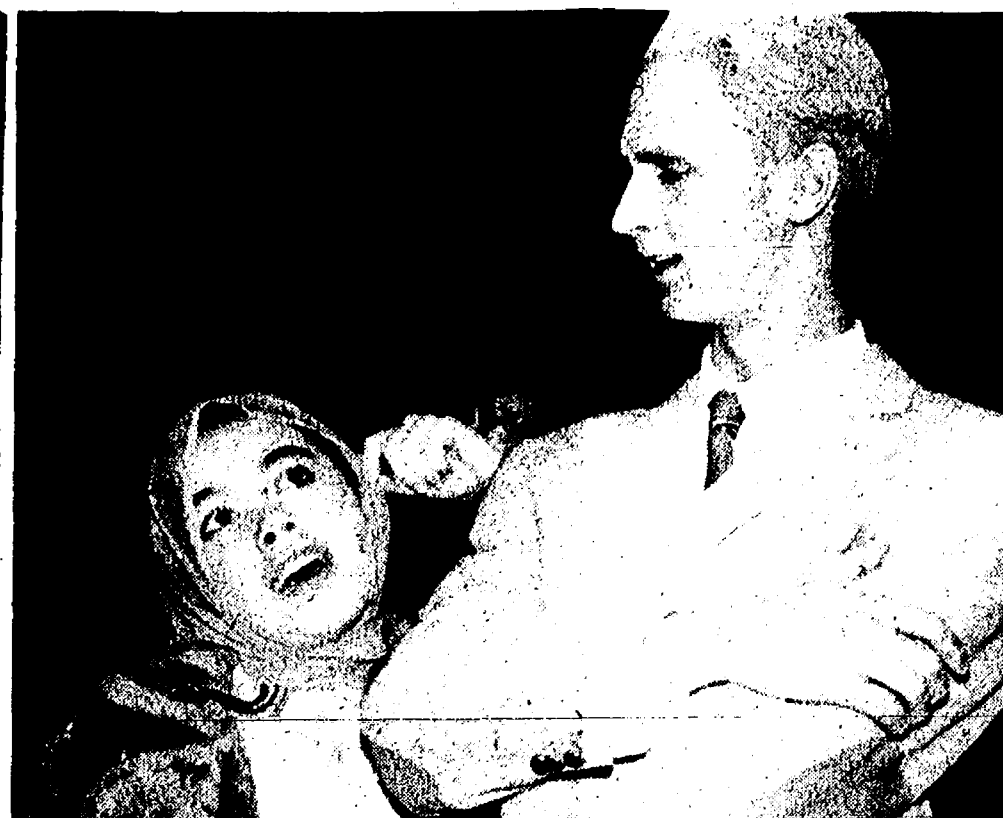


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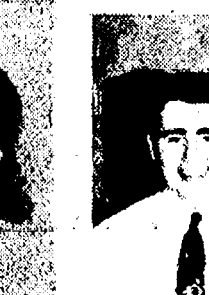
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Sunday, Dec. 19—
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Everybody's Science

★ Gene Switch Turns Off Hungry Hornworms

By Jim De Quattro

For a backyard tomato gardener, one of the most fearful summer-time sights is a hornworm caterpillar methodically stripping leaves from beloved plants.

In the future, though, commercial as well as backyard tomatoes could get relief—from Ann Smigocki's new switch for a plant gene. When tomato hornworms started munching leaves on her experimental tobacco plants, the new switch in the plant's cells turned on a hormone called cytokinin.

Leaf cells cranked cytokinin to levels 70 times above normal. Hornworms feeding on the leaves grew to about half normal size—going on a near-starvation diet.

Normally, hornworms caterpillars—bright green with a red, swordlike horn—grow as long as three inches and attack many crops. "A big, ravenous hornworm can eat every leaf on a tomato stem in a single day," says Smigocki. She's a molecular biologist with the Agricultural Research Service, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's chief scientific agency.

Smigocki doesn't yet know why the hornworms ate so little of her test tobacco plants. She's awaiting results of similar tests with tomatoes in ARS's Plant Molecular Biology Laboratory in Beltsville, Md.

What is known about cytokinin is that it influences more than 200 plant genes and helps co-ordinate the plant's natural pest defenses. That is, the test plants overproduce the pest-inhibiting hormone only when, and primarily where, pests are trying to chow down.

She says rebuilt cytokinin genes might frustrate other insects that dine on tomatoes or on other crops such as soybeans and sugarbeets. To find out, however, "we must learn much more about the molecular mechanisms of cytokinin's action," she adds.

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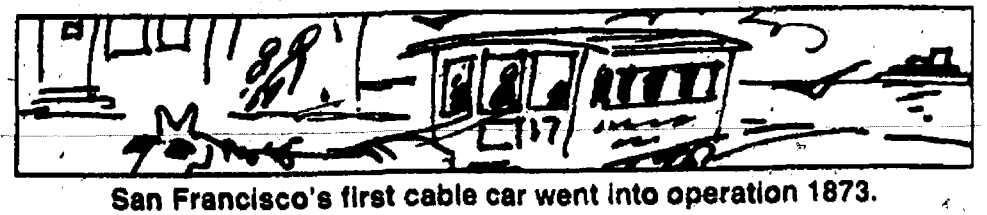
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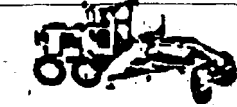
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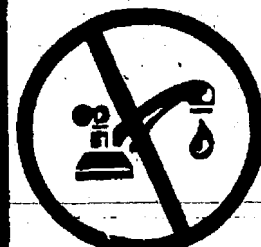
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**★ What You Should Know
About Your Property Taxes**

Are you paying more than your fair share of property taxes? The Michigan Association of CPAs recommends that you take the time to periodically review your property taxes and, if necessary, appeal assessments that you think are out of line. The end result could be tax savings for years to come.

How properties are assessed

Your property tax represents the assessed value of your home multiplied by the local tax rate. The tax rate is set by law and can't be changed on the basis of an individual complaint. However, you may be able to lower your property tax by questioning the amount of your property assessment.

The assessed value of your home is equal to its fair market value—what the property would sell for—as determined by a municipal assessor, multiplied by its assessment ratio—the percentage of fair market value subject to tax. In most places, assessors will consider sale prices of recent properties in determining the market value of your home.

Localities also use different assessment ratios in computing property tax rates, so you need to find out how assessments are made in your community. Michigan uses 50 percent of the fair market value of your home in calculating your property tax. Other areas may use a different fraction of the market value in doing the calculation.

Don't forget that your property taxes cover local services, such as the costs for operating schools and libraries. In some instances, increased property taxes may not result from an increase in market value of your home, but rather from increased costs of operating local services.

Potential for errors

The sheer amount of information needed to compute your property tax creates the potential for errors. There may be a simple mathematical error, property values may have declined in your area, or the assessor may have based his computation on incorrect information about your home.

How do you know if the assessor has accurate information about your home? Go to your local assessor's office and obtain your property report card. If you discover an error on your property report card, you may have a case for appealing your property tax.

Also, be aware that you may be entitled to special exemptions, which should be reflected in your property tax calculations. For example, in some communities, veterans, elderly or blind people, and people with low incomes may be entitled to a tax break. In Michigan, the Homestead Property Tax Credit is available when property taxes are over 3½ percent of your household income.

Making an appeal

In making an appeal, it's up to you to prove that your home's assessment is incorrect. If you can show that there is a mathematical error in your property tax calculation or a factual error on your property, such as listing your one-story home as a two-story residence, you may be able to have your assessment lowered in an informal talk with the assessor.

If you can't settle the issue with the assessor, you can appeal your case to the local appeals board, which is typically comprised of three to five local business people. To make your case for a property tax reduction, take along relevant materials such as property maps, photographs of your home and similar ones in the neighborhood, and most importantly, assessment figures on at least three comparable homes as well as sale prices of comparable homes that sold recently. If possible, bring a supporting appraisal from a recent mortgage refinancing or home equity loan application.

If you lose your case or still are not satisfied with your assessment, you can appeal to the state review board which follows a procedure similar to that of the local board. Your last resort is to take your case to tax court. CPAs point out that this is a more costly option that you should consider only if the potential savings are likely to exceed the cost of getting a professional appraisal, giving up your time and hiring the professionals you need to help you win the case.

EDUCATION RESEARCH

Prepared by the National Association of
Secondary School Principals (NASSP), Reston, Va.

★ Combating School Budgets

Reston, Va.—As the economy tightens its stronghold on the jugular that feeds money into our education system, learning suffers. Schools are forced to respond to funding cuts with employee layoffs, a smaller selection of books and other curriculum materials, a decrease or elimination of co-curricular programs, like sports and student leadership clubs, and other services which ultimately have a negative impact on the nation. Parental involvement in the schools is more important than ever.

"In tough financial times, parents need to know that cuts in any type of service in the school will mean a cut in the potential success of students," said Donald D. Galtney, principal, West Warwick High School, R.I. "Parental involvement is now an even stronger determinant of school success."

There's an entire generation waiting to benefit from adult involvement. Start by taking an interest in your own offspring's education by asking about school, checking homework, and communicating with the teacher. Then contact your local school or join your local parent-teacher association for suggestions on how you can make a difference. Other ideas include:

- Volunteer your skills. You are probably more talented than you imagine. Consider tutoring, typing, computer installation and troubleshooting, foreign language instruction, coaching, music, drama, or remedial reading.
- Participate in school fund-raising activities.
- Offer state of the art information and work materials from your business or organization.

- Would your business or place of employment provide a unique educational opportunity? Offer guided tours and provide handouts and career information.
- Help organize a career day at school.

- Offer to help chaperone a field trip or dance. Volunteer to run a fund-raising concession stand at a sporting event. Some schools in Fairfax county, Va., have parent volunteers come in to monitor lunchrooms on Fridays to give teachers extra time to prepare lesson plans.
- Offer to donate books or periodicals to the school library.

- Talk to friends, neighbors, and co-workers about education issues. Even if they don't have kids in school, they may still want to get involved.
- Encourage groups and organizations to donate time and money for education.

- Attend open school and town meetings. Voice your opinions and encourage everyone to play a role in enhancing education.
- Write, call, or fax your local, state, and federal political representatives. Let them know how you feel about education in your community—both the positives and negatives. Tell them how important it is to adequately fund the programs that will prepare future generations for the America of tomorrow.

- Meet with your political representatives when they are home to visit the district and voice your concerns about education.
- Start a "telephone tree" of people willing to call their political representatives to ask for favorable votes at critical times.
- Write op-ed articles for your local and state newspapers and other publications regarding education issues of concern in your community.
- Organize and adopt a resolution to work for excellence in education and support adequate funding for education. The "Campaign for New Priorities," a Washington, D.C. organization, can help get you started. Call 1-800-92-ACTION.

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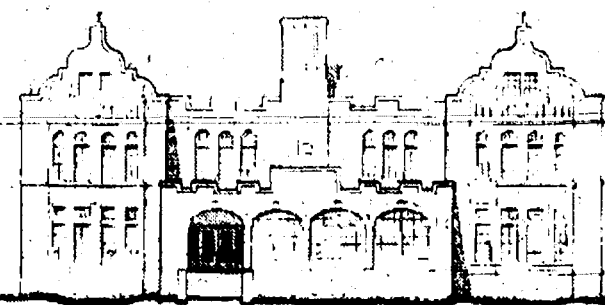


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American Red Cross To Hold Local Blood Drive, Dec. 24

Blood donations are being accepted by the Red Cross at St. Mary's Catholic church in Manchester on Friday, Dec. 24 from 9 a.m. to noon.

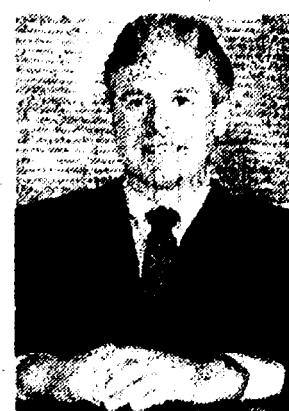
Other local locations include Dexter Knights of Columbus on Dexter-Chelsea Rd. on Wednesday, Dec. 15 from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m., Catherine McAuley Health Center Dec. 16, University of Michigan Medical Center Dec. 20 and Com-Share at the Wolverine Towers Dec. 30.

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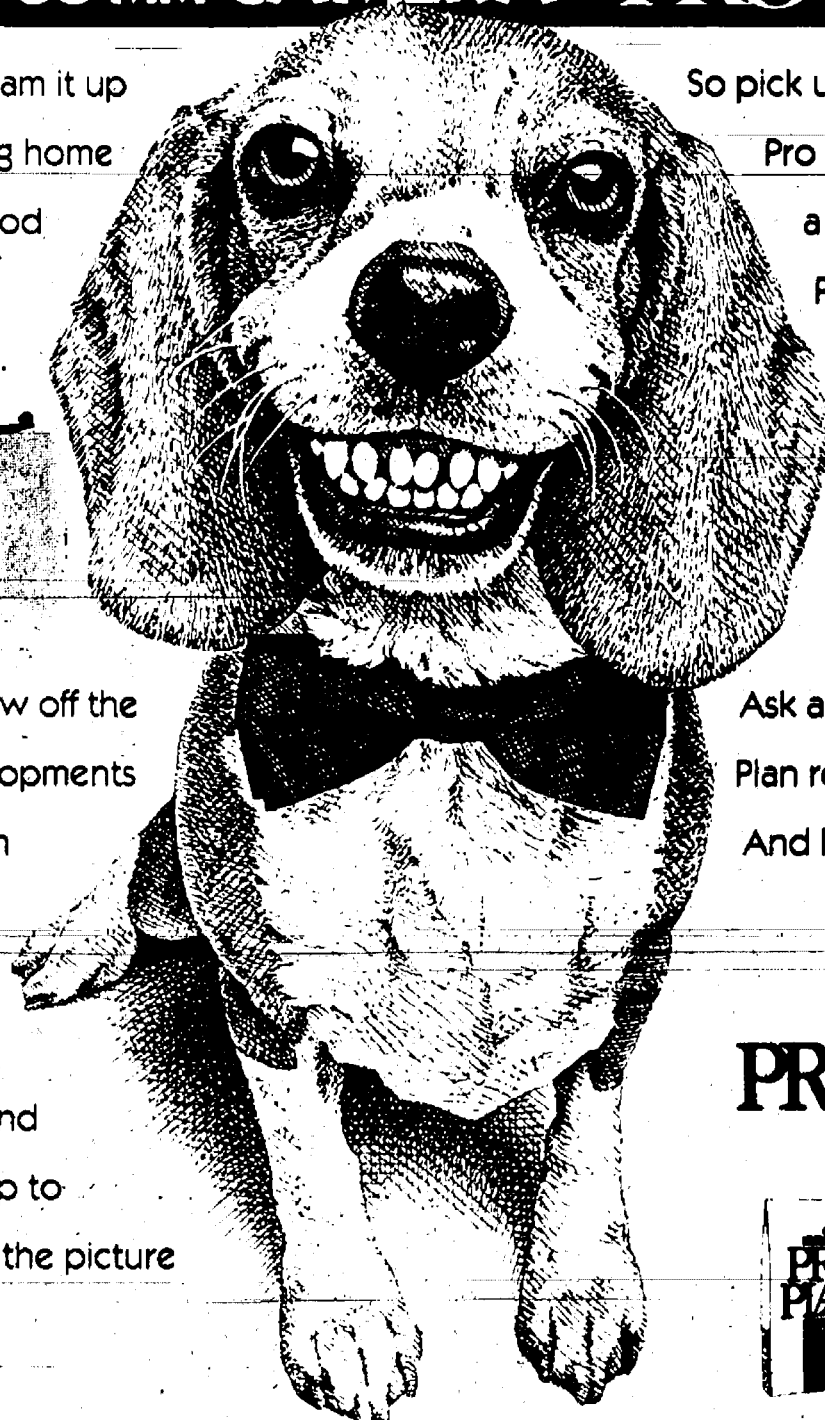
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TB Rates Still Rising

Tuberculosis rates are still on the rise in the U.S. and experts say the 1990 increase was the largest since national reporting on the disease began in 1953.

The American Lung Association expressed concern about the 20,700 TB cases reported in 1990, a jump of 8 percent over the previous year. The Centers for Disease Control, which compiles national TB statistics, showed a large increase in the number of cases of children under five, Blacks, Hispanics and younger adults (age 25-44).

Experts attribute much of the rise to TB occurring in persons with the AIDS (HIV) virus. Other causes include increased immigration from high-prevalence countries and transmissions in institutional settings such as schools, hospitals, homeless shelters, correctional facilities and nursing homes.

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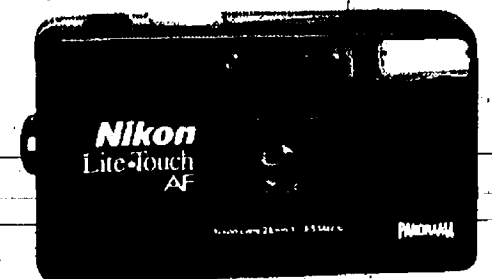
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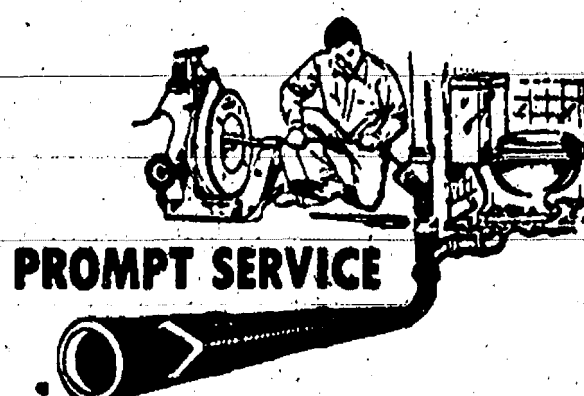
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THANK YOU As arrangements co-chair for this year's 6th annual Chelsea CROP Walk, I want to send out belated thanks to all those who helped set up the best attended walk so far: my co-chair John Maynard, Larry Weidmayer and Dia-Vale (the sign crew) and the other volunteers—Dick and Nadine Shaneyfelt, Jerry and Georgia Meyer, Donald & Diane and Lisa Locklear, Wendy Broshier, Jan Roberts, Laurie Hamm, Ethel Haist, Kathy Sporer, Esther Nicoll, and of course Rev. Mark Weirauch. Very special thanks for the refreshments over the last 6 years to Chelsea McDonald's and Lesser Farms, and to Chelsea Lumber and Reuben Lesser for their support. God bless you all. Steve Worden.

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Legal Notice 21

MORTGAGE SALE—Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Real Estate Mortgage made by HOLLOWAY CONSTRUCTION CO. d/b/a Holloway Construction Company, Inc., a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, to Michigan National Bank, Mortgages, dated August 8, 1990, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on August 13, 1990, in Liber 222, Page 468, Washtenaw County Records, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of \$15,683,472.85.

A suit was initiated, at law, to recover the debt secured by the Mortgage (Oakland County Circuit Court Case No. 91-00362PD); a judgment was entered therein on June 8th, 1992; and execution of that judgment has been returned unsatisfied in whole or in part. 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 Thursday, the 23rd of December, 1993, at 10:00 a.m. Local Time, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, in the main lobby of the Washtenaw County Courthouse, Huron Street entrance, 101 East Huron, in the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held), of the premises described in said Mortgage, with the rate of interest on the principal amount thereof at eight and one-tenth (8.00%) percent per annum, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorneys' fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by Michigan National Bank necessary to protect its interest in the premises, which said premises are described as follows:

Land situated in the Township of Salem, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit:

EXHIBIT "A"

Legal Description
Premises situated in the Township of Salem, Washtenaw County, Michigan, to-wit:
Parcel I: The West 1/2 of the West 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 35, Town 1 South, Range 7 East, Salem Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan except the North 235 feet thereof; and
Parcel II: That part of the East 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 34, Town 1 South, Range 7 East, Salem Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, except land described as: The North 235 feet of the East 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of said Section 34, except the Westerly 150 feet thereof; as conveyed to Detroit Edison Company in instrument recorded in Liber 686, Page 198, Washtenaw County Records; lying Southeast of an arc (being the Northwest boundary of the limited access right-of-way of the Eastbound Roadway of M-14) 288 feet Northwest of and parallel to the centerline of the Eastbound Roadway of M-14.

Also Except Committed to the Southeast corner of Section 34; thence Westerly 752.41 feet on the South line of Section to point of beginning; thence deflecting 90 degrees right 80 feet; thence deflecting 90 degrees left 400 feet; thence deflecting 90 degrees right 10 feet; thence deflecting 90 degrees left to west line of East 1/2 of Section; thence Southerly on said West line of South line of Section; thence Easterly on South line of Section to point of beginning, part of Southeast 1/4 Section 34, Town 1 South, Range 7 East, 34.49 acres more or less, being a total of 90.83 acres more or less.

Also Except Land Conveyed to the Michigan State Highway Department described as follows:
A strip of land 418 feet wide extending 150 feet Southeast and 288 feet Northwest from the centerline of Eastbound Roadway over and across Tract "A". Together with all rights of ingress and egress, if any there be, to, from and between the highway to be constructed on the lands above described and the remainder of Tract "A". Also that part of Tract "A" lying South of a line beginning 152.41 feet South 87 degrees 52'59" West along Section line from Southeast corner of Section 34, Town 1 South, Range 7 East; thence North 2 degrees 07'01" West 80 feet; thence South 87 degrees 52'59" West 400 feet to beginning of limited access right-of-way; thence along limited access right-of-way North 2 degrees 07'01" West 40 feet; thence South 87 degrees 52'59" West along limited access right-of-way 528 feet more or less to limited access right-of-way of M-14 and a point of ending, together with all rights of ingress and egress, if any there be, over and across the above described limited access right-of-way line to the remainder of Tract "A".

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale.
Dated: November 17, 1993.
JAFEE, RAUT, HEUER & WEISS, P.C.
By: Larry K. Griffith, Esq.
Attorneys for Mortgagee
Suite 2400
One Woodward Avenue
Detroit, Michigan 48226

Nov. 17-24-Dec. 1-8-15

MORTGAGE SALE—Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT, INC., a Michigan corporation, to STANDARD FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, now known as STANDARD FEDERAL BANK, a federal savings bank, of Troy, Oakland County, Michigan, Mortgagee, dated May 29, 1973, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on May 31, 1973, in Liber 1440, on Page 576, of Washtenaw County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Two Hundred Seventeen Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety-Six and 51/100 Dollars (\$217,796.51).

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 Thursday, December 23, 1993, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, local time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, in the main lobby of the Washtenaw County Courthouse, Huron Street entrance, in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, 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 Eight and Three-Quarters percent (8.75%) 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, which said premises are described as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, and described as follows:
Lot 7, RESEARCH PARK, a subdivision of part of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 9, Town 3 South, Range 7 East, City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 15 of Plats, Pages 56 and 57, Washtenaw County Records.

During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed, except that in the event that the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA 600.3241a, the property may be redeemed during the 30 days immediately following the sale.

Dated at Troy, Michigan, November 30, 1993.
STANDARD FEDERAL BANK,
a federal savings bank,
Mortgagee

RONALD J. PALMER
Attorney for Mortgagee
2800 West Big Beaver Road
Troy, Michigan 48064

Nov. 17-24-Dec. 1-8-15

Legal Notice 21

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land herein described:
TAKE NOTICE: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deed or deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service and/or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without other additional cost or charge. If payment as described in this notice is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of the land: State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw.
Township of Webster, Town 1 South, Range 5 East, Sections 18 & 19, Corn at intersection of cent line of N Territorial Rd with E line of W 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Sec 18, th W 1/2 of 400 ft in cent line for a Pl of Beg, th S 435.6 ft, th W 1/2 200 ft, th N 435.6 ft, th E 1/2 200 ft in cent of Hwy to Pl of Beg, being a part of W 1/2 of Sec 18 and a part of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Sec 19, 2.00 AC.
08-18-300-014

THIS IS AN IMPROVED RESIDENTIAL PARCEL whose address is: 8333 North Territorial Road, Dexter, Michigan.

Amount Paid: \$2,272.70 Deed #310
Amount Due: \$3,414.05 PLUS SHERIFF AND PUBLICATION FEES
Tax for the year 1989

TO: Linda McKillen, Earl E. Milliken, Sr., Michigan Employment Security Commission, Internal Revenue Service, Frank Dragovic, Lynn Dragovic, unknown, unascertained, undeclared, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, and the occupants of 8333 North Territorial Road, Dexter, Michigan, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land above described according to Washtenaw County records.

Signed: John Jarvis
P.O. Box 276
Mason, MI 48854

Dec. 1-8-15-22

Sylvan Township Board Proceedings

Regular Meeting

December 7, 1993

The regular board meeting of the Sylvan Township Board was held December 7, 1993 at 7 p.m. in the Sylvan Township Hall, 112 W. Middle Street, Chelsea, MI 48118.

The following board members were present, Supervisor Dresselhouse, Clerk Koch, Treasurer Pearsall, Trustee Heller and Trustee Lesser.

Also present were: Charles Burgess, Brian Koch, Ron and Larry Nix and Donald Ciglio.

Minutes were approved as presented.

Motion by Pearsall, supported by Lesser, to pay bills as presented. Carried.

Brian Koch addressed the Board in regards to the recommendation from the Planning Commission for a driveway ordinance to require if a driveway should be constructed before zoning permits are issued. Supervisor Dresselhouse reported that the Planning Commission decided that since Certificate of Occupancy's would be required by Zoning Inspector the need prior to issuance will not be required.

Larry and Ron Nix were present in regards to a bill Ron received for Fire/Rescue services. Nix expressed that no services were needed or did they request the Fire Rescue to respond. Dresselhouse explained the Ordinance and will look into this situation.

Zoning Inspector Burgess reported 7 zoning permits, one Land Division Application, 5 waivers and 4 violation were issued in November.

Supervisor Dresselhouse reported that Doan Construction will present new plans for a batch plant on Old US-12 in the near future. The Recycle Authority is proposing to build a new building. They are in need of more room. When actual plans and figures are finalized they will be presented to the Board for action. The Village of Chelsea is going ahead with plans to build a transfer station at the Landfill location. More details will be available at a later date. The Board of Review has a December 14 date set by State Law for errors and omissions. Notice will follow for time on the Sylvan Township Bulletin Board outside the Township Hall. Elizabeth Way which was developed by Joann Carruthers is now completed with the exception of recording of a drainage easement. Motion by Lesser, supported by Heller, to accept Elizabeth Way contingent on the recording of the easement and then the Township will release bond. Carried. The Township Hall phone system needs upgrading. Dresselhouse proposed to add an additional line, 3 new phones plus installation. Motion by Heller, supported by Lesser, to purchase and install the new phone line and phones. Carried. The MTA Annual Convention will be held January 18-21, 1994. Motion by Lesser, supported by Pearsall to send Supervisor and Clerk to convention. Carried.

Clerk Koch reported need to change the policy of keeping tapes of the meeting for 2 years. MTA recommends 2 months. Motion by Heller, supported by Pearsall, to change policy and keep tapes for 2 months. Carried. Also a letter was received from Alma W. Smith a County Commissioner, in response to the Resolution regarding the Winter Park and Golf Course.

Discussion was held regarding the procedure of a Special Use Permit. As it stands the Planning Commission has final authority in granting Special Use Permits. Motion by Koch, supported by Pearsall, to have the Planning Commission be only an advisory board on Special Uses leaving the final decision to the Township Board. Carried. Attorney Flintoff will write verbiage to send to the Planning Commission for a public hearing.

Motion by Lesser, supported by Heller, to adjourn.

LuAnn S. Koch, Clerk.

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NOTICE

TO VILLAGE OF CHELSEA RESIDENTS

Please make note that the Chelsea Village Offices will be closed Friday, December 24 and Monday, December 27, 1993 in observance of the Christmas Holiday.

The Chelsea Solid Waste Facility (landfill) will be open Tuesday and Thursday, December 21 and 23, 1993 and Tuesday and Thursday, December 28th and 30th. The hours of operation on Tuesday, December 21 and December 28 will be from 12 noon to 4:30 p.m. and on Thursday, December 23 and 30th from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING

MONDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1993

7:30 p.m.

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP HALL
112 W. Middle St., Chelsea, MI 48118

AGENDA:

To replace a single family structure removed from property and rebuild to the dimensions on original plans submitted with the only change being a single level roof instead of bi-level at 10' Cavanaugh Lake Road, Chelsea, MI.

Written comments may be sent to Brian Koch, secretary, Zoning Board of Appeals, 2750 S. M-52, Chelsea, MI 48118.

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

LuAnn S. Koch, Clerk

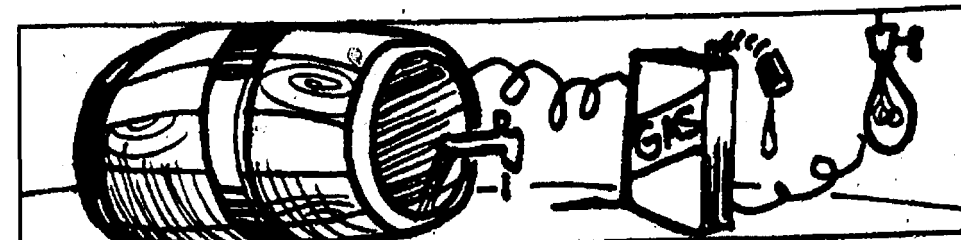
DEXTER TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

Dexter Township is seeking residents of the Township who are interested in serving on the

- ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
- SIGN COMMISSION
- DEXTER DISTRICT LIBRARY BOARD

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Lima Township Planning Commission will not hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, December 21, 1993.

The next Lima Township Planning Commission meeting will be January 18, 1994 at 8:00 p.m. at the Lima Township Hall, 11542 Jackson Road, Dexter, MI 48130.

NOTICE
Lima Township Taxpayers

Tax Collection Hours:

December—Fridays 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Saturday—9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Except December 24 and 25, 1993. January and February—Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Evenings and other days by appointment.

Payments may be made by mail.

Receipt will be returned.

All dog licenses must be paid to Lima Township by March 1, 1994 to avoid a \$10 penalty. Dog license is \$10. With proof of spaying or neutering \$5. (Dog license for blind or deaf citizens, no charge. Senior citizens 65 or older \$5.)

Unexpired rabies vaccination must be presented in order to obtain a dog license.

BETTY T. MESSMAN

Lima Township Treasurer

13610 Sager Road Phone 475-8483

NOTICE
Lyndon Township Taxpayers

Tax Collection Hours at my home office:

Fridays in December, January and February . . . 11 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Except Fri., Dec. 24, 1993. Open Dec. 23 . . . 11 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Available at Lyndon Township Hall on the below dates:
Saturday . . . Dec. 18, 1993, Feb. 5 & 12, 1994, 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon.

Payments may be made by mail.

Receipt By Request.

Dog License \$10. You must have a valid rabies certificate. With proof of spaying or neutering \$5. Senior Citizens \$5.

GERALDINE REITH

Lyndon Township Treasurer

18238 N. Territorial, Chelsea, MI 48118 Ph. 475-2044

- 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.

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SYLVAN TOWNSHIP TREASURER
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+ AREA DEATHS +

Willard R. Ferry

Port Richey, Fla.
(Formerly of Chelsea)
Willard R. Ferry, of Harrison, age 66, died Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1993 at his home in Port Richey, Fla. He was born April 27, 1927 in Wayne county, the son of Russell and Clara (Colvia) Ferry.

Mr. Ferry lived in Chelsea most of his life prior to 1969 when he moved to Lake Leelanau. He moved to Harrison from there in 1992.

He was a member of the VFW Little Finger Post 7731 and American Legion Post 0199 in Leelanau county. He had his own excavating company until retiring in 1984.

He married Marjorie A. Gilson in Chelsea, on June 19, 1948 and she survives.

Other survivors include his mother of Harrison, a sister, Elaine (Charles) Hafner; two brothers, Gary and Ronald, all of Chelsea, and several nieces and nephews.

Memorial services will be held in Chelsea at a later date and burial will be in Beechwood Cemetery in Leland.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Week of Dec. 15- Dec. 17
Wednesday, Dec. 15-Burrito with chili, hash brown patty, tossed salad with dressing, crushed pineapple, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 16-Submarine sandwich, potato chips, vegetables sticks, fresh fruit, milk.

Friday, Dec. 17-Oven fried chicken, whipped potatoes with gravy, green beans, dinner roll with butter, dessert, candy cane, milk.

Richard C. Ryan

Dexter Township
Richard C. Ryan of Dexter township, age 61, died Thursday, Dec. 9, 1993 at his home. He was born Jan. 5, 1932 in Cleveland, O., the son of Ralph and Ethelyn (Walker) Ryan. He grew up in Cleveland, O. and Clarence, N.Y. He graduated from Goshen College, Goshen, Ind., in 1954 and on Sept. 6, 1954 married Virginia Brenneman in Johnson county, Ia.

In 1958 they moved to Whitmore Lake and he attended graduate school at the University of Michigan. They lived in the Silver Lake area since 1968. Dick was a science teacher for the Ann Arbor Public Schools. He enjoyed the outdoors and nature. In the summers of 1990 and 1991, he walked the entire Appalachian Trail from Georgia to Maine.

Dick is survived by his wife, Virginia Ryan of Dexter township; son, Carl (Linda) Ryan of Ann Arbor; three sisters, Patricia (Don) Paulsell of Chelsea, Jane (Julian) Gomez of Willowick, O., and Ruth Gordon of Lakewood, O.; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents.

One of his joys was to walk with the Methodists at Hudson Mills Metro Park.

A memorial service was held Saturday, Dec. 11, at the Dexter United Methodist church. The Rev. William Donahue and the Rev. Daniel Slabaugh officiated.

Memorials may be given to the Arbor Hospice, 3810 Packard Rd., Suite 200, Ann Arbor 48108 or the Appalachian Trail Conference, P.O. Box 807, Harpers Ferry, W.Va. 25425-0807. Arrangements were by Hosmer-Muehlberg Funeral Chapel, Dexter.

Sylvia J. Hamer

Chelsea
(Formerly of Ann Arbor)
Sylvia J. Hamer of Chelsea, formerly of Ann Arbor, age 93, died Saturday, Dec. 11, 1993 at Chelsea Retirement Community. She was born July 9, 1900 in Peck, the daughter of Melvin and Myrtle (Hilker) Cole. In 1927 she married Ellsworth G. Hamer and he preceded her in death on Jan. 28, 1985.

Following a professional career in ballet, Mrs. Hamer established Sylvia Studio of Dance in 1932 which continues to be directed by her granddaughter, Lee Ann King. She created the first regional civic ballet company in Michigan, the Ann Arbor Civic Ballet, and served as its director until her retirement. She was a fellow of the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dance of England and a charter member of the Cecchetti Council of America, an organization dedicated to improving the quality of instruction of dance teachers.

Mrs. Hamer was a member of the First United Methodist church of Ann Arbor and a charter member of the Women's City Club.

Survivors include one son, Jay B. (Wanda) King of Manchester; a stepson, Austin (Ina) Hamer of Washington State; three grandchildren, JoAnn (Monty) Okey of Manchester, John King of Ypsilanti and Lee Ann King of Manchester; seven great-grandchildren, Ryan Shankland, Jennifer, Jeni, Jon, Ben, Katie, and Elizabeth Okey; one sister, Doris (Bob) Wheeler of St. Clair.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Ardis Mae Wendling, three brothers and two sisters.

Cremation has taken place. A memorial service will be held 5 p.m. Friday, Dec. 17, at First United Methodist church, Ann Arbor, with the Rev. Russell L. Smith officiating. Memorial tributes may be made to the Sylvia Hamer Scholarship Fund -Ann Arbor Civic Ballet or First United Methodist church. Arrangements were by Muehlberg Chapel.

Nature Events Stated At Area Metroparks

"River Woods Exploring," a two-hour romp through this seldom-visited forest in the floodplain west of the Huron River, will begin at the Hudson Mills Golf Course located on Dexter-Pinckney Rd., just north of Dexter, on Sunday, Dec. 19 at 1 p.m. Wear waterproof boots. Pre-registration required. For more information/registration contact Hudson Mills Metropark at (313) 426-8211 or 1-800-47-PARKS.

"Forest Foray," a naturalist-led walk exploring the forests of Kensington, will be held at the Nature Center of Kensington Metropark near Milford/Brighton on Sunday, Dec. 19 at 2 p.m. For more information/registration contact Kensington Nature Center at (313) 685-0603 or 1-800-47-PARKS.

Advance registration and a vehicle entry permit are required: (Annual: \$15 regular/\$8 Senior Citizens or Daily: \$3 week-ends and holidays, \$2 week-days except Tuesday, which are free entry days). For more information/registration, contact the Huron-Clinton Metroparks, phone 1-800-47-PARKS.



THE TWO CONFLICTING ATTORNEYS, Rob Frost (Mr. Meyers, Q.C.) and Dave Seitz (Sir Wilfred Roberts, Q.C.) engage in a heated debate over their respective clients in "Witness for the Prosecution."

Births

A daughter, Stephanie Diane Dec. 9 to JoAnne and Paul Brennan of Detroit. Paternal grandparents are Don and Pat Brennan of Detroit. Maternal grandparents are Tom and Diane Killelea of Chelsea. Maternal great-grandmother is Genevieve Mallace of Chelsea.

A son, Alexander Ravindranath, Nov. 23, at U. of M. Women's Hospital, Ann Arbor, to Ravindranath and Bonnie (Price) Desai. Paternal grandparents are Shiva and the late Marlene Desai of Swartz Creek. Maternal grandparents are Lowell and Bettie Price of Flint.

A daughter, Alexandra-Marika, Nov. 27 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor, to Chris and Cyndi Kussurelis of Ypsilanti. Maternal grandparents are Tony and Shirley Bowen of Chelsea. Paternal grandparents are Peter and Zorene Kussurelis of Ann Arbor. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Krichbaum of Servio, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. George Bowen of Belmont, N.C. Alexandra's sister is Jessica, 23 months.

A daughter, Hollin Nicole, Oct. 18, at Nacogdoches Medical Center, Nacogdoches, Tex., to Clayton and Connie Haley of Center, Tex. Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Curtis Haley of San Augustine, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. W. James Dault of Grass Lake.

A son, Jack Duncan, Nov. 29, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor, to Mark and Shelly McDougall of Chelsea.

Despite recent controversy over the safety of beef processing practices, the Center for Disease Control reports that only 3 percent of the food-borne illnesses it investigates are the result of food contaminated by the manufacturer. The remaining 97 percent are the result of food mishandling and cross contamination by food preparers, handlers and consumers.

John Wagner Accepts Position in Phoenix

John Wagner, son of Katherine A. Wagner and the late Fredrick J. Wagner of Chelsea, was recently named Regional Marketing Director for the Avesis Corp., a national dental, vision and hearing plan based in Phoenix, Ariz.

Wagner will start this position in January of 1994 and will be in charge

of advertising, marketing and sales planning for the organization. He was recently the managing partner for the Wagner-Kleinschmidt Insurance Agency in Chelsea.

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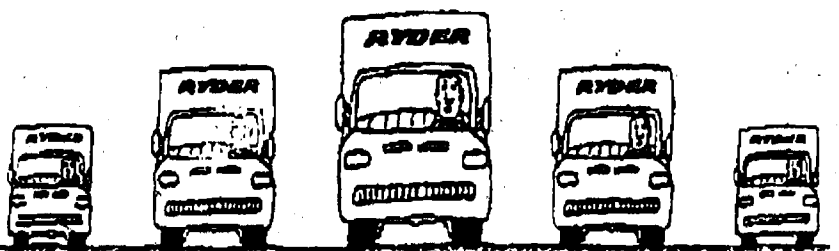
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TOYS FOR TOTS program, sponsored locally by Palmer Ford-Mercury, received a hefty boost in Christmas gifts this week when four classes of third graders arrived Monday bearing gifts. Above class of third graders from North school taught by Mrs. Sherri Plank stopped by the Chelsea Depot on the way to present

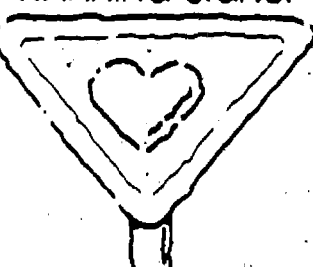
their gifts. The depot was a part of the class' study of Chelsea history in their social studies. Included in the tour, in addition to the historic depot and Chelsea Museum were stops to view the Rose Round windows in the Congregational and Methodist churches. Five additional third grade classes made the tour Tuesday.

Dial-A-Garden Topics Listed

The following is a weekly schedule of Dial-A-Garden, the system of pre-recorded daily gardening tips sponsored by the Washtenaw County Cooperative Extension Service. The system is in operation 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Interested persons are invited to call 871-1129 at their convenience to listen to timely, up-to-date gardening information.

Wednesday, Dec. 15—"Christmas Tree Seedlings."
Thursday, Dec. 16—"Salt Injury on Plants."
Friday, Dec. 17—"Winter Checklist."
Monday, Dec. 20—"Plants and Christmas Traditions."
Tuesday, Dec. 21—"Firewood Colors."
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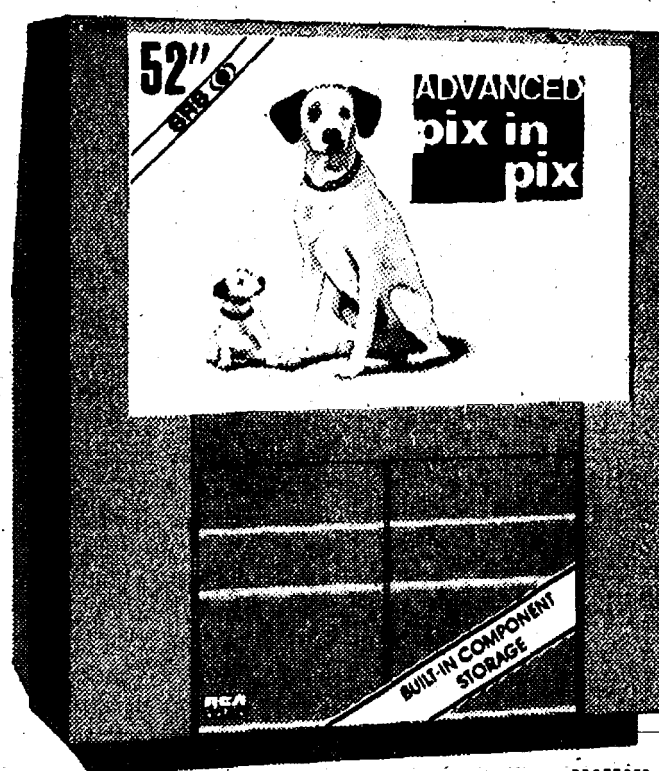
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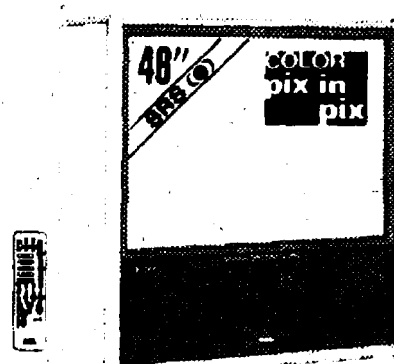
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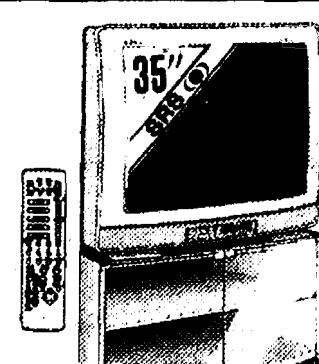


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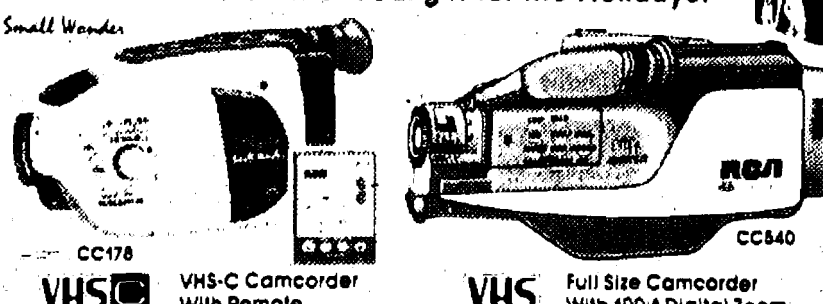
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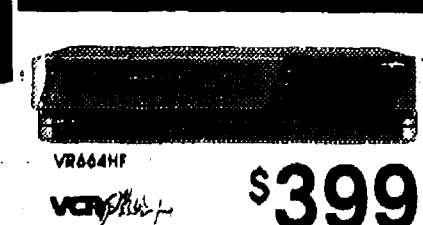
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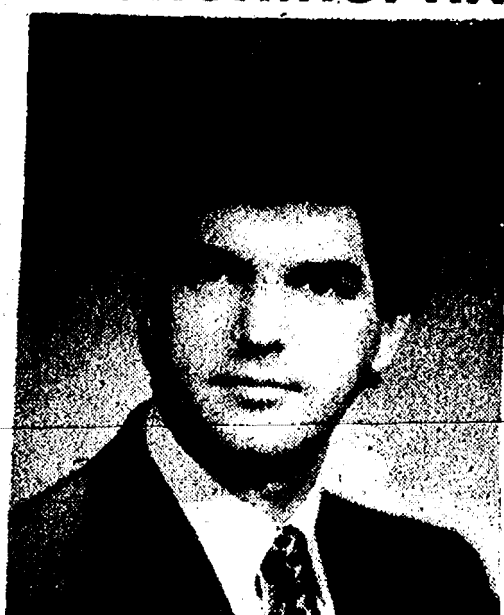
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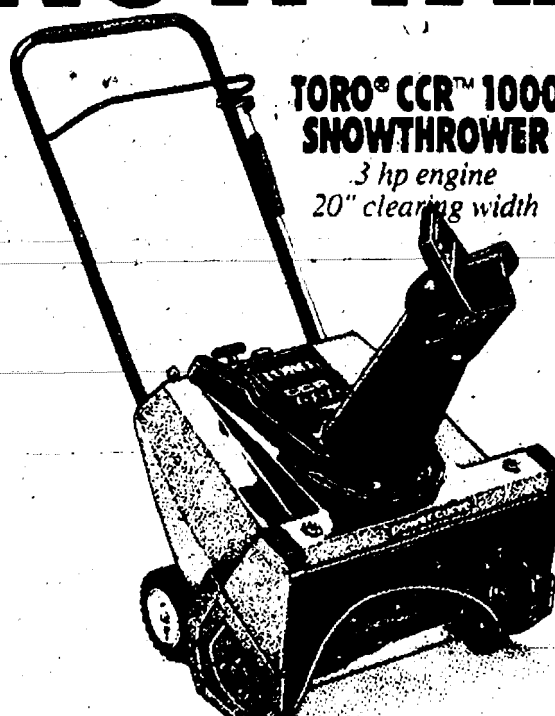
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