



Abatement Considered For Hatch

Hatch Stamping Company has filed two applications with Chelsea Village for Industrial Facilities Tax Exemption Certificates worth more than \$2.98 million over seven years. By law, a public hearing must be held before any abatement can be granted; the hearing is scheduled for the regular meeting of the Chelsea Village Council Tuesday, Feb. 13.

According to Village Manager Jack Myers, the certificates would allow Hatch Stamping to defray 50 percent of personal property tax on two pieces of equipment for seven years.

Hatch Stamping employs 218 area workers at two Chelsea facilities, located at 635 Industrial Dr. and 570 Cleveland St. The company manufactures metal automotive stamping, progressive dyes and automotive assemblies.

The assembly equipment and stamping press will be ready to operate in both facilities within a month. Its purpose is to "increase quality and productivity, so as to retain existing jobs and with the possibility to add more jobs in the future," according to the applications filed by the manufacturer.

Hatch Stamping Corporate Secretary Bruce Travis told the Chelsea Village Council at its Tuesday, Jan. 23 meeting that the new equipment would create 20 new jobs between the two Chelsea facilities.

Petitions Due on Monday

Candidates must turn in petitions by 4 p.m. Monday, Feb. 5 to be eligible for the March 11 village election.

The positions of Chelsea Village Council President, Village Treasurer, three Village Trustee seats and two seats on the McKune Memorial Library Board are open.

Richard Steele has filed a petition for president, Richard Rigg for trustee and Fred Mammel for treasurer.

Frank Hammer, Joe Merkel, Jim Machnik, Charles Ritter, David Frohaska and Yvonne Herron have picked up petitions but had not returned them the village clerk as of press time.



MONTE CARLO NIGHT is one of the highlights of the annual Winter Carnival, scheduled this Friday through Sunday at the American Legion Post Home on Ridge Road at Cavanaugh Lake. From left are card sharks Ken Unterbrink, Pat Merkel, Tom Dyer, Mark Leidner, and Gary Kistka. Unterbrink, Dyer and Kistka are from the Knights of Columbus, one of the sponsors, while Merkel and Leidner represent the American Legion.

Winter Carnival This Weekend

The 23rd annual Cavanaugh Lake Winter Carnival begins Friday, Feb. 2 at 6 p.m., and runs through 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 4.

The Carnival is sponsored by American Legion Post 31, with assistance from the Sons of the American Legion and the Knights of Columbus. Funds raised at the carnival benefit the respective organization's community service programs.

All events are held at Legion Post 31 on Ridge Road. Throughout the weekend the post is open for snowmobiling, cross-country skiing and ice-skating, and refreshments and light lunches are available.

Card sharks of all ability levels are invited to play in a euchre tournament beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Friday.

Card players do not need a partner to enter the tournament, which costs \$5 per person. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winners.

Saturday events begin early, with the kick-off of the Fishing Derby at 7 a.m. The contest costs \$4 before going on the ice and offers prizes in three categories: panfish, perch and pike. Children 12 and under can compete in the Youth Tournament, costing 50 cents and limited to panfish and perch.

Also at 7 a.m., a reasonably priced breakfast, featuring pancakes, eggs, bacon, etc., is available in the lodge.

At 10 a.m. the Chili Cook-Off, sponsored by the Sons of the American Legion, begins

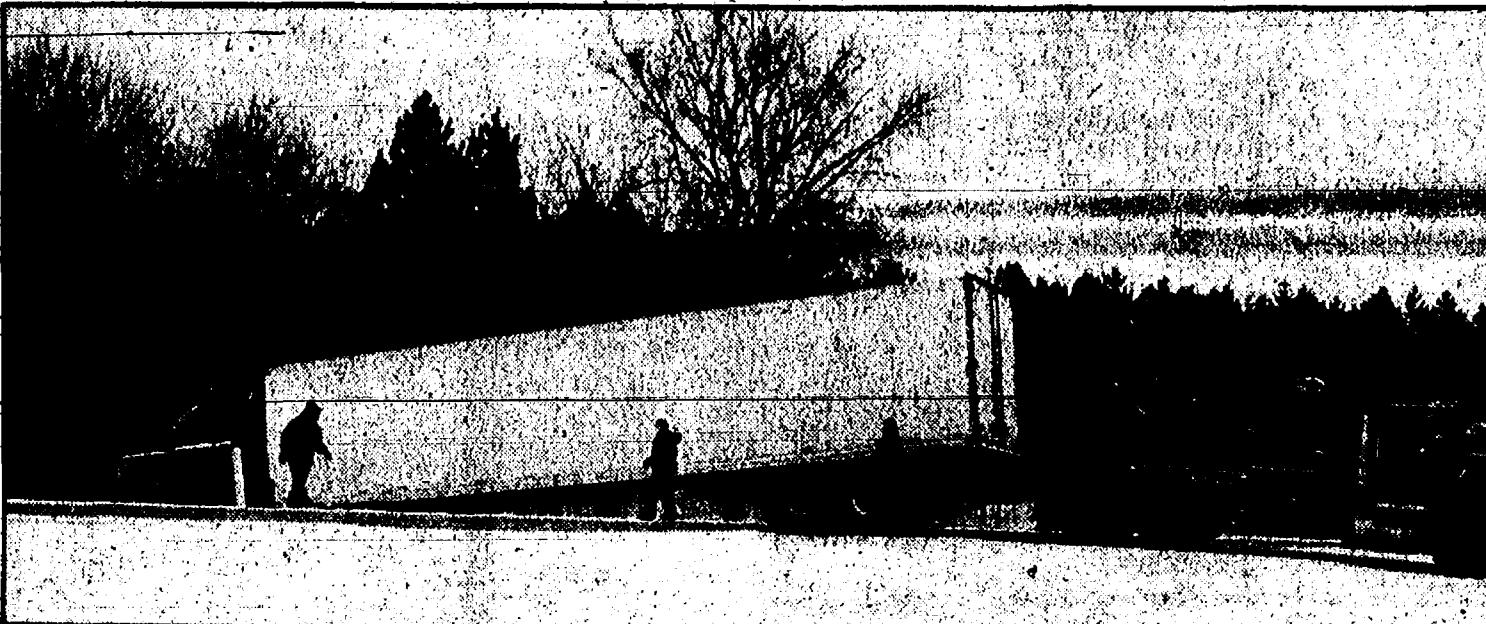
with public tasting and judging at 2 p.m. 25 cents buys a tasting cup.

At 7 p.m. Saturday Legion Post 31 and the Knights of Columbus present Monte Carlo Night. Tickets cost \$5 at the door and entitle each participant to \$1,000,000 in playing money. High rollers can play blackjack, craps and other dice games.

At 11 p.m. players can use their winnings to bid on prizes donated by area residents.

Sunday, breakfast is again offered at 7 a.m. and the Fishing Derby resumes at 8 a.m. The Derby officially ends at 5 p.m. with presentation of prizes at 5:30 p.m.

At 2 p.m. Dennis Ruby and the Persuaders, with



AN ALBION MAN WAS KILLED early Monday when he lost control of his westbound sport utility vehicle and skidded into the path of a truck (above) in the eastbound lane of I-94 near Pierce Road. Roy Lee Stallworth, Jr. was not wearing a seat belt and was thrown from his vehicle and died at the scene, police said. The truck went down a steep embankment. The driver of the truck was treated and released at Chelsea Community Hospital. The crash caused traffic to be re-routed down Old US-12 for several hours. Snow caused treacherous road conditions that morning.

Village Studies Options For Treating Water Supply System

By Scott Bishop
Staff Writer

The Chelsea Village Council trekked on in its search for a remedy to excess copper in village water, but ended up moving only slightly forward at its Tuesday, Jan. 23 meeting.

Following the meeting, Village Water Department Supervisor Dan Rosentreter explained the dilemma facing village officials.

"Basically what has happened is, over the years, we've had to do numerous studies to find the copper concentrations in the drinking water. We went through different methods of trying to control the copper concentrations without having to add chemicals to the water."

"We understand the people of the Village of Chelsea don't want chlorine in their water, and the easiest treatment option we believe is phosphate, but with phosphate you have to chlorinate, being that phosphate is a nutrient for bacteria," Rosentreter said.

The Water Department received numerous complaints about water appearance, taste and odor. Rosentreter observed, when state officials dictated that chlorine be added to village water for several weeks last fall.

At last week's council meeting, Ashok Singhal of the engineering and planning firm Ayres, Lewis, Norris & May, illustrated two measures the village could take to lower copper levels.

A previous village plan, advised by Ayres, Lewis, Norris and May, to address the issue through public education was rejected by state officials.

The plan was to educate residents to run their water briefly before drinking it when periods of several hours without use had allowed copper to accumulate to high levels. Once the initial accumulation had been flushed out by running water for one minute, the copper level of succeeding water flow would be acceptable.

A letter from the state health department to the village indicated that, while the educational plan would likely work, it was not an acceptable remedy according to EPA regulations.

Both options Singhal presented to the council required the injection of chemicals into village water.

One alternative focused on raising the pH level of the water by adding sodium hydroxide. A rise in pH of approximately 12 percent would tend to obstruct corrosion. Cost for the project was estimated at \$87,500.

Alternately, sodium hexameta phosphate could be injected into the water, creating a film to protect piping from corrosion. If this method is used, it could supply nutrients to bacteria. Thus, chlorine must also be added to the water. This program's cost was estimated at \$94,000.

Either option would neces-

sitate constructing an addition to the village water facility measuring approximately 25'x 15'.

Noting the proximity of project costs, Singhal signaled a slight preference for the latter plan.

"From the cost point of view both of these approaches are quite similar, comparable. But I think from a reliability point of view I favor the (second plan)," Singhal said, adding that state directives still allowed the village two years to reach a solution.

Singhal did not elucidate his preference for phosphate, and was not available for comment prior to this issue going to press.

However, Satis Menon, an engineer with Ayres, Lewis, Norris & May, outlined why Singhal might prefer pursuing the phosphate solution, with its contingent chlorine injection.

According to Menon, phosphate works more directly to produce a pipe-protecting film, where sodium hydroxide is more dependent on the chemistry of the water itself to be effective. Phosphate is also a less volatile chemical and its corrosive effects are easier to control.

At the Jan. 23 meeting, trustees Frank Hammer and Steve Daut questioned Singhal about the appropriateness of taking any action.

Hammer cited conflicting evidence in research showing

copper concentrations in drinking water a health hazard, and Daut voiced concern about the village paying for merely experimental solutions dictated by state and federal departments. Both trustees advocated inaction rather than commit to an indefinite remedy.

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Village Opts Not To Renew WDC Contract

By Scott Bishop
Staff Writer

Tuesday, Jan. 23, the Chelsea Village Council chose not to renew its contract with the Washtenaw Development Council. Chelsea has contracted with WDC each year but one since 1990 to assist local businesses and promote commercial and industrial growth.

Council trustees questioned the necessity of WDC services for Chelsea, and with trustee Joe Merkel absent, a motion to approve the contract, with its contingent fee of \$2,774, failed, ending in a 3-3 impasse.

WDC executive director Susan Lackey said the organization planned to commit a major portion of its resources to aiding existing businesses.

"We will continue to put the majority of our time and our efforts in 1996 on retaining and growing the businesses that are here today. People like Hatch Stamping, Chelsea Milling, companies like that across Washtenaw County," Lackey explained.

She listed a shortage of entry-level and skilled labor, transportation problems that contributed to the lack of labor, and defining a future vision for the county business community as issues the WDC would analyze in the coming year.

Also, the organization is working toward the formation of a Manufacturer's Council, creating an area-wide network for businesses to address common problems.

Trustee Robert Clark questioned the value of WDC services to Chelsea, given the \$2,774 fee.

Lackey described how the WDC had both promoted expansion and aided existing concerns in the county over the previous year.

"We worked with 12 companies that were specifically looking at Washtenaw County, specifically looking at the Chelsea/Dexter area. Many of these companies have not yet made a decision on where they're willing to go. We will continue to work with them, provide them information, try to get them to the point where they say 'We're going to go someplace,'" Lackey explained.

She said the WDC had assisted Chelsea Milling in their warehouse expansion, Hatch Stamping in efforts to extend Industrial Drive and made many calls on other local businesses.

Standard Office Moved

The newspaper office of The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader has been relocated to 101 N. Main Street in Chelsea.

The move from the Sylvan Building to the former location of the Dawg Pound was necessary to accommodate our growing office. The Dawg

Trustee Steve Daut expressed uncertainty that the organization's mission was truly a benefit to the village.

"I'm not sure that I'm all that excited about going out and reaching out and trying to get all these businesses to locate in our area. They're going to come whether we do anything about it or not," Daut explained.

Lackey disputed Daut's conclusion and sought to emphasize the WDC's assistance to local communities.

"First of all, (businesses) won't come if we don't talk to them because people frankly don't know where Washtenaw County is very much, much less the smaller constituent parts of the county, and that's an issue. But what I'm most concerned about, as I mentioned earlier, we spend the majority of our time working with businesses that are already here," Lackey answered.

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Street Ordinance May Change

Changes to the existing street ordinance in Chelsea are in the works, according to Village Assistant Manager Bruce Pindzia, at least as far as those rules affect Gene Drive.

While construction is not prohibited on the privately maintained road, village attorney Peter Flitcroft has recommended that Chelsea village not approve any permits there, effectively closing it to development.

Pindzia noted at the Jan. 23 meeting of the Chelsea Village Council that prohibiting lot owners in the Gene Drive area from building was inappropriate. He advised caution, however, in reworking village policies to allow development.

"The major issue we're dealing with here is we're trying to resolve the Gene Drive area, and so this revision which we are working on is being tailor-made to be specific only to that area down there. We do not want a new developer coming into town and using this revision we're coming up with to get away with something and build a substandard road," Pindzia explained.

A new plan should be available for council review by its next meeting on Feb. 13, Pindzia said.



FAMILY MATH NIGHT was held at North Elementary School last Thursday. Children and their parents had the chance to participate in a variety of activities designed to develop basic math skills. Above, Diana Ladio, a North third grader, works on a computer in the media center with her mom, Joanne.

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Opening Remarks

By Brian Hamilton

Who is Nick Smith and do you really care?
I had no idea who he was until I began working in the weekly newspaper business again a few months ago. Now, like an unwanted party guest, he won't go away.

Nick Smith is Congressman Nick Smith of the 7th District. As you probably know, we live in the 8th District and are represented by Dick Chrysler. We have few subscribers in Smith's district.

This fact, however, does not deter Nick Smith. He sends us several faxes each week, sometimes more than one in a day, and they can all be summarized like this-Nick Smith is Washington's godsend and Democrats should all have lobotomies. Rarely do they vary from that theme.

Is this man being a fiscally responsible conservative Republican as he claims to be? I plan to send him a bill for fax paper.

Now, to be fair to Mr. Smith, we also get a lot of faxes from Mr. Chrysler. They also have much the same theme. Change two or three words and you'd be hard-pressed to guess who sent them. But at least I'm somewhat interested in what Chrysler's doing since he is our guy. I talked to someone at another newspaper recently, who told me U.S. Senator Carl Levin is his all-time champion of useless faxes, although he rarely sends us anything, which is just fine with me. We get occasional faxes from large-egoed state Republicans, but I don't

think we've gotten even one from our own state representative, Democrat Mary Schroer.

The funny thing is, Smith does not put his fax numbers on his cover sheet, so guys like me can't send nasty messages back. I also get the feeling he has an automatic "send" program so he can go to dinner while this pollution is taking place.

Smith sends us faxes when he says or does anything on the House floor, or anywhere, for that matter. "Representative Nick Smith issued the following statement..." "Nick Smith today showed the House how to sneeze backwards..." He sends us a regular column. He sends us copies of letters he mails to other politicians, especially those to members of the Clinton administration. Smith lets us know when he meets with his holiness, Newt Gingrich. He sends us copies of letters from Newt, and I get the feeling he probably has them framed on the wall of his office.

The frightening part is this is happening all over the country, thousands of times each day. How much money has been spent on writing these things and on the telephone charges for sending them?

Even more frightening, this is just going to get worse with this being an election year. We're already starting to get them from the Dole campaign. Can Steve Forbes and Phil Gramm be far behind? I hope so.

Uncle Apollo

Dear Uncle Apollo,

This new plan for the high school is amazing! It has this humongous area for the auditorium and cafeteria and gym and this little pencil line of classrooms. I thought the whole idea was to increase the classroom space and they don't seem to be doing that. If we're going to be paying for this for 30 years, shouldn't they build enough classrooms to accommodate a lot of growth, considering all of the people that are moving in around here?

Concerned for Our Future
Dear Concerned,

I understand your concern, but you have to understand that there's a lot more to education than sitting in classrooms.

I, myself, find it educational just to hang around in Gina's or the Wolverine and listen to the conversations. Our kids need to learn about sports as well as science, because when they grow up, the only way they will get along in the world is if they know the score of the Superbowl.

As far as the idea behind the school design, this is actually based on the plan of a Klingon Warship. You see, the idea is that the school is a vehicle for moving through the hostile ignorance sector of the universe. The little curvy part with the classrooms is the front. That's where you have the very dense knowledge shields that take the brunt of the ignorance and deflect it off to the sides like a shock wave. The kids have to work very hard there to make sure very little ignorance penetrates to the rest of the school.

The back part of the ship is where the crew goes when it's off shift, where they eat and

entertain themselves with sports and shows. The locker rooms and kitchen are toward the back to create enough repulsive force to keep the whole thing moving forward.

At the top and toward the front (but behind the main shields) is the helm where the administration is housed. They have to steer the thing through hostile space and watch out for meteorites and alien races.

All of this is just theoretical, of course. No one has tested the concept, but it seems to me that it should work to allow the kids to succeed in anything they do. In fact, maybe if quarterback Neil O'Donnell had gone to school in the spaceship concept when he was a kid, the Steelers would have won on Sunday.

Uncle Apollo
You can write to Uncle Apollo care of this newspaper, or send him e-mail at UncApollo@aol.com.

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Winter Carnival Begins Friday

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special guest Johnny Webber, present a free concert.

tificate to the Common Grill, and third place earns a bottle of fine wine.

At 5:30 p.m., in addition to the Fishing Derby awards, raffle prize-winners will be announced. Raffle tickets can be purchased throughout the weekend for \$1.

First prize is an evening poolside at Weber's Inn in Ann Arbor, second prize a gift cer-

Water Supply

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Trustee Brian Cashman concurred. "It seems to me to be more reasonable to do nothing (right now)," he said.

Village President Richard Steele said that before any council action, Michigan Health Department officials Bryce Feighner and Mike Kovach, who are working with village on the issue, should answer questions before the council as to Hammer and Daut's apprehensions.

Village Manager Jack Myers confirmed Monday that the village was working to arrange for Feighner and Kovach to be at the next council meeting Feb. 13.

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Letters to the Editor

Take It Like a Man

Wouldn't it be nice if people wouldn't jump to conclusions over misinformation, published or unpublished.

Mr. (Martin) Merkel, please admit, you being a land owner, hunter, and preservationist, if it hadn't been you getting the misdemeanor tickets and your name printed on the front page, and it was some other "John Doe" hunter and land owner in or around this community allegedly doing all the illegal things that were printed in the January 4 Chelsea Standard, wouldn't you have been a little angry about the situation and voiced your opinion on what seemed to be another, "this person has money so they get off easy" case. If you look at the charges printed in the initial article and then read the letters of Mr. Reich and Mr. Carlson, it makes them sound like a concerned hunter/preservationist and a concerned citizen, certainly not persons throwing out "cheap shots."

Mr. Merkel, the only correction I would make to your return letter to Mr. Reich and to Mr. Carlson, is in regard to the two following quotes:

"I was hunting on my farm which is 420 acres located next to the Four Mile Lake game area." January 11, 1996

"The gun was not a 30.06 but an older, smaller caliber with a range of a 50 caliber muzzle loader." January 11, 1996

Mr. Merkel, being the land owner, hunter, preservationist that you are, you know that your land is well within the State of Michigan designated Zone 3 hunter area, which is a shotgun only hunting zone for big game during the firearm deer hunting season and that does not exclude land owners from 1 acre to 1,000 acres, wealthy or poor.

To help define shotgun and rifle, I referred to the gun control Act of 1968, Public law 90-618, Chapter 44, Section 921, paragraph 5. The term shotgun reads as follows:

"The term shotgun means a weapon designed or redesigned, made or remade, and intended to be fired from the shoulder and designed or redesigned, made or remade, to use the energy of the explosive in a fixed metallic cartridge, to fire only a single projectile through a rifled bore for each pull of the trigger."

And further in chapter 44, Section 921, paragraph 7, the term rifle reads as follows:

"The term rifle means a weapon designed or redesigned, made or remade, and intended to be fired from the shoulder and designed or redesigned, made or remade, to use the energy of the explosive in a fixed metallic cartridge, to fire only a single projectile through a rifled bore for each pull of the trigger."

Neither of these terms gives any reference to range or ballistics, toward each other or black power firearms, "50 cal. muzzle loader," and under the second term rifle, it wouldn't have mattered if you had been using a 22 caliber long rifle or a .460 Weatherby Magnum. It was illegal and unjustifiable that you used a weapon that uses a fixed metallic cartridge, in other words, a rifle to hunt deer on any land in Zone 3 of the State of Michigan.

And, Mr. Merkel, if you

would like these laws, they are printed in the free Hunting and Trapping Guide, given to all hunters when they purchase a hunting license, including you! The law on shotguns only in Zone 3, Casing and Handling of firearms, Tagging and Possession of Game may also be found in the Department of the Treasury, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Federal Firearm Regulations and Reference Guide.

None of us are without fault and I don't necessarily agree with all viewpoints of Mr. Reich and Mr. Carlson, but Mr. Merkel, you were caught and fined for doing something illegal, so admit it and live up to that age old saying, "Take it Like a Man."

John Drew
Chelsea

Tutoring a Success

The beginning of the Beach Parent Organizations "Free Tutoring," Jan. 27 at Beach Middle School was a great success! Sixteen students came for that extra boost in their studies. A special thank you to our tutors for providing help in all subjects and making it such an encouraging morning. The students really deserve an extra pat on the back for making the all effort to help themselves.

There was definite positive energy flowing through the two classrooms, (B8 & 9). What a treat to hear such comments of "I have to do well on this test," and "Thanks everyone for your help." Free tutoring will continue through May 18 from 9 a.m. to noon every Saturday excluding holiday weekends.

Thanks so much,
Carol Dorr, and
Donna Johns

Contract Nixed

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She continued to stress WDC sensitivity to Chelsea's local concerns.

"One of the things that we know is that there is a limited capacity for growth in this county or any other. And we're real concerned about helping the folks that are here today continue to be healthy so that they continue to employ the people who live here. One of the things I feel real strongly about though, is that we only bring clients to look at those sites which the community has said are zoned and planned for commercial and industrial development," Lackey said.

Trustee Richard Rigg also objected to a village agreement with the WDC, saying that Chelsea's active Chamber of Commerce and prominent citizens adequately promoted the community, and that the WDC fee of \$2,774 would be better spent otherwise.

With Clark, Daut and Rigg voting against it, a motion to accept the agreement failed, ending in a 3-3 deadlock.

Corrections

We sent someone to the wrong continent.

Chelsea High School senior Ann Terpstra will play in an international basketball tournament this summer following her graduation. The tournament is in Austria, not Australia, as a headline and caption in the Jan. 25 issue erroneously stated.

Also last week, a headline meant for a freshman basketball story ended up on the varsity story.

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JACKSON ROAD BUSINESS ASSOCIATION held its annual election of officers during an annual meeting held Wednesday, Jan. 24. Pictured, sitting from left, are officers Bob Bliss, second vice-president; Mike Kowalski, first vice-president; Isabel Sands, president; and Clinton Fisk, secretary/treasurer; standing from left, board members Herb Gibson, Peter Gale, Dick Semark and Jayson Barroso.



Family Medicine



Question: My wife, who is 67 years old, has been taking high blood pressure medication for the last three years. Since she has been on Kerlone and Lotensin — her blood pressure medications — her memory is not as good as it used to be. Her doctor doesn't attribute her memory problems to the medication. Instead, he wants her to have an expensive MRI. In general terms, is there some possibility that her medication could be causing her memory problems?

Answer: High blood pressure — defined as greater than 140 over 90 — is a very common problem in the United States, affecting an estimated 50 to 60 million Americans. That is about one out of every five citizens, but in the over-65 population, the numbers are even more dramatic. Some experts estimate that as many as half of the people in this age group have high blood pressure. Despite the prevalent nature of the problem, only half of those with high blood pressure are aware they have it and only part of these — about one third of the total — are getting proper treatment. Happily, your wife is one of the fortunate one third.

High blood pressure is a serious concern because it increases the risk of heart attack, heart failure, kidney

failure and stroke. Treatment that brings blood pressure down to normal levels reduces the risk of having these undesirable conditions. In previous years the definition of "normal" was a bit higher for those over 65, but newer studies have shown that 120 of 80 is ideal, and pressure that is continuously above 140 over 90 — regardless of age — is associated with increased risk.

Most individuals have "essential hypertension." This is a fancy term that means the blood pressure is elevated without a specific known cause. That makes it possible to use a wide variety of medications to bring the pressure down to normal. Your wife takes two types of medication. The Kerline is in the family of medications called beta-blockers, while the Lotensin is in the ACE inhibitor family. They are good medications.

All medications have some potential for side effects — that is, unintended consequences that it would be nice to avoid. Drugs in the beta-blocker family can cause subtle problems with memory as well as bring on depression, which often masquerades as memory difficulties. So you are correct. The medication may be the source of your wife's memory problems.

Memory is a very complex

process that we take for granted most of the time. Because of its complexity, there are many health problems that can interfere with it. I'm suspicious that your wife's doctor has seen subtle signs that make him or her concerned that her memory impairment may be due to a condition more serious than just the side effects of her blood pressure medication. That is probably why he or she has requested an MRI. On the other hand, another medication that isn't in the beta-blocker family could probably replace the Kerlone she takes. If her memory problems are due to the medication, I would expect them to improve within three or four weeks after switching.

"Family Medicine" is a weekly column. To submit questions, write to John C. Wolf, D.O., Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine, Grosvenor Hall, Athens, Ohio 45701.

Builders Seminar Set

A 24-hour seminar to help people build a house, vacation or retirement home, on their own or with a contractor will be offered by Chelsea Community Education, in cooperation with Oakland Builders Institute. The course will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays, Feb. 21 through March 18, from 7 - 10 p.m., at Chelsea High School.

Participants can save money, time and frustration by understanding the home building process from A to Z. Being prepared they can more easily avoid problems and delays. Everything needed to plan and build a home will be covered by a knowledgeable licensed instructor including blue print reading, buying property, financing, building codes and

permits, insurance requirements as well as the basics of wood frame construction, concrete and masonry, roofing, estimating materials, and much more. The course helps people build confidence working on their own or with a contractor. The course costs \$175 and includes all materials and textbook.

Pre-registration is required no later than Friday, Feb. 16, to Chelsea Community Education. Call 475-9830 to register during office hours.

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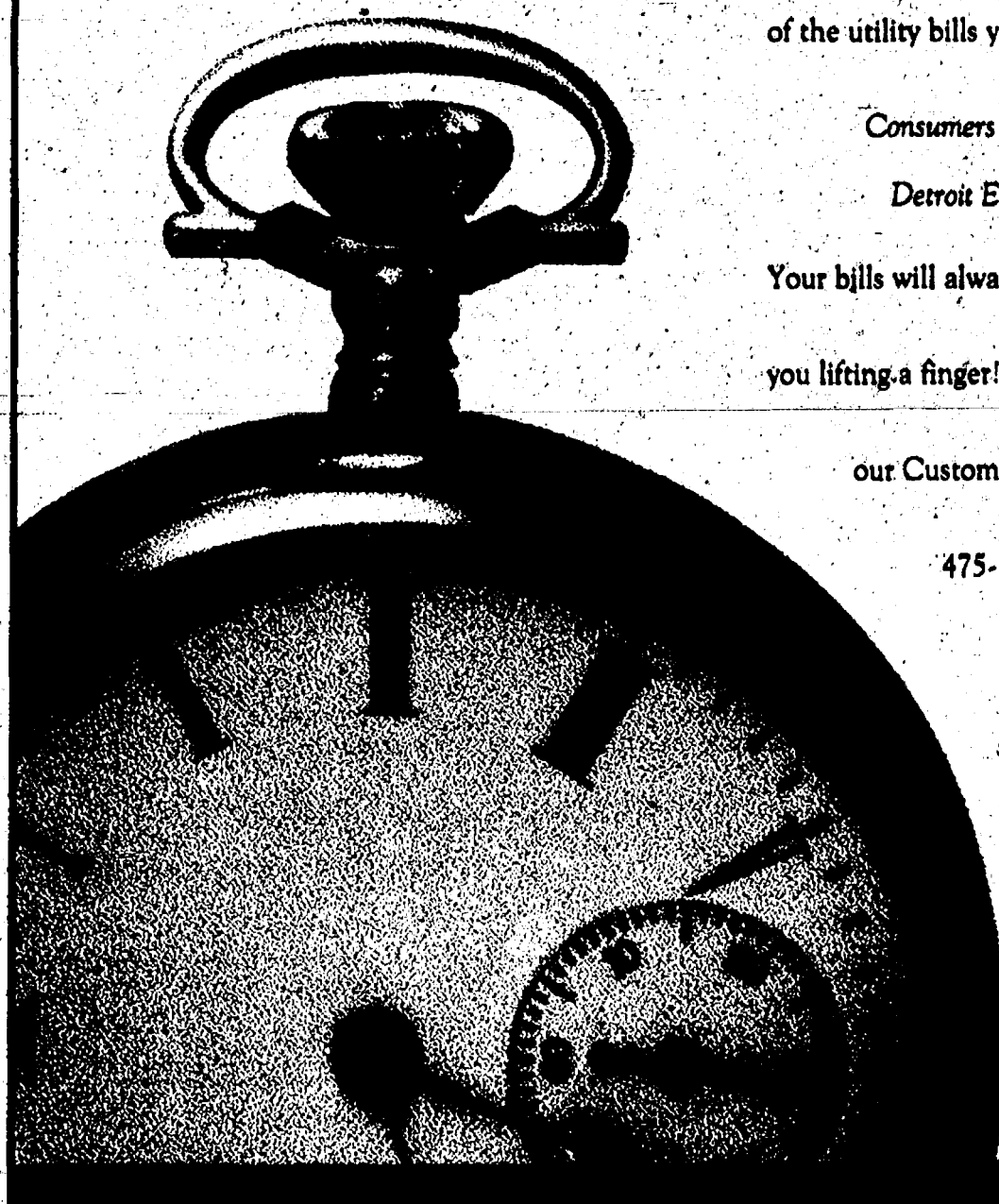
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Hudson Mills Metropark, located near the Village of Dexter, has excellent terrain for cross-country skiing. There are six miles of marked trails through this scenic park. The Activity Center provides ski equipment rentals weekends only (groups may arrange to rent ski equipment weekdays). The building has a heated lounge, food service and restrooms.

The nature trail is open year

round for self-guided hikes. Hudson Mills Metropark is an excellent area for winter photographers, especially at the rapids near the North Territorial Road Bridge or at other scenic locations within the park.

Park hours are 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. For information contact Hudson Mills Metropark phone 1-800-477-3191 or (313) 426-8211. A vehicle entry permit is required.

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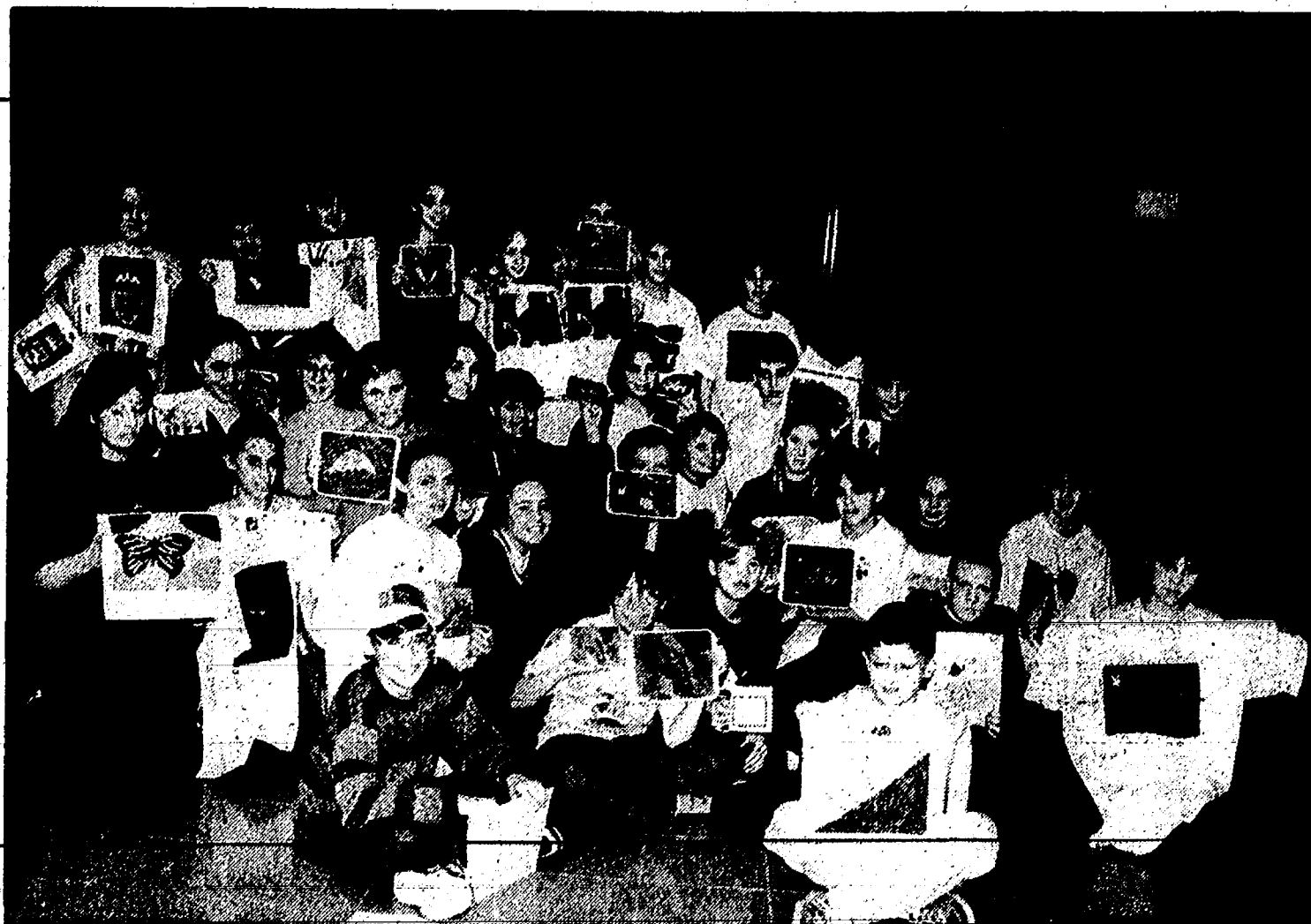
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INSECT INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDY has been the focus of seventh grade students at Mill Creek Middle School. Students studied insects in science class, wrote insect poetry in English class and drew insects in art class. Pictured are students showing off their insect mouse pads, hats, refrigerator magnets, T-shirts, book bags, stationery and calendars. Pictured, bottom from left, are Chris Plummer, Mathias Maloff, Eddie Druks, Adam Dunnigan, Richard Wild and Andrew DeLong; second row from left, Heather Allwine, Jessica VanAken, Dara Ratliff, Katherine Ziegler, Adam Stoll, Brad Nollar, Steven Woolf and Josh Gauntlett; third row from left, Laura Beauchamp, Melissa Mosher, Kelly Varblow, Stacy Witherspoon, Amber Bell, Megan Shuchman, Chelsea Kapela, Ben Leonard, Tracy Klein and Katie Walsh; back row from left, Jessica Lee, Carrie Certain, Tess Smith, Darcie Amsdill, Leigh Mitchell, Amanda Cogsdill, Natt Hartman, Joe Monteith and Dorian Harrow.



MILL CREEK Middle School students Richard Wild, Adam Stoll, Davey Larson, Chris Plummer and Matt Hartman are pictured showing off their insect hat, T-shirts and computer mouse pad, which were the outcome of the interdisciplinary unit project in science, English and art.

Newspaper Wants Soldiers' Addresses

The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader newspapers want to publish the addresses of local soldiers in Bosnia.

Any family members in the Dexter-Chelsea area who would like to provide that information are invited to do so. Members of both communities have asked for the addresses so they can spread some cheer and hometown news.

Addresses may be mailed to our office at 101 N. Main Street, Chelsea, Mich., 48118 or faxed to 475-1413.

Everybody's Science

By Don Comis

A research engineer says a computer, camera and other electronics may be a future way to inspect the quality of carcasses on a poultry processing line. Here's how it might work:

As chickens roll down the line - up to 90 per minute - a robotic arm would position a camera for an image of each carcass. A fiber optic probe on the arm would scan each chicken's breast.

Instantly, a computer would decide if a chicken has signs of defects or disease, such as unusually red skin or abnormally small body size. Carcasses like this would be redirected to a "reject" line for closer examination.

A U.S. Department of Agriculture researcher, Yud-Ren Chen, has been working on an automated inspection procedure the last few years, as the popularity of poultry products continued to increase. Now, the number of chickens slaughtered annually at federally inspected plants is around 7 billion, compared to 2.8 billion 30 years ago.

His experimental system has an average accuracy rate of over 95 percent. That's based on tests Chen has done in several East Coast chicken plants - identifying chickens that either have blood poisoning, called septicemia, or have been improperly bled.

"These conditions account for over half of the carcasses removed from the processing lines by inspectors," said Chen of USDA's Agricultural Research Service. Robotic systems can spot everything but food-poisoning bacteria, he stressed, adding that other scientists are developing tests to detect bacterial contamination.

For the past four years, Chen's research group at Beltsville, Md., has adapted optical probes and a special camera, alone and in combination, to screen poultry quality by sensing differences in light reflected from the carcasses. The differences relate to skin color, size and percentage of body fat.

Chen said he and colleagues will improve the system's accuracy rate and broaden the range of symptoms to be screened over the next several years. Ultimately, the research could lead to a commercially available model for the poultry industry.

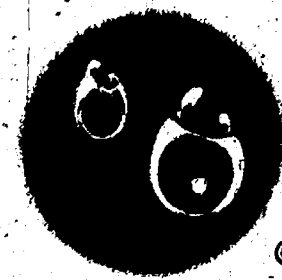
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Weddings and Engagements



Cathy, James Lobdell

Cathy Prentice, James Lobdell Wed in Zion Lutheran Church

Cathy Lynne Prentice and James A. Lobdell, both of Ann Arbor, were married Oct. 21 at Zion Lutheran Church in Chelsea. Pastor David Hendricks officiated the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Paul and Janet Prentice of Chelsea. The bridegroom is the son of Gary and Sharon Lobdell of Dexter.

Becky Johnson, cousin of

the bride, was matron of honor. Jeff Prentice, brother of the bride, was best man. Jason Lobdell, brother of the groom, and Dave Johnson, cousin of the bride, were ushers.

A reception was held at UAW Local 1284 in Chelsea. Following the reception, the couple spent their honeymoon in the Pocono Mountains, Pa.



ENGAGED: Helen Carol Cooper and Mark Joseph Goderis are engaged and planning a spring wedding. The future bride is the daughter of Jeff and Jean Cooper of Sarasota, Fla., formerly of Chelsea. The future bridegroom is the son of Louie and Barbara Goderis of Chelsea. The future bride is a 1989 graduate of Searcy High in Searcy, Ariz. She graduated from Michigan State University with a bachelor of science in psychology in 1994 and is currently employed by NEMCSA Head Start in northern Michigan. The future bridegroom is a 1989 graduate of Chelsea High School. He graduated from Michigan State University with a bachelor of science in electrical engineering in 1995 and is employed by Lafarge Corporation in Alpena.

BookCrafters Names Employee of Month

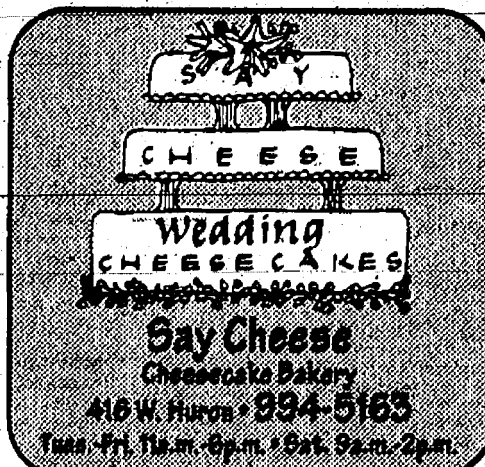
George Clickner, was honored in December as BookCrafters' Michigan Division Employee of the Month. George has worked at BookCrafters for 10 years and serves as the Group Leader for folders on second shift. Since joining BookCrafters, George has operated all folders and the cutter.

George lives at Crooked Lake in Chelsea with Sandy and has a daughter, Cassandra, 16 years old. Outside work, George enjoys auto racing, working on cars, and snowmobiling.

Brian Cook was chosen as BookCrafters' Employee of the Month for January. Having worked at BookCrafters for eight years, Brian is a folder operator. Brian's professional goals include "excelling in whatever God has chosen for me to do."

Brian lives in Jackson with his wife, Doreen, and their children, Brittany, 4, and James, 2½. His hobbies and

special interests include spending time with his family, fishing, hunting, reading, and working outside.



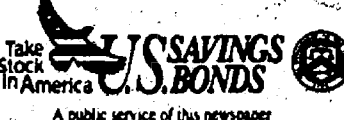
Feldkamp Accepted To Northwestern

Jeremy Feldkamp, son of Reuben and Deborah Feldkamp of Chelsea has been accepted by Northwestern College, Lima, Ohio, to begin classes in the August session, where he will be majoring in the Automotive Technician program.

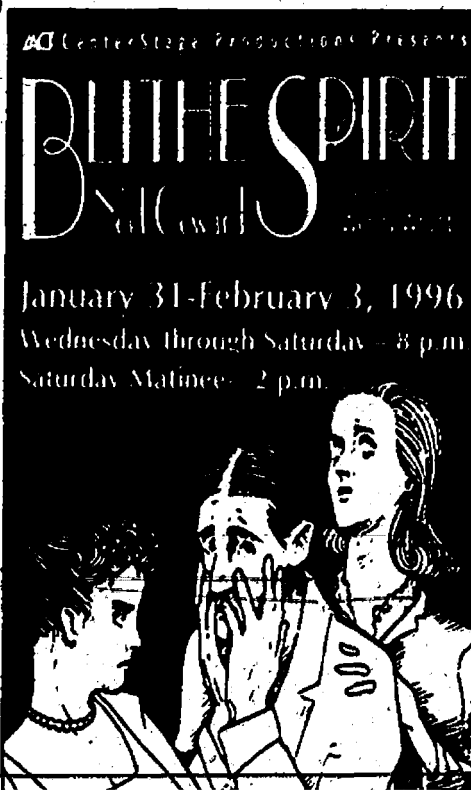
Jeremy attends Chelsea High School where he was an active member of VICA and played high school football.

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Sun. Church School 9:15 a.m.
Sun. Worship 10:30 a.m.

Red Cross Helping Flood Victims in Mid-Atlantic States

The American Red Cross is continuing to shelter and feed thousands of flood victims in Pennsylvania and West Virginia, as well as other areas in the Mid-Atlantic region. Recent heavy rains in combination with warm temperatures and melting snow have caused rivers to reach alarming and dangerous levels. The result is extreme flooding, which is leaving thousands of people temporarily homeless.

One-hundred and fifty-one (151) Red Cross shelters have been established in eight Mid-

Atlantic states. Major relief efforts are taking place in six of these states, and the anticipated costs are significant. Already the Red Cross has served 38,187 meals in the states of Pennsylvania and West Virginia. All assistance to victims is free of charge and made possible by voluntary gifts of time and money from the American people.

You can help the victims of these floods and other disasters by mailing a financial contribution to American Red Cross Disaster Relief Fund at the American Red Cross of Washtenaw County, 2729 Packard Road, Ann Arbor, 48108. Credit card donations or pledges can be made by calling 1-800-HELP-NOW (1-800-434-7688).

Census Bureau To Hold Survey

The Commerce Department's Census Bureau will visit selected area households beginning Feb. 1 to conduct its Survey of Income and Program Participating (SIPP). Dwight P. Dean, director of the Census Bureau's Detroit regional office, announced today.

SIPP is a continuing nationwide survey in which Census Bureau representatives interview a sample of 5,000 housing units out of a national total of 109 million. Results will provide information on such wide-ranging topics as jobs, earnings, unemployment, disability, and retirement.

SIPP results also include information on participation in programs such as Social Security, Medicare, Medicaid, food stamps, and pension plans.

Census Bureau representatives will send a letter from the director of the Census Bureau to households to be surveyed before contacting them.

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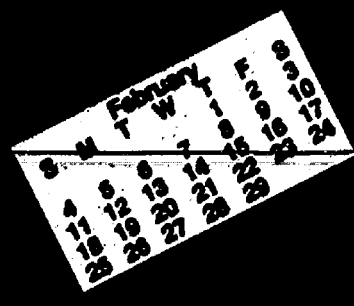
Saturday, February 3rd-7 p.m.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHELSEA & DEXTER



CHELSEA

Thursday, Feb. 1
 Beach Swimming vs. Pinckney, 4 p.m. A
 Beach Wrestling vs. Milan, 4 p.m. H
 Beach Girls Volleyball vs. Milan, 4 p.m. A
 CHS and Freshman Girls Volleyball vs. Tecumseh, 6 p.m. H
 CHS Wrestling vs. Tecumseh, 6:30 p.m. A
 CHS Boys Swimming vs. Pinckney, 8:30 p.m. A
 American Legion Post No. 31, general meeting at the Cavanaugh Lake Legion Hall.
 District Library Planning Committee meets at the McKune Memorial Library, 7 p.m.
 Knights of Columbus Women's Auxiliary meets at K. of C. Hall, 8 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 2
 Senior Citizens meet at the Senior Citizen Activities Center at Faith in Action Bldg., 3 p.m.
 CHS Basketball vs. Milan, 6 p.m. A
 American Legion Winter Carnival begins at the post home at Cavanaugh Lake. Through Sunday.
Saturday, Feb. 3
 CHS JV Girls Volleyball, Ypsilanti Inv., 8 a.m. A
 CHS Varsity Girls Volleyball, Northville Inv., 9 a.m. A
 Beach Swimming, Erie-Mason Inv., 9:15 a.m. A
 CHS Wrestling, CHS Quad, 10 a.m. H
 American Legion Winter Carnival continues through Sunday at the post home at Cavanaugh Lake. Games, fishing, and a chili cook-off.
Sunday, Feb. 4
 "Embury Swamp Crossing" with Matt Heumann to explore a bush-wacking, off-trail frozen swamp in Park Lyndon North on North Territorial Rd., 10 a.m.-noon. Free. Not recommended for children under 8 years.
Monday, Feb. 5
 CHS and Freshman Girls Volleyball vs. Lincoln, 6 p.m. H
 Chelsea Kiwanis Club meeting at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.
 Western Washtenaw Drop-In Support Group for women who are or have been in an abusive relationship, at St. Joseph Church, 6:30 p.m.
 McKune Memorial Library Mystery Book Club meets at the Library, 7 p.m.
 Freshman Boys Basketball vs. Lincoln, 7 p.m. A
 Chelsea School Board meets in the Board Room, 7:30 p.m.
 Lima Township Board meets at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 6
 Rotary Club meeting at the Common Grill, 12 noon
 Beach Girls Volleyball vs. Tecumseh, 4 p.m. H
 Beach Wrestling vs. Tecumseh, 4 p.m. A
 CHS Basketball vs. Lincoln, 6 p.m. H
 Hoopie of Washtenaw County needs volunteers for clerical support, direct patient care and spiritual bereavement support. Training to begin Feb. 6, at 6 p.m., 808 Airport Blvd., Ann Arbor. Please call Barb Wineke, 741-5777 for further information.
 CHS Boys Swimming vs. Saline, 6:30 p.m. H
 Lions Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:45 p.m. Ph. 475-7324 or write P.O. Box 121, Chelsea.
 Sylvan Township Board regular meeting, Sylvan Township Hall, 7 p.m.
 Dexter Township Board meets at Dexter Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 7
 Chelsea Depot Association meets in the Depot, 7 a.m. All interested persons are welcome to attend.
 CHS Wrestling vs. Pinckney, 4:30 p.m. H
 Friends of McKune Memorial Library meets at the Library, 7 p.m. Call 475-8732 for more information.
 Chelsea-Manchester Chapter No. 108, OES meets at the Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 8
 "The Birds of Washtenaw County" slide presentation at Washtenaw County Chapter of AARP meeting, Pittsfield Township Hall, corner of State and Ellsworth roads, 1:30 p.m.
 Beach Girls Volleyball vs. Lincoln, 4 p.m. A
 Freshmen Girls Volleyball vs. Pinckney, 6 p.m. H
 CHS Boys Swimming vs. Dexter, 6:30 p.m. H
 CHS Girls Volleyball vs. Pinckney, 6:30 p.m. H
 Freshmen Boys Basketball vs. Pinckney, 7 p.m. A
 Alzheimer's Assoc. Family Caregiver's Support Group for Chelsea meets at the Crippen Building at Chelsea Retirement Community, 7 p.m.
 Chelsea Rod and Gun Club Auxiliary meeting at the clubhouse on Lingane Rd., 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 9
 Senior Citizens meet at the Senior Citizen Activities Center at

Faith in Action Bldg., 3 p.m.
 Freshmen Boys Basketball vs. Stockbridge, 4 p.m. A
 CHS Basketball vs. Stockbridge, 6 p.m. A
Saturday, Feb. 10
 CHS Girls Volleyball, AA Pioneer Inv., 8 a.m. A
 Freshmen Girls Volleyball, Northville Inv., 9 a.m. A
 CHS Wrestling, SEC at Tecumseh, A
 Beach Wrestling, Jackson Northwest Inv., 10 a.m. A
 CHS Boys Swimming, 9 & 10 Invitational, TBA
Monday, Feb. 12
 McKune Memorial Library Brown Bag Book Club meets at the Library, 11:45 a.m.
 Chelsea Area Historical Society pot-luck dinner meeting and Harmonica musical program, 6:30 p.m. in the Depot. Call Hazel Dittmar for more info. 475-8968.
 Western Washtenaw Drop-In Support Group for women who are or have been in an abusive relationship, at First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St., 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 13
 Downtown Development Authority meets in the Chelsea Village Council chambers, 8 a.m. The public is welcome to attend.
 Freshmen Boys Basketball vs. Jackson Northwest, 4 p.m. H
 CHS Basketball vs. Jackson Northwest, 6 p.m. H
 CHS Boys Swimming vs. AA Huron, 6:30 p.m. H
 Chelsea Village Council meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 Chelsea Rod and Gun Club meeting at the clubhouse, Lingane Rd.
 Chelsea Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meeting at Chelsea Community Hospital.
DEXTER
Thursday, Feb. 1
 DHS Boys Swimming vs. Milan, 6:30 p.m. A
 DHS Wrestling vs. Saline, 6:30 p.m. A
 DHS Girls Volleyball vs. Saline, 6:30 p.m. H
Friday, Feb. 2
 DHS Boys Basketball vs. Pinckney, 6 p.m. H
 Dexter Hockey, Saline Scrimmage at Ann Arbor Ice Cube.
Saturday, Feb. 3
 DHS Wrestling, Goodrich, Tourney, TBA, A
 DHS Girls Volleyball vs. Ida, TBA, A

Dexter Hockey vs. Okemos at Lansing Ice Arena, 8:25 p.m.
Sunday, Feb. 4
 "Embury Swamp Crossing" with Matt Heumann to explore a bush-wacking, off-trail frozen swamp in Park Lyndon North on North Territorial Rd., 10 a.m.-noon. Free. Not recommended for children under 8 years.
Monday, Feb. 5
 DHS Girls Volleyball vs. Milan, 6:30 p.m. A
 Freshmen Boys Basketball vs. Milan, 7 p.m. H
 Harmony Rebekah Lodge 480 meets at Dexter Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.
 Dexter Library Board meeting at the Dexter District Library, 7:30 p.m.
 Dexter Village Planning Commission meets at First of America Bank, 7:30 p.m.
 Board of Education, Dexter Community Schools, meets at Dexter High media center.
 Lima Township Board meeting at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 6
 DHS Boys Basketball vs. Milan, 6 p.m. A
 DHS Wrestling vs. Tecumseh, 6:30 p.m. H
 Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at DAPCO cafeteria, 6:30 p.m.
 Dexter Township Board meets at Dexter Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 7
 Dexter Merchants Assoc. meets at First of America Bank, 6:30 p.m.
 Parents for Safety meets in Dexter High School Library, 7:30 p.m. For more info. call Marilyn Lippert, 428-8239 or Valerie Marsh, 428-8912.
Thursday, Feb. 8
 DHS Boys Swimming vs. Chelsea, 6:30 p.m. A
 DHS Girls Volleyball vs. Tecumseh, 6:30 p.m. H
 Freshmen Boys Basketball vs. Tecumseh, 7 p.m. A
Friday, Feb. 9
 DHS Boys Basketball vs. Lincoln, 6 p.m. H
 DHS Hockey vs. Hartland, Yost Arena, 9 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 10
 "Winter Explorers" for ages 8 or older, a hike to find animal tracks, snow fleas and other winter insects, identify trees and shrubs in winter, 10:30 a.m. at the Activity Center of Hudson Mills Metropark. Pre-register, 1-800-477-3191 or (313) 428-8211.
 "An Afternoon in the Winter Woods," a 2-hour walk along the Huron River at Hudson Mills Metropark, 2 p.m. Wear Waterproof boots. Pre-register, 1-800-477-3191 or (313) 428-8211.
 DHS Boys Swimming, Fresh/Soph Invitational, H
 DHS Boys Swimming, MISCA, Plymouth-Canton, A
 DHS Wrestling, SEC-Tecumseh, A
 DHS Hockey vs. River Rouge, Yost Arena, 9 p.m.
Monday, Feb. 12
 DHS Girls Volleyball vs. Lincoln, 6:30 p.m. H
 Freshmen Boys Basketball vs. Lincoln, 7 p.m. A
 Dexter School Reproductive Health Advisory Committee meets at Wylie Middle School media room, 7 p.m.
 Webster Township Historical Society meeting. Call 428-2473 for information and meeting place.
 Dexter Village Council meeting at First of America Bank, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 13
 Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at DAPCO cafeteria, 6:30 p.m.
 DHS Boys Swimming vs. Willow Run, 7 p.m. H
 Sons of the American Legion meets at Dexter Legion Home, 8 p.m.

MISCELLANEOUS
 "New Ways To Feel Good" therapy group for adults 60 years and older, sponsored by the U of M Turner Geriatric Clinic, 1010 Wall St., Ann Arbor. Interested individuals may call Janet Fogler or Sally Edwards, 764-2556.
 "Breast and Cervical Cancer Screenings" are available free for many women over 40. Contact the Washtenaw County Health Group, Jane Porter at 484-7220.
 "Mammograms and Pap Tests" are available free for many women over 40. Contact the Washtenaw County Health Group, Jane Porter at 484-7220.
 Inclement Weather School Closings will be announced on WJR, WKHM, WPAG, WAAM, WQIB and Channel 10 TV, generally aired between 6:30 a.m. and 8 a.m.
 New Beginnings, a support group dealing with death and divorce, meets Tuesdays at St. James Episcopal Church, Dexter, at 5:30 p.m. Call 475-3143 or 426-8387 for information.
 Smokers Anonymous meets Tuesdays at St. James Episcopal church, Dexter, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Call

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CORRIE A. SCHOENBERG of Chelsea was named to the Dean's list at Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill. for the 1995 fall semester with a 3.77 grade point average. Corrie is a freshman pursuing a dual degree in Vocal Performance and English. She graduated from Chelsea High School in 1995 and is the daughter of Doug and Beckie Schoenberg.

DNR Announces New Rules For Ground Blinds

It is now illegal for hunters to build or use ground blinds made of manufactured material on publicly-owned land. Hunters on public lands can continue to use portable ground blinds that are removed at the end of each day or can construct blinds out of dead and natural materials found on the ground. Seasonal use of blinds by hunters with handicaps continues to be permitted.

The new Wildlife Conservation Order for Use of Ground Blinds on Publicly Owned Lands took effect Jan. 1. The laws state that "ground blinds used in the taking of animals on all public owned lands must be either portable blinds

which are carried-in and carried-out daily, or blinds constructed of dead and down materials found at the site. Ground blinds, whether portable or made of dead and down materials, cannot be attached to trees by nails, screws, bolts, wire, cable, rope, or any other fastener."

"We heard many complaints from hunters of conflicts on public lands associated with permanent ground blinds at public meeting last year," DNR Law Enforcement Division Chief Herb Burns said. "In addition, litter resulting from the abandoned structures and leftover materials has become a widespread problem. This new law should help reduce conflicts between hunters and keep public lands cleaner."

These new "carry-in, carry-out" rules will affect all hunting activities on state and federal lands in Michigan.

Chelsea



CHELSEA CUB SCOUTS from Pack 455, Dens 6 and 8, distributed handmade Christmas ornaments to the residents of the Chelsea Retirement Community in December. Den 8 made 236 ornaments and Den 6 wrote notes to go with them. Scouts in the front row are Austin Rodgers, Ben Kellogg, Danny Adams, and Brad Foster. Standing are David Fedele, Louis Seles, Andrew Adams, Dan Maurer, and Steve Crum.

Safety Seminars Slated For Farm Managers

EAST LANSING, Mich.—Farm managers interested in developing a farm safety program can take advantage of sessions on worker protection and safety regulations.

The program will cover general farm safety, worker protection standards, worker's compensation as it relates to farm safety, pesticide handling safety and the use of personal protective equipment.

The dates, times, locations and persons to contact for information are:

Feb. 14, from 9 a.m. to noon at the Southwest Michigan Horticulture Days at St. Joseph. Contact Mark Longstroth, 616-657-7745.

Feb. 20, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the United Methodist Church in Shelby. Contact Norman Myers, 616-873-2129.

Feb. 22, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Alpena Community College. Contact Paul Wegmeyer, 517-354-3636.

Feb. 27, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Somerset Township Hall at Somerset. Contact David Pratt, 517-788-4292.

March 6, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Detroit Edison Service Center in Cass City. Contact Jim LeCureux, 517-269-8099.

March 12, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the MSU Extension office, 963 S. Raisinville Rd., Monroe. Contact Paul Marks, 313-243-7113.

March 14, from 1 to 4 p.m. at

the ISD office in Allegan. Contact Paul Wylie, 616-673-0370.

March 19, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Crystal Mountain Resort near Thompsonville. Contact Andrew Norman, 616-882-0025.

April 3, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Delta Service Center in Escanaba. Contact Warren Schauer, 906-786-3032.

Participants will receive two pesticide recertification credits from the Michigan Department of Agriculture and a notebook covering the contents of the meeting.

The training sessions are being underwritten by a grant from the Michigan Department of Labor safety and education division to the Michigan Farm Bureau and MSU Extension.

Improvements For Hudson Mills

Improvements to the golf course at Hudson Mills Metropolitan Park, including building new comfort stations, planting more trees and improving the drainage on the 10th hole, are just a few of the 83 capital improvement and 61 major maintenance projects included in the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority's budget for 1996, according to Robert W. Marans, HCMA commissioner from Washtenaw County.

A record \$10.35 million has been allocated for capital

MSU Extension Offices Hosts Sheep Referendum

Michigan State University Extension offices across the country will be the sites of a Feb. 6 Sheep Referendum. The question to be posed is whether or not sheep producers favor the Sheep and Wool Promotion, Research, Education and Information Order.

If passed in the referendum, the Order will become final and the program administered by a 120-member Sheep, Promotion, Research, and Information Board comprised of 84 domestic sheep producers, 10 lamb feeders and 25

importers.

An executive committee will develop plans and projects of promotion, research, consumer information, education, industry information and producer information. The program will be funded by a mandatory assessment on domestic sheep producers, lamb feeders, and exporters of live sheep and greasy wool.

Producers, feeders or importers who were engaged in sheep feeding, or importation of sheep or sheep products during the period of January 1 through December 31 are eligible to vote. For additional information, contact Washtenaw County Michigan State University Extension office 313/971-0079.

Home Business Class Slated

Washtenaw County Michigan State University Extension will be sponsoring a home-based business class. This is a beginner-level class designed to provide an understanding of the basics of starting and running a small home-based business. The cost is \$20 per person.

Topics covered will include the following: business planning, using professional help, record keeping, marketing, advertising and promotion, and pricing. The class will be held from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on four consecutive Wednesdays starting March 13 and ending April 3. A certificate of completion will be provided to all participants who complete the entire class.

To obtain a registration form, contact the Washtenaw County MSU Extension office at (313) 971-0079.

\$5.4 million of the capital improvement budget is the result of carryovers from previous years, according to David L. Wahl, controller for the HCMA.

\$100,000 has been budgeted for two comfort stations of the golf course, \$35,000 for course drainage improvements and \$15,000 for tree plantings.

Funds have also been allocated for fencing around the children's play area and fencing around portions of the park, says Marans.

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MAIN STREET FLOWERS has been purchased by Julie Stanley, left, and Gigi Batsakis.

Chelsea Women Buy Main Street Flowers

Area residents Gigi Batsakis and Julie Stanley purchased the Main Street Flower Store Saturday, Jan. 20, and have already changed the decor to fit their personalities.

"Bright. Cheery. Happy. Which is what we are. The perfect way to describe us," said Batsakis of the mood of the store.

Located at 103 N. Main St., the name will change to "Gigi's Flowers and Gifts."

Stanley has owned a florist

shop in Livonia for seven years, while this is Batsakis' first venture.

"We'd like to provide our customers with a friendly atmosphere, wide selection, the traditional flowers to exotic flowers, a very good high-quality flower, one that's going to last and bloom and be enjoyed," Batsakis explained.

"Weddings, banquets, we want to be a full-service florist, do everything that needs to be done," Stanley added.

Community College Offers Builder's License Seminar

Construction tradespeople interested in becoming licensed builders will get a thorough review of construction law and procedure during a six-week course presented by the Washtenaw Community College Construction Institute this February.

Builders Licensing Seminar Section 2 is scheduled for six Mondays beginning February 26, from 6-9 p.m. The fee is \$175.

This seminar will cover construction laws, math, construction procedures, and other

background material needed to pass the builders-licensing examination. Those successfully passing the examination may contract for home repairs, remodeling, and other commercial construction work. For more class information, call (313) 973-3533. To receive the necessary test preparation, participants must attend all six classes.

Pre-registration is required. For more information on the state test, call (313) 887-3034 after 5 p.m.

Today's Turkey Deadline

Feb. 1 is the deadline for submitting hunting license applications for the 1996 spring wild turkey seasons. This year, the seasons will begin April 22.

Applications must be submitted by February 1 by one of these methods:

1. Apply for a license at any local hunting and fishing

license dealer, including any Department of Natural Resources office that sells licenses. (All license dealers are now a part of the statewide electronic licensing system.)

2. Apply by phone with VISA or MasterCard by calling 1-800-898-6367. There is an additional charge to apply by telephone.

Adults With Asthma

Adults age 18 and over who have moderate symptomatic asthma and who are currently undergoing treatment with inhaled steroids for bronchial asthma needed to participate in a study comparing increased doses of inhaled steroid to the addition of a long-acting inhaled bronchodilator to the current inhaled steroid dose. Subjects will receive free physical evaluations and laboratory studies and compensation for participation in the study. The study is being conducted by Allergy and Immunology Associates of Ann Arbor.

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Catherine McAuley Health Center
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Deborah Harsh In Phi Society

Denison University sophomore Deborah Harsh, daughter of Donna M. Harsh of Dexter-Chelsea Road, Dexter, and the late Daniel R. Harsh, was recently named to membership in Denison University's chapter of the Phi Society academic honorary.

Phi Society was founded at Denison in 1928 under the auspices of the University's chapter of Phi Beta Kappa national honorary society. Denison's chapter of Phi Beta Kappa was the first to organize a Phi Society, but the idea has since been adopted by chapters at many other universities. It derives its name from the first Greek letter of the parent society, phi (standing for *Philosophia*, "the love of wisdom"). By initiating sophomores who achieved academic excellence during their freshman year, Phi Society honors those who have taken the first step toward election into the parent organization.

Harsh, a 1994 graduate of Dexter High School and a political science major at Denison, is a dean's list student, a member of the Honors Program and holds a Heritage Scholarship. She volunteers through the Denison Community Association, and is a member of the Student Activities Committee (a student-run organization that programs campus events) and Alpha Chi Omega sorority. Harsh participates in German Club and serves as a hostess for the admissions-office and as a departmental assistant in sociology/anthropology.

Denison University, located in Granville, Ohio, was founded in 1831 and is a privately supported, coeducational college of liberal arts and sciences.

Historic Group Plans Bridge Talk

Washtenaw County Historic District Commission will be co-sponsoring an education session with the Washtenaw County Historical Society. This session will be a lecture about "Preserving Michigan's Historic Highway Bridges."

The speaker will be Professor Charles K. Hyde, from Wayne State University,

Chelsea



NATHAN EISENBERG, MIKE GRIFFITH, JERICA WITULSKI AND CIARRA REILEY of Mrs. Schlup's third-grade class show off what they made at the North Elementary School "Pooh Party" last week. North School kindergartners, first, second and third graders all participated in the annual event in the media center.

Stamp Club Meets Feb. 12

The Ann Arbor Stamp Club will hold its monthly meeting on Monday, evening, Feb. 12, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Member Wally Coble will present a program called "A Canadian Adventure," based on his own stamp collection.

There will also be an auction sale of inexpensive US and foreign stamps.

The meeting is in the Salvation Army building, located at the corner of West Huron Street and Arbana Drive in Ann Arbor. The meeting is open to the public and there is no admission charge. The parking lot is off Arbana, behind the Salvation Army building.

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CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Scio Township

Breaking and Entering
Breaking and entering was reported in the 2300 block of Peters Road, Jan. 26. A 49-year-old township woman told a Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy someone entered her garage between 10:20 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. and stole \$2,500 worth of property. Among the items reported stolen were a generator, rifle, 12-gauge-shotgun and stereo. The detective bureau has been assigned follow-up at area pawn shops.

Breaking and entering was reported at Scio Party Store, 6950 Jackson Rd., Jan. 26. A Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy was dispatched to the store after the burglar alarm was activated at approximately 1:20 a.m. Thieves smashed a single-pane safety glass door and pried apart bars on the front door to gain access. Stolen from the store were \$300 cash and 10 packs of cigarettes valued at \$30. Bottles of liquor were smashed and a video tape was stolen out of the security system. Damage is estimated at \$760.

Breaking and entering was reported at Quiet Zone, 3880 Jackson Rd., Jan. 24. A 51-year-old Ann Arbor man told a Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy someone broke into the muffler and brake shop between 6 p.m. and midnight Jan. 23. The man's alarm company called after three alarms were tripped inside the business. When police arrived, a cash box containing \$50 was discovered missing.

Suspicious Incident
A suspicious incident was reported at Scio Farms Estates, 6655 Jackson Rd., Jan. 25. A 15-year-old girl called Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department for help after a man approached her in the mobile home park. The incident happened at approximately 8:30 a.m. while the girl was walking by herself. A man described as approximately 20 years old was reportedly driving in a Ranger-style vehicle when he blew the horn. The girl said the man pulled his vehicle within 12 feet of her and solicited her. She walked to another trailer as if she was home and he left the area.

Property Damage
Malicious destruction of property was reported at Scio Farms Estates, 6655 Jackson Rd., Jan. 23. The mobile home park manager, 53, called Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department when he discovered damage to a maintenance vehicle. The man told police someone shot out a side window and top light to a 1974 International Fleetstar with a B-B gun. The incident happened between Jan. 19 and Jan. 23. Damage is estimated at \$500. Police have no suspects.

Drunken Driving
A 52-year-old Manchester man was arrested for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor on Baker Road near I-94, Jan. 23. A Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy was called to the scene of a property damage crash. The suspect reportedly smelled of intoxicants and was swaying and stumbling around the crash scene in which he was involved in. The man admitted to drinking two pitchers of beer. He failed field sobriety tests and was taken to jail. His blood-alcohol level was not reported.

Sylvan Township

Stolen Vehicle
A 1991 Ford Taurus was reported stolen from Vogel's Party Store, 20490 M-52, Jan. 25. A 43-year-old Gregory woman reported the vehicle stolen to a Washtenaw County

Sheriff's deputy. The car was taken between 10 p.m. Jan. 24 and 7:45 a.m. Jan. 25. The woman told police she parked it at the store because she was trying to sell it. The vehicle is valued at \$5,500.

Recovered Stolen Vehicle
A 1985 GMC Blazer reported stolen out of Jackson County was recovered in the 4900 block of Loveland Road, Jan. 23. A Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy was called to the scene at 11:35 a.m. when the manager of a gravel pit called police regarding a vehicle roll over in the gravel pit. The deputy ran the license plate number through the Law Enforcement Information Network, where it came up stolen.

Assault and Battery
Assault and battery was reported in the 800 block of Lowry Road, Jan. 14. A 28-year-old Chelsea woman told a Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy her brother and his girlfriend attacked her after a verbal confrontation. She said her brother's girlfriend punched her chin and her brother pushed her across the porch. The victim said she went to her brother's home after spending the evening with him and his girlfriend drinking alcohol at a local Chelsea tavern. The case remains under investigation pending a police interview with the suspects.

Lima Township

Recovered Stolen Vehicle
A 1990 Chevy GMT 400 was recovered in a cornfield on Lima Center Road near Jerusalem Road, Jan. 18. The farmer who owns the cornfield discovered the vehicle at 2:10 p.m. while he was driving along Lima Center Road. The vehicle was 150 feet into the field and sustained front-end damage, flat tire and other damage as a result of a fire set inside.

Dexter Village

Breaking and Entering
Breaking and entering was reported in the 8100 block of Forest Street, Jan. 23. A 69-year-old woman contacted Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department when she discovered 50 checks missing from her home. The woman's 18-year-old granddaughter notified her that her two other grandchildren not allowed in the home came over and took the checks. A prosecutor will review the case.

Domestic Assault
Domestic assault and battery was reported in the 7900 block of Grand Street, Jan. 23. A 32-year-old woman told a Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy her ex-husband attacked her after they spent the evening drinking alcohol at the bar. The victim told police they argued and he grabbed her by her head and someone cut her lip. The couple's nine-year-old boy heard them arguing, but did not witness the assault. The couple has been divorced since 1994, but still live together.

Fire
A fire was reported at Colobok, 2810 Baker Rd., Jan. 27. Employees at the business called for help at approximately 10:30 a.m. when they smelled smoke in the building. A 42-year-old man witnessed cardboard boxes on fire. The boxes were stored close to a ceiling gas furnace. Dexter Area Fire Department responded to the scene.

Dexter Township

Warrant Arrest
Gary S. Michaelfelder, 37, of Ann Arbor was arrested on North Territorial Road near

Stoffer Road, Jan. 23. Michaelfelder was wanted on a warrant for violation of probation and second offense drunken driving.

Chelsea Village

Health and Safety
Chelsea Police investigated a diesel oil spill at BookCrafters, 140 Buchanan St., Jan. 24. Police were called to the business on a health and safety complaint when a Blissfield man driving a semi-truck spilled an estimated 70 gallons of fuel. The driver told police he drove over a storm sewer grate and it popped up, striking the bottom of the fuel tank and causing it to rupture. Chelsea Fire Department and the Department of Public Works also responded to the scene. The mess was contained with absorbent material. Photographs of the scene were taken for evidence.

Property Damage
Malicious destruction of property was reported at Village Mobil, 1629 S. Main St., Jan. 24. A Detroit man said he and his sister pulled off I-94 to get gas when an argument ensued. He locked his sister out of their mother's 1989 Chevy vehicle and she smashed the window to gain entry. When he was inside the gas station calling police, the 41-year-old man's sister sped off in the car. She later returned to give him a ride home, but he refused. He filed a complaint with Chelsea Police and was taken to the bus depot for a ride home. Police are waiting for the siblings' mother to call and confirm she wants to press charges against her daughter.

Fleeing and Eluding Police, Possession Drug Paraphernalia
Chelsea Police arrested two Manchester teens Jan. 22 after a high-speed chase from M-52 near Jerusalem Road to Peckins Road near Scio Church Road. A Chelsea Police officer got permission to stop the teens for speeding after clocking them on radar at 85 mph in the county patrol area. The boys, ages 17 and 18, ignored the flashing lights and siren and took the officer past Chrysler Proving Grounds and down Scio Church Road at speeds topping 90 mph. The 1989 Honda the 17-year-old boy was driving slid off the roadway and into a ditch at the intersection of Peckins and Scio Church Roads. When questioned, the driver said he didn't stop because he feared his insurance rates would increase if he received a speeding ticket. Inside the vehicle, police found a wooden billy club, water pipe with suspected marijuana residue, marijuana cigarette paper and brass knuckles.

Open Intoxicants, Drivers License Violation
An 18-year-old Chelsea man was arrested by Chelsea Po-

lice Jan. 20 on S. Main Street near Old US-12. The teen was stopped in the parking lot of Great Lakes Bancorp because it was known he was driving with a suspended driver's license. Police also found open intoxicants and what appeared to be marijuana in the teen's 1989 Pontiac Grand Am. The suspect was cited for driving with a suspended driver's license, having open intoxicants in a motor vehicle and violation of the controlled substance act.

Larceny
Larceny was reported at Chelsea High School, 500 Washington St., Jan. 20. A Chelsea resident called police when four hubcaps were stolen off his 1990 Plymouth Voyager van. The vehicle was parked unattended in the high school lot for two hours. Damage is estimated at \$200.

Larceny was reported at Polly's Market, 1101 S. Main St., Jan. 18. The store's manager called Chelsea Police at 2:45 p.m. when he witnessed a man stealing three packs of cigarettes and two 20-ounce bottles of soda. The manager confronted the thief, but the suspect was able to get away, heading east bound on Old US-12 with two passengers in the vehicle. The license plate on the vehicle was registered to a Leslie woman. She told police her ex-husband, who has an extensive criminal record, likely took her license plate and put it on his 1978 Chevy. The suspect was identified through an arrest photo with Jackson City Police Department. The suspect was identified as Marvin Patton of Ypsilanti. He is wanted on three criminal warrants.

Warrant Arrest
Joseph D. Brown, 26, of Stockbridge was arrested by Chelsea Police on M-52 north of Waterloo Road. Brown was wanted on an outstanding warrant for a license plate violation. His driver's license has subsequently been suspended. Brown was stopped in his 1971 Ford at 1:30 a.m.

(All information compiled by associate editor Michelle Rogers and obtained through reports filed with the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department and Chelsea Police.)

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Muscular Dystrophy Lock-up Serving Time for Good Cause

Chelsea business leaders and community members will be locked-up to "Serve Time for Good" at Palmer Ford-Mercury on Tuesday, Feb. 6, in an effort to raise funds for the South Central Michigan chapter of the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Local desperadoes will be taken into custody by a band of western lawmen and transported to the jail in the Palmer Ford showroom.

The first jailbirds will be sentenced at 10 a.m. The "Judge" has set the bail for each of the convicts at \$1,000 in pledges and donations to MDA.

MDA fights 40 neuromuscular diseases through worldwide research efforts in a nationwide network of hospital-affiliated clinics. Also, MDA assists with the purchase of wheel chairs at no direct cost to the client or their family and funds support groups for the families. In addition, this year's lock-up will help defray the \$400 cost of sending children to summer camp. All funds raised will be used locally.

For more information on how to participate or turn someone in to be "locked-up," contact Camille Johnson at (517) 694-7787.

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Michigan State Police Detachment Post Housed at Chelsea Fire Hall

The Ypsilanti post of the Michigan Department of State Police, which covers all of Washtenaw County, has shared space with the Chelsea Fire Department since the fall of 1994. Now, they're saying thank you.

The MDSP has purchased two signs, one for the fire department and one for the state police, in appreciation of the village's cooperation, said

First Lieutenant Garry Kregelka, post commander in Ypsilanti. The signs adorn the exterior of the Chelsea Fire Hall.

The state police detachment is composed of two officers based in the fire hall and is designed to provide area residents with faster and more responsive service, Kregelka explained.

"We established the detachments as a result of some

strategic planning that we did three or four years ago. The idea was to put officers closer to the communities they serve," Kregelka explained.

He noted that if officers servicing Chelsea first had to report to the Ypsilanti post, much important time would be wasted in travel. Also, Kregelka said, the local nature of the Chelsea outpost, one of three in Washtenaw County,

had an added benefit beyond just efficiency.

"The idea is to get to know the area better, get to know the people, have the people know (the officers) so they can be more effective," Kregelka concluded.



Wilson Ends Training

Angie Wilson, a 1995 Chelsea High School graduate, completed Naval Basic Training in Great Lakes, Ill., Aug. 18.

Wilson attended "A" school in aviation ordnance at the Naval Air Tactical Training Center-Memphis in Millington, Tenn. After eight weeks of classes, tests and hands-on training, she graduated from Aviation Ordnance Airman Recruit Nov. 21.

Since December 12, Wilson has been stationed at the Naval Air Station in Sigonella, Sicily.

Wilson is the daughter of Debbie and Bob Wilson of Waterloo, sister of Bobby Wilson and granddaughter of JoAnn and Cecil Clouse of Waterloo and Sharon and Bob Wilson of Crawfordsville, Fla.



CHELSEA FIRE CHIEF Dan Ellenwood, left, and Michigan State Police First Lt. Garry Kregelka pose in front of their joint facility.

'The 1940s Radio Hour' Opens Feb. 29 in Chelsea

Audition night is history and now the work begins for the cast of Chelsea Area Players Winter show "The 1940s Radio Hour" directed by Dan Brinkley. The recreation of a 1940's era radio broadcast where the audience is the live studio audience stars many of the area's finest talent. Tom Peckham as (Pop's) Bailey, Joann Weber (Stella), Art Finger (Clifton A. Fiddington), Garry Klink (Wally Fergusson), Jerry Martell (Lou Cohn), Tobin Hisong (Johnny Cantone), Meg DeWall (Ginger Brooks), Mer-

cedes Hammer (Connie Miller), David Bareis (B.J. Gibson), Phil Powers (Neal Tilden), Rowan Baker (Ann Collier), Cathy Simpson (Geneva Lee Browne), and Michael Baker as (Biff Baker).

The Players have once again chosen a dinner theater format for this year's production due to the overwhelming popularity of last year's format during *Lend Me A Tenor*. Several improvements have been made to improve visibility for audiences including a raised stage, less seating capacity per

performance, and relocation of the stage to the middle of the building. Stage relocation alone means no seat in the audience is more than 30 feet away from the actors.

Performance dates are the first two weekends in March, opening night is Feb. 29 (Leap Day). Tickets are on sale at the Chelsea Pharmacy. For more information call Clara Smith at 475-9800 days or 475-8713 evenings. Performances are at the Chelsea Community Fairgrounds.



THE CAST of Chelsea Area Players' production of "1940s Radio Hour."

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	M	6:45-7:45 p.m.	Step Shaping Circuit
	T/Th	6:30-8:30 p.m.	Step
	T/Th	6:45-7:45 p.m.	Step
	W/Fr	5:45-6:45 p.m.	Step
Dance Arts Academy - Chelsea	Sat	8:00-9:00 p.m.	Step Intro to Step
	Sat	9:15-10:15 p.m.	Aerobics/Step
Grass Lake Elementary School	M/T/W/Th	9:00-10:00 p.m.	Aerobics
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BEATA FIDO AND DANNY JACOBS portray two Armenian immigrants who try to start a new life together in "Beast on the Moon".

'Beast On The Moon' May Be PRTC Best

Review by Steven W. Daut
Special Writer

In my opinion, standing ovations are terribly overused by the American public. Too often, we are willing to bestow this honor on merely good, or even mediocre plays, which makes the gesture less meaningful. This honor should be reserved only for the best of the best, for the truly brilliant or exceptional. In the case of the standing ovation given at the end of the opening night performance of *Beast on the Moon* at the Purple Rose Theatre Company, I join enthusiastically. It is the first one I have agreed with in many years. The only flaw is the title. Even knowing what it refers to, I don't understand the choice of titles.

Beast on the Moon is the story of two Armenian immigrants who escaped the Armenian Genocide by the Turks and are brought together in Milwaukee during the 1920's. Aram Tomasian pursues the American dream by setting up a photography business and arranges for a young Armenian orphan named Seta to become his mail-order bride and join him in Wisconsin. The play starts as he brings her home, and things get rocky almost immediately. A mix-up at the mail order house and her reaction to his planned consummation of the marriage makes it clear that Aram's carefully laid-out plan for their lives is headed for trouble. Seta is not what Aram expected in a wife, and she stubbornly refuses to see herself as he wants her to be.

She does submit to him in one area... trying to uphold her duties as a wife, and to present him with some fine children. Their efforts become ritualistic and, in one riveting scene, takes the form of barely controlled brutality. The mounting suspicion that she cannot bear him the children he is so desperate for, and his denial of the reality leads to the major confrontation of the first scene, in which she fights back with the Bible, the very tool he has used to keep her under his control. In his backlash, he devastates her with his words and she loses her wide-eyed awe of him as her exalted husband.

The second act opens on a more mature relationship, and their backgrounds begin to unfold as his dreams begin to be realized. His photography business is expanding and she has settled into a grudging acceptance of her fate. When she begins to bring in orphans off the street, he objects, becoming even more protective. Though things have calmed somewhat, his unbending insistence on clinging to the shreds of his plan still threaten their relationship. The turning point comes with Seta's symbolic line, "Now you are wearing two coats. Do you see yourself?" Eventually he does begin to see himself, and they learn to live and love as a family in their new homeland.

Beast on the Moon was written by Richard Kalinoski, and the script is the tightest I have seen in a long time. Few words are wasted. Often a wealth of deep emotion emerges from a single sentence, or even a word or two. There are echoes throughout the play, and every object functions as a symbol, sometimes for one thing, sometimes for many. The table becomes a cage and a shelter. The picture becomes symbolic of a brutal slaughter and of hope for the future. The meanings of words and phrases grow richer as they echo through the dialogue. As an example, near the end of scene one, Aram repeats virtually the same words to Seta that she used to draw him out of himself just moments before.

The play and direction makes full use of the script. Director Suzi Regan and main players Danny Jacobs as Aram and Beata Fido as Seta have accomplished something rarely experienced in small theater. They have filled the stage with a richness and depth that keeps the audience at rapt attention, even during long periods of silence. We weep with these people, laugh and hope with them. When Seta tries to draw Aram out of himself, the audience struggles with her, feels her desperation. I don't know how they do it, but these actors make their presence felt on the stage and the audience is pulled, helpless, into their lives. The execution is simply awe-inspiring.

Peter Bellanca as the Gentleman/Narrator and Anthony Caselli as the young boy Vincent provide strong support for the two main roles, with moments of lighthearted playfulness as well as deep despair. Set and lighting design by Francesca Callow, costume design by Edith Leavis Bookstein, and stage management by Wendy Henning combine to blend this production into a coherent whole.

Tickets can be obtained by calling the Purple Rose Theatre Company Box Office at (313) 475-7902. If you plan on seeing only one dramatic play this year, I can recommend *Beast on the Moon* without reservation. The play is superb, and certainly destined to gain nationwide prominence. A hearty congratulations to the PRTC for this one, and a thank you for the experience.

Rotary Club Hears Speaker On Children's Clothing

Breeda Kelly Miller of Manchester was the speaker recently at the Tuesday noon meeting of Chelsea Rotary Club. Her topic was "Making Children's Outergarments Safe." After the tragic death of a little girl in Ann Arbor, Breeda decided to do something. Suggestions from family and friends, prompted her to try to make children's outergarments safer. She experimented with Velcro closures and came up with items that would be safer.

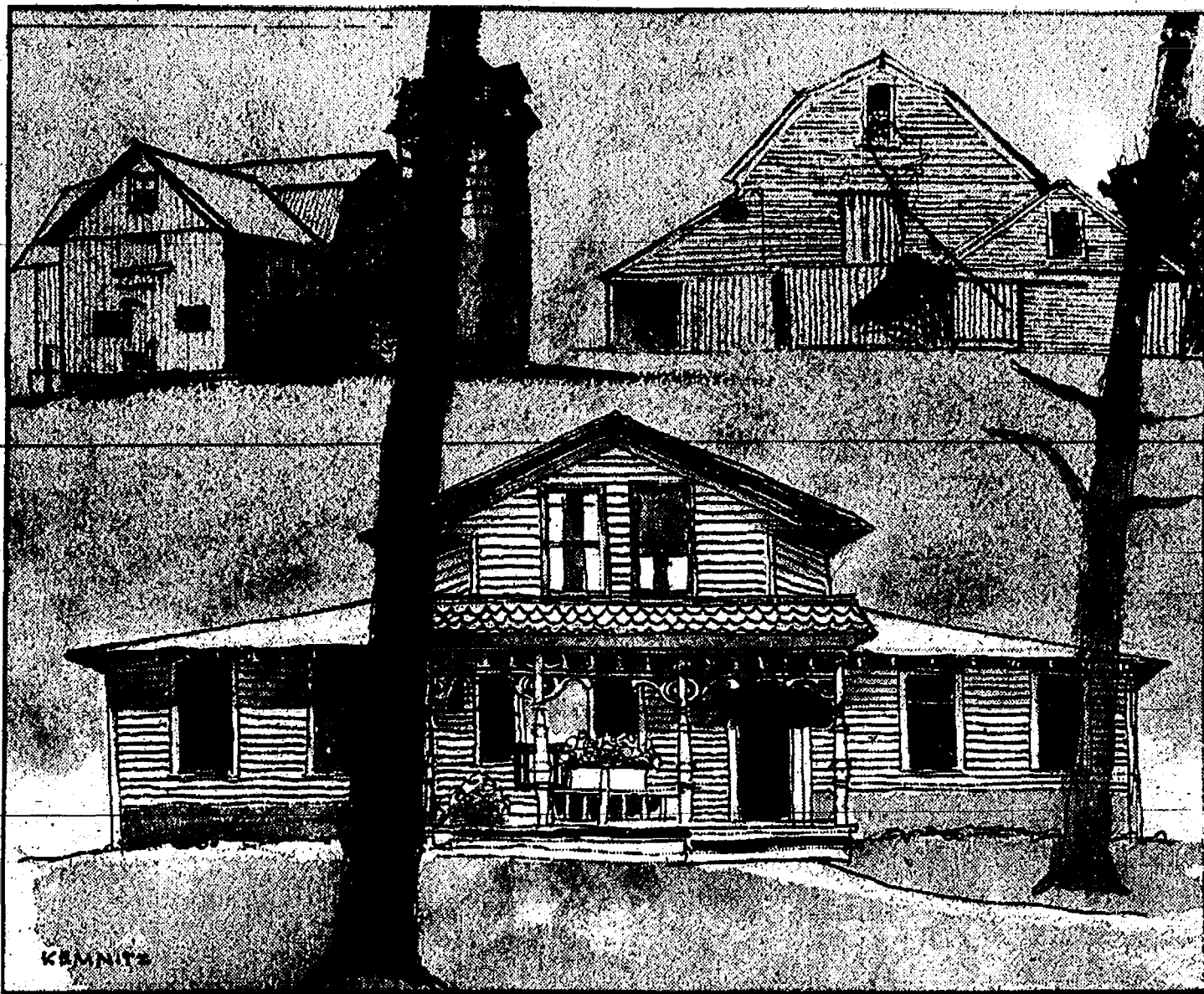
Several ladies make the items and they are marketed locally under the trade mark (Bees Wing, Co. was born and are the manufacturer of the Safety Smart Scarf.)

Locally, Breeda teaches the Dale Carnegie course.

Breeda and her husband are parents to three adopted Korean children. The latest addition to the family is Evan Thomas, 22 months old.

Speaker at the Feb. 6 meeting will be the Rev. Jeff Crowder, pastor of the newly formed Church of the Nazarene, Chelsea.

The Way It Was



DEPICTION of the first house in Sylvan Township.

Sylvan Township's First House

By Kathy Clark
Special Writer

The first frame house built in Sylvan Township is portrayed by Ann Arbor artist Milton Kemnitz' watercolor from the archives of the Chelsea Area Historical Society. The house and outbuildings were located at the site of the former Weinberg Dairy on Old US-12, west of the village limits.

Cyrus Beckwith, Sylvan's first white settler, arrived from Ann Arbor on Oct. 18, 1830 to clear his land. He was the first man to hold the office of Washtenaw County Register of Deeds. The following are a few descriptions gleaned in the 1970s from people who lived on or knew the farm.

"The house was deceptive in looks, unpretentious in design, though spacious and commodious. Little did the outside suggest these features with an array of hallways and rooms which seemed endless. It boasted a back stairway which in old farm houses was a convenience for the hired man. Gracing the walls of the ancient barn were many mementos and artifacts which recaptured a colorful time and way of life that is part of this region's living past."

Luella Weinberg. "I remember dressing up in old-time clothes hanging in an unused room, left there by early inhabitants, their style predating the Civil War. The house extended well to the north

with a seemingly chain of rooms and buildings, terminating with an 'outhouse' of very generous proportions—attached, no less."

Mrs. Merle Barr Elden Weinberg, bowing his head in sober reflection, he pondered the information given him, then smiling, he volunteered, "Yes, I support all the information, but, relative to that last building mentioned, I may elaborate a bit. It had accommodations for 'seven guests'."

The Beckwith house was torn down in 1933 and replaced with the existing Tudor style home. One can still observe the pioneer barn standing at the 20056 Old US-12 farm, with a large sailboat parked in the front.

Fritzemeier Returns To Lead Orchestras

By Scott Bishop
Staff Writer

Orchestra teacher and director Jed Fritzemeier may have thought he'd left Chelsea behind years ago, but after stops in three other northern states he has returned to Michigan and Chelsea to guide the school's orchestra program.

Fritzemeier, who taught in Chelsea from 1985 through 1989, returned to the school this past October. With a performing orchestral musician's background, he relies on a love of both performance and teaching to reach his students.

"I feel that the gifts that I have (are), I love people, I'm a people person number one, and the other thing I have is I love to refine and make music. I think that a lot of people teach with the idea of one, or the other, but I like them both. So the combination (is) what makes me a strong teacher. My demands for the kids really have to do with the music, and they understand that. That's a common bond and a thread that we have. It's the greatest job in the world," Fritzemeier said.

Fritzemeier and his wife, Nancy, made the decision to move from Chelsea while expecting their first child in 1989. They went back to Fritzemeier's hometown of Sioux Falls, S.D., where he became orchestra director at a local high school.

Finding little interest in the orchestra program, dissatisfied with the low pay and unable to return to Chelsea because there was no teaching opening, the Fritzemeier family moved to Wisconsin the next year. There Fritzemeier not only directed the Waukegan North High School orchestra but coached a successful track team as well.

The team won a state championship and the orchestra program flourished, but



POPULAR ORCHESTRA DIRECTOR Jed Fritzemeier has returned to Chelsea after six years at other schools.

budget uncertainty drove Fritzemeier to a teaching position at Roseville Area High School in Minnesota after three years in Wisconsin.

In 1994, his first year in Minnesota, Fritzemeier learned that Peter Rosheger, who replaced him back in 1989, had left and a position in Chelsea was open.

But with Nancy expecting another child, the Fritzemeier family wasn't ready to move.

But when the opportunity arose in October of 1995, Fritzemeier jumped at the chance to lead Chelsea's orchestra again. The once and future conductor explained Chelsea's appeal.

"Chelsea offers me an autonomy that no other place does, number one. And number two, there is a quality here that's tough to come by."

"I had solid programs wherever I went. I didn't go places that I really didn't think I could succeed at. But kids in Chelsea take it just a little bit more seriously. They're willing to go get lessons. They're willing to do

some things that really will make the program be a step above other programs."

"Plus, I like living in Chelsea. The small town community, I want to raise my kids here. I think it's a wonderful place," Fritzemeier said.

Though he describes his current job directing both middle school and high school orchestral programs as the most challenging of his career, Fritzemeier is reveling in his return to Chelsea.

In addition to helping revitalize an orchestral program that had fallen off in the past year, Fritzemeier said the area offers plenty of opportunity for him to perform in a more professional setting.

A veteran of the Toledo Orchestra during his years in Michigan, Fritzemeier is playing occasionally with the Ann Arbor Orchestra and plans to audition there or in Flint, Toledo or Jackson in the fall.

"I would love to be able to combine my careers and both teach and play," Fritzemeier concluded.

Cider Mill To Expand Offerings

By Michelle Rogers
Associate Editor

Dexter Cider Mill has been a local tradition for more than a century. An historic landmark and oldest yearly-operated cider mill in the state, it has been a badge of pride for many who live here.

Coming this spring, the Chelsea family who operates the traditional cider mill at 2685 Central St., has plans to open a year-round country fruit and vegetable market to compliment the business.

Richard Koziski and his son-in-law, Roger Black, received a variance last week from Dexter Village Zoning Board of Appeals that will allow them to expand the site to accommodate the proposed market.

Black, who is involved in the wholesale fruit and vegetable business, will help operate the market as part of the over-all family operation. Black said the Koziski family experimented with a produce stand last summer and was successful. Local residents urged them to keep it open year-round.

"It went very, very well," Black said. "This new spot should be much more conducive to retail sale of fruit and vegetables."

The addition will include construction of a 30 by 40 foot structure alongside the west portion of the mill. The proposed market will be housed on the first floor with a basement used as a storage facility.

Besides selling fresh fruits and vegetables, the family plans to offer freshly baked bread from the Chamberlin Bakery, an authentic German bakery in Detroit. Black said he hopes to sell five to six different types of bread, including rye, raisin, pumpernickel and sourdough. He would also like to introduce a variety of other items, such as pistachio, dried pastas, rice and dairy items.

"We will also try to carry a wide variety of Michigan apples to stay with the theme of the mill," Black said.

Other fruits to be sold include all types of citrus, as well as peaches and pears. Sweet corn will be offered during the summer and a wide variety of salad toppings year-round.

"We're also exploring the idea of possibly a small bulk food area in the retail spot," Black said.

Black plans to offer fruit baskets during the holidays and freshly cut flowers. Katherine Koziski's Dexter Cider Mill cookbook will also be on sale.

"This will be a country fruit and vegetable market with a number of other items that are somewhat unique," Black explained. "We will be stressing freshness and competitive pricing."

Black's sister-in-law, Nancy Steinhauer, will manage the market.

The Koziski family has owned the cider mill for the past decade. They purchased the site from Katie and Fred Wagner, whose family operated it for approximately 85 years.

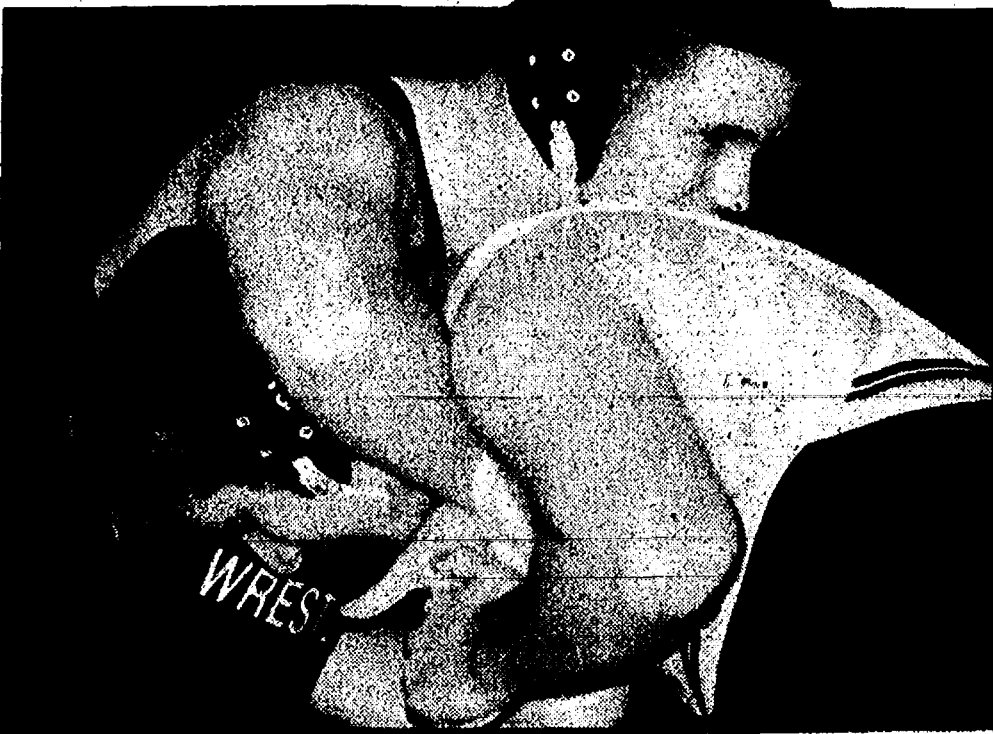
The cider mill has traditionally been open mid-August through late-November. It has been widely supported by the community and promoted through Apple Daze, a community event organized through Dexter Area Chamber of Commerce.

WMU Names Dean's List

The following students were named to the Dean's List at Western Michigan University for the fall term of 1995. Each student maintained at least a 3.5 grade point average. Chelsea: Jason Stewart and Shauna Woods. Grass Lake: Jennifer Schulz and Amy Wright. Gregory: Tamara Chase.

SPORTS

Lets Go Bulldogs!



JOE BARKMAN, below, may have been the underdog but he emerged as one of the heroes of Chelsea's victory over the Dexter Dreadnaughts last Thursday.

Wrestlers Whip Dreadnaughts

Chelsea wrestlers had one of their most successful and exciting weeks ever last week as they stopped arch-rival Dexter on Thursday at home and placed second in the 12-team Belleville Invitational on Saturday.

Down 28-20 with three matches to go against the Dreadnaughts, whom they hadn't beaten since 1991, Chelsea's wrestlers Andy Kargel (189), Jordan Dyer (215) and Joe Barkman (275) recorded successive pins to give Chelsea a 38-28 victory.

"Joe Barkman was the hero," said coach Kerry Kargel. "He hadn't been winning all that much this year but Thursday he got to be a very important part of the team."

Going into Barkman's match, the Bulldogs were up 32-28. All the sophomore had to do was lose by a decision for the Bulldogs to win. Once Barkman recorded the pin midway through the third period, pandemonium erupted on the Chelsea bench and in the stands. Even Dexter coach Mike Klapperich ran across the mat and enthusiastically congratulated Chelsea wrestlers. It was the first loss in 30 Southeastern Conference matches for the Dreadnaughts.

Saline leads the SEC while Dexter and Chelsea are in second with one loss. Dexter and Saline have yet to wrestle each other, and there's a good possibility of a three-way tie going into the league meet.

At 103 pounds, Todd Pearsall lost a major decision to Dexter's undefeated Justin McLean, 16-3.

"That saved us two points," Kargel said, referring to the fact that Pearsall didn't get pinned.

At 112 pounds, Chelsea's Dan Blough pinned Cory Mann in :38.

Kevin Bollinger lost a close 9-5 decision to Dexter's Bill Brushaber at 119 pounds.

In one of the most thrilling matches, Chelsea's Ray Hatch beat state qualifier Pete Karageorge in double overtime, 5-3. According to the rules, Karageorge had to escape in the second period but couldn't do it.

At 130 pounds, Chelsea's Matt Tuttle was pinned by state qualifier Paul Wisniewski in 3:45.

Koby Foytik won the 135-pound match with a pin of Dexter's Adam Howison in 2:30.

Chelsea's Brent Young won a 15-0 technical fall over

Steve Shank at 140 pounds. Dexter's Shannon Stahlin pinned Jamie Holzhausen in 4:20 at 145 pounds.

At 152, Brian Hall lost a 5-1 decision to Dexter's Adam French.

Dexter's Ben Boyce won the 160-pound match with an 8-3 decision over Mike Alber.

At 172 pounds, Mike Thayer was defeated by Dexter's Andy Shank, 10-3.

Coach Kerry Kargel shuffled his line-up around for the final three matches. His son, Andy, pinned Matt Emmerich in 1:24 at 189 pounds. Dyer pinned Steve Trinkle in :38 at 215 pounds, and Barkman pinned Mark Gaffney in 5:05 at 275.

"It's been a long time, ever since Mike Terpstra graduated, since we've had a heavy-weight win," Kargel said of Barkman.

On Saturday, Chelsea, with 189.5 points, finished second to Adrian, with 222. Dexter took third with 161.5. Chelsea and Dexter accounted for seven champions.

Chelsea had four champions. Hatch at 125, Foytik at 135, Young at 140, and Dyer at 189.

Hatch had another tough match with Dexter's Pete Karageorge in the finals, taking a 3-2 win.

Young beat Rusty Dull of Adrian in overtime after a 4-4 tie in regulation.

Foytik dethroned John Carmona of Lincoln Park, 5-3.

Dyer won a 7-2 decision over Brian James of South Lyon, a state qualifier last year.

Thayer and Kargel also reached the finals but lost. Thayer stopped Dexter's Shank in the semi-finals, 5-4, to avenge Thursday's loss, but lost 8-0 in the finals.

Kargel, wrestling at 215, lost to 6'7" Kurt LaRoy of St. Mary's Catholic Central, 15-8.

Other Chelsea placers included Bollinger, fourth at 119, with a loss to Ricky Terrence of Northville, 6-0; Alber, third at 140 with a win over Brad Bailey of South Lyon in the consolation finals; and Barkman, fourth at 275 with a loss to Mark Importa of Aquinas in consolation finals.

Others who made the trip included Pearsall at 103 (1-2), Blough at 112 (1-2), Hall at 152 (1-2), and Bloomensaat at 145 (2-2).

"Overall, each week we're seeing some improvement," Kargel said.

Varsity Volleyball Tops Milan at Home

By Donna Gundie-Krieg
Special Writer

It was another busy week for Chelsea women's varsity volleyball team as they won at home Monday night against Milan and lost Thursday night at Dexter. They also placed 19th out of 32 teams in the University of Michigan Dearborn Invitational Tournament Saturday.

The team ended the week with an overall record for the season of 8-6. Their record for the southeastern conference is now 2-3.

"We have a big advantage the remainder of the season with five of our seven remaining league matches at home," said coach Dan Montgomery. Last year, the team did not lose at home in league play.

Monday night was Chelsea's first home league match this year. As usual, they fared well in familiar territory and beat Milan with the scores of 15-11 and 15-4.

Senior Heidi Kemnitz led Monday's games with eight kills and 15 digs; senior Liz Holdsworth had nine digs; senior Carrie Buss had eight digs; senior Sara Petty had seven digs; senior Heidi Wehrwein had six kills and there were three kills each for senior Melissa Carty and junior Erin Montgomery.

The Bulldogs did not do so well Thursday night as they lost to Dexter by the scores of 15-10, 6-15 and 11-15.

Thursday's team leaders were Montgomery with two kills, six aces and nine digs; Petty with two kills, three aces and 11 digs; junior Jennifer Space with two kills, two aces and eight digs; Carty with two aces and nine digs; Wehrwein with three kills and Kemnitz with two kills.

Saturday's tournament at the University of Michigan Dearborn was an important one for Montgomery, who is also the assistant coach at U-M Dearborn. The tournament had 32 teams from southeastern Michigan participating.

"The level of play was excellent throughout the tournament, and the matches were all good, exciting matches," said Montgomery.

"This was only our second tournament this year, and we really had a chance to refine our play."

Chelsea began by splitting all three matches in pool play. The scores were 7-15 and 15-12 against Plymouth-Canton; 5-15 and 15-7 against Ypsilanti and 15-1 and 3-15 against Detroit Western.

Their pool play scores put them in the "consolation playoffs" where they started out by beating Clintondale 15-1 and 15-8.

The Bulldogs then advanced to face Livonia Stevenson in the quarterfinals, where they won the match with three close games, 11-15, 15-9 and 15-9.

The team was eliminated in the semifinals by Livonia-Clarenceville, 7-15 and 7-15.

Montgomery noted that the Chelsea players improved their performance as the tournament progressed.

"Overall, I was very pleased," he said.

Tournament statistics were as follows: Petty had 17 aces and 58 digs; Montgomery had 13 aces, 31 kills and eight solo stuff blocks; Wehrwein had ten aces, 16 kills, 49 digs and one solo stuff block; Space had 13 kills; Carty had 11 kills and two solo stuff blocks and Buss had 47 digs.

CHS Freshman Comeback Falls Just a Little Short

The freshman Bulldogs dropped a 46-44 decision to Saline on Monday, Jan. 22, rallying in the final moments but unable to overcome a big Hornet lead.

Trailing by 11 points with only 2:00 to go, Chelsea picked up the pace to get within two with 0:24 left, with the ball and a chance to win.

Two Bulldog shots went awry, however, and Saline escaped. Chelsea coach Kyle Plank said Saline's aggressiveness caused his team

problems throughout the game.

Plank said that Drew Henson, who led the scoring with 10 points, was Chelsea's most consistent and aggressive player.

Their third straight loss dropped the Bulldog record to 5-4 after a good start, but Plank remained optimistic about the remainder of the season. "We've had some good practices (lately) and hopefully we can turn it around," he said.

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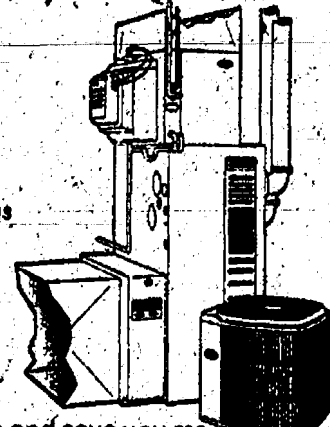


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High Game: M. Wynn, 194
High Series: M. Wynn, 499

MID MORNING MIXER (as of 1-27)
Bushwackers
Team 1
Slammers
Speedy Bullets
Bee Gees
Low Riders

W L
86 54
79 61
73.5 66.5
62 78
66.5 73.5
53 87

High Games:
M. Early, 155; R. Gray, 163
High Series:
M. Early, 406; D. Canter, 442

YOUTH MIXED LEAGUE (as of 1-27)
The Wedgies
G War
Three Musketeers
Chelsea Lanes
Super Impact
Steelers
Chelsters
Mi Casa
Team 37
The Team
Pin Smashers
Strike Force

W L
85 53
85 53
83 57
82 58
78 62
68 72
66 74
61 79
51 79
59 81
48 94

High Games:
S. Steele, 221; A. Sweet, 217
High Series:
S. Steele, 524; A. Sweet, 512

CHELSEA LANES MIXED (as of 1-26)
Lima Beans
Green Hills Landscaping
MTF
Double E
Hot Sauce
Looney Toons
Two of Us
Jelly Beans

W L
94 67
93 68
80 81
80 74
79 82
76 85
75 72
53 10

High Games:
J. Schulze, 203; M. Schnaidt, 206
High Series:
D. Tarbush, 549; R. Zatorski, 585

JUNIOR HOUSE (as of 1-25)
North Lake Store
Mark IV Lounge
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5 23

High Game: J. Anderson, 276
High Series: J. Anderson, 650

SUN NITE COMEONS (as of 1-28)
Who Cares
Proctor Racing
Still Rollin
D&C
Pin Busters
S&P 300
YoYo
St. Stan's
Fire and Ice
The Big Dogs
Waterloo Aces
T Co
VIPs
Spits-R-U

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40 44
36 48
35 42
31 46
28 56
16 54

High Games:
K. Sirock, 213; R. Calkins, 247
High Series:
K. Sirock, 542; R. Calkins, 619

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Vogel's Party Store
J&J Building Restoration
Oops
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High Games:
K. Sirock, 213; R. Calkins, 247
High Series:
K. Sirock, 542; R. Calkins, 619

High Game: M. Weston, 171
High Series: P. Paige, 488

SENIOR FUN TIME (as of 1-24)
Spliters
Goodbyes
Strikers
Rejects
Go Getters
Hallucinations
Kegglers
G&B
Fala

W L
25 3
22 6
18 10
17 11
16 12
14 14
14 14
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LEISURE TIME (as of 1-18)
Misfits
Late Ones
Sweetstrollers
Doves
High Game: K. Hawwood, 219
High Series: K. Hawwood, 536

W L
40 32
40 32
33.5 38.5
30.5 41.5

High Games:
M. McCarthy, 184; R. Curcio, 205
High Series:
L. Wright, 488; R. Curcio

SUN NITE LEFTOVERS (as of 1-07)
Tami's M&M's
S&M
Dedo Jajo
Gamblers
Bowldozers
Our Aching Backs
No Difference
Bombers
Spartitimers
4 Balls & 2 Misses
Sparks

W L
55 22
50 27
49 28
44 33
42 35
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41 36
40 37
34 43
33 44
25 52

High Games:
D. Hollister, 179; D. Noye, 239
High Series:
D. Hollister, 474; J. Packard, 550

CHELSEA SUBURBAN (as of 1-24)
3D
McCalla Feeds
Office Products Outlet
Flow Ezy
Stage Stop
Chelsea Lanes
Amgen
James Bauer Construction
Schulz Enterprise
Hamilton Building
Braun-Brumfield
Rick's Enigma

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92 55
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81 66
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High Game: S. McCalla, M. Larder
High Series: S. McCalla, 561

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76 87
75 85
69 71
69 71
66 74
65 75
59 81
53 80
47 93

High Game: M. Northrup, 222
High Series: M. Northrup, 590

SENIOR HOUSE (as of 1-29)
Bollinger Sanitation
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High Game: R. Clouse, Jr. 279
High Series: R. Clouse, Jr.

CHELSEA BANTAMS (as of 1-27)
Horter
Hinderer
Daniel
Each

W L
83 32
59 41
53 47
53 47

High Games:
B. Hinderer, 91
High Series: B. Hinderer, 174
High Games: M. J. Boyer, 195;
C. Demluch, 224
High Series: M. J. Boyer, 560;
John Tarbush, 584

KAHUNA (as of 1-28)
Who?
Final 4
Ma Gu
Wanna Boes
4-Wa

W L
42 28
39 31
36 34
32 38
29 41

High Games:
V. Wurster, 224; M. Frinkle, 244
High Series:
E. Heller, 523; M. Frinkle, 635

Swimmers Improve Despite Losses

Chelsea Bulldogs boys swimming team continued to improve as a team this past week but could not put together wins against Fenton and Milan, according to coach Dave Jolly.

Chelsea lost to Fenton 81-105 and Milan 65-118.

"We are getting out-depted as a team. Our guys are swimming very well and improving every meet. We just struggle in the later parts of the meet," Jolly said.

"We will be very competitive at the conference meet. Expect us to place two or three people in the finals of every event."

Big swims were as follows. Against Fenton, Aaron Heaven placed second in the 200-yard freestyle, stopping the clock at 1:57.15. This was a season-best performance. Matt Kolodica also had a fine performance in the event, going 2:05.87.

Josh Hack continued to dominate the 200 individual medley in the area, winning the event at 2:08.25. Curt Street was second in the 50 freestyle, sprinting to a :24.92.

Divers Brandon Renton and Mike Montagne continued to show improvement, scoring 160.85 and 183.20 points respectively.

Street swam the 100 butterfly for the first time place, third with a time of 1:02.68 to show for his effort.

Heaven had another quality swim in the 100 freestyle, placing second at :53.49.

Probably the best event of the evening for the Bulldogs, Jolly said, came in the 500

freestyle. Steve Thiel had a season-best time of 5:43.48 and Mike Randolph broke six minutes for the first time, going 5:52.23. Hack was second in the 100 backstroke at 1:01.57. Peter Straub had a wonderful 100 breaststroke, winning the event at 1:04.95.

Against Milan the focus was on qualifying for the state meet and having as many quality swims as possible. Jolly said. Rob Frayer was back, with brother Chris, they combined with Peter Straub and Josh Hack in the 200 medley relay. They placed second but more importantly they went 1:45.84, which put them in the top 12 in the state.

Chris Frayer had a very quick 50 freestyle stopping the clock at :23.99. Chris also swam the 100 butterfly and once again had a season-best performance at 1:00.49.

Curt Street came alive in the 100 freestyle, dropping over one second to go :53.30.

The 500 freestyle saw Thiel and Randolph once again drop time. Thiel went 5:42.40 and Randolph swam a 5:48.88.

Rob Frayer had a season-best performance in the 100 backstroke, stopping the clock at 1:01.42.

Hack dropped his already high-quality time in the 100 breast to 1:03.36.

Probably the most impressive swim of the evening came in the 400 freestyle relay. Aaron Heaven, Chris Frayer, Curt Street and Josh Hack combined to go 3:26.88, which puts the relay in the top 12 in the state.

Chelsea's next competition is against Haslett and Pinckney tonight.

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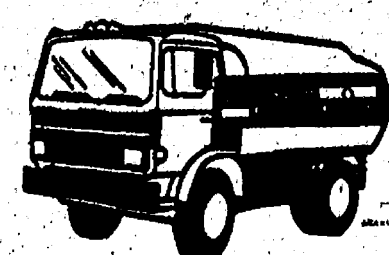
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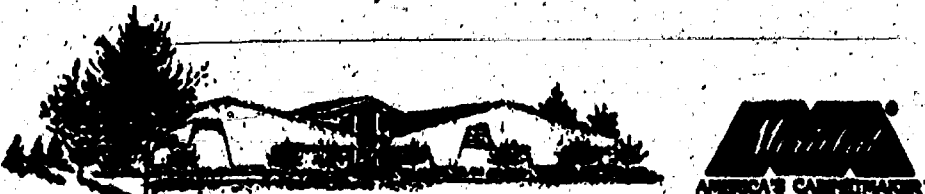
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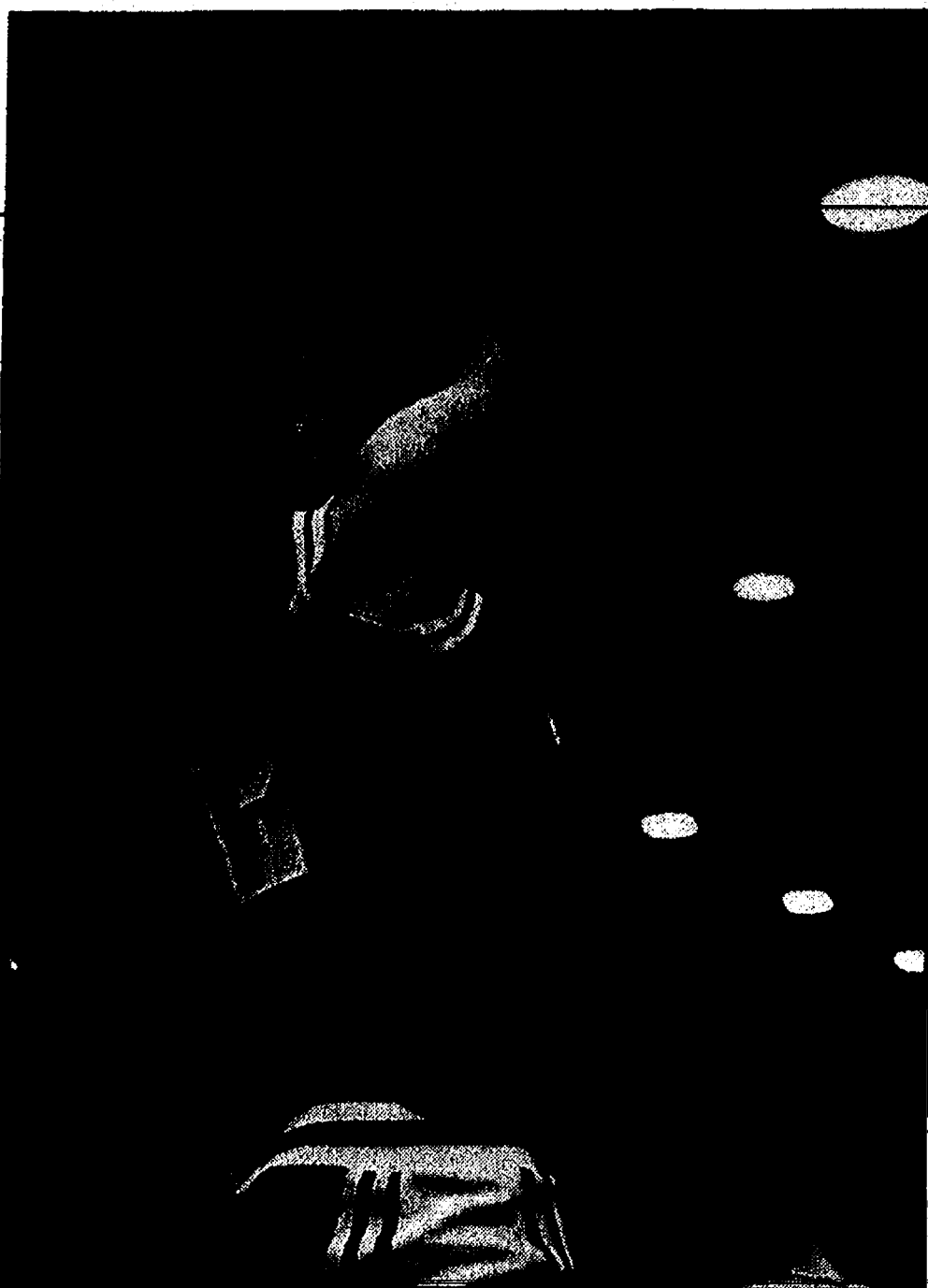
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SCOTT COLVIN takes a jump shot for the Bulldogs during last Friday night's game in Saline.

Dogs Play Well Against Hornets

The Bulldogs twice almost overcame their opponent's big lead last week, but couldn't sustain the momentum long enough to win either game. With a 3-4 Southeastern Conference mark, Chelsea travels to Milan tomorrow night, trying to even its conference record.

Friday, Jan. 26 The Bulldogs took on league-leading Saline in the intimidating environment of the Hornets home fieldhouse. Chelsea coach Robin Raymond said some first-quarter nerves contributed to a slow Chelsea start.

Saline led 16-7 after one quarter and pushed the advantage to 21 points in the second quarter, but the Bulldogs rallied to cut the big lead by more than half, and trailed by only nine at intermission.

Chelsea continued to control the momentum and chip away at the Hornet lead, slicing the Saline advantage to 44-39 in the third quarter.

Then smoke billowed from the field house heating vents, fire alarms went off, the gym had to be cleared out and the teams went to the locker rooms while the situation was resolved. The game was delayed for 15 minutes.

Saline regrouped during the unusual downtime, and maintained its lead through the end of the game for a 58-51 victory.

After the halting start, Raymond said, the Bulldogs gave the first-place Hornets all they could handle.

"Once we settled down we really played quite well, and we played well the whole game. I was not disappointed at all by the loss. I was encouraged by how we played," Raymond explained.

The win gave 6-1 Saline a formidable two-game lead in the race for the SEC title.

JV Cagers Defeat Richard

The Bulldogs had a downer of a game Friday, Jan. 27 at Saline, losing 62-29, but bounced back the very next night to defeat Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard 62-49.

Saline jumped out to a 17-3 lead against Chelsea and the Bulldogs couldn't ever climb back into the game. "We just didn't show up. We weren't ready to play," said Chelsea coach Mark Scheese.

Brian Groesser scored nine

Beach Wrestlers Host Saline

On Tuesday, Jan. 23, Beach Middle School Wrestlers hosted Saline Middle School Wrestlers for a dual meet.

Saline won 17 of the 28 matches while Chelsea won 11. Winning matches by pins for Chelsea were Pat Jolly at 85 pounds, Justin Nadolny at 95 pounds, Joel Kapp at 105 pounds, Dan Schnadt at 115 pounds, Frank Morrone at 125 pounds, Derek Egeler at 137 pounds, Mark Polzin at 145 pounds and Dan Whitesall at 167 pounds.

Jon Baird won his match at 90 pounds by a score of 11-9, Nate Keiser beat his 95 pound

opponent by a score of 7-0, and Matt Hicks won a major decision over his 90-pound opponent by the score of 14-2.

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Four Chelsea wrestlers recorded pins: Nate Keiser at 95 pounds, Joel Kapp at 100 pounds, Derek Egeler at 137 pounds, and Ryan Branham at 185 pounds.

Today, Thursday, Feb. 1, Beach wrestlers host Milan for a Home dual meet at 4 p.m. at the Beach Middle School gym.

Groesser and Chris Herter scored 13 points apiece, while Adams and Adam Erskine combined for 16 more.

The Bulldogs record stands at 4-7. They played Fowlerville Tuesday and face Milan tomorrow night.

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JV VOLLEYBALL TEAM shows its trophy from Clinton.

JVs Second at Clinton

Chelsea Bulldogs junior varsity volleyball team took second place at the Clinton Invitational, bringing home a trophy and silver medals.

The team lost to Clinton in the third game of the championship round after a 5-3 record in pool play. The Bulldogs first faced Pinckney in the playoffs and defeated them in two games. The Bulldogs defeated Saline in an hour and a half, three-game semi-final match.

Chelsea coach Laura Cleveland was pleased with her team's performance.

"Everyone contributed to the success," Cleveland said.

"They played very aggressive and competitive volleyball. We played a terrific game against Saline that really characterized their desire to compete and win. There were many standout performances that helped elevate the team to a new level. The momentum from the tournament will help them throughout the rest of the season."

At mid-season, the Bulldogs are 3-2 in league play, defeated Tecumseh, Lincoln, and Milan, and losing to Pinckney and Dexter. Team members include Emily Arend, Angie Carpenter, Sarah Edman, Kristen Ellis, Katy Long, Jessica McVay, Robyn Raymond, Katrina Royce, Jennifer

Middle School Swimmers Win

Beach Middle School swim team soaked Willow Run 123-44 last Monday and lost at Dexter 94-76 last Thursday.

In the Willow Run meet, the 200 medley relay team of Andy Hack, Ashley Augustine, Lindsey Baker and Jocelyn Temple took first place.

Andy Hack was a double winner individually with wins in the 50-yard freestyle and 50-yard butterfly.

Gabe McGuinness won the diving event and Bobby Rohrkemper won the 100-yard freestyle.

In the 100-yard backstroke, Deborah Adams was first and Jeff Kolodica won the 100-yard breast-stroke.

Kolodica, Andy Thiel, Temple and Baker won the 200 free-style relay and Hack, Jeff Heydlauff, Rob Dymond and Rohrkemper won the 400-yard freestyle relay.

First-place finishers in the Dexter meet were Andy Hack in the 100-yard individual medley and 100-yard backstroke, Lindsey Baker in diving, Bobby Rohrkemper in the 50-yard butterfly and the 400 freestyle relay of Rohrkemper, Dymond, Adams and Hack.

8th Grade Spikers Split

Beach Middle School eighth grade girls volleyball team faced two challenging teams last week and came away with a victory over Saline and a loss to Dexter.

At Saline on Tuesday, the girls trailed early in the first game but came back to win 11-7. The second game was won by Saline, 0-11, and Chelsea took the final two games 11-9 and 11-2, and the match.

Lindsey Brink served for 14 points. Cassi Palmer added six service points, Molly Edman, five points, Lindsay Powers, three points, and Jill Drexler, two points. Brink and Laura Saarinen led the team with seven assists each. Drexler and Edman had five kills each and Powers and Shelly Clemmons three kills as the team had a season-high 21 attacks.

"I was pleased with their effort in Saline," said coach Ann Schaffner.

Dexter won in three games with scores of 11-7, 12-10, and 11-6. Brink served for seven points, Brenda Newman, three pts, and Valerie Schiller, Saarinen, Palmer, and Gretchen Vermeylen two points each. Palmer led with four assists. Edman, Jasmin Roberts and Newman had two kills each and the team had 14 attacks.

Saarinen, Hillary Spooner, Emily Sterling, and Brooke Stolaski.

7th Graders Top Dexter

Beach Middle School seventh grade girls volleyball team met a tough competitor, Tuesday, Jan. 23. Saline and Chelsea played four games with Chelsea taking the fall. Scores of those games were 0-11, 11-7, 8-11, 2-11. Jesse Cole led serving with eight points, Jennifer Diesing served four Caitlin Biedron and Corinne Kistka each served 3 points. Chelsea traveled to Dexter Jan. 25 and played an exciting match. Chelsea lost the first game 8-11, but came back with three more wins to win the match. Winning scores were 11-8, 11-5, 11-9. Biedron and Caitlin Deis led serving with seven points each. Meagan Hollo served five points, Kistka and Ann Larder each served four points.

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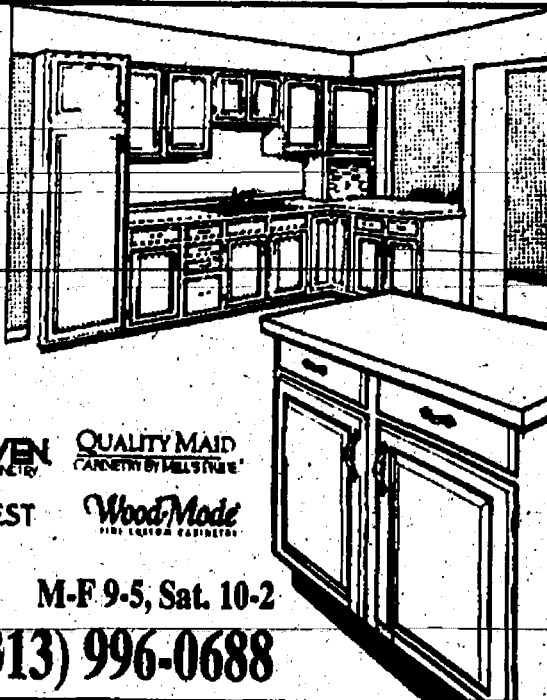
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MANAGER'S MEETING:

MANDATORY FOR ALL TEAMS - Returning and New!

Thursday March 5, 1996 6:00 p.m.

U of M Intramural Sports Building -- IMSB (606 E. Hoover Street)

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All Teams ---- Returning -- approximately 6:45 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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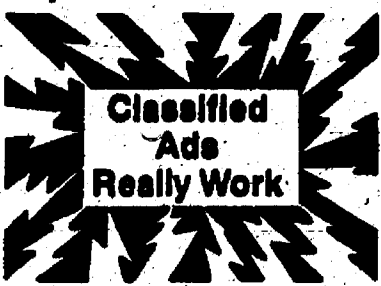
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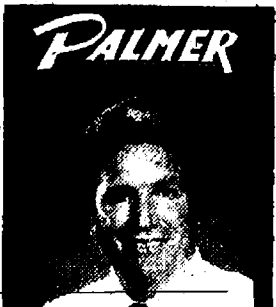
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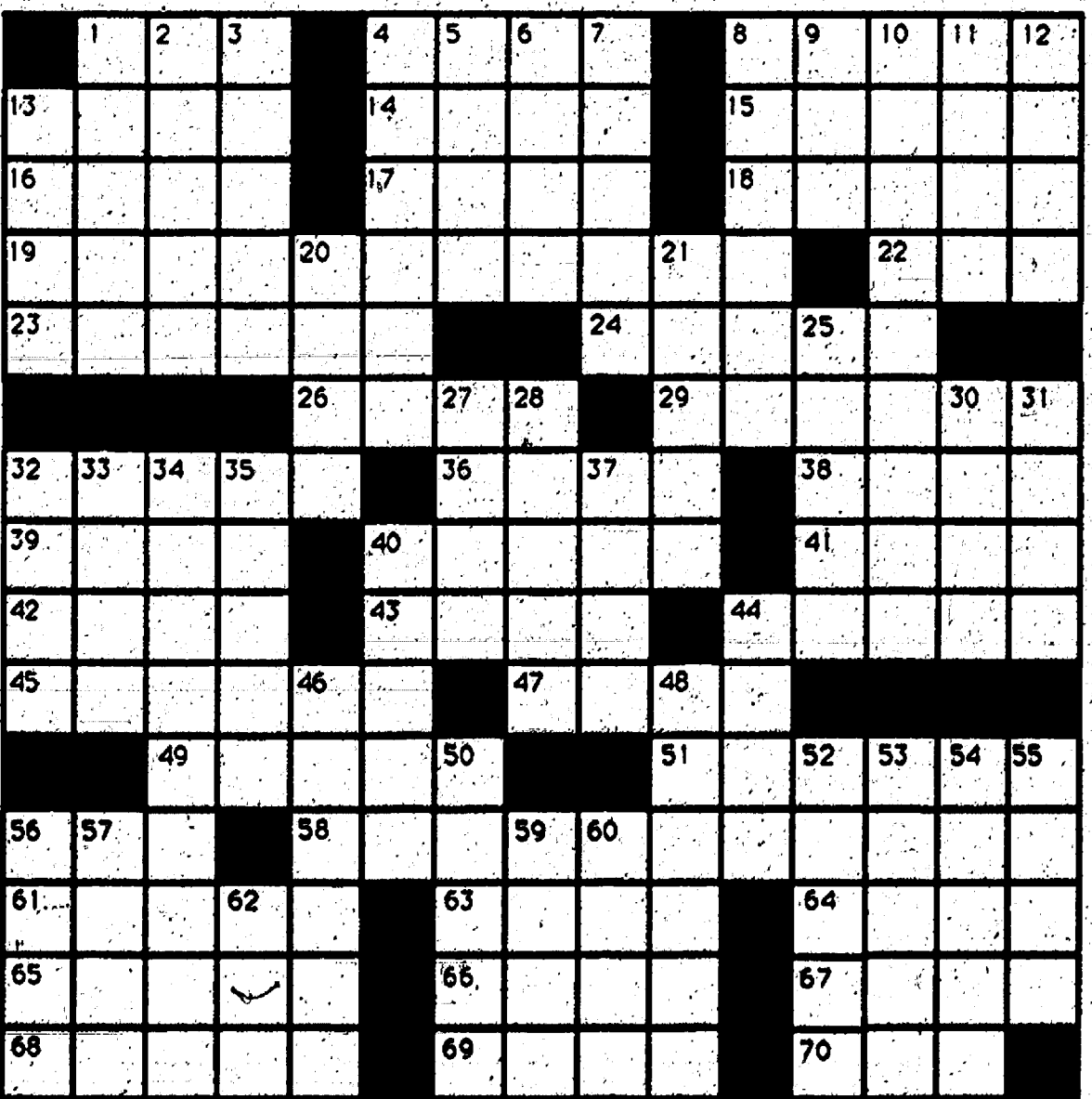
TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

1. Limb
2. Trees
8. Does an usher's job
13. ___ club
14. Conceited
15. Tiny picture
16. Course
17. Something ___; additional item
18. Written work
19. Sri Lanka's location
22. Exist
23. Mexican liquor
24. Little ones
26. Dill loaves
29. Elevated
32. Sheriff's assistance
36. Colosseum wear
38. Floor covering
39. Suffix for sever or temper
40. One of two in *A Tale of Two Cities*
41. Singer Paul
42. Business assn.
43. Beverages
44. Waterfowl genus
45. Difficult experiences
47. Tread
49. Uninterested
51. Lance corporal
56. White garment
58. Considered carefully
61. Worked on one's nails
63. Yemeni capital
64. Glacial snow field
66. Mountaineer's challenge
68. Related
67. Govt. employees
68. Highway patrolman's device
69. Building adjuncts
70. Kirghiz, formerly; abbr.

DOWN

1. Unassisted
2. Deciphers
3. Wounded soldier's cry
4. In a balanced way
5. Dried baobab
6. Hodgepodge; abbr.
7. Express derision
8. Brown shade
9. Bees' neighbors, on typewriters
10. Booth and Sirhan
11. Word with gas or drop
12. Inflamed swelling
13. Stern
20. Bern's river
21. Emanations
25. Giant
27. Catchall abbr.
28. Ulcers
30. Actress Sommer
31. Costly
32. Covenant
33. ___ about
34. Wrote illegibly
35. Plant part
37. Meaning
40. Dated
44. On ___ with; equivalent to
46. House painter's need
48. Corrects
50. Delight
52. Gets on a soapbox
53. Particulars
54. No way!
55. Peaceful abode
56. Yonder
57. Piazza cash
59. Rock singer Billy
60. Students' summons
62. Zeta's follower



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Thank You 420

THANK YOU to all the friends and family that helped celebrate our Golden Wedding Anniversary. We are enjoying the fills and so many cards that we received. Lucille and Glen Feldkamp

THE FAMILY of Adah Farley wishes to extend our thanks and appreciation to Dr. Krause for the visits and care he provided to Adah in the home. Thanks to all the friends, neighbors, and family that sent cards, food and flower arrangements. Thanks to the Immanuel Bible Church ladies for the meal they provided. A special thanks to Rev. Ron Clark for the encouraging words at the funeral. A special thanks to Cole Funeral Chapel, especially to Linda, Don and Allen Cole for their assistance, compassion and understanding in the loss of our sister. Wilma (Mitchell) Picklesimer & Family Ethel Williams & Family Disa Vickrey & Family

WE WISH TO THANK all who shared our grief for their kind expressions of love and support. The cards, calls, visits, food, flowers and contributions were greatly appreciated. Our special thanks to the family and friends, Mary Ochalek and staff, Rev. Reinhardt Krauss, Betty Rose, Jo Ann Straub, Rex Plasters and Katie McDonnell.

Our sincere thanks Larry A. Collier

We would like to thank Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home for the warm and caring preparations for our son, Rev. Boldman for the beautiful sermon and our friends and family for their love, prayers and support. Our deepest appreciation Kevin and Kimberly Hayes

LEGAL NOTICES 440

MORTGAGE SALE Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by KARL M. WETZMANN, III, and JILL ANN WETZMANN, his wife, of the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, Mortgagee, to UNIVERSAL MORTGAGE CORPORATION, dated the 7th day of December, A.D. 1990, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on the 11th day of December, A.D. 1990, in Liber 248 of Washtenaw County Records, on page 509, which said mortgage was thereafter on, to wit the 7th day of December, A.D. 1990, assigned to MICHIGAN STATE FIDELITY ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION, a public body corporate and politic of the State of Michigan, and recorded on December 11, 1990 in the office of the Register of Deeds in Liber 248 of Washtenaw County Records, on page 514, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of FIFTY TWO THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED THIRTY FOUR AND 86/100 (\$42,234.86) DOLLARS.

And no suit or proceeding 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, the 7th day of March, A.D. 1996, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the main lobby of the Washtenaw County Court House, Huron Street entrance, 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 Nine and Three-quarters percent (9.75%) 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:

Unit 355, CHAPEL HILL CONDOMINIUM, Section 8, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 1887, Page 454 through 466, inclusive, and First Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 1749, Pages 929 through 959, inclusive, containing the premises described in the above Master Deed and as described in Act 225 of the public Acts of 1963, as amended.

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, December 1, 1995.

STANDARD FEDERAL BANK, a federal savings bank, Mortgagee

RONALD J. PALMER Attorney for Mortgagee 2600 West Big Beaver Road Troy, Michigan 48064 Jan. 25 Feb. 1-8-15-22

MORTGAGE SALE Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by TED P. STARBUCK, a single person, of the Township of Freedom, Washtenaw County, Michigan, to STANDARD FEDERAL BANK, a federal savings bank of Troy, Oakland County, Michigan, Mortgagee, dated September 2, 1993, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on December 21, 1994, in Liber 3061, on Page 271, 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 EIGHTY-FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY-TWO AND 18/100 DOLLARS (\$85,432.18).

And no suit or proceeding 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, the 7th day of March, A.D. 1996, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the main lobby of the Washtenaw County Court House, Huron Street entrance, 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 PER CENT (8%) 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 Township of Ypsilanti, in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 401, SOUTH DUNSHIRE SUBDIVISION No. 2, as recorded in Liber 8, Page 18 of Plats, Washtenaw County Records, (Sidwell No. 11-45-502-900)

And no suit or proceeding 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, the 7th day of March, A.D. 1996, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the main lobby of the Washtenaw County Court House, 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 Seven percent (7.00%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and

LEGAL NOTICES 440

MORTGAGE SALE Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by JAMES A. LEVIN and JOSEPH LEVIN, wife and husband, a married man, Mortgagee, to STANDARD FEDERAL BANK, a federal savings bank of Troy, Oakland County, Michigan, Mortgagee, dated April 2, 1993, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on April 15, 1993,

the redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless the mortgagee, in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

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:

Part of Lot 1, in ASSESSOR'S PLAT No. 5 in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 4 of Plats, Page 35, of Washtenaw County Records, beginning at the Southwest corner of said lot running North 00 degrees 46 minutes West 94.0 feet to an iron pipe monument; thence South 55 degrees 35 minutes East 53.1 feet to an iron pipe monument; thence South 09 degrees 31 minutes East 68.0 feet to an iron pipe monument in the South line of said lot, 60.0 feet East of the Southeast corner of said lot; thence West along the South line of said lot 60.0 feet to the place of beginning.

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, December 1, 1995.

Legal Notices 440

MORTGAGE SALE Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by THOMAS COOK, a married man, Mortgagee, to STANDARD FEDERAL BANK, a federal savings bank of Troy, Oakland County, Michigan, Mortgagee, dated July 31, 1991, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on August 15, 1991, in Liber 2527, on Page 27, 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 SEVENTY TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY-SEVEN AND 1/100 DOLLARS (\$72,577.41).

And no suit or proceeding 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, March 7, 1996, 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 9.250 percent 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:

Unit 3, VINE NORTH MOBILE CONDOMINIUM, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 2096, Pages 764 through 833, inclusive, as amended in Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 2193, Page 273 through 297, inclusive, and further amended by Second Amended and Restated Master Deed recorded in Liber 2253 at Pages 199 through 270, inclusive, containing the premises described in the above Master Deed and as described in Act 59 of the public Acts of 1978, as amended.

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, December 1, 1995.

STANDARD FEDERAL BANK, a federal savings bank, Mortgagee

RONALD J. PALMER Attorney for Mortgagee 2600 West Big Beaver Road Troy, Michigan 48064 Jan. 25 Feb. 1-

Ecology Center Meeting Features Zoology Prof.

The Ecology Center's 1996 annual membership meeting will be keynoteed by Dr. Louis Guillette, one of the world's foremost researchers in the field of hormone-disrupting toxic chemicals. The event will be held on Sunday, Feb. 4, from 3 to 5 at the NEW Center, 1100 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. The general public is welcome, and admission is free. Child care will be available.

Guillette is professor of zoology at the University of Florida and currently visiting professor of ecotoxicology at the Tulane-Xavier Universities Center for Bioenvironmental Research. He is an award-winning teacher, and is internationally recognized for his work on the reproductive bi-

ology of endangered and threatened reptiles, and on the role of environmental contaminants as hormone disruptors in various species. He has served as an expert witness to the U.S. Congress and advisor to many U.S. and foreign agencies. His most widely-known work documented the role of pollution in diminished penis size among alligators in the Florida Everglades, and has been reported in *Time*, *Science*, the *New Yorker*, and other national publications.

The Ecology Center is a nonprofit environmental organization which conducts education and citizen action programs to build sustainable communities.

AREA BIRTHS

A son, Ryan Michael, Oct. 31, in Ann Arbor to Barry and Kelly Boyes of Pinckney. Maternal grandparents are Roger and Kathy Knapp. Paternal grandparents are Herb and Elsie Boyes of Pinckney. Ryan has two sisters, Kayla, 3 1/2, and Lauren, 2.

A daughter, Alice Sandra, Wednesday, Jan. 10, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor, to Ann Marie and Clifford Markle of Grass Lake. Maternal grandparents are Charles and Mary Ann Burgess of

Chelsea. Paternal grandparents are Linda Markle of Parma and the late Patricia and James Markle. Alice has one sister, Mary Anne, 8.

Twins, Krystal Rose and Kellie Nicole born to Pam and Ernie Wirpio of Grass Lake. Maternal grandparents are Omadelle and Harold Stover of Grass Lake. Paternal grandparents are Julia Wirpio of Wakefield and the late Ernie S. Wirpio. The girls were born at St. Joseph Hospital Jan. 22.

Dexter Township Planning Commission will meet Tuesday February 27, 1996 at 7:30 p.m. at the Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Rd., Dexter, Michigan.

AGENDA:

1. Rezoning Request

Jon Niedermeyer
2200 Green Rd., Ste. A
Ann Arbor, MI 48105
(313) 747-7777
Parcel ID# 04-16-300-002/023

5.8 acre parcels fronting North Territorial Rd. just west of Dexter-Townhall Rd. Between 12088 and 12412 North Territorial Rd.

Request to reclassify property from Recreation Conservation to Rural Residential to permit the erection of single family residential homes.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

Jerry Straub, Chairman

Feb. 1-22

PUBLICATION

The Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners is seeking individuals interested in appointment to the following Boards and Councils. The Board of Commissioners will make these appointments at their February 21, 1996 session at 6:45 p.m. in the Board Room, Administration Building, 220 North Main Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan. These appointments will include:

- One appointment to the COMMUNITY ACTION BOARD for a term expiring December 31, 1997. (Area to be represented: Public)
- One appointment to the HEALTH CODE BOARD OF APPEALS for a term expiring December 31, 1996.
- One appointment to the LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES for a term expiring December 31, 2000.
- One appointment to the BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS for a term expiring December 31, 1996.
- One appointment to the RIVER RAISIN WATERSHED COUNCIL for a term expiring December 31, 1996.

Letters of interest and resumes should be addressed to Tammy Richards, County Administrator's Office, P.O. Box 8845, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48107. If you wish to fax letter and resume, please fax to Tammy Richards at (313) 994-2592. Those resumes received by February 12, 1996 will be submitted to the Board of Commissioners for its consideration on February 21, 1996.

For additional information please contact:

Tammy Richards
County Administrator's Office
(313) 994-1825

STATE OF MICHIGAN

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF THE VILLAGE OF CHELSEA TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR WASHTENAW COUNTY FOR THE ALTERATION OF THE BOUNDARIES OF THE VILLAGE OF CHELSEA, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN

NOTICE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITION TO CHANGE THE BOUNDARIES OF THE VILLAGE OF CHELSEA

TAKE NOTICE that the Village Council of the Village of Chelsea has, by resolution, presented a petition to the Board of Commissioners for Washtenaw County to alter the boundaries of the Village of Chelsea and to add to the Village of Chelsea the following described property:

BEGINNING at the South 1/4 corner of Section 1, T28, R3E, Sylvan Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan; thence along the South line of said Section 1 and along the centerline of Sibley Road, N88°46'54"W 231.56 feet; thence N00°59'48"W 660.00 feet; thence S88°48'54"E 231.56 feet to a point on the North and South 1/4 line of said section 1; thence along said 1/4 line, S00°59'48"E 660.00 feet to the Point of Beginning, being part of the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of said Section 1 and containing 3.81 acres of land more or less, subject to the rights of the public over the Northernly 33 feet of Sibley Road. Also subject to other easements and restrictions of record.

Said real estate lies generally North of Sibley Road, East of Weikner Road, and West of M-52. Said Petition shall be presented to the Board of Commissioners for consideration at its meeting to be held on the 21st day of February, 1996, at Washtenaw County Administration Building, 220 N. Main Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan, beginning at 8:45 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the Petition may be heard, and all persons having an interest in said matter shall be heard. Requests to address the Board of Commissioners may be made to the office of the Washtenaw County Clerk, Peggy M. Haines, Clerk, Washtenaw County Courthouse, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48107.

True copies of the petition and resolution are on file at the offices of the Chelsea Village Clerk, 104 E. Middle Street, Chelsea, Michigan, and the Washtenaw County Clerk, Washtenaw County Courthouse, Ann Arbor, Michigan, and may be inspected between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. on regular business days.

SUZANNE C. MORRISON, Village Clerk

Dated: December 26, 1995.

Jan. 25, Feb. 1-3

AREA DEATHS

TIBOR ALEXANDER VON KULAJTA

Ann Arbor

Age 68, died Saturday, Jan. 27, 1996 at his home. He was born on April 2, 1927 in Yugoslavia, the son of the late Julius Leo and Sophia (Vegh) von Kulajta. On July 13, 1963 Tibor married his loving wife of 32 years Annerose, who survives.

Tibor is also survived by three daughters; Tanja (Timothy) von Kulajta Winn of Northville; Dr. Petra (Timothy Werner) von Kulajta of Ann Arbor; and Blanka von Kulajta of Pinckney. Tibor worked as an electrical engineer for many years and was employed with Cox Instruments and Robert Bosch Co.

A memorial service will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 30, at the Bell-Borek Funeral Home, Hamburg, with Pastor Michael Frison officiating. Donations are suggested to Knox Presbyterian Church of Ann Arbor and envelopes are available at Bell-Borek.

OTTO R. GREGORY

Dexter

Age 84, died Monday, Jan. 22, 1996 as the result of an automobile accident. He was born the son of James and Emma Gregory on Sept. 1, 1911 in Dexter. Mr. Gregory was a member of the St. Andrews United Church of Christ and a lifetime member of the Moose Lodge #1253 and a long time member of the Farm Bureau. He spent most of his life in Webster Township as a farmer.

He is survived by several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, Bernie Gregory of 12 years; eight brothers; and one sister. Funeral services were held Friday, Jan. 26 at the Hosmer-Muehlhig Funeral Chapel in Dexter, with Rev. Gary J. Kwiatek officiating. Interment followed at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

For those who wish, tributes may be made to St. Andrews United Church of Christ in memory of Mr. Gregory.

NAOMI M. RATZ

Chelsea

Age 86, died Tuesday, Jan. 30, 1996 at the Chelsea Retirement Community. She was born on August 31, 1909 in Dewey County, Okla., the daughter of Mannas G. and Hulda (Thal) Poehlein.

Mrs. Ratz has lived in Chelsea since September of 1991, coming from Detroit. She was a member of Redeemer United Church of Christ in Detroit, and a life member of Goodwill Industries.

On June 2, 1928, she married Benjamin Ratz in Dearborn, and he preceded her in death on April 27, 1982. Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Rodney (Shirley Ann) Farmer of Chelsea; one sister, Dorothy Hill of Augusta; six grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Evelyn L. Kietzka in 1993, and a brother, Maurice Poe-

hle in 1993.

Funeral services will be held today, Thursday, Feb. 1, at 11 a.m. at the Chelsea Retirement Community Chapel, with Rev. Dr. J. Gordon Schleicher officiating. Burial will follow at Acacia Park Cemetery, Birmingham. The family will receive friends Thursday 9-11 a.m. at CRC before the funeral. Memorial contributions may be made to Chelsea Retirement Community or the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by Cole Funeral Chapel.

PETER STEINER

Dexter

Age 52, died Sunday, Jan. 21, 1996. He was born on October 7, 1943 in Detroit, the son of Dr. Frederick Steiner and Virginia (Everard) Steiner.

He is survived by one daughter, Shaney Steiner, and three sons; Andrew, Johnathan, and Mathew; three sisters, Christina Stewart, Gretchen, and K.C.; and one brother, Timothy.

A memorial service was held Thursday, Jan. 25, at the St. James Episcopal Church, Dexter.

The family requests memorials be given to the children. Arrangements by the Hosmer-Muehlhig Funeral Chapel, Dexter.

THERESA WARD

Dexter

Age 77, died Tuesday, Jan. 23, 1996. She was born the daughter of George and Maria (Kiss) Kerezi on Sept. 22, 1918 in Pennsylvania. Mrs. Ward was an active member of the Senior Citizens, Inc. She retired from DAPCO after several years of service. She enjoyed arts and crafts and cake decorating for various fund raising activities and charitable organizations.

She is survived by her three children, Donald (Marguerite) Campbell, of Northville, Marie (Douglas) Weir, of Howell, and Robert (Patricia) Campbell, of Northville, Marie (Douglas) Weir, of Howell, and Robert (Patricia) Campbell; of Dearborn; nine grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; two sisters; one brother; and several nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband of 18 years, Earl Ward.

Funeral services were held Friday, Jan. 26, at Hosmer-Muehlhig Funeral Chapel, with Rev. John M. O'Dell officiating. Interment followed at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Dexter.

DORA ARLESTA

RODERICK

Formerly of Chelsea

Age 78, died Tuesday, Jan. 30, 1996 in her home under the loving care of her family and Individualized Home Nursing Care. She was born on May 9, 1916 in Chelsea, the daughter of William and Lula (Eldridge) Scripser.

Mrs. Roderick moved to Ann Arbor in 1984, coming from Chelsea. She is a member of the First United Methodist Church of Chelsea.

She married Floyd D. Roderick in Ann Arbor on Sept. 29,

1934, and he survives. Other survivors include one son, Gary (Barbara) Roderick of Chelsea; one sister, Irla Rosentreter of Munith; 10 grandchildren; and many great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by one daughter, Arlesta Alexander, three infant children, five brothers, and three sisters.

Funeral services will be held today, Thursday, Feb. 1, at 1:00 p.m. at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with Rev. Richard Dake officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea. Memorial contributions may be made to Individualized Home Nursing Care or First United Methodist Church of Chelsea.

Only requirements are:

1. Village Residency

2. A commitment to attend one regular meeting per month.

Send brief resume to the Village of Chelsea, 104 E. Middle St. Chelsea, MI 48118, Attention: Planning and Zoning Department by February 9, 1996.

Feb. 1

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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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Dexter Township Zoning Board of Appeals

will hold a meeting on

Thursday, February 13, 1996 at 7:00 p.m.

at the Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Rd., Dexter, Michigan

AGENDA:

- 1) Slowine Joseph G.—11150 Island Lake Rd. Dexter. Parcel ID number: 04-27-300-008. Request for variance from section 4-20; minimum lot area 10 acres for AG zoning; to Section 4-30, minimum lot area 2.5 acres for RR zoning. To allow the keeping of two horses on 5 acres in AG zoning.
- 2) Robert Frayer, Jr.—13720 Rustic Drive, Gregory. Requesting increase of floor area ratio from 26.2% to 28.4%. Also requesting variance from the front yard setback requirement of 50'. This variance was tabled from the December 1995 meeting. No further information was brought forth. Will remove from agenda.
- 3) Removed from table, variance request from James & Kimberly Hartman.
- 4) Lois A. & Jon Bots 9415 Canal Drive, Pinckney. Parcel ID number: 04-01-407-008. Requesting variances from the floor area ratio from the required 15% to 28.46%, front yard setbacks from the required 50' to 13.5', side yard setbacks from the required 15' to 0.9' on the west side 1.0' on the east side, rear yard setbacks from the required 50' to 62'. Recognize minimum lot area from the required 1 acre to .18 acre, recognize minimum lot width from the required 150' to 39'.
- 5) Donald & Elizabeth Keith—8375 Canal St. Pinckney. Parcel ID number: 04-01-407-011. Request variance from the floor area ratio from the required 15% to 22.1%. Also from the side yard setback requirements.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

John Tandy, Chairman

Feb. 2

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA

NOTICE OF NOMINATION PETITIONS

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE VILLAGE OF CHELSEA, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, STATE OF MICHIGAN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that persons desiring to qualify for any elective office shall file a petition therefore with the Village Clerk signed by not less than fifteen (15) nor more than fifty (50) registered voters of the Village not later than 4:00 p.m. on February 8th, 1996 which is the fifth (5th) Monday prior to the March 11, 1996 Non-partisan Regular General Village Election. Official blank petitions in substantially the same form as required by State Law for State and County officers, except for reference to party, shall be prepared. All nomination petitions shall have entered thereon in ink the name of the person desiring to become a candidate for office in the Village, or the person in whose behalf the petition is to be circulated, and the name of the office for which he/she is a candidate. No person shall sign his/her name to a greater number of petitions for any one (1) office than there will be persons elected to said office.

Notice is hereby given that February 8th (4:00 p.m.) being the last day to withdraw, written notice required.

THE VILLAGE CLERK SHALL ACCEPT PETITIONS, THEREBY NOMINATING CANDIDATES FOR THE FOLLOWING OFFICES, VIZ:

One (1) Village President Two (2) Year Term
One (1) Village Treasurer Two (2) Year Term
Three (3) Village Trustees Two (2) Year Term
Two (2) Library Board Trustees Three (3) Year Term

Official Blank Petitions may be obtained at the Village Offices, 104 E. Middle Street.

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA

Suzanne C. Morrison, Clerk

Jan. 18-25 Feb. 1

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

Present: President Steele, Clerk Morrison, Assistant Village Manager Pindia, Trustees Present: Rigg, Daut, Merkel, Clark, Hammer, Cashman, Absent: Village Manager Myers, Merkel.

Others Present: A. Stoll, C. Ritter, B. Shephard, B. Myers, D. Bulson, D. Westphall, C. Ghouse, J. Balling, D. Rosentreter, M. Walton, R. Walton, J. Gallagher, C. Peters, G. Adams, S. Alter.

The first order of business was public participation and Mr. Charles Ritter addressed the Council regarding the proposed trailer park.

Motion by Rigg, supported by Cashman, to approve the Consent Agenda. All Ayes. Absent: Merkel. Motion carried.

Lenard E. McDougall, Chief of Police, submitted the December, 1995, Police Department Reports.

Daniel T. Ellenwood, Chief, Chelsea Fire Department, submitted the December, 1995, Fire Department Reports.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Cashman, to remove from the table the Resolution Re: Petition Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners to annex 20 acres of land west of Village (Trinkle Farm). Ayes: Cashman, Hammer, Daut, Clark, Steele, Nay: Rigg, Absent: Merkel.

President Steele opened the meeting for public comment. Mr. Don Westfall, representing the developers, presented information regarding the manufactured home park. Mr. Ritter objected to the formal presentation not being included on the agenda.

Several residents addressed questions to Council as well as the developers. Correspondence was received from Colleen Ryan-Peters regarding the proposed park (dated 1/4/96 and attached as appendix A).

President Steele closed public comment regarding this issue.

Motion by Clark, supported by Rigg, to deny petition for annexation for 20 acres of land west of the Village (Trinkle Farm) until new request with an updated property description is brought forth. Roll call vote. Ayes: Clark, Rigg, Nays: Cashman, Hammer, Daut, Steele, Absent: Merkel. Motion denied.

Motion by Clark, supported by Daut, to table the annexation request for 20 acres of land west of the Village (Trinkle Farm) for 60 days. Roll call vote. Ayes: Clark, Rigg, Cashman, Hammer, Daut, Steele, Absent: Merkel. Motion carried.

Motion by Cashman, supported by Hammer, to set the time for the Regular Sessions of the Village of Chelsea Council at 7:30 p.m. and dates being the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month for 1996. All Ayes. Absent: Merkel. Motion carried.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Rigg, to send to the Planning Commission a request for annexation of property at (approximately) 720 McKinley St. All Ayes. Absent: Merkel. Motion carried.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Clark, to accept Proviso trucks as local traffic. All Ayes. Absent: Merkel. Motion carried.

Correspondence was received from Ayes, Lewis, Norris & May, Inc., dated January 3, 1996, regarding Corrosion Control Study at the Chelsea Water Treatment Plant. Council directed Den Rosentreter, Water Superintendent, to invite Mr. Ashok K. Singhal to the next meeting to discuss this matter.

Motion by Clark, supported by Rigg, to adjourn the Regular Council Meeting—Time: 9:20 p.m. All Ayes. Absent: Merkel. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

Suzanne C. Morrison



TARA PLATT of Chelsea has taken her performing talents to college.

Tara Platt Performing At School of Arts

A young servant girl runs breathlessly on stage in Act III of Shakespeare's *Twelfth Night* and says to the lady Olivia, "Madam, the young gentleman of the Count Orsino's is returned; I could hardly entreat him back; he attends your ladyship's pleasure."

The actress with this line of dialogue is Chelsea High School graduate Tara Platt, making her college acting debut at Mason Gross School of the Arts (MGSA), a division of Rutgers University in New Jersey.

MGSA is one of the nation's top ranking theatre programs according to a recent survey conducted by U.S. News and World Report. After auditioning for the acting program through which they will earn a bachelor of Fine Arts degree, students are not allowed to audition for the MainStage plays until their sophomore year. So Tara, a seventeen-year-old freshman, is particularly pleased with her role in *Twelfth Night*.

To add to her sense of excitement with the production, Tara is working under the direction of William Esper, who chairs MGSA's department of Theatre Arts and heads his

own studio in nearby New York City. Trained by Sanford Meisner, Esper was a long-time staff member of Meisner's Neighborhood Playhouse School of the Theatre, and spent a year as director of the Circle Repertory company workshop.

Tara made her stage debut in community theatre at age nine as Gloria in the well-known mystery *Wait Until Dark*. Her first Equity role was as fourteen-year-old Fredrika in Stephen Sondheim's *A Little Night Music*. After moving to Michigan in 1993, she appeared as Tiny Tim's older sister in the Purple Rose Theatre production of *A Christmas Carol* at the Michigan Theatre in both 1993 and 1994. She also played the youngest daughter in an Ann Arbor production of the musical *Quilters*.

At Chelsea High School Tara was active in theatre, debate and forensics under the direction of William Coelius, and was featured as Maisie in the musical *The Boyfriend*. During her senior year, she participated in the school's mentorship program in cooperation with the Purple Rose Theatre.

Technical College Promises Options For HS Students

By Donna Gundie-Krieg
Special Writer

Area high school students, including those in Dexter and Chelsea, will eventually have other educational options if the Washtenaw Technical Middle College project is implemented, according to Dexter Superintendent John Hansen.

The college, still in the planning stages, would offer students from 10 local districts the same array of technical courses offered by the community college. These programs range from robotics to commercial food service.

The intent is to develop a traditional high school curriculum for math, science, social studies and language with a technological slant.

"At this point it is likely that students would be self-selected for the program," said Hansen.

"Students who are finding work difficult in their current school program may be inspired by the community college environment and its direct connection to employment opportunities."

He cautioned, however, that if a student is failing because of issues such as substance abuse or poor attendance, the college will not solve the problems.

Although the specifics of the program have not been defined yet, it is expected that students will receive their diploma from their local high school.

"The instructional day will be more like a college day with time gaps between class for independent study," said Hansen. "The school year might not look exactly like a public school year and the school day may extend beyond 3:00."

While the different school schedule would make it difficult for students to participate in local sports and music programs, they would be welcome at their local high school for social occasions.

There will be no charge for students enrolling in this program. Currently the state of Michigan provides local districts foundation grants, would probably be transferred to the college when the student enrolled.

Snowmobilers Head West

Store owner Gus Hansen will lead a group of 12 employees, patrons and friends of Hansen's Sports Shop to Montana next week to Ski-Doo some prime recreational territory.

The snowmobilers fly this Sunday to Bozeman, Mont., then shuttle to their base in West Yellowstone, just outside the boundaries of Yellowstone National Park. There, they meet up with their machines, which were shipped out by truck. They will stay one week, riding in the park to view the mountains and wildlife, and outside the park to put their snowmobiling skills to the test.

"Being with my customers and enjoying the sport," Hansen said, is the reason the store has provided a similar trip each February for over 20 years. A trip to Quebec is already planned for next year. The trip to Montana cost roughly \$1,500 to \$1,600 per individual rider.

Hansen's Sports Shop patron Ron Kiel is looking forward to the trip. "It's the best place in the world to go snowmobiling, nice country, lots of snow," he said.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Dexter Township Planning Commission will meet Thursday February 8, 1996 at 7:30 p.m. at the Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Rd., Dexter, Michigan.

AGENDA:

1) Discussion of zoning text.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

Jerry Straub, Chairman

Feb. 1

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Woman's Club Hears Talk Traveling With Special People

The Woman's Club of Chelsea met at McKune Memorial Library on Tuesday, Jan. 23. Eighteen members and one guest were present.

The guest speaker for the day was Kate Collins, who presented a program entitled "Traveling With Special People." Collins first obtained a degree in fine arts and became an artist and a potter. She later became interested in caring for people with dementia and went on to earn a degree in gerontology. Her official title is "Director of Special Care Services" and she is employed at Wesley Hall within the Chelsea Retirement Community.

Wesley Hall is referred to as "a memory-loss unit." Collins cares for people with dementia but not necessarily Alzheimer's Disease. She described much of the care and

activities held within Wesley Hall. In the last few years, traveling with these residents has become an option. So with the aid of slides, Collins told about traveling to Florida, taking a riverboat cruise, camping and also a trip to Mackinac Island. She said they are also planning more trips. Collins "bubbled" with enthusiasm and her program was most interesting.

Refreshments were served by hostesses Jean Schmidt and Rose Bartow.

President, Shirley Smith presided over a brief business meeting.

The club's next meeting will be on Tuesday, Feb. 27 beginning with a luncheon at Chelsea Community Hospital at 12:30. The program for the day is entitled "Keeping Fit-Exercise Physiology," by Cynthia Cope. Guests are most welcome.

For further information call 475-8820 or 475-8128.

IRS Owes 1994 Refunds

The Internal Revenue Service is trying to locate Michigan taxpayers who are still due refunds from their 1994 federal income tax returns.

Arlene Kay, IRS district director for Michigan, said 1,443 refund checks worth \$950,825 were returned by the Postal Service as undeliverable. The refund checks range in amounts from \$1 to \$4,275 and average \$658, Ms. Kay said.

Internal Revenue Service believes most of these taxpayers moved or changed their names during the year, and failed to notify the Postal Service or IRS.

When a refund is returned by the Postal Service, the IRS attempts to locate the taxpayer by follow-up mail; "but there are always some who cannot be found," Ms. Kay said. Nevertheless, most taxpayers, about 3.5 million, in Michigan, have received their refunds, she said.

If you are due a refund from your 1994 federal income tax return and have not yet received it, contact IRS at 1-800-829-1040.

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