

**—Fire Destroys House—**

A fire in the 1600 block of Sylvan Road engulfed a home and destroyed it early Friday afternoon. The homeowner was working on a tractor in his yard when he heard a noise. He looked up and noticed the rear of his house was on fire. The man attempted to extinguish

the blaze with a garden hose. Chelsea Fire Department responded and put out the flames. The house was a total loss, however. The cause has been undetermined.

Committee's name doesn't match facts

Andrew Adrian and Harold Trinkle are running as Democrats for Lima Township supervisor and trustee, respectively, in November.

They have said in campaign literature (the sign on the back of a pick-up truck in the Chelsea Fair Parade), that they are backed by "The Bipartisan Committee for the Elimination of Political Corruption in Lima Township."

The committee appears to be very loosely organized at best and may well have an over-zealous title.

Adrian says he guesses there are about 20 committee members and his listed several names, including former township supervisor Lella Bauer.

However, one of the people he identified called *The Standard* the day after an interview to say she is not part of the committee, partly because the committee really doesn't exist yet.

As examples of corruption, Adrian said supervisor Bill Van Riper purchased a \$150 label-maker without board authorization and ordered aerial photographs as evidence for a township lawsuit, again without board authorization.

"Little things go to big things," Adrian says.

Van Riper admits he made the purchases without authorization. The label-maker, he said, was purchased with the understanding that if the township didn't want it, he would buy it for his farm.

The photographs, for a lawsuit involving a gravel pit, had to be taken quickly and couldn't wait for another meeting of the board.

"I can't call a board meeting every time," something needs to be done, Van Riper says.

When asked whether the word corruption may have been too strong, Adrian says, "We had to get people's attention."

Adrian, an automotive engineer in Dearborn, has lived on Connel Road for less than two years. He grew up in Schaumburg, outside Chicago, an area that experienced extremely quick growth and nearly tripled in population during his years there. He's attended many of the township board meetings.

One of the reasons he's running, Adrian says, "stems from the practices of the supervisor over the last six years." He says he believes Van Riper applies rules inconsistently for different people "to suit Bill's desires." In particular, he mentions rules regarding private drives, roads, and shared driveways. The township board rules on these matters. Van Riper cannot implement them by himself.

Van Riper says adamantly that "there's not going to be any favoritism," which, he says, is not the way Lima

Township government used to be before he took office.

The main bone of contention between Adrian and Van Riper seems to be on various zoning and planning issues, especially in regard to preserving open land and cluster zoning.

Van Riper believes in cluster development as a way for landowners to make money as well as keep township land from being carved up and create the hazard of numerous driveways off country roads. With cluster development, a

developer might be allowed 10 or more homes on 100 acres, but the homes would be built close together to save on infrastructure costs and allow a large portion of the parcel to remain undeveloped and open.

Adrian says "clustering would carve up the township faster than anything else. It's going to encourage landowners to sell."

Van Riper has also pushed for 40-acre zoning of farmland south of I-94. That would require 40 acres for each home

built.

Adrian, who lives in a cluster development himself, likes the current 10-acres-per-home zoning better than cluster zoning.

"If I could have found a home on 10 acres, I would have bought it," he says.

He says, "I want farmers to stay here as long as possible, but I don't think they'll be here forever because land will become so valuable it will drive them out. Something's got to be done to plan for that eventuality."



The Chelsea School District has hired 10 new teachers for the 1996-97 school year. Pictured are: Veronica (Ronnie) O'Brien, Brita Mann, Angela Pratt, Carole Murphy, Wendy Nellis, Meg Benhart, Susan Lowek, Cheryl Mizerny, Jennifer Langdon and Ingrid Smart.

New Chelsea teachers begin their jobs

As the 1996-97 school year began this week, 10 teachers new to the Chelsea School District met their students for the first time.

Veronica (Ronnie) O'Brien is teaching fifth grade at South School, Brita Mann teaches art part-time at the high school,

and Angela Pratt teaches preschool.

Carole Murphy is a computer instructor at Beach Middle School, while Wendy Nellis teaches sixth grade math and science at Beach and Meg Benhart teaches special ed at the high school.

Susan Lowek will teach Life Skills at the high school.

Cheryl Mizerny is a teaching consultant, Jennifer Langdon will teach health and physical education at the middle school and Ingrid Smart will also work at Beach as a teacher consultant.

Township lawsuits rise due to sewer

By Michelle Rogers
Associate Editor

It appears one of the main contentions Republican candidate John Sdao based his campaign on during the August primary can be attributed to his backers, not de-throned Dexter Township Supervisor Jim Drolett.

Drolett suffered a 67-vote loss in the primary to Sdao, a 30-year-old computer systems consultant.

Prior to the election, Sdao maintained the township's legal fees have increased over 400 percent during the past 12 years Drolett held office.

But an estimated \$70,000 in legal fees over the past seven years can be attributed to Sdao backers Joe Boltach and Abe Williams, Jr., who have filed several lawsuits against the township over the Portage and Base Lake sewer project.

The township has had to pay the legal fees up front but is later reimbursed by the sewer authority.

Drolett asserts the township's legal expenses only tallied \$12,000 in 1990-91 and \$17,000 last fiscal year. He attributes any increase to a move by township attorney Peter Flintoft to raise his hourly rate by 55 percent.

The long-time supervisor says that two adversaries sought out a candidate and helped that man win based on misinformation. Sdao, who rents a duplex owned by Boltach, put his hat in the ring earlier this year after both men circulated nominating petitions with his blessing.

Sdao has not returned repeated calls for comment regarding this information.

It is still unclear whether (Continued on Page Three)

Sylvan Township wants help with assessment appeal

Chelsea Milling Co., one of the five largest businesses in Sylvan Township, is contesting property assessments for all its real and personal property in the township.

According to a company petition to the Michigan Tax Tribunal, Chelsea Milling is seeking a reduction of \$2,032,600, from \$5,032,600 down to \$3 million.

Company President Howdy Holmes said, "All we're trying to do is see whether the assessment is accurate or not. This is standard operating procedure. Chelsea Milling Company has never in the past tried to determine the fairness of the assessment."

Holmes noted that the figures are estimates only from an attorney and may or may not be accurate.

Sylvan Township, which has the job of assessing the property and dealing with all appeals, has asked the Chelsea School District and the Village of Chelsea for financial support "in the defense of this matter," according to a letter from attorney Peter Flintoft to the district and the village. He said assessments for 1995 and 1996 are being appealed, and he believes 1997 assessments will also eventually be appealed.

If the company wins its appeal, the village stands to lose about \$38,000 annually in tax revenue, according to Flintoft's letter. The district would lose about \$14,000 based on seven mills assessed, for the building bond issue.

Sylvan Township would lose about \$2,000, based on its one mill assessment.

Other parties, which have not been asked to join the defense but would also lose revenues include the Washtenaw Intermediate School District, Washtenaw County, the State of Michigan, and Washtenaw Community College.

Based on comments from Village Manager Jack Myers and School Superintendent Ed Richardson, it seems unlikely that the township will get help from either party, although Richardson said he will not make a final recommendation to the school board until Sept. 9.

"I'm trying to learn more about it before I give a recommendation," Richardson said.

However, Richardson questioned whether it's the job of the assessor to defend against such actions, the cost of which should be part of taxes paid to Sylvan Township. He also wondered why Washtenaw Community College and other taxing entities have not been asked to help.

"The response was that (the other taxing entities) haven't traditionally participated," Richardson said.

He also said that if (Chelsea Milling's property) isn't assessed properly, it

should be lowered."

Myers said he also believes Sylvan Township millage goes to pay for the assessment of property, as well as any challenges.

"I feel village residents pay that mill to the township for those services," Myers said.

Flintoft wrote that in 1973 Sylvan Township defended against a series of appeals by the Chelsea Retirement Community. The village and school district shared the cost in proportion to the amount of millage they levy.

Defense of the assessment would start out with about \$22,000-\$24,000 worth of appraisals, including a \$19,000 appraisal of the real property. Should Sylvan Township undertake the defense alone, it would take more than 10 years to recoup the money.

Flintoft wrote that if an appraisal is not performed "then I would anticipate that the Tax Tribunal will conclude that these assessments should be reduced to whatever figure Chelsea Milling Company, through its expert appraiser, would place on these properties." He noted that the company's appraisal is from the Adrian area and "I would anticipate that comparable properties in the Southern and Western counties will be used. These are historically much lower than Washtenaw County values."

Township Assessor Beth Redmond, who has been the township's assessor for four years, noted that she has personally re-assessed Chelsea Milling property and is not relying on figures created by the company. She also stated the premises and remeasured property.

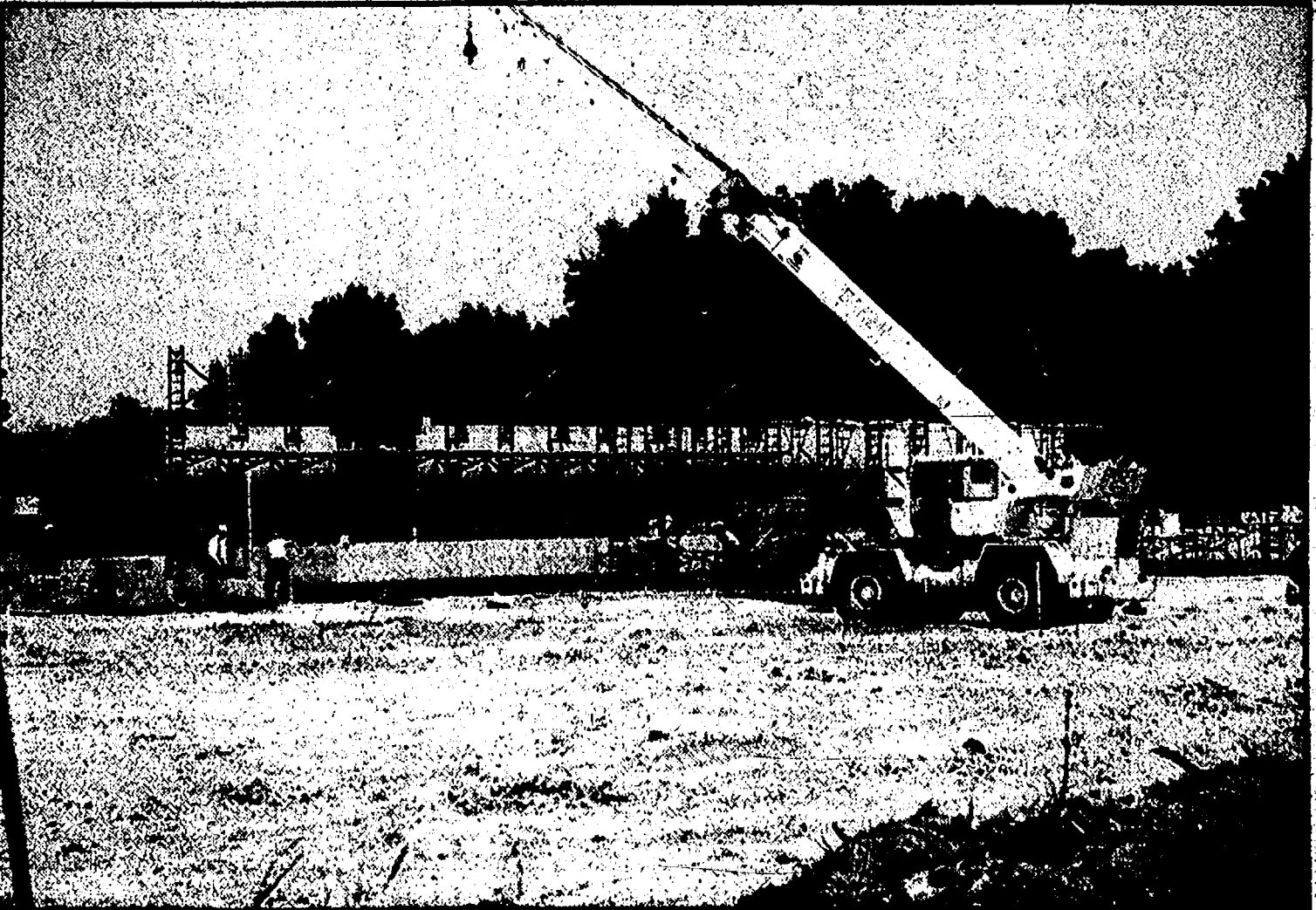
Redmond also said that since the appeals she has had no direct contact with company officials. Holmes confirmed that but said there wasn't much to talk about since all their figures were speculative.

Bounty for County set here Sunday

More than 20 local restaurants, three microbreweries and the Michigan Wine Producers are preparing for a fun afternoon in Chelsea at the fourth annual "Bounty for the County," to be held from noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 8 in the parking lot behind the Common Grill.

Craig Common, owner of The Common Grill, has spent many months organizing the event, which will benefit the Ann Arbor Cullinary Arts Association Scholarship Fund and the Chelsea Chamber of Commerce Culinary Arts Scholarship Fund.

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**—Walls on The Rise—**

The walls of the new Pierce Lake Elementary School are starting to take shape just to the east of the bus garage off Old US-12. The new building will become Chelsea's third elementary school.

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Uncle Apollo

I usually don't get really technical in this column, but for those of you that are new to the area, there's a weird phenomenon going on that can be confusing if you're not properly prepared for it, so as a public service to my newer readers, I need to explain. A lot of this is out of the textbooks.

Labor Day is not just another chance to stay home from work. It's the time when we begin another cycle of yellow buses full of wild-eyed creatures known in scientific circles as "school kids."

Unlike adults, these creatures undergo this annual cycle where they spend about nine months incubating and letting their brains grow but not changing their bodies much, then they go into this growth spurt during June, July, and August where they get skinnier and taller and grow new muscles and body parts and their heads expand to allow for another cycle of brain growth. Depending on which yearly cycle they are going through, various changes will occur.

In the early years, the changes seem to center on "nest trauma," which is a natural adjustment period while these creatures begin to get used to being in a building with a really big kitchen and a lot more windows than they are used to. The resulting public displays of raw temper and agonizing fear are to be accepted as a normal part of this cycle.

Somewhat later, the females become interested in the males. Unfortunately, the male's development may not match this process. Although some of the males in the spe-

cies may return the interest, the "ego preservation instinct" kicks in when other males initiate a "teasing ritual." Then the early developing male finds disinterest, sometimes going as far as faking dislike for the females.

This can be manifested in various ways, such as emitting offensive odors, becoming nerdy, and any number of strutting or grooming instincts. Some males take an early interest in organized sports activities as an alternative.

As the cycles continue, the gender attraction increases and many curious mating rituals can be observed. Grooming styles change, some males try to develop hard lumpy things called "muscles" while the females try to get softer. Some of the extreme forms of this stage which have emerged in the last few years include piercing various body parts, developing all manner of brightly colored plumage and clothing, and even permanent changes in body coloration, called "tattoos."

During the final stages, the creatures show increasing independence and assertiveness, an exceptional brilliance in all things, a tendency to become nocturnal, and a strong need for mobility. Unfortunately, at some point during the process, they lose the ability to know everything about everything. If they survive this last phase, eventually they emerge as fully developed adults.

Sorry I had to get so technical here, but somebody had to do it. If you happen to notice any of the stuff I've mentioned, just rest easy that it's a normal part of the annual Labor Day cycle.

Bounty for County set

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"I'm excited about this year's lineup of restaurants and entertainers," says Common. "Last year we had a great time. The restaurants prepared spectacular foods, and the music was fantastic. This year should be even better."

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Letters to the Editor

Flawed impressions

Almost everyone forms impressions based upon what has been seen of a portion of an organization, a group or even an individual. Perhaps that impression is based upon what we have learned in our home as we were growing up. As we mature, we often find that our impressions were based upon flawed information or on a stereotype, which had caused us to place all of that particular organization, group or individual in a less than desirable light.

Over the years many have formed an impression of motorcycle enthusiasts based upon certain "clubs" motion pictures or TV. Therein lies a problem, yes, they may portray some accurately but, certainly, not all.

Chelsea Motorcycle Supply people and their friends have given over time to Faith in Action, Inc. through donating proceeds from their Chelsea Sidewalk Sales Days motorcycle sidecar rides. This idea not only provides some fun for people who might not otherwise consider a motorcycle ride but also helps us assist those in our community who are less fortunate.

I, personally, don't own or ride a "bike" now, I did many years ago and enjoyed the experience at a time when it wasn't as dangerous as today due to the increased volume of traffic. So, for those whom we serve, your generosity, your donations are greatly appreciated.

The Rev. Dr. Jerrold F. Beaumont
President, Faith in Action, Inc.

Gateway view of Chelsea is gone

Having grown up in Chelsea during the late 40s and 50s, I always consider Chelsea my home town.

Even though I now reside in Cincinnati, I still feel I have a right-responsibility to comment with shock and disappointment when I saw the destruction of great old oak trees (photo in 8-22 edition) on South Main St.

I remember walking from

our home on Old US-12 through the woods behind the Wilkinson Home, Finkbeiner Lumber down the land surrounded by pines, out onto Main Street along the stone wall.

This had always been the gateway view of Chelsea. Now, even though I have not seen it in person, I can only imagine this gateway is beginning to look like driving into Ann Arbor or Jackson on the business loop.

Too bad. I thought the planners in Chelsea had more foresight, and as Scott McElrath said in his letter... "or gets to say no!"

Chelsea, you put up a good fight on the mobile home community; why did you surrender the oak trees and the stone wall so easily?
W.H. Sorenson

Don't judge a man before he's had a chance

I, for one, would like to know why (Jim Drolett) rates one-fourth of one whole page of the newspaper to bemoan the fact that he lost the election, and how he thought of so many excuses why?

Not splitting the ticket at the primaries is not a new rule and most people who vote regularly are intelligent enough to know that by now.

I also do not think it wise to judge a person before he has had time to prove himself. I do not think local politics should get as low down as the Presidential elections are, anyway I would hope, would not.

If the future of Dexter Township does not improve, we all have the option to vote again in four years. Mr. (Earl) Doletsky also lost the election, but I have not seen or heard him crying to the public, and he has been around a lot longer than Mr. Drolett.

I might not have written this letter at all if it had not been for the last two paragraphs in the article. Let's look ahead to the future and not weep about the past.
Louis Bradburn

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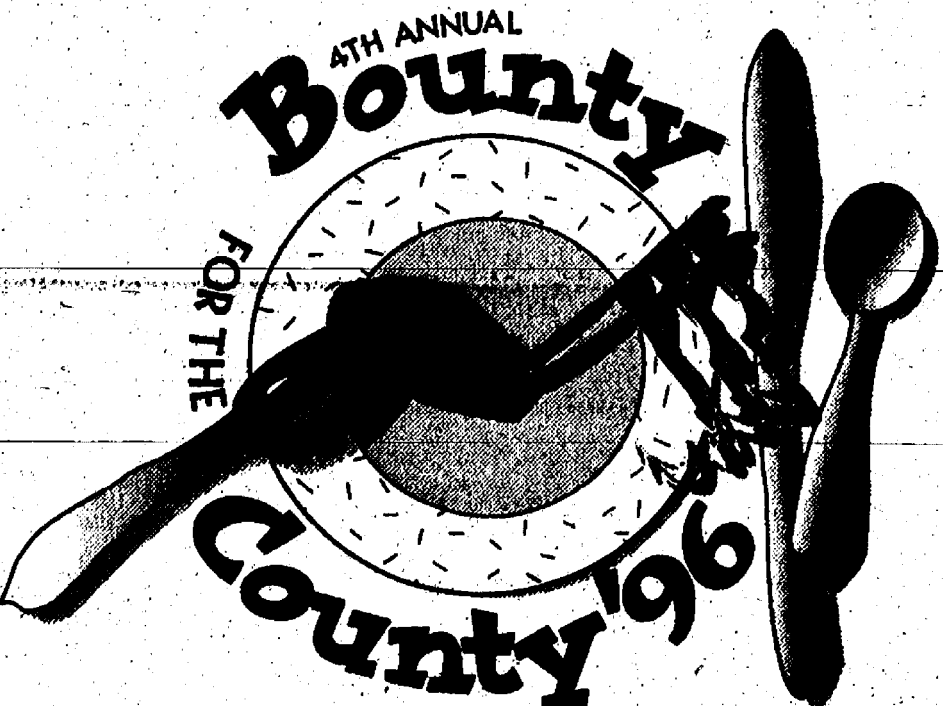
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Sewer spurs costly legal battles for Dexter Twp.

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Drolet will initiate a write-in campaign in the November general election. If he does not, Sdao and Democratic challenger Burton Hoey will be the only contenders for the top spot.

It appears Sdao backers Boltach and Williams joined forces in 1989 when the township answered the pleas of lake-side residents for a sewer system. It was determined then that the 1,269 local homes would be assessed \$7,000 per dwelling unit to pay for the system.

"Everybody was at a dead stand still because of the health department regulations. No one could put a room on or build an addition," Drolett said as to why most residents wanted the system installed.

At the time, 16 residents, including Boltach and Williams, filed a complaint with the Michigan Tax Tribunal. When their objection reached the authority, Boltach and Williams were the only remaining complainants. The others dropped the suit, according to Drolett.

In August 1991, the Michigan Tax Tribunal ruled against the two men as the township was able to prove the benefit to each property owner is proportional to the assessment.

Unrelenting, documents show, Boltach and Williams appealed the loss to the Court of Appeals, which upheld the Tax Tribunal's decision in favor of Dexter Township.

The two men asked for a rehearing in front of the Court of Appeals to appeal the Tax

Tribunal's ruling. Again, their request was denied.

Their next move was to ask the Michigan State Supreme Court in 1995 for a leave to the appeal. Again, their request was denied.

Finally, Boltach and Williams asked for a rehearing at the Michigan State Supreme Court. According to Drolett, their last threat was to take it to the U.S. Supreme Court.

"By now, Drolett observed, 'they've spent much more than their sewer would have cost them. I understand principle. But when you go far beyond reasonable and rational, it becomes ludicrous.'"

The up-front cost to the township was an estimated \$40,000. In the end, however, the cost was passed through to residents in the sewer's special assessment district because of an agreement between the sewer authority and township.

"It has been a few people's actions that have caused the increase in cost and increase in legal fees. We're just reacting to these lawsuits. We're not starting this nonsense," Drolett said last week.

In related action, Williams sued the township in 1991 when construction crews accessed Florence Road to install sewer lines along Winston Drive. To access the private road, Drolett said, the township had to condemn it and pay \$10 per day to use it. Cost to the township tallied some \$15,000 for an appraisal, expert witnesses and legal fees.

Two years ago, Boltach and Williams again sued the township for allegedly violating the Freedom of Information Act. They claimed Drolett intentionally deprived them of information about a meeting regarding the sewer district. Clerk Bill Eisenbeiser had personally notified Williams in writing, but according to Drolett, Eisenbeiser mistakenly wrote Tuesday the 12th, rather than Tuesday the 11th.

All charges were dismissed against Drolett, but the township was ordered to pay \$2,500 for the clerical error. Legal fees are estimated to have cost the township nearly \$15,000.

Besides the legal expenses

Williams and Boltach have racked up at taxpayer expense, Drolett points to other lawsuits he described as frivolous.

When the Multi-Lake Sewer Authority was established recently, residents Matt Hintzen and Mary Hudson filed suit in Circuit Court because they wanted to block contractors from installing the sewer line down their street. The district serves Half Moon, North, Silver and Blind Lakes.

Drolet estimates it has cost the township \$2,000 so far, but the case is ongoing. A judge dismissed Hintzen and Hudson's lawsuit against the township because it's within the sewer authority's jurisdiction. The suit is ongoing because the complainants have now asked for the private road to be a dedicated public street maintained by the township or other governmental body. The township will have to go through the same condemnation process necessary at Portage and Base Lakes to access the road, Drolett said.

In addition, Drolett says Hudson has demanded \$10,000 for alleged damages to her property and for trespassing. Hintzen is asking for \$5,000.

"They need to realize they're hurting their neighbors. It's going to come out of the sewer district," Drolett said.

Once everyone is on line and the sewer is fully operational, Hintzen and Hudson will be given 90 days to hook up to the sewer per the ordinance. If they choose not to, Drolett said, the case will return to Circuit Court and involve additional legal expense.

Another lawsuit initiated against the township by Hintzen, owner of Inverness Inn, involved his sewer assessment. Hintzen maintained to the Michigan Tax Tribunal that his bar serves as the "Civil Defense Headquarters for Western Washtenaw County" and, therefore, he wanted his \$15,000 assessment reduced to \$3,000.

After a three-hour trial at the Tax Tribunal, the township

was once again vindicated.

"The judge was floored because (the suit) was ludicrous," Drolett said.

"It comes down to money," Drolett said. "They want money and in the process of trying to get money, they're hurting their neighbors. He's hurting the very customers he serves at his bar. But he makes it appear the township is doing it to him."

In the end, the township paid an estimated \$15,000 in legal expenses, including a \$4,900 appraisal, to defend its assessment.

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Country Casino Sept. 14

Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce's Third Annual Bash will be held from 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 14 at the Chelsea Fairgrounds.

Formerly known as "The House Party," this year's event—"Chelsea's Country Casino '96"—has a country music theme, more cash-only prizes, and will be held on a Saturday night instead of Friday and earlier in the month to avoid the threat of cool weather. Two of the larger barns will be decorated, with dinner served in a separate building.

The Outer Limits country band will entertain and Suzie Bauer will give line-dance instructions for those who have not mastered this popular dancing style.

A western BBQ style dinner will be served between 8 and 10 p.m., with the Monte Carlo area in full swing from 7 p.m. to midnight. As in the past, the Knights of Columbus will handle the gambling games with volunteers from their organization. Individuals will take their winnings in cash, as they exit the Monte Carlo room.

The Chamber of Commerce has donated the proceeds from this annual event to a variety of projects, including Timber-town and the fairgrounds but hopes to realize some profit which will be used to enhance the services that the Chamber now provides.

Tickets are available at many locations, including Accent on Travel, Chelsea Pharmacy, Cleary's Pub, Chelsea Lumber, The Chelsea Standard, KeyBank, LaJolla Shoppe, Purple Rose Theatre, and South House.

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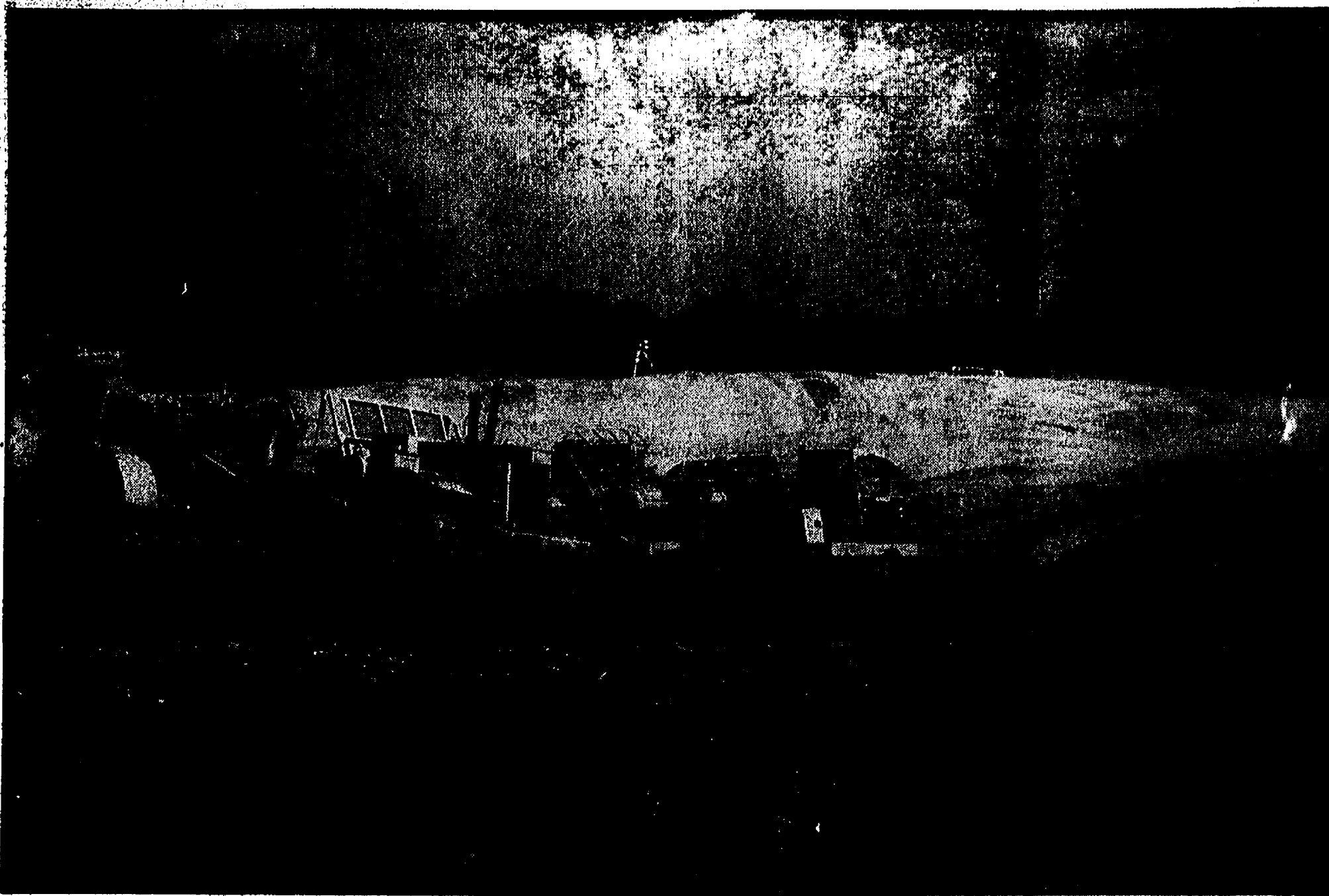
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Private screening to benefit Purple Rose

On Sunday, September 8, at the historic Michigan Theatre in downtown Ann Arbor, Columbia Pictures will present a private screening of *Fly Away Home*, a new major motion picture starring Michigan's own Jeff Daniels. Proceeds from this event will benefit the Purple Rose Theatre Company, a not-for-profit professional theatre founded by Daniels in 1991.

Jeff Daniels will return from a coast-to-coast promotional tour to serve as Master of Ceremonies for this benefit screening of *Fly Away Home*. Festivities will begin with autograph signing in the Michigan Theatre lobby at 3:30 p.m. with complimentary hors d'oeuvres and pastries being served to the general public. The private screening of *Fly Away Home* is scheduled to begin at 4 p.m.

Fly Away Home is based upon a true story of Bill Lishman, an amateur pilot who discovers an orphaned flock of geese, raises them and eventually leads the geese on a migration from Toronto to North Carolina in his Ultra light plane. Starring Jeff Daniels and Anna Paquin as his daughter, *Fly Away Home* also features

Dana Delany, Terry Kinney, Holter Graham and Jeremy Ratchford. Filmed on location in the Canadian wilderness, *Fly Away Home* was directed by Carroll Ballard, who was critically acclaimed for his work on *The Black Stallion* and *Never Cry Wolf*.

General admission tickets are now on sale at the Purple Rose Theatre Company in Chelsea, Schoolkids Records in Ann Arbor and all Ticketmaster outlets throughout Michigan. Tickets can also be reserved by calling the Michigan Theatre at (313) 668-TIME or charge by phone with Ticketmaster at (810) 845-6666. General admission tickets are \$15.00 per adult and \$8.00 for children 12 and under. *Fly Away Home* is rated PG.

The Purple Rose Theatre Company also has a limited number of VIP tickets which will include preferential seating and a private party at the new Zanzibar restaurant in downtown Ann Arbor. These \$100 tickets are available only through the Purple Rose Theatre Company Development Office. For more information, please call (313) 475-5817.

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Weddings, Engagements and Anniversaries



Clifton, Steele marry

Jessica Louise Clifton and Jeffrey Joseph Steele were married in Leadville, Colo. on July 20. The Rev. Carl Asher of Aigonac, a friend of the bridegroom, performed the outdoor mountain-side ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mary Cook Duarte of Leadville and Steven Clifton of Canan City, Colo. The bridegroom is the son of Joseph and Ruth Ann Steele of Chelsea.

Honor attendants were Heather Wilson of Leadville, friend of the bride, and James Steele, brother of the groom.

Kim Clifton of Leadville, sister-in-law of the bride, was a bridesmaid, while George Faust of Mountain Green,

Utah, friend of the groom, was a groomsman. Scott Clifton of Leadville, brother of the bride, was an usher.

Flower girls were Kendra Clifton of Leadville and Stacey Sjoblom of Moab, Utah, while Levi Sjoblom of Moab served as the ringbearer.

A reception was held in Leadville after the ceremony at Elks Lodge. On Aug. 3 another reception was held in Chelsea at the UAW Hall.

After a 10-day honeymoon to Glacier National Park in Montana and Michigan's Upper Peninsula, the couple is residing in Moab, where the groom works for the State of Utah in Parks and Recreation Division.



ENGAGED: Wendy Cavadas of Chelsea and Thomas Kujawa of Stockbridge are engaged and planning an Oct. 12 wedding. The future bride is the daughter of Constantine (Butch) Cavadas of Pinckney and Sylvia Bentley of Lake Worth, Fla. She is a graduate of Chelsea High School and is employed at Chelsea Community Hospital. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kujawa of Stockbridge. He is a graduate of Danville High School and is employed at Book-Crafters, Inc.



Vichinsky, Darwin wed at Hudson Mills Park

Colleen Andrea Vichinsky and Andrew Joseph Darwin were married June 22 at Hudson Mills Park.

The Rev. Pratt officiated the ceremony uniting the daughter of Carol and Mike Vichinsky of Chelsea and Joanne and Bill Darwin of Chelsea.

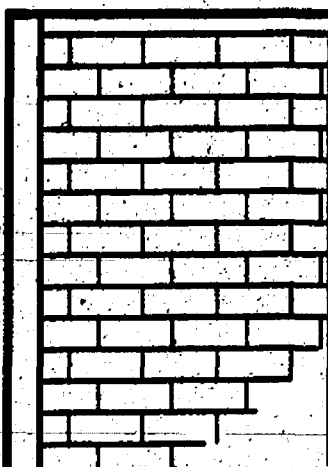
Sarah Szostak of Plymouth served as matron of honor. Suzy Steele of Chelsea, Heather Limce of Gregory, Nichol Vermeylan of Chelsea

and Michelle Jonson of New Mexico were bridesmaids.

Shawn Thrush of Chelsea served as best man. Scott Vichinsky of Chelsea, Jason Potter of Chelsea, Phil Hart of Chelsea and Ryan Deardorff of Ann Arbor served as ushers.

Brennan Darwin of Chelsea was a ring bearer and Brittany Headly of Chelsea was flower girl.

The couple's reception was held at Inverness Country Club.



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CHELSEA
Thursday, Sept. 5
 Senior Citizens Card Games at the Senior Center, 2 p.m.
 Boys Golf vs. Saline, 3:30 p.m. A
 JV/Varsity Soccer vs. Lincoln, 4 p.m. H
 9 Basketball vs. Jackson NW, 4 p.m. A
 9 Football vs. Mason, 4:30 p.m. H
 JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Manchester, 5:30 p.m. H
 JV Football vs. Mason, 7 p.m. H
 American Legion Post No. 31 meeting at the Legion Hall, Cavanaugh Lake, 7:30 p.m.
 Knights of Columbus Women's Auxiliary meet at K. of C. Hall, 8 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 6
 Varsity Football vs. Mason, 8 p.m. A
Saturday, Sept. 7
 Cross Country, Bath Inv., 8:30 a.m. A
 Girls Swimming, Battle Creek Lakeview Inv., 11 a.m. A
 "Autumn Hike." All afternoon hike and explore part of Waterloo-Pinckney Hiking Trail (bring water). Meet at the Geology Center, 1 p.m. Info. 475-3170.
Monday, Sept. 9
 McKune Memorial Library Brown Bag Book Club meeting, 11:45 a.m. Info. 475-8732.
 JV/Varsity Soccer vs. Monroe St. Mary's, 4:30 p.m. H
 Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.
 Interstitial Cystitis Support Group meets at Chelsea Hospital, large administration conference room, 7 p.m.
 Lima Township Board meeting at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 10
 Downtown Development Authority meets in the Chelsea Village Council chambers.
 Rotary Club meets at the Common Grill at noon.
 Girls Tennis vs. Saline, 4 p.m. H
 9 Basketball vs. Lumen Christi, 4 p.m. A
 JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Lumen Christi, 5:30 p.m. A
 9 Football vs. Saline, 7 p.m. A
 Chelsea Village Council meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 Chelsea Rod and Gun Club meets at the Lingane Rd. clubhouse.
 Chelsea Chamber of Commerce meets at Chelsea Community Hospital.
Wednesday, Sept. 11
 Cross Country, Williamston Inv., 5 p.m. A
 VFW Post 4076 and Ladies Auxiliary meet at the VFW Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ladies Auxiliary No. 2154 meet at 7530 Jackson Rd., 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 12
 Senior Citizens Card Games at the Senior Center, 2 p.m.
 Girls Tennis vs. Monroe Jefferson, 4 p.m. H
 JV/Varsity Soccer vs. Dexter, 4 p.m. H
 Boys Golf vs. Manchester, 4 p.m. A
 JV Soccer vs. Chelsea, 4:30 p.m. A
 JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Williamston, 5:30 p.m. A
 JV Football vs. Saline, 7 p.m. A
 Chelsea Rod & Gun Club Auxiliary meets at Lingane Rd. clubhouse, 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 13
 Varsity Football vs. Saline, 7:30 p.m. H
Saturday, Sept. 14
 Cross Country, New Boston Inv., 8:30 a.m. A
 Girls Tennis, Pinckney Inv., 9 a.m. A
 JV/Varsity Soccer vs. Jackson Northwest, 11 a.m. H
 "Plant Folklore." Discover the history of plants that were used as folk remedies, and which local plants were used by Native Americans and early settlers. Meet at the Geology Center, 1 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 15
 "Edible Wild Plants." Hiking, gathering, cooking edible wild plants with food aficionado, Tom Jameson. Geology Center, 1:30 p.m.

Info. 475-3170.
Monday, Sept. 16
 Boys Golf, Chelsea-Dexter Inv., 8:30 a.m. A
 Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.
 Chelsea School Board meeting in the Board Room, 7:30 p.m.
 Chelsea Area Players Board meeting at Society Bank, 7:30 p.m.
 Waterloo Area Historical Society Board of Directors meets at Waterloo Farm Museum, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 17
 Rotary Club meeting at the Common Grill, noon.
 Boys Golf vs. Tecumseh and Milan, 3 p.m. A
 JV/Varsity Soccer vs. Tecumseh, 4 p.m. A
 7-8 Football, Manchester scrimmage, 4:30 p.m. A
 Cross Country, SEC Jamboree #1, 4:30 p.m. A
 JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Ann Arbor Huron, 5:30 p.m. H
 Girls Swimming vs. DeWitt, 6 p.m. A
 Lions Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:45 p.m.
 9 Football vs. Monroe Jefferson, 7 p.m. H
 McKune Memorial Library Board meets at the Library, 7:30 p.m.
 Dexter Township Board meets at Dexter Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 Chelsea Village Planning Commission meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.
DEXTER
Thursday, Sept. 5
 David Felbeck, Republican candidate for 52nd District State Representative, will hold a meet-the-citizens event at Loreen's Village Cafe, 11:30 a.m.
 Boys Golf vs. Milan/Lincoln, 3:30 p.m. H
 9 Girls Basketball vs. Dearborn, 4 p.m. H
 Varsity Basketball vs. Willow Run, 5:30 p.m. A
 JV Football vs. Stockbridge, 7 p.m. A
 Varsity Soccer vs. Milan (no JV), 5:30 p.m. A
Friday, Sept. 6
 Varsity Football vs. Stockbridge, 7:30 p.m. H
Saturday, Sept. 7
 "Late Summer Bird Walk" at Hudson Mills Metropark. Meet at the Activity Center, 8 a.m. Pre-register, 428-8211.
 Cross Country, Bath Invitational, 8:30 a.m. A
 JV Soccer vs. Ypsilanti, noon.
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 "Hike to Huron Creek/Stream Search" at Hudson Mills Metropark. Hike begins at the maintenance building, 1 p.m. Pre-register, 1-800-477-3191 or 428-8211.
 Varsity Soccer vs. Ypsilanti, 2 p.m. H
Sunday, Sept. 8
 "Fall Wetlands" trail walk at Park Lyndon North, 10 a.m.
 Hudson Mills Metropark Golf Tournament, Individual Championship. Flighted by handicap. Info. 428-0468.
Monday, Sept. 9
 Dexter school Reproductive Health Advisory Committee meets at Wylie Middle School media room, 7 p.m.
 Interstitial Cystitis Support Group meets at Chelsea Hospital, large administration conference room, 7 p.m.
 Lima Township Board meets at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.
 Webster Township Historical Society meeting, 7:45 p.m. For meeting place call. 428-2473.
 Dexter Village Council meeting at First of America Bank, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 10
 Boys Golf vs. Pinckney, 3:30 p.m. A
 Varsity Basketball vs. Brooklyn Col. Central, 5:30 p.m. H
 Varsity Soccer vs. Lincoln (no JV), 6 p.m. H
 Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at DAPCO cafeteria, 8:30 p.m.
 Sons of the American Legion meet at Dexter Legion Home, 8 p.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 11
 Boys Golf vs. Milan, 3:30 p.m. A
Thursday, Sept. 12
 Dexter Senior Citizens Yoga

through Nov. 14. Free to 65-year-olds and over, 9-11 a.m. Register, 877-5016 or 428-5397.
 JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Fowlerville, 4 p.m. A
 9 Girls Basketball vs. Fowlerville, 4 p.m. A
 JV Soccer vs. Chelsea, 4:30 p.m. A
 Varsity Soccer vs. Chelsea, 6 p.m. A
 JV Football vs. Grosse Ile, 7 p.m. H
Friday, Sept. 13
 Varsity Football vs. Grosse Ile, 7:30 p.m. A
Saturday, Sept. 14
 Cross Country vs. New Boston Huron, 9:30 a.m. A
 "Nature Stories for Kids" at Hudson Mills Metropark, 10 a.m. Pre-register 1-800-477-3191 or 428-8211.
 Dexter Horseshoe Tournament at Dexter Bowl 'N Bar, noon.
 "Spectacular Spiders" at Hudson Mills Metropark, includes hike to locate examples, 1 p.m. Pre-register 1-800-477-3191 or 428-8211.
Sunday, Sept. 15
 Equestrian at Milford, 9 a.m. A
Monday, Sept. 16
 Boys Golf vs. Chelsea, 8:30 a.m. A
 7-8 Girls Basketball vs. Saline, 4 p.m. A
 Harmony Rebekah Lodge 480 meets at the Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.
 Dexter Community Schools Board of Education meets at Mill Creek Middle School, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 17
 Boys Golf vs. Lincoln, 3:30 p.m. A
 9 Basketball vs. Bedford, 4 p.m. H
 JV Soccer vs. Saline, 4:30 p.m. A
 Cross Country, Early Jamboree, host Saline, 4:30 p.m.
 Varsity Basketball vs. Hartland, 5:30 p.m. H
 Varsity Soccer vs. Saline, 6 p.m. A
 Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at DAPCO cafeteria, 8:30 p.m.
 Dexter Township Board meets at Dexter Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 Lima Township Planning Commission meets at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.
 Webster Township Board meets at Webster township Hall, 8 p.m.
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Ann Arbor Boyschoir to perform at Fox Theatre

Following a highly competitive round of auditions and call backs that took place in Detroit at the end of July, the Boyschoir of Ann Arbor has been selected as one of four choirs to appear on the stage of Detroit's magnificent Fox Theatre in the highly popular production of *Joseph and the Technicolor Dreamcoat*. The production, which stars Donny Osmond in the title role, will preview beginning September 6, premiere September 11 and run for several weeks. The show, with music by Andrew Lloyd Webber and lyrics by Tim Rice, is produced by Livent, Inc.

Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat - Andrew Lloyd Webber's first show - first opened at the London Palladium in 1991 to great critical acclaim. The production has had numerous extended runs since then, including Toronto, Chicago, Boston and Detroit. The story of *Joseph* is based on Genesis, chapters 37 to 46, and in the hands of Lloyd Webber and Rice it has become ingenious, tune-filled family entertainment, blending varied musical styles such as country and western, calypso and rock 'n' roll. The London production was the first professional staging of *Joseph* to incorporate children's choirs as an integral element of the production. Each successive production has used two children's choirs, of 23 voices each, in each performance. Since these choirs perform on an alternating basis, a total of four different children's choirs will have the opportunity to perform each week.

This will be a first for the Boyschoir of Ann Arbor, seasoned performers of classical

music ranging from Renaissance and Baroque repertoire to Copland and Britten, whose abilities have taken them from the reopening of Ann Arbor's Michigan Theatre and the May Festival in Hill Auditorium to Evensong in the National Cathedral in Washington, D.C.; but the 23 boys are most definitely up to the challenge. Aged between 9 and 14, the boys have enthusiastically embarked on a serious and strenuous rehearsal schedule which took them to Detroit five or six days a week for the month of August. While their peers were enjoying summer vacations at the beach or camp, the Boyschoir was relishing the opportunity to learn the ins and outs of a professional theatre production. Many boys did in fact, give up long-awaited summer trips in order to be able to tread the boards side by side with the pros at the Fox Theatre.

Now in its second decade, the Boyschoir of Ann Arbor was most recently heard on tour at the Saugatuck Renaissance Music Festival last June. Following its commitment to *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, the choir will set its sights on its annual traditional Christmas Concert in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Ann Arbor, and participation in the greatly anticipated performances of Mahler's Eighth Symphony with the Grand Rapids Symphony Orchestra and Chorus in Grand Rapids and Hill Auditorium in Ann Arbor in March, 1997.

For ticket information, call 810/433-1515.

Early American Homes features Margaret Shaw

Margaret Shaw of Manchester appeared in *Early American Homes* magazine's exclusive 1996 directory of Traditional American Crafts in its August issue. Every year, *Early American Homes* selects the top craftspeople working with the traditional tools and techniques of early America to be featured in the directory.

Entries from all over the country were evaluated and rated by an independent panel using the criteria of history — period style and/or construction; intent — reproduction or original; and standard — high quality workmanship. This year's judges were C.R. Jones, art conservator at New York State Historical Association and Farmer's Museum (Cooperstown); Patricia Laey, chairman of the Mercer (PA) Museum

Folk fest; and Marie diMano, Director of Shops at the Museum of American Folk Art (NYC). Craftspeople who received the highest scores are featured in the directory. Shaw was chosen for outstanding work in floor coverings, Shaker "twisted welt" handwoven wool rugs.

The *Early American Homes* Directory of Traditional American Crafts showcases baskets, clocks, dolls, furniture, glass, leather, miniatures, metal, needlework, painting, paper, pottery, and textiles, all reflecting the highest standards of traditional design. A brief description of each craftsman's work is included, as well as their address and phone number so readers can contact them directly. The work of many of the artisans is featured in photographs in the directory.

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—Country Casino—

Former Chelsea Chamber of Commerce President Pat Cleary is pictured with last year's casino winners, Rosie and Dave Lawrence. The Country Casino will be a highlight of this year's chamber-sponsored House Party, which is The Chelsea Country Casino. (See page 3)

Alzheimer's orientation slated Sept. 7 in Saline

The monthly education program, "The ABCs of Alzheimer's: An Orientation," will be offered on Saturday, Sept. 7 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Saline District Library, Brecon Room, 555 N. Maple, Saline.

The program is sponsored by the Alzheimer's Association and will provide an orientation to Alzheimer's disease and related disorders including a discussion of normal aging, possible Alzheimer's disease symptoms, how Alzheimer's is diagnosed, and other common

caregiving questions and concerns.

The program is free and open to the public. Registration is requested. Call 313/741-8200 or 800/782-6110.

The program will be repeated on Oct. 12 in Chelsea and on Tuesday, Nov. 12 in Ann Arbor. An intensive follow-up program for caregivers will be provided every quarter starting Sept. 21.

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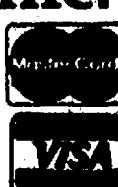
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Auto leasing popular option for many

By Michael Kelly

Leasing has become a very popular option for acquiring both new and used cars. Advertisers are tempting consumers with lower monthly payments on even the most luxurious of vehicles. Typical auto buyers wishing to spend as little as possible and still drive the car they want, have recognized that leasing can be a good option. But how do you know if it's right for you?

Leasing used to be for the business executive, offering a top-of-the-line vehicle and a tax deduction. Today men and women, young and old, from all different career paths are considering the leasing option. With the average cost of a new vehicle exceeding \$20,000, deciding how much payment you can afford is a priority. Remember low payments don't always mean the best value, the additional amount you pay in interest could negate your monthly savings. Nonetheless, leasing could put your dream car within reach.

Comparing the differences of leasing and owning, you'll quickly see that monthly payments will differ. For example, at current rates, a \$18,500 vehicle with a \$3,700 down payment on a three year loan could give you monthly payments around \$448. Leasing the same vehicle for 30 months with a down payment of \$250 would result in a monthly payment of \$239.

How can this be? Because when you lease a vehicle, you usually give it back at the end of the lease period. Leasing costs you only the expected decline in the car's value during the term of the lease. For example, if that \$18,500 car is expected to have a value of \$11,330 in 30 months your payments would be based on the difference, \$7,170 plus interest. The interest you pay on a leased vehicle is based on the full value of the car. Take the time to shop around for the best financing rates, they will differ drastically from car to car and from leasing company to company. With leasing your

states sales tax is also reduced, due to the fact that it is based on the amount of your monthly payment.

In contrast, when you purchase a new car, you must pay sales tax on the full amount you've financed (\$18,500). Of course, at the end of three years, you own the car (worth \$11,330). With the leasing, you own nothing. The difference between \$250 lease payment and \$448 loan payment over three years equals \$7,056. The extra \$7,056 buys you a car worth \$11,330. That puts you \$4,274 ahead when you buy instead of lease. Some people, however, still like the convenience and lower monthly cost of leasing.

Leasing is not for everyone. Individuals with the ability to pay in cash or finance the car in one or two years should think twice. If you drive more than 1,000 miles per month you should also look at leasing cautiously. Most lease agreements include a 12,000-15,000 mileage allowance, exceeding the

mileage allowance can add up when it comes time to turn your car in. For instance, if you have a 12-month, 12,000-mile/year lease and at the end of that year you've driven 15,000 miles you will have to pay a penalty for the additional 3,000. At the average rate of ten cents per mile, your excess mileage would cost \$300.

Used car buyers have benefited greatly from the volume of off-lease vehicles hitting the market and until recently this group would have never been considered good lease candidates. However, with the number of short term lease quality vehicles being turned in, the latest trend is used car leasing.

Leasing is undeniably an option worth looking into when you are considering whether or not to purchase a new or used car. Remember to take your time before you buy, sell or lease a vehicle. Weigh out all of the options and never chose on the spot. Give yourself a couple of days to think it over.

Business Bureau offers tips for buying used cars

Are you considering buying a used car? There are many excellent choices in the Chelsea-Dexter area and throughout eastern Michigan which can provide reliable transportation. But you must understand that a used car purchase is different than buying a new car. Here are some tips:

- Take a friend with you to provide a more objective opinion.
- Examine the doors, windows and trunk lid for fit and ease of opening and closing. Look for ripples or uneven spots in the paint. These may indicate collision damage.
- Check the accelerator and brake pad pedal. If the car is suppose to have "low mileage" but the pedals show signs of excessive wear, the odometer may have been rolled back.

Check the paperwork to see if the mileage claims conflict.

- Look at the tires for uneven wear and bald spots, which may mean bad alignment or worse.

- Start the engine and try the electrical system — wipers, lights, heater and the radio. Have the person with you check all lights, including the back-ups and turn signals.

- Look at the smoke from the exhaust. Continuous blue smoke might mean bad valves or rings, an expensive problem to correct. Also, listen to the engine for clattering or rumbling noises which might indicate bad rods or bearings.

- During your test drive, make several starts and stops at different rates of acceleration. Try turning at various speeds. Drive the car over rough roads and listen for rattles.

- One of my best tips is simple — pay a trusted mechanic or car expert to examine the car for you. The cost is minimal, and he may discover major problems.

- If you're buying from a dealership, have you checked them out? Did you ask friends or co-workers about the company? Do they have a good report with the BBB? (Are they Bureau members?) Find out by calling us 24 hours a day at (810) 644-9100.

- The biggest problem we see is buyers who do not understand that used cars are sold "as is" unless the seller provides a written warranty. The

Federal Trade Commission requires dealers to put on a window sticker which discloses any warranty which might exist, but you are responsible for any repairs after the purchase. There are no "3-day laws" or "lemon laws" on used cars.

Shop around for the best financing as well by comparing the annual percentage rates (APR) of each loan.

If the car dealer isn't honoring his written warranty, perhaps the BBB can help. Write at: BBB, 30555 Southfield Rd., Suite 200, Southfield, MI 48076. The Bureau serves Chelsea and all of Washtenaw and Jackson Counties.

Older vehicles should be checked for repairs

When it comes to purchasing an automobile, sticker shock may prompt some consumers to consider buying used. And that means the family sedan may need a few repairs along the way.

A University of Michigan study predicts the cost of some new cars and trucks will jump 20 percent by the year 2000. Experts say people will continue to keep their cars longer, and data from the American Automobile Manufacturers Association supports this claim. Average age of a passenger car in 1991 was 5.5 years; average age of a passenger car in 1994 was 8.4 years.

"Especially during the summer driving season, when more people are on the roads and hotter temperatures may demand more of your vehicle, it's important to do some preventative maintenance to make sure the vehicle is in good shape," said AAA Michigan Automotive Services Director Peter Erickson.

AAA Michigan offers these suggestions and encourages motorists have their technician check the following:

- Alternator — Loose wiring can make your alternator appear defective. Make sure the technician checks for loose connections and performs an output test before replacing it.
- Battery — Corroded or loose battery terminals can make the battery appear dead or defective.
- Exhaust system — A loud

rumbling noise under your vehicle indicates the need for a new muffler or exhaust pipe. Quality replacement parts obviously cost more, but may be worth the additional expense down the road. For this reason, always consider using quality replacement parts. Make sure you understand exactly what the warranty covers, because many exhaust system warranties have exceptions and limitations.

• Tune-up — The old-fashioned "tune-up" may not apply to your vehicle. Fewer parts need to be replaced on newer vehicles other than belts, spark plugs, hoses and filters. Follow recommendations in your owner's manual.

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A 17-year-old Scio Township boy was arrested on Hudson Street between Third and Fourth Streets Aug. 24 for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor. The driver was initially stopped by a Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy for speeding. The deputy noticed the teen's passengers pouring alcohol out of the vehicle to avoid a ticket. The teenager admitted to the deputy he had consumed alcohol earlier at a party. The driver was arrested for drunken driving and as a minor in possession of alcohol. A back seat passenger, a 17-year-old Dexter girl, was cited as a minor in possession of alcohol and tobacco. The couple was accompanied by a 22-year-old Dexter man.

A 44-year-old Dexter woman was arrested for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor on Baker Road near Dan Hoy Road, Aug. 30. She was initially stopped by a sheriff's deputy for erratic driving at 1:30 a.m. A deputy noted the woman smelled strongly of intoxicants. She admitted to drinking beer at Dexter Bowling Alley prior to driving. Her blood-alcohol level was tested at .22 percent, which is more than twice the legal limit.

Warrant Arrest and Possession of Marijuana

Tracy L. Birely, 21, of Pinckney was arrested on Main Street near Broad Street for violating probation. Birely was wanted by the Farmington Hills Police Department. She failed to appear in court on charges of driving with a suspended license. A sheriff's deputy initially stopped Birely because the vehicle she was riding in had defective equipment. Upon further investigation, a deputy found suspected marijuana underneath her seat. The stop occurred at 1:30 a.m. The marijuana has been sent to the Michigan State Police crime laboratory for analysis.

Threats

A 52-year-old Dexter man complained to the sheriff's department that a 38-year-old St. Clair Shores man made two threatening telephone calls.

The victim, who lives in the 2400 block of Dongara Ct., said he recently won a civil suit against the suspect. Police served a civil process and seized the man's personal property to collect. The investigating deputy spoke with the suspect, who apologized and promised not to call the victim again.

Chelsea Village

Larceny

Larceny was reported at Polly's Market, 1101 S. Main St., Aug. 20. A man told Chelsea Police he placed his fanny pack on top of his car and drove off Aug. 17. The purse contained two check books and cash.

Found Property

A man called Chelsea Police when he found two bikes on his South Street lawn. The bikes are being stored at the police station until the owner can be located.

Property Damage

Malicious destruction of property was reported at Chelsea High School, 500 Washington St., Aug. 28. A 17-year-old boy told Chelsea Police someone slashed the tire on his 1983 Pontiac station wagon. The incident was discovered at 3 p.m. The outside sidewall of the tire was cut, causing \$10 damage.

Malicious destruction of property was reported on Sycamore Street, Sept. 2. A Chelsea man told police he was awakened at 2 a.m. and 3 a.m. to noises in his yard. Upon further investigation, the man found his front porch damaged when someone ignited fecal matter wrapped in toilet paper.

Warrant Arrests

Matthew M. Ayling, 18, of Adrian was transferred into the custody of Chelsea Police Aug. 26. Ayling was wanted on a felony warrant for larceny from an automobile. Because he could not make bail, Ayling was transported to the Washtenaw County Jail.

Robyn T. Dunkley, 24, of Scio Township was arrested by Chelsea Police on Main Street near McKune Library. Dunkley was initially stopped for a traffic violation. A computer check, however, revealed Dunkley was wanted on a criminal bench warrant out of Tuscola County for child neglect.

Lima Township

Drunken Driving

A 25-year-old Gregory man was arrested by a sheriff's deputy on Old US-12 near Harper Drive, Aug. 24, for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor. A sheriff's deputy was initially dispatched to the area for a minor injury accident at 10:45 p.m. The suspect, who was driving the vehicle, told a deputy he was fumbling on the floor board looking for his cigarettes when the crash occurred. The man said he looked up, skidded into the gravel ditch and struck a tree. The man's blood-alcohol level was tested at .12 percent, which is more than the legal limit.

Lyndon Township

Breaking and Entering

Breaking and entering was reported in the 1200 block of Guinan Drive, Aug. 31. A 51-year-old township man told a sheriff's deputy someone broke into his home between

7:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m., stealing \$200 cash. The victim thinks his garage door may have been unlocked.

Recovered Stolen Property

A Sea Doo watercraft was recovered on Roe Road near Cassidy Road, Aug. 26. A DNR officer found the vehicle in the woods. It had been stripped of its motor and internal mechanical parts. The sheriff's department is trying to locate the owner.

Sylvan Township

Property Damage

Malicious destruction of property was reported in the 18300 block of Bush Road, Aug. 27. A 68-year-old man told a sheriff's deputy someone attacked his outside lights, causing \$80 damage. The incident occurred between 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Aug. 26.

Dexter Township

Warrant Arrests

Jeremy G. Bradbury, 21, of Dexter was arrested by a sheriff's deputy on North Territorial Road near Hanked Road, Aug. 27. Bradbury was wanted on a felony warrant for larceny.

Joseph L. Shreves, 30, of Chelsea was arrested by a sheriff's deputy on Dexter-Pinckney Road near Bell Road, Aug. 30. Shreves was initially stopped for a traffic violation. A computer check, however, revealed he was wanted on a bench warrant for driving with a suspended license.

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Scio Township

Attempted Break-in

Attempted breaking and entering was reported at Bio Pharmaceutical, 6869 Marshall Road, Aug. 18. The president of the company told a sheriff's deputy someone threw a rock at a window, causing \$90 damage. The incident occurred between 8:40 p.m. Aug. 17 and 1:10 p.m. Aug. 18. An alarm was not activated during the attempted break-in. No property was reported stolen.

Attempted breaking and entering was reported at Autoform, Inc., 161 Enterprise Dr., Aug. 26. A 48-year-old production manager told a sheriff's deputy someone stole 50 loading racks valued at \$10,000. The racks were stolen between 8:30 a.m. Aug. 24 and 6 a.m. Aug. 26. They were taken from the rear loading dock.

Breaking and entering was reported by Wolverine Construction, 7151 Jackson Rd., Aug. 19. A 35-year-old man told a sheriff's deputy \$5,000 worth of equipment and tools were stolen between 10 p.m. Aug. 18 and 7 a.m. Aug. 19. Thieves gained entry by kicking in a door, causing \$200 damage.

Breaking and entering was reported at Scio Farms Estates, 6655 Jackson Rd., Aug. 26. A maintenance shed was broken into between Aug. 23 and Aug. 26. Tools and equipment valued at \$555 were stolen.

Recovered Stolen Vehicle

A 1996 Pontiac Grand Prix reported stolen from James Bradley Pontiac, 3500 Jackson Rd., was recovered Aug. 22 at a former employee's home in Milan. The vehicle is valued at \$20,000. The suspect is a 62-year-old Milan man.

Stolen Vehicle

A 1996 Hyundai Accent was stolen from a dealership at 3975 Jackson Rd., Aug. 23. A manager told a sheriff's deputy a 25-year-old Pinckney woman took the vehicle for a test drive and never returned. The vehicle is valued at \$12,000.

A 1995 Pontiac Grand Am was reported stolen from Bradley Pontiac, 3500 Jackson Rd., Aug. 26. A 48-year-old woman at the dealership told police an employee took the vehicle without permission. The 32-year-old Ann Arbor man, a service porter, drove off the lot around noon.

A 1987 Cadillac was reported stolen from the 4300 block of Eastgate Drive, Aug. 30. A 53-year-old man told a sheriff's deputy the car was stolen between 8:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. The vehicle, valued at \$5,000, was parked in the man's driveway.

Larceny

Larceny was reported at Campbell Moving and Storage, 7171 Jackson Road, Aug. 23. A 37-year-old Ann Arbor man told a sheriff's deputy someone stole stereo equipment valued at \$400. The equipment belongs to a 37-year-old Ann Arbor woman who was storing the property in the warehouse. The theft occurred between Aug. 11 and Aug. 23. It was noted 12 employees have access to the warehouse where the belongings were stored.

Larceny was reported in the 2900 block of W. Liberty Road, Aug. 24. A 38-year-old woman told a sheriff's deputy someone vandalized a 1996 GMC Suburban and 1993 Jeep between 3:30 p.m. and 5 p.m. Two flip phones, a purse, electronic Rolodex and wallet were also stolen. Damage is estimated at \$350. Thieves

gained entry to the vehicles by prying open a window. The items stolen are valued at \$850.

Drunken Driving

A 22-year-old Dexter man was arrested by a sheriff's deputy on Zeeb Road near Dexter-Ann Arbor Road, Aug. 25, for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor. The suspect's passenger, a 22-year-old New Hudson man, was also intoxicated. The men were stopped at 2:20 a.m. for driving erratically in a 1988 Pontiac. A test revealed the Dexter driver's blood-alcohol level to be .13 percent and the passenger's to be .12 percent, which are considered legally intoxicated.

A 41-year-old Ann Arbor

man was arrested inside Scio Farms Estates, 6655 Jackson Rd., Aug. 30, for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor. A deputy was initially dispatched to a hit and run accident in the manufactured home park. A witness got the suspect's license plate number after he struck two utility poles, causing \$1,200 damage. The suspect was located wandering around the park. He told the investigating deputy that he lost control of his vehicle when his foot slipped off the brake. The man's blood-alcohol level was tested at .14 percent, which is more than the legal limit.

Threats

A 48-year-old man told a sheriff's deputy a former busi-

ness associate threatened him in the 3400 block of Wagner Woods Court, Aug. 29. The victim said the suspect came to his home enraged. He fears the man will come back and make good on his threats to harm him.

Warrant Arrests

Eric C. Kim, 24, of Minnesota was arrested on Huron River Drive near Zeeb Road, Aug. 31. A sheriff's deputy was initially dispatched on a trespassing complaint at the gravel pit. A computer check, however, revealed Kim was wanted on a warrant.

Jacob L. Walter, 37, of Scio Township was arrested on Prospect Court near E. Loch Alpine Street, Aug. 29. A sheriff's deputy was initially dispatched to the area for a complaint. Walters was encountered during the investigation. A computer check revealed he was wanted by the Friend of the Court in Grand Traverse.

Disorderly Person

A 19-year-old Chelsea man was issued a ticket for urinating in public at Pilot Oil and Gas, 195 Baker Rd., Aug. 31. A sheriff's deputy saw the man with four other people outside the gas station. He appeared suspicious when he left the

group. A deputy followed him and saw him urinate near a large plate glass window. It was noted the teen was ticketed earlier by Ann Arbor Police for being a minor in possession of alcohol.

(Compiled by Associate Editor

Michelle Rogers based on reports filed with Chelsea Police and the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department.)

Chelsea



—Grand Champion—

Cindy Grau of Chelsea poses with her cow, Blackie, which was named Grand Champion Overall in the dairy competition at the Chelsea Community Fair in August.

Ethnic festival set Sept. 7-8

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The 1996 Michigan peach crop forecast as of July 1 was 40 million pounds, according to the Michigan Agricultural Statistics Service. That is down 33 percent from the 1995 crop. The frigid winters of 1994 and 1995 have caused the death of poor performance of many trees. In addition, peach buds were killed this February in many sites that are not close to Lake Michigan. The U.S. peach crop, excluding California clingstones, was forecast at 988 million pounds, down 31 percent from last year.

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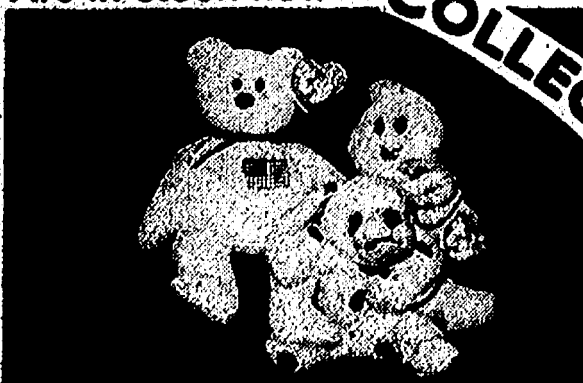
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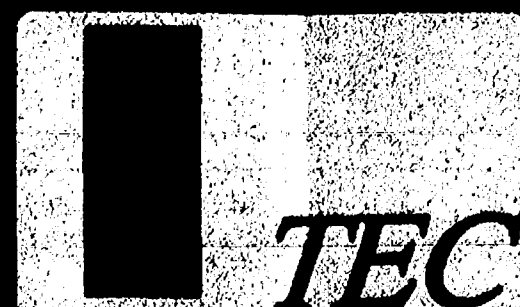
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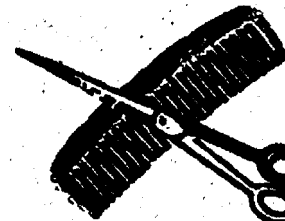
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AGENDA

1) Zoning Ordinance Text Review (continued)

DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

Robert Tetens, Chairman

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Dexter Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a meeting on Tuesday, September 10, 1996 at 7:30 p.m., at the Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter Pinckney Rd., Dexter, Michigan 48130

AGENDA

1) Scott Robertson/Billy Robertson—13753 Bramble Brae Drive
Tax code is: 04-18-437-004/005. Applicant is requesting a variance from the front yard set back requirements and to increase the floor area ratio from the required 15% to 41.7%, also to recognize that the lot size is less than one acre.

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The Way It Was



Old photos reveal much local history

By Kathy Clark
Special Writer

This group of young ladies in the above 1890s photograph is probably a class from Chelsea's St. Paul Lutheran Church. The original St. Paul (which is now on Old US-12) was on Summit Street where Immanuel Bible Church convenes today.

Left to right, top row are, Tillie Girsch Lehman, Carrie Vogel Maroney, Mary

Schaible. Middle row, Minnie Mast, Carrie Strooble, Ida Schumacker. Bottom, left to right, Lauhengayer sisters, Ella Schlimer, Erma Ahn Miller and Elta Hepter.

Fortunately, many of these group photographs by E. E. Shaver have survived with history-minded families in Chelsea, and are being placed in Chelsea Area Historical Society archives. Dan Maroney, grandson of Carrie

Vogel Maroney, has found this photograph and given clues to its identity. It had all the names conveniently written on the back.

He remembered his grandmother attended St. Paul's for a short time before joining the Congregational Church. None of the names matched Congregational members, so Dan and I assumed this was a group

of young St. Paul ladies.

Not only is it important to have people named in historical photographs, the clothing is interesting to study. Buttons were in fashion in the 1890s, as were high neck trimmed collars and lots of varying braid trim. Very similar braid trim is decorating jackets, suits and dresses today. It goes to show, not much in fashion is entirely new.

Local couple buys Meyers' Cleaners

Two Dexter natives have purchased the Chelsea and Jackson Road drying cleaning stores formerly part of the Meyer's Cleaners chain.

Mark and Colette Hicks have changed the name of the stores to Hicks' Cleaners. The sale closed Tuesday. Meyer's simply decided to downsize, which made the two most western stores available.

Colette, 28, grew up in the Dexter-Ann Arbor area and had worked for Meyer's Cleaners for the last six years, including the last 2 1/2 as manager of the Jackson Road store, which serves as the main plant. Clothing from the Chelsea store is sent there.

"We felt like it was an offer we couldn't refuse, the opportunity to become our own bosses," Colette says.

"Mark likes dealing with people and he seems to fit in very well with the business."

Mark, a 1984 graduate of Dexter High School, worked the last two years for Meyer's in maintenance and as a driver. Before that he worked for Diamond Glass & Feiner's and Wolverine & Moore Glass in Dexter.

"I've worked construction all my life," Mark says.

"I never thought I would be in the cleaning business."

The two stores have a combined 13 employees, most of



Mark and Colette Hicks are the new owners of Meyers' Cleaners. The local couple recently closed the deal and renamed the store Hicks' Cleaners. They have retained all the employees under previous ownership.

them part-time. All employees are being retained. All of the Chelsea store's employees live there.

Hicks' Cleaners provides same-day service, Monday through Friday, on clothes that are in by 11 a.m.

The stores offer dry cleaning, drapery cleaning, and shirt laundry, as well as cleaning of household items such as comforters and table cloths.

They also will provide minor repairs free, such as sewing on buttons, in addition to shortening and lengthening pants and replacing zippers at a reasonable cost.

Store hours are 7-7, Monday through Friday, and 8-6 on Saturday.

Chelsea Village Council approves street improvements

Several village streets will be improved this month and early next year after action taken by village council last week.

Harrison Street, Jefferson Street, Claredale Court, and Industrial Drive are all scheduled for chip sealing later this month. This is the process commonly used on county roads. Cost of the improvements is expected to be \$14,849.

Next spring the same improvements will be made to E. Middle St., from East Street to Madison, Washington Street from East Street to Madison, and Van Buren Street to East Street. The latter will receive a double seal. Cost is expected to be \$18,147.

Also last week, council approved an upgrade to the village water system as two worn out pumps will be replaced for

a total cost of about \$18,000 with necessary electrical work. Those pumps will be able to handle a combined 600 gallons per minute.

In other business, Dan Kaminsky was appointed the village's representative to the District Library Committee. Trustee Richard Rize was named a liaison.

The annual audit conducted by Plante & Moran was

accepted. The report was generally complimentary and suggested a number of minor accounting changes.

Possible annexation of 20 acres on the west side of the village, part of the Shirley Trinkle farm, was tabled until the second meeting in October. The land is tied up in litigation but it is anticipated a court decision will be made by then.

Chelsea Fair Livestock Auction Results listed

Listed below are the results of the Chelsea Community Fair Livestock Auction held Thursday, Aug. 22.

Listed are the children who raised the animals, place, weight of the animal and the buyer.

Steer Sale:

Laura Koengeter, grand champion, 1,375 pounds, \$5.25 lb., Chelsea Big Boy.

Melissa Bycraft, reserve champion, 1,175 pounds, \$3.00 lb., The Common Grill.

Celeste Bycraft, 1st light weight, 1,005 pounds, \$1.75 lb., National Computer Resources.

Amy McCalla, 1st medium lightweight, 1,140 pounds, \$1.25 lb., Chelsea Lanes.

Steve Trinkle, 2nd light weight, 1,080 pounds, \$1.50 lb., Kroll Construction.

Cindy Grau, 2nd medium light weight, 1,155 pounds, \$1.20 lb., Stivers Restaurant.

Laura Heller, 2nd medium heavy weight, 1,210 pounds, \$1.25 lb., Chelsea A&W.

Josh Powers, 2nd heavy weight, 1,255 pounds, \$1.20 lb., Hop In/Subway, Fletcher Road.

Kimberly Herrst, 3rd light weight, 1,040 pounds, \$1.10 lb., Elizabeth Herrst, 1/4, Carrie Eddin, 1/4.

Joel Powers, 3rd medium light weight, 1,165 pounds, \$1.20 lb., D&M Schumm.

Joe Koengeter, 3rd medium heavy weight, 1,230 pounds, \$1.10 lb., Chelsea State Bank.

Jenna Connelly, 3rd heavy weight, 1,375 pounds, \$1.00 lb., Chelsea Big Boy.

Toni VanRiper, 4th light weight, 1,100 pounds, \$1.20 lb., Reddeman Farms Golf Club.

Carl Trinkle, 4th medium light weight, 1,140 pounds, \$1.00 lb., Lane Animal Hospital.

Karen Kuhl, 4th medium heavy weight, 1,210 pounds, \$1.10 lb., Vigoro Farmmarket.

Lindsay Powers, 4th heavy weight, 1,305 pounds, \$1.00 lb., Trail Creek Landscape.

Jay Barber, 5th light weight, 1,085 pounds, \$1.00 lb., Stivers Restaurant.

Robert Herrst II, 5th medium light weight, 1,160 pounds, \$1.00 lb., Ann Arbor Machine.

Hilary Herrst, 5th medium heavy weight, 1,185 pounds, \$1.20 lb., Chelsea Milling.

Sarah Heller, 5th heavy weight, 1,265 pounds, \$1.25 lb.,

Wolverine Food And Spirits.

Chris Bauer, 6th light weight, 1,110 pounds, \$1.00 lb., Farm Bureau Ins., Dave Rowe.

Ashlee Trinkle, 6th medium light weight, 1,130 pounds, 90¢ lb., Stivers Restaurant.

Sarah Trinkle, 6th medium heavy weight, 1,210 pounds, \$1.15 lb., Chelsea Milling.

Erwin Herrst, 6th heavy weight, 1,255 pounds, \$1.10 lb., Heydlauff's.

Brian Ruhlig, 7th light weight, 1,100 pounds, \$1.15 lb., Provoco Inc.

Molly Edman, 7th medium heavy weight, 1,135 pounds, \$1.25 lb., Richards Bros. Painting.

Kate Huehl, 7th medium heavy weight, 1,250 pounds, \$1.25 lb., Wahl Oil Co.

Jared Powers, 7th heavy weight, 1,255 pounds, \$1.10 lb., Chelsea Comm. Hospital.

Robert Huehl, 8th medium light weight, 1,170 pounds, \$1.10 lb., DeCamp Farm Sales.

Sarah Edman, 8th medium heavy weight, 1,215 pounds, \$1.05 lb., Chelsea Comm. Fair.

Brandon Trinkle, 8th heavy weight, 1,350 pounds, \$1.00 lb., Kroll Construction.

Chad Trinkle, 9th medium light weight, 1,170 pounds, 85¢ lb., Norm Post.

Jonathan Herrst, 9th heavy weight, 1,310 pounds, \$1.00 lb., Cole Funeral Chapel.

Hog Sale:

Eric McCalla, Grand Champion Individual, 240 pounds, \$5.75 lb., new record, Staffen Mitchell Caske.

Kate Huehl, Reserve Champion Individual, 254 pounds, \$4.00 lb., Randy's Lime Service.

Krystal Welshans, Grand Champion Pair, 238 and 231 pounds, \$1.30 lb., Palmer Insurance.

Kate Huehl, Reserve Champion Pair, 287 pounds, \$1.80 lb., Vigoro Farmmarket.

Katrina Luckhardt, 1st Place light weight pair, 248 pounds, \$1.10 lb., Chelsea Standard/Dexter Leader. (This pig was purchased by Chelsea Standard/Dexter Leader and then donated to Faith In Action.)

Amy McCalla, 2nd Place light weight pair, 230 pounds, \$1.80 lb., Bollinger Sanitation Service. And, 230 pounds, \$1.80

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Chelsea Community Hospital Auxiliary awarded scholarships recently. From left are volunteer Barb Haag, scholarship recipients Michael Coffman, Elizabeth Holdsworth, Stephanie Wesolowski, Anna Royce, and Natalia Rehker, and volunteer Jan Tolf.

Hospital Auxiliary gives scholarships

Chelsea Community Hospital Auxiliary has awarded scholarships to several area students who are pursuing studies in health-related careers.

Scholarship winners from Chelsea include Bryan Kidd, who's attending Central Michigan University in physical therapy; Elizabeth Holdsworth, a pre-med student at Drake University; Michael Coffman, a physical therapy major at the University of Michigan; Stephanie Wesolowski, an animal science major at Michigan State University; and Anna Royce, a health administration major at Eastern Michigan University.

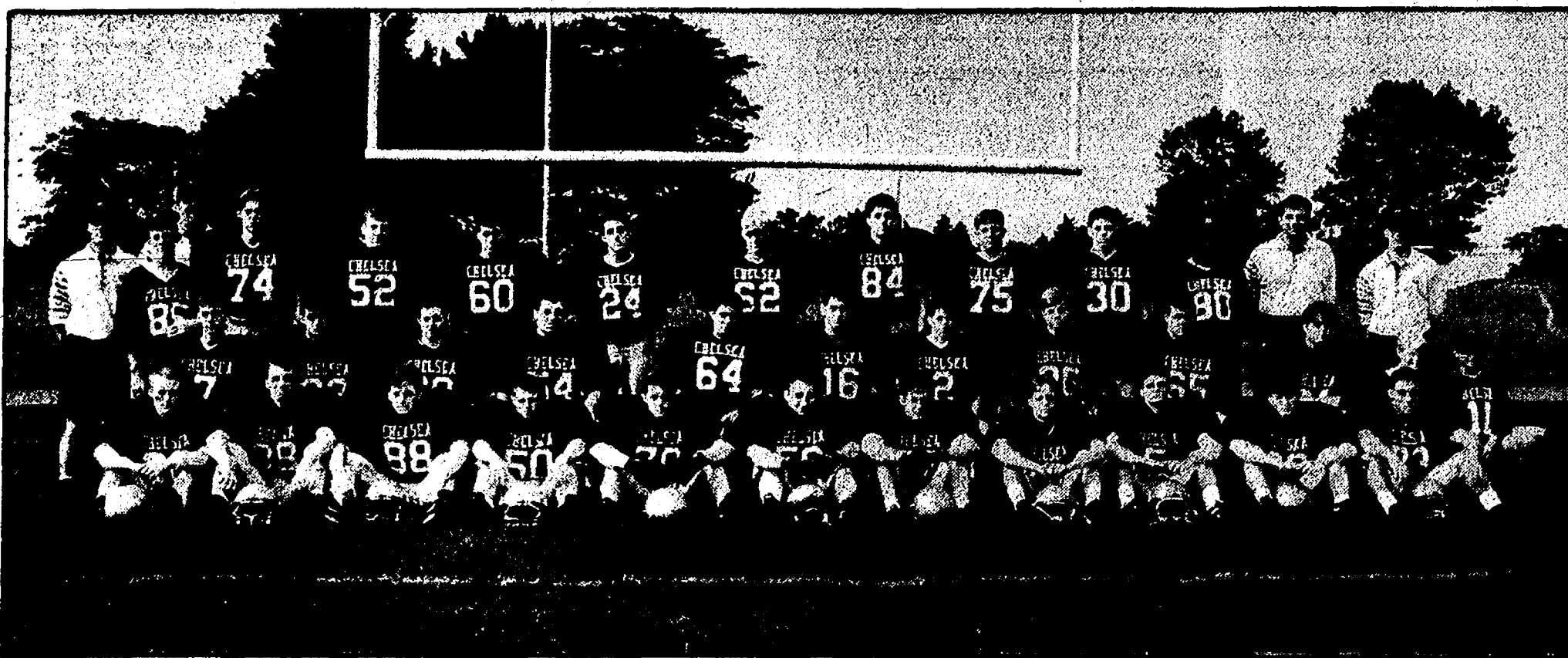
Other students include Ann

Arbor's Nicole Shafer, a pharmacy student at the University of Michigan and Natalia Rehker, who's studying health management and policy at Michigan; Sarah Barnhill of Grass Lake, a biology major and pre-med student at Michigan State; and Elaine Boyd, a nursing student at Washtenaw Community College from Stockbridge.

The A.A. Palmer Scholarship was awarded to David Klemer, a second-year medical student at Columbia University. The Palmer Scholarship is funded by the Chelsea Painters through the sale of their art at their annual art fair at the hospital.

SPORTS

Lets Go
Bulldogs!



Chelsea Bulldogs varsity football team gets into action this Friday at Mason before returning home next week to host arch-rival Saline.

Bulldogs begin Friday at Mason

Chelsea Bulldogs hope experience and athleticism at key positions will keep them in contention for a Southeastern Conference football title this fall. But first they'll face non-conference opponent Mason tomorrow on the road.

Thirty boys are out for the team, about an average number.

The Chelsea offense is led by senior second-year quarterback Dusty White, who passed for 1,000 yards last season.

"He's big, strong and fast and is a leader," said Head Coach Gene LaFave.

"We're looking for him to have a great year."

Senior wide out Casey Wescott and sophomore Rourke Skelton should help White's passing game considerably. They're both sure-handed receivers. Sophomore Drew Henson, another good athlete, is their back-up.

While the offensive line looks strong, the running game is a question mark since starters Justin Strong, a senior, and sophomore Mike Holloway are out with ankle injuries for several games. The duties will now fall to senior Jay Schick,

junior Chris Frayer, and Henson.

The line will be anchored by senior tackles Chris DeSarbo and Jamie Holzhausen.

"They give us great speed and quickness up front," LaFave said.

"We'll be pretty mobile."

Junior Adam Schapper (220 pounds) will snap the ball. Guards will be senior Laramie Paxton, junior Joe Barkman (230 pounds), and sophomore Dan Kloosterman (220 pounds). Junior Matt Adams (6'-3, 190) is the tight end.

Holzhausen will anchor the defensive line at nose guard. The tackles will come from among senior Andy Kargel, senior James Hadley, senior Brad Sullivan, senior Brian Hall, and Schapper. Henson and Frayer will play defensive end.

Linebackers include DeSarbo and junior Ben Whelan. Defensive backfield had to be altered because of the injuries. Junior Sean Stickney, Wescott, and Schick will play there.

Wescott will again handle all the kicking, which LaFave said should be one of the team's strengths.

Milan Big Reds, Pinckney Pirates, Saline Hornets, Lincoln Railsplitters, and Chelsea could all compete for the league title, while Tecumseh and Dexter are predicted to be rebuilding.

Roger Cox, the architect of Chelsea's defense the last several years, has returned to Lincoln, where his son is playing. Mark Helms is the new defensive coordinator.

"(Mark) has a little different style, but the quality is the same level," LaFave said.

"We won't miss a beat."

JV soccer team wins opener

Chelsea High School JV soccer team began their inaugural season by dominating Monroe Jefferson in the first game of the season on Tuesday, Aug. 27, 6-1.

Chelsea put 23 shots on goal. Jake Hurst, playing in the first organized soccer game in his life, led the scoring, putting four of his six shots in the net. Jeff Dohner scored the other two goals on strong moves in front of the net. Assists were provided by Joe Arend and Ryan Braidwood.

The game was controlled by a strong midfield performance led by center midfielder John Baird. Goalkeeper Matt Swope turned away four of the five shots Monroe Jefferson took.

Coach Jim Hicks commented that before the game he didn't know what to expect from his team. It is made up of a core of freshman coming from the Chelsea Soccer Club travel program but included seven players that have never played an organized soccer game.

"The new players are willing to learn," he said.

"The whole team has picked up a strong work ethic from the varsity upperclass-

men. I am confident this will be a competitive team as the season continues."

On Thursday, Aug. 29 the team traveled to Saline but lost 9-1.

Saline dominated the opening period, taking the ball to the net within the first minute. The Hornets kept the ball in Chelsea's half of the field for most of the half. The half-time score was 6-0.

The Bulldogs re-grouped at half-time and out hustled the more skilled Saline team, holding the game even for most of the half.

Dohner scored the Bulldogs' only goal on a direct kick following one of Saline's many penalties.

"I expected Saline to be strong," Hicks said.

"They have the strongest development program in the conference right now besides Chelsea. They also have a freshman program so we were playing a team which has played together for a year. Our team needed to see this level of play. Our players grew as a team in this game. They corrected a lot of what was wrong in the first half. They played well in the second half, they hustled."

The next games for the JV are Monday, Sept. 9 at home vs. Monroe St. Mary's at 4:30; Sept. 12 at home vs. Dexter at 4; and Saturday Sept. 14 at home vs. Jackson Northwest at 11. All home games are played on IBC Fields on McKinley St. across from North Creek Elementary School.

JV hoop beats Glads

Chelsea's junior varsity girls basketball team opened with a 33-19 victory over the Fowlerville Gladiators last Thursday.

The Bulldogs got off to a slow start and managed just 11 points by halftime. Nevertheless, they led 11-9 at the intermission.

Chelsea continued to have problems, scoring in the third quarter, but the offense came to life in the final period for 16 points, while Fowlerville managed just two.

Miranda Harris led Chelsea with 13 points and nine rebounds. Amy McCalla added six points and nine rebounds, and Brook Stolaski was a workhorse on the boards, grabbing 10 rebounds.

Other scorers included Lisa Zimmerman with five, and Meghan Holefska, Kristin Ellis, Karen Kuhl, and Stolaski with two, and Katie Long with one.

"It was the typical first game with numerous errors," said Chelsea coach Paul Terpstra.

"We struggled to shoot well."

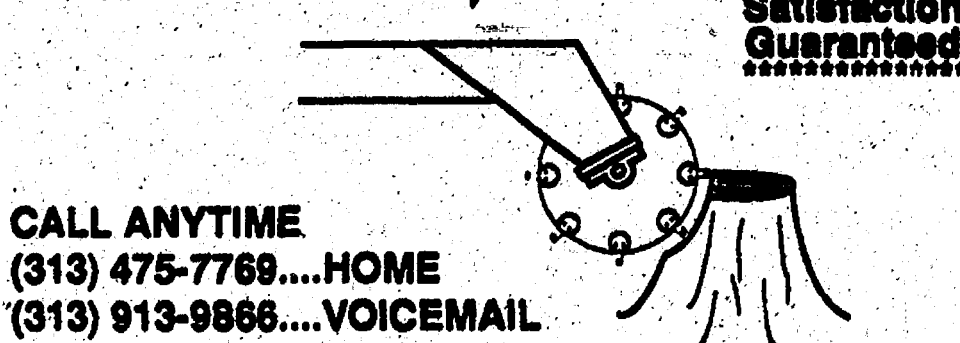
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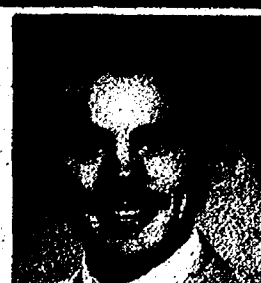
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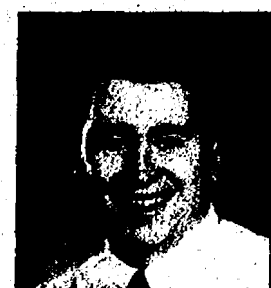
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The anti-hunting faction in Michigan is at it again. For several years now these so-called animal lovers have been trying to put an end to different parts of one of Michigan's favorite pastimes, enjoying the out of doors while hunting and fishing.

At one time in my younger days, I spent many cold mornings running my small trapline, occasionally catching a few muskrats, mink, fox and raccoon. Not only did this give me a little extra spending money, it also got me into the outdoors where the temperature was chilly and the air was fresh. I feel this may be part of the reason my health is pretty good now.

I no longer trap but I sure disagree with those that say it is wrong to trap. Several years ago these people were trying to get one or more versions of furbearer trapping outlawed in this and other states. Many of these people are just petition signers and have no idea how the trapping is done, or of the care and concern shown by most trappers. All they know about the subject is what the petition passer tells them, and this is usually so twisted and one sided it doesn't come near describing the sport as it really is.

Now those same skunk huggers are trying to tell Michigan hunters that it is wrong to hunt the Michigan black bear in the same manner they have been using for as long as most of us can remember, placing bait in an area to draw the bear to the area where the hunter can get a clean and killing shot without wounding and losing it.

Other methods often produce a poorly-placed shot through the brush which may allow it to escape to die a suffering death several days later.

The other attempt to interrupt the hunting being done by Michigan's bear hunters, is to get the current laws changed to outlaw hunting bears with dogs in the state.

While I am not a bear hunter at this time, I will, as a hunter, do all I can to help to keep this right open, to be used by those that do enjoy this version of hunting, since it is my belief that once these people get their foot in the

About the Outdoors

by Jerry D. Posey



door, all forms of hunting are threatened.

I will not mention in this column the names of any of the several animal rights organizations that are now trying to get enough signatures on their petitions to get the placing of bait for bears and also the use of dogs while hunting the bears put on the ballot in November, since it would just be free advertisement for a cause that I do not believe in.

Whether this subject is placed on the ballot in November or not, I hope the people of Michigan will take the time to learn the facts and not be taken in by the half truths they will be hearing as this time draws near.

The DNR estimates that Michigan's black bear population is holding steady at around 10,000 wild bears at this time. Most of these bears are in the upper peninsula where they are usually not a nuisance problem and the area receives quite a bit of its tourist trade from hunters from other areas that spend their money here while hunting the area.

Last year's bear-hunting season produced 1,460 legally-taken bears and about 80 percent of these animals were taken while using bait piles to attract the bears. Another 15

percent were taken while hunting with dogs that are trained to hunt bear. That leaves only five percent taken by other methods of hunting, which is all that would have been taken if baiting and hunting with dogs had not been allowed.

One point to keep in mind is, after the animal-rights groups convinced or threatened so many people out of the idea of wearing garments made of the very useful furs of animals taken legally, that the prices paid for furs dropped so drastically that most of the coon hunters and trappers either quit the sport or eased back on the amount of time spent harvesting these animals.

Now look at our road-sides, a person cannot drive one full mile along any given highway or back road without seeing several fur-bearing animals rotting away and going to waste.

Despite what many people think, Mother Nature does not cut back on the production of these critters just because there is no longer a market for them.

Don't get me wrong, I don't think that without the hunter helping to control the bear population, we would start finding the dead bears along

the roadside as we now do the raccoon, but the bear population would surely explode to the point that the bear would become a problem that someone would have to deal with somewhere along the way.

Regulated hunting is still the best method of keeping the bear population under control, this is a fact proven by many wildlife management studies. It helps to maintain a healthy bear population and can be regulated by the number of permits given out in the permit lottery system now in use in Michigan.

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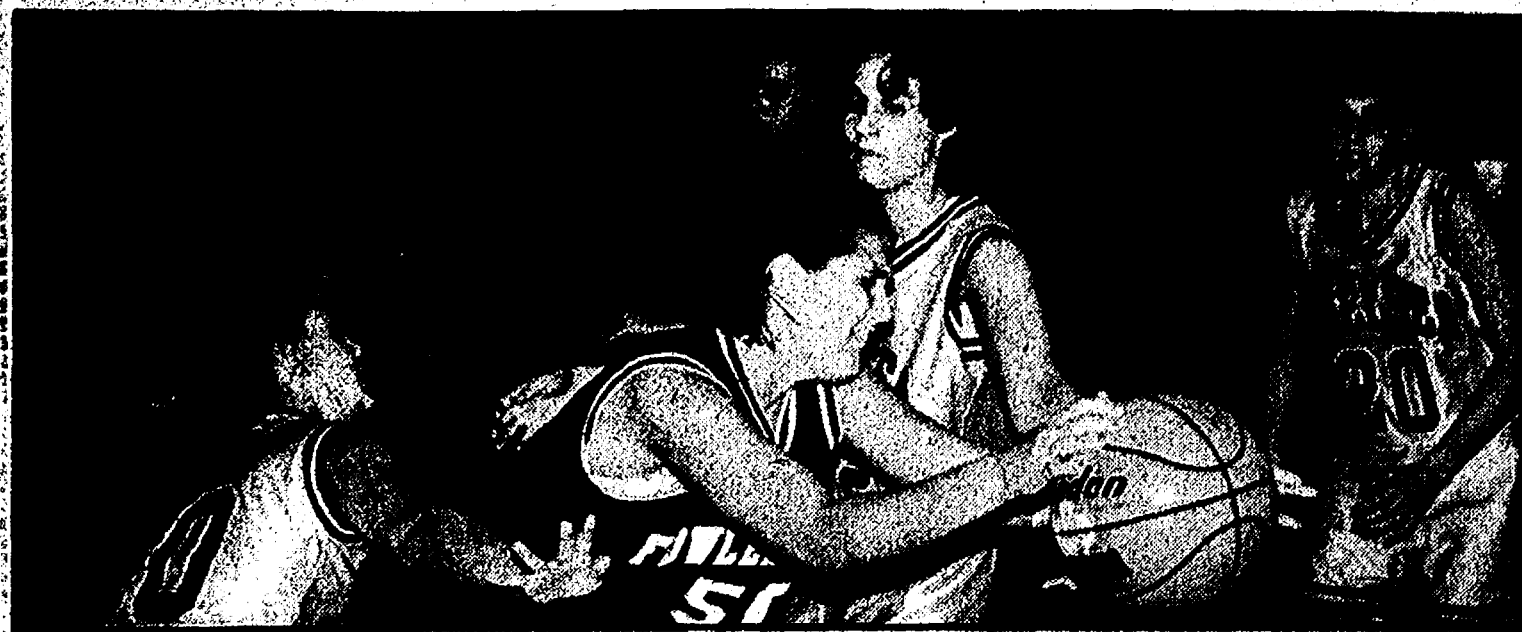
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—Varsity Girls Beat Fowlerville—

Chelsea's varsity basketball team beat the Gladiators, 63-46, last Thursday at home in the first game of the season. The team was led by Kacie Ruhl and Carrie Williams with 13 points each. Above, a Fowlerville player is surrounded by Williams, left, Chrissy Hodgson, center, and Melissa Carty, right.



—Women's League First Place—

This team finished in first place in the Chelsea Recreation Women's League. Pictured are coach Lynda Collins, Julie Coleman, Julie Heydlauf, Sue Koch, Sherry Bush, Kathy Petty, Carol Dorer, Christy Petty, Michelle Mycala, Ami Bragg, Kim Easton, Nicholas Easton, Amy Petty, Danielle Longe, Celia Murphy, Sharne Petty and Cindy Wacker.

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VILLAGE OF CHELSEA

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A Public Hearing will be held on Wednesday, September 11, 1996 at 7:30 p.m. at the Lyndon Township Hall to review the request filed by Robert and Barbara Jaynes for a conditional use permit. The permit was filed for the placement of a trailer on their property located at 10685 Coopersfield, Chelsea.

Comments regarding this conditional use permit will be heard at the scheduled public hearing.

LYNDON TOWNSHIP

Susan DeVoe, Planning Commission Secretary

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Farm facts

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Poor pollinating conditions and a late frost this spring were the main reasons that Michigan's fruit crop is down significantly from last year's bumper output. Apples will be down 33 percent from 1995, grapes down 12 percent and peaches down 25 percent. Pear production, however, was up 10 percent.

Sugar producers at a symposium here in Michigan said the United States will likely rely more on foreign-produced sugar through the year 2002, importing at least two million tons per year. Speakers also said the high market prices for wheat, corn and soybeans may be tantalizing enough to convince producers to plant those grains on their historic beet acres, which would further curtail domestic sugar production.

America's celery industry was born in the Kalamazoo area. Dutch farmers who settled there had the knowledge and skills necessary to use the muck soils to grow what is now a multi-million dollar crop.

Brown Bag Book Club meets Monday

McKune Memorial Library's Brown Bag Book Club will resume meeting on Monday, Sept. 9, from 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. upstairs at the library.

In addition to the review the group will discuss 1996-97 book selections, meeting dates and times and meeting format.

Larry Ogden will review a book by Terry Teachout titled "City Limits: Memories of a Small-town Boy."

Anyone interested in joining the group should attend the meeting or call the library for further information (475-8732).

AGENDA:

- 1) Cassidy Lake Representative
- 2) Household Hazardous Waste Program
- 3) Ann Arbor Credit Bureau
- 4) District Library
- 5) Discuss Proposed Master Plan
- 6) Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority Added Fee for New Dwelling Units Resolution
- 7) Town Hall/Reigel property
- 8) Reports, Pay Bills, and Correspondence
- 9) Other Business

LYNDON TOWNSHIP

Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

Thursday, September 18, 1996 at 7:30 p.m. at Lyndon Township Hall, North Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI

AGENDA:

- 1) To discuss and present the intended current planning efforts of the Planning Commission and their implementations of future land use.
- 2) The large acreage property owners of Lyndon Township will be given the opportunity to express their concerns and make suggestions for future land use in the township.

Interested Owners Please Attend

The public is invited to express their views at the hearing or in writing. Written comments may be submitted prior to the public hearing to: Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk, 17301 M-52, Chelsea, MI 48118.

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HEARING #1

An application has been filed by Steve Tracy, Martin Merkel and Phil Jenkins for an interpretation of Article 12 and Section 12.06 of Ordinance No. 79 and a Request for a Land Use Variance (Zoning Ordinance), to PERMIT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A MANUFACTURED HOME COMMUNITY WITHIN AN AGRICULTURAL ZONED DISTRICT, WHICH USE IS CURRENTLY EXCLUDED FROM THE AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT.

The property is described as follows:
A 117 ACRE PARCEL OF LAND ON DEXTER-CHELSEA ROAD WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF CHELSEA, LOCATED NORTH AND WEST OF THE INTERSECTION OF DEXTER-CHELSEA ROAD AND FREER ROAD.

Pursuant to the procedure for a variance request, a Notice of Hearing shall be given and will be served personally or by mail at least ten (10) days prior to the date of such hearing, upon the party or parties making the request for appeal, and all owners of record of property and occupants of property located within three-hundred (300) feet of such premises in question.

You are herein notified that a hearing will be held by the Chelsea Zoning Board of Appeals on September 18, 1996 at 5:00 o'clock P.M. or as soon thereafter as possible, in the Sylvan Township Hall, 112 W. Middle Street, Chelsea, Michigan to consider objections to said request.

Persons requiring reasonable accommodations to disabilities in order that the hearing be accessible to them, are requested to notify the Zoning Board of Appeals Chairman no later than five (5) business days prior to the date of the hearing of such disability.

HEARING #2

An application has been filed by GLENDA WARNER, 11150 Trinkle Road, Dexter, MI for a variance from the requirements of Section 7.01 of Ordinance No. 79 (Zoning Ordinance), to Relieve the property at 128 Jackson St. from the off-street parking requirements.

The property is described as follows:
128 Jackson Street, Chelsea, MI

Pursuant to the procedure for a variance request, a Notice of Hearing shall be given and will be served personally or by mail at least ten (10) days prior to the date of such hearing, upon the party or parties making the request for appeal, and all owners of record of property and occupants of property located within three-hundred (300) feet of such premises in question.

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HEARING #3

An application has been filed by CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF LEASING BY ST. MARYS CATHOLIC CHURCH for a variance from the requirements of Section 3.03 of Ordinance No. 79 (Zoning Ordinance), to recognize Parcel "B" at 416 Congdon St. as a single lot of record which does conform to the minimum lot size or width.

The property is described as follows:
416 Congdon Street, Chelsea, Michigan

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Donald T. Osborne, Chairman

PLANNING COMMISSION

SUBJECT OF PUBLIC HEARING:

A rezoning request located at M-52 and Winkler Road, East side and Change the present zoning from agriculture district to low density residential/local commercial district for the purpose of constructing home sites under the cluster option so as to respect and preserve existing natural features and, to construct a local commercial facility in a location recommended in the 1996 master plan.

A complete description of this property is available at the office of the clerk. This notice is posted in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meetings Act), MCLA 41.72a (2) (3) and the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA).

The Sylvan Township Board will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, so individuals with disabilities at the meeting or public hearing upon 14 days notice to the Sylvan Township Board.

Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Sylvan Township Board by writing or calling the following: LuAnn S. Koch, Clerk, 112 W. Middle St. Chelsea, MI 48118, (313) 475-8890

Written comments may be sent to Bob Lange, Chair, Sylvan Township Planning Commission, 17212 Carolina Trace, Chelsea, MI 48118.

LuAnn S. Koch, Clerk

Present: President Steele, Clerk Morrison, Village Manager Myers, Assistant Village Manager Pindzia.

Absent: Trustee Daut

Trustees Present: Rigg, Hammer, Clark, Merkel, Cashman.

Others Present: B. Shepherd, B. Roberts, J. Hardcastle, W. Coltre.

The first order of business was public participation and there was none.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Clark to approve the Consent Agenda. All Ayes.

Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Daniel T. Ellenwood, Chief, Chelsea Fire Department distributed his July 1996 Activity Report.

Leonard E. McDougall, Chief of Police distributed his July 1996 Activity Report.

Motion by Clark, supported by Hammer to remove from the Table: Discussion of old water tower removal. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Merkel to hold the old water tower property at this time. Roll Call Vote. Ayes: Hammer, Cashman, Merkel, Clark. Nays: Rigg, Steele.

Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Merkel, supported by Hammer to adopt the Proclamation: Keybank Employees "Neighbors Make the Difference Day." All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Cashman to authorize an amount not to exceed \$3,500 for a facilitator from the Michigan Municipal League, costs will be rolled into the total costs associated with Gene Drive and such costs will be recovered with any bond issue pertaining to Gene Drive. Roll Call Vote. Ayes: Hammer, Cashman, Rigg, Clark, Merkel, Steele. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hammer to approve annexation request of Shirley Trinkle. Motion died due to lack of support.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Cashman to place Shirley Trinkle's request for annexation on the August 27, 1996 meeting agenda. Nay: Rigg. Ayes: Hammer, Cashman, Clark, Steele. Absent: Merkel. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Merkel to appoint Barbara Ferdette as Delegate and Trustee Clark as Alternate to the Municipal Employees Retirement System. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Merkel to table the appointment of a delegate to the Library Board. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Merkel, supported by Hammer to approve the Village's share in filing for Order #886 by Consumer Power for an amount not to exceed \$3,500. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Rigg, supported by Clark-k for approval and authorization for President and Clerk to sign Consumer Power Contract. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Cashman to accept the offer of right of first refusal for lots 8 and 9 in the Chelsea Industrial Park. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Cashman to support D. Wayne O'Neal, William T. Munsell, Claudia Brown, James Wegner, John Brennan, and Peter Stalker in the election of the municipal Workers Compensation Fund Trustees. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Merkel, supported by Rigg to adopt the Resolution RE: Authorization for President and Clerk to sign closing documents for Lot 20 of the Chelsea Industrial Park with one change to the documents and that is the amount is to be \$20,000. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Rigg to approve the Command Office Position within the Fire Department and to increase the Fire Department Payroll by \$1,533. Roll Call Vote. Ayes: Hammer, Cashman, Rigg, Clark, Merkel, Steele. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hammer, supported by Cashman to adjourn the Regular Council Meeting.

Time: 8:30 p.m. All Ayes. Absent: Daut. Motion Carried. Meeting Adjourned.

Suzanne C. Morrison



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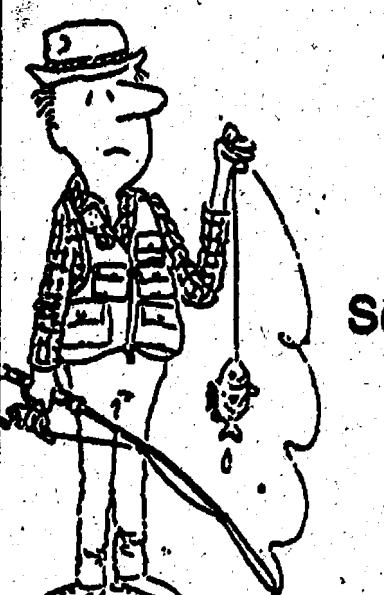


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Garage Sales 120

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BASS PLAYER - Baby Boomer (45 yrs) wants to jam near Chelsea. So-so player with band experience. Rock, soul, oldies - play for fun. Call (313) 475-2610 nights or (517) 764-4200 days.

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LAND WANTED - 10 acres. Chelsea schools. Call Rod Bennett (313) 475-9569.

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Personals 310

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Thank You 420

I would like to thank Louis, Mildred, Erwin, Marilyn, Kim, Al and Fern for my surprise birthday party. I really appreciate all the flowers, gifts and cards. I enjoyed seeing all the nieces, nephews, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.
Thank you Marie Haas

Legal Notices 440

MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by FLUCH, E. EAGLIN and J. COLLINS-EAGLIN, of 620 COLLEGEWOOD, YPSILANTI, MI, to COMERICA BANK, a Michigan corporation, for a certain parcel of land situated in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 1992, in Liber 2684 of Washtenaw County Records, on page 14, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of FORTY SIX THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIXTY EIGHT AND 67/100 DOLLARS (\$46,268.67).
And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made, and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of October 1996, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., Local Time, 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 St. entrance, ANN ARBOR, Michigan, that being the building where the Circuit Court of the County of WASHTENAW is held, of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with interest thereon, by means of a Notice of Suit to be published by the Washtenaw Legal News and/or posted in the Courthouse pursuant to the provisions of MCR 3.06(MELINDA MORRIS, Circuit Court Judge.

NOTICE
TO: OTIS WILLIAMSON (address unknown)
You

Livestock Auction buyers, prices listed

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lb., Chelsea Comm. Fair.
Brain Schiller, 2nd Place middle weight pair, 236 pounds each, \$1.40 lb., Chelsea State Bank.

John Bollinger, 2nd Place heavy weight pair, 262 pounds, \$1.10 lb., Dettling Cafe. And, 254 pounds, \$1.10 lb., Wolverine Food and Spirits.

Ben Reynhout, 3rd Place light weight pair, 230 and 223 pounds, \$1.50 lb., Chelsea Big Boy.

Valerie Schiller, 3rd Place heavy weight pair, 233 and 248 pounds, \$1.60 lb., Krull Construction.

Robert Huehl, 3rd Place heavy weight pair, 265 and 239 pounds, \$1.40 lb., Keusch & Flintoff.

Joel Powers, 4th Place light weight pair, 222 pounds, \$1.30 lb., Chelsea Lumber Co. And, 222 pounds, \$1.30 lb., G.H. Dresselhouse Inc.

Kyle McCalla, 4th Place middle weight pair, 250 pounds each, \$1.45 lb., Kathi, Joe & Norm Neuman.

Lindsay Powers, 4th Place heavy weight pair, 265 and 261 pounds, \$1.25 lb., Chelsea Lumber.

Shawn Bergman, 5th Place light weight pair, 226 and 241 pounds, \$1.20 lb., Provico Inc.

Eric McCalla, 5th Place middle weight pair, 237 pounds, \$1.90 lb., D&M Schumm.

Robert Herrst, 5th Place heavy weight pair, 259 and 290 pounds, \$1.00 lb., G.E. Wacker Inc.

Jared Powers, 6th Place light weight pair, 224 and 227 pounds, \$1.70 lb., Pork Avenue Excavating.

Erwin Herrst, 6th Place middle weight pair, 253 and 235 pounds, \$1.05 lb., Stivers Restaurant.

Kim Herrst, 6th Place heavy weight pair, 263 and 255 pounds, \$1.10 lb., Palmer Ford.

Hillary Herrst, 7th Place light weight pair, 209 pounds, \$1.05 lb., Chelsea A&W. And, 215 pounds, \$1.05 lb., Chelsea Lanes.

Stephanie Fischer, 7th Place middle weight pair, 240 and 253 pounds, \$1.40 lb., Scott Fisher.

Molly Edman, 7th Place heavy weight pair, 285 and 241 pounds, \$1.20 lb., Chelsea Group/L.L.C.

Jon Herrst, 8th Place light weight pair, 231 and 230 pounds, \$1.30 lb., Paul Seitz & Sons.

Sarah Edman, 8th Place middle weight pair, 241 pounds, \$1.40 lb., Stoffer Bird Seed. And, 241 pounds, \$1.40 lb., Ron Stoffer.

Ashli Welshans, 8th Place heavy weight pair, 264 and 251 pounds, \$1.25 lb., Lesser Farms & Orchard.

Amy Bergman, 9th Place light weight pair, 200 pounds, \$1.20 lb., Wolverine Specialty Oils Inc. And, 200 pounds, \$1.20 lb., Boyer's Meat Processing.

Josh Powers, 9th Place middle weight pair, 256 and 237 pounds, \$1.60 lb., National Computer Resources.

Josh Welshans, 9th Place heavy weight pair, 260 pounds, \$1.15 lb., DeCamp Farm Sales. And, 260 pounds, \$1.15 lb., Smith Service.

Lamb Sale:
Josh Hofing, Grand Champion Individual, 128 pounds, \$6.00 lb., Pugh Shows.

Tara Koch, Reserve Champion Individual, 128 pounds, \$5.00 lb., Polly's Market.

Josh Hofing, Grand Champion Pair, 128 pounds, \$4.50 lb., Stiver's Restaurant.

Stephanie Wesolowski, Reserve Champion pair, 129 and 128 pounds, \$3.00 lb., Polly's Market.

Melissa Bycraft, 1st light weight pair, 115 and 120 pounds, Polly's Market.

Kevin Fletcher, 2nd light weight pair, 125 pounds, \$2.25 lb., Polly's Market. And, 110 pounds, \$2.25 lb., Wolverine Food & Spirits.

Tara Koch, 2nd middle weight pair, 127 pounds, \$2.00 lb., Knisely Enterprises.

Melissa Koch, 2nd heavy weight pair, 130 and 128 pounds, \$2.00 lb., Keusch & Flintoff.

Beth Wing, 2nd heavy weight individual, 137 pounds, \$4.00 lb., D&M Schumm.

Jill Wesolowski, 3rd light weight pair, 116 pounds, \$1.75 lb., Kathi, Joe & Norm Neuman. And, 116 pounds, \$1.75 lb., Dr. Jerald L. Flinn.

Annalisa Hofing, 3rd middle weight pair, 112 and 132 pounds, \$2.25 lb., Brian Koch Heating & Cooling.

Samantha Barlow, 3rd heavy

weight pair, 141 (140) pounds, \$1.75 lb., Kathi, Joe & Norm Neuman. And, 141 (140) pounds, \$1.75 lb., Great Lakes Bancorp.

Laura Heller, 4th light weight pair, 109 pounds, \$2.00 lb., Polly's Market. And, 113 pounds, \$2.00 lb., Diuble Equipment.

James McKenzie, 4th middle weight pair, 121 and 127 pounds, \$1.25 lb., Chelsea Comm. Hospital.

Cindy Grau, 4th heavy weight pair, 123 and 136 pounds, \$1.75 lb., James Bauer Construction.

Austin Rodgers, 4th light individual, 114 pounds, \$3.50 lb., Merkel's Furniture & Carpet One.

Sarah Heller, 5th light weight pair, 119 and 116 pounds, \$2.25 lb., Koenn Farms.

Celeste Bycraft, 5th middle weight pair, 114 pounds, \$3.25 lb., Rugh Shows. And, 138 pounds, \$3.25 lb., Ruben Lesser.

Karen Kuhl, 5th heavy weight pair, 131 and 126 pounds, \$3.00 lb., G.E. Wacker Inc.

Joe Koengeter, 5th light weight individual, 110 pounds, \$3.00 lb., Farmers Supply.

Heidi Devought, 5th light middle weight individual, 115 pounds, \$2.25 lb., Dr. Jerald L. Flinn.

Patrick Wing, 5th middle heavy weight individual, 128 pounds, \$3.00 lb., Cribley Drilling Co. Inc.

Stephanie Fisher, 6th light weight pair, 120 pounds, \$1.75 lb., Grover Colby. And, 111 pounds, \$1.75 lb., Carl Lesser.

Nathan Kuhl, 6th middle weight pair, 113 pounds, \$3.00 lb., Dorer Studio. And, 130 pounds, \$3.00 lb., Heydlauff Appliance.

Cassi Palmer, 6th heavy weight pair, 164 (140), and 151 (140) pounds, \$2.00 lb., James Bauer Construction.

Laura Koengeter, 6th light weight individual, 113 pounds, \$4.00 lb., Lane Animal Hospital.

Ashli Welshans, 6th light-middle weight individual, 117 pounds, \$2.25 lb., S.F. Strong Inc.

Rebecca Stevens, 6th heavy weight individual, 147 (140) pounds, \$2.50 lb., Dexter Mill.

Holly Piekell, 7th light weight pair, 124 and 114 pounds, \$2.00 lb., Ja-Hop Farms.

Ben Rodgers, 7th middle weight pair, 128 pounds, \$2.25 lb., Manchester Pharmacy. And, 126 pounds, \$2.25 lb., Midwest Seeds.

Jenna Satterthwaite, 7th heavy weight pair, 132 and 133 pounds, \$2.50 lb., Frisinger-Pierson Realtors.

Katie Selby, 7th middle-heavy weight individual, 129 pounds, \$2.25 lb., Farrell Farms.

Peter Stevens, 7th heavy weight individual, 135 pounds, \$2.00 lb., Herrst Construction.

Tim Gross, 8th light weight pair, 126 pounds, \$1.50 lb., DeCamp Farm Sales. And, 105 pounds, \$1.50 lb., Sias Farms.

Kayla Wing, 8th middle weight pair, 122 and 125 pounds, \$2.75 lb., Sharon Wheeler.

Brenda Satterthwaite, 8th heavy weight pair, 134 and 127 pounds, \$2.50 lb., W. Porhth Construction Inc.

Keith Nadolny, 8th light individual, 111 pounds, \$2.00 lb., A&W Chelsea.

Paul Stevens, 8th middle-heavy weight, 129 pounds, \$2.00 lb., Wolverine Food and Spirits.

Krystal Welshans, 9th middle weight pair, 125 and 115 pounds, \$2.25 lb., Harold Trinkle.

Richard Wild, 9th light individual, 94 pounds, \$3.25 lb., Gaul Painting Co.

Matt Devought, 9th light-middle weight individual, 121 pounds, \$2.50 lb., Chelsea Lanes.

Megan Nadolny, 9th middle-heavy weight individual, 128 pounds, \$2.25 lb., McCalla Feeds.

Tracy Parker, 9th heavy individual, 134 pounds, \$3.50 lb., Thompson-Shore Inc.

Katie Piekell, 10th middle weight pair, 123 and 133 pounds, \$2.50 lb., Provico Inc.

David Devought, 10th light individual, 111 pounds, \$2.75 lb., Parts Peddler - Chelsea.

Justin Nadolny, 10th light-middle weight individual, \$3.00 lb., John Steele Heating.

Troy Lee Satterthwaite, 11th heavy individual, 135 pounds, \$3.00 lb., Wolverine Food and Spirits.



Pastor Tony Dickerson, his wife, Hala, and their four children are new to the Chelsea area.

'Pastor Tony' begins at Covenant Church

By Hala Dickerson

My husband, Anthony Dickerson, better known as Pastor Tony, began his ministry at Covenant Church on Aug. 1. When we got married, it was said that "east meets west" and now 16 years and four children later, as we move into Chelsea from Oklahoma, it's "north meets south."

Tony was born in the west suburbs of Chicago and I, Hala, (better known as Hala as in Hallelujah), was born in Bethlehem in the Middle East.

On our wedding day back in 1980, we headed to Sioux Falls, S.D. where Tony completed his Master's in Divinity and I in communications. While in school, Tony started a Young Marrieds' Sunday School Class at Central Baptist (a 900 plus member church). He also led Children's Church while I assisted with music.

At the seminary, he also started volleyball nights for students and spouses while we also played on the 7/11 softball team. Tony has several part-time jobs while attending North American Baptist Seminary.

I worked full-time while being a part-time student at the University of South Dakota. Even though I got a P.H.T., "Putting Hubby Thru" degree; both of us worked very hard around the clock and yet there were many joys that came with all our labors.

We enjoyed the benefits of working at the second largest health care facilities in South Dakota, McKennan Hospital. Many memories were made there not only because our two oldest girls were born there but I had pursued my career. (I even had a fancy title as educational communications specialist.)

Besides working there, Tony also filled in pulpits supply for a three-state area and did occasional devotional writing for Moments With God even through the early '90s. Meanwhile I did freelance writing

and hope to do it here. Besides the many responsibilities, somehow we managed to fit in our exercise routine to maintain the bodies God gave us. Tony was a runner but now walks, averaging six miles a day while I swim a mile a day when possible.

We started the "north to south" journey right after our two oldest daughters were born. Tiffany in '83, Candell in '85. We headed south for Tony's first pastorate at Bethany Baptist Church in Hunter, Kan. for 7½ years.

In '92 we moved further south to Okeene, Okla. where Tony served Zion Baptist Church. He was active in the Kiwanis there for three years and a part of the Ministerial Alliance since '85, while serving as president for one year.

My husband is a firm believer in church growth, so I did some more growing by having another daughter, Liberty, born in '86, and finally a son, Winston, born in '87. Our children have given us more joy and challenge than any other endeavor including our educational and career accomplishments as is true of all those reading this article.

You have gotten a glimpse into who we are and we hope to get to know you also in the days ahead. It will be a delight to combine the German culture from here with Tony's Irish and my my Greek heritage to give our children the best of all three in the future.

As we literally build our home here, we hope to not only serve and get to know the people of Covenant Church but to do the same in the community.

On Aug. 4, during my husband's first service as pastor here, he read from Romans 12. While we are here we hope to take the cue from Scripture and to "Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with brotherly affection; outdo one another in showing honor."

† AREA DEATHS †

LUCILE G. ARNOLD

Ann Arbor
Age 85, died Monday, Aug. 26, 1996 after a very brief illness. She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward E. Arnold in 1989, four sisters, and one brother. She is survived by her son, Robert (Jane) Arnold of Saline; and daughter, Marilyn (Paul) Wilkie of Dexter; and two grandchildren, Elyse Katherine Arnold of Saline, and Brad Shilliday of Tampa, Fla.; as well as numerous nieces and nephews; and her very special friend Martin (Barney) Barnhardt of Ann Arbor.

Lucile was born on August 9, 1911 in Ann Arbor. She was the youngest child of Lydia and John Herrmann. Mrs. Arnold attended Grace Bible Church in Ann Arbor for over 40 years. Her faith in God was very important to her. She also worked at the University of Michigan Laundry for over 40 years. She enjoyed her home and garden—keeping them beautiful. She also enjoyed sewing and made most of her clothes. She actively participated in her church and activities at the Salvation Army, including the Monday Club. She will be missed by all who knew her. She was a sweet, cheerful, and happy person who was full of love and life.

A memorial service was held on Friday, Aug. 30, at 2 p.m. at Grace Bible Church, on S. Maple Road in Ann Arbor. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Salvation Army of Grace Bible Church. Arrangements by Hosmer-Muehlhig Chapel, Dexter.

MARTHA J. POWERS

North Adams
Age 69, of North Adams, Mich., died Sept. 2 at her daughter's home in Acampo, Calif. following a brief battle with breast cancer. She was born Martha Jane Brown

on March 23, 1927 in Buffalo, N.Y., and had lived in Acampo since April.

Mrs. Powers was raised in Niagara Falls, N.Y. and received her teaching degree at Michigan State University. She married Harold C. Powers of Ann Arbor in 1949 and moved to a dairy farm in Chelsea.

She raised five children while assisting her husband Charlie on their farm in Michigan. She was also an elementary school teacher with a reading specialist degree for many years. She worked at the Eberbach Company in Ann Arbor for 10 years, and was leader of the Wide Awake 4-H Club for nearly 10 years, overseeing youth projects.

Mrs. Powers was also a member of the Washtenaw County Farm Bureau, American Business Woman's Association, Hills 'N Dales Square Dancing Club, and received the ABWA Woman of the Year award in 1987.

She and her husband also started one of the first cooperative nursery schools in Washtenaw County, by purchasing and converting an old one-room school house in Lima Township.

Mrs. Powers is survived by her husband, Charlie Powers, of Michigan; three daughters, Charlene Jane Lange of Acampo, Calif., Holly Anne Porter of Manchester, and Bonnie Jean Lee of Lake Charles, La.; two sons, Roderick Charles Powers, of Chelsea, and Scott Powers of Manchester.

A memorial service and interment will take place on Tuesday, Sept. 10 at 1:30 p.m. at Webster Church in Dexter. There is no visitation and Gierhart-Wells and Donahue Funeral home is handling arrangements.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hillsdale College, 33 E. College Street, Hillsdale, Mich., 49242.

Houses of Worship

Assembly of God
First Assembly of God
14900 Old US-12, Chelsea
475-2615
Rev. James Massey, Pastor

Chelsea Christian Fellowship
337 Wilkinson St.
475-8305
John Dambacher, Pastor

Baptist
Faith Baptist Church
Faith-In-Action Bldg.
Main St., Chelsea
475-7841
Jack Story, Pastor

Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m., 6 p.m.

North Sharon Baptist Church
17999 Washburne Rd., Grass Lk.
428-7222
Bobby D. Toler, Pastor

Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 7 p.m.

Catholic
St. Mary's Catholic Church
14200 Old US-12, Chelsea
475-7561
Rev. Fr. Philip Dupuis, Pastor

Saturday: Confessions, 12-1 p.m.; Mass, 6 p.m.

Sunday: Mass, 8 and 10 a.m.

Weekdays: Mass, 9 a.m.

Church of Christ
Church of Christ
13661 Old US-12, East, Chelsea
475-8458
Dr. Joe Lorimer, Evangelist

Church of the Nazarene
Church of the Nazarene
(meeting in Chelsea Retirement Community Chapel)
805 W. Middle St., Chelsea
475-2526

Jeff Crowder, Pastor
Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m., Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

Episcopal
St. Barnabas
20500 Old US-12, Chelsea
475-8818
Rev. Dr. Jerrold Beaumont

Sunday: Christian Education, 10 a.m.; Services, 10 a.m.

Wednesday: Services, 7:30 p.m.

Free Methodist
Chelsea Free Methodist
7665 Werker Rd.
475-1391

Meeri Bradley, Pastor
Patrick Kelsey, Assoc. Pastor
Nathan Perkins, Youth Pastor

Sunday: Morning worship 8:30 and 11 a.m., Sunday school 9:50 a.m.; Evening Worship 6 p.m.

Wednesday: Midweek, nursery through adults 7 p.m.

Lutheran
Faith Evangelical
9575 North Territorial, Dexter
428-4302 or 428-8442

Rev. Mark Porinsky, Pastor
Sunday: Worship 10 a.m.

Wednesday: Worship 7:30 p.m.

Our Savior Lutheran
1515 S. Main St., Chelsea
475-1404
Rev. Dale Grimm, Pastor

Sunday: Heritage Service, 8:15 a.m.; Celebration Service, 10:30 a.m.

Methodist
Salem Grove United Methodist
3320 Notten Rd.
475-2370
Rev. Jim Paige

First United Methodist
128 Park St., Chelsea
475-8119

St. Paul
14800 Old US-12
475-2545

Rev. Dr. Lynn Spitz-Nagel, Pastor
Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday, choir rehearsals, 6 and 7:30 p.m.

First Congregational-Chelsea
121 E. Middle St.
475-1844

Rev. David Cleaver-Bartholomew
Sunday: Informal worship, 8:30 a.m. Regular worship, 10 a.m.

Rev. Richard Dake
Rev. Rebecca Foote
Sunday: Worship, 10 a.m.

Wednesday: Christian Ed, 6:15 p.m., Worship 7 p.m.

North Lake United
14111 North Territorial Rd.
475-7569
Rev. Wayne Hawley, Pastor

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 worship, 11:30 fellowship

Tuesday: 7:15 p.m. Bible Study, 8 p.m. Choir

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Chelsea Retirement Chapel
805 W. Middle St., Chelsea
475-8633
Rev. J. Gordon Schleicher

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. worship service

Waterloo Village United Methodist
Washington St., Waterloo
Sunday: 11 a.m. worship service. Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Mormon
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints
1330 Freer Rd., 475-1778

Non-Denominational
Chelsea Hospital Ministry
775 S. Main St., Chelsea
475-1311

Covenant
50 N. Freer Rd. at Old US-12
475-2508

Anthony R. Dickerson, Pastor
Sunday: Worship, 9:30 a.m.

Immanuel Bible
145 E. Summit St., Chelsea
475-8836

Ronald W. Clark, Pastor
Sunday: 9:30 Sunday School, 10:45 worship, 6 p.m. evening small groups

Wednesday: 7 p.m. prayer serv.

Mt. Hope Bible Church
12884 Trist Rd., Grass Lake
(517) 822-8182

Joseph O'Neill, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11; Evening Worship, 6

Wednesday: Prayer Fellowship, 7 p.m.

New Life Christian Center
Call for location.
475-8797
Erik, Mary Hansen, Pastors

Quaker
Michigan Friends Center
7748 Clark Lake Road, Chelsea
Isabel Bliss, 475-8976

Sunday: Unprogrammed meeting every second Sunday, 5:30 p.m.

United Church of Christ
Bethel Evangelical
10425 Bethel Church Rd.
428-8000

The Rev. Richard Hardy

St. John's United Church of Christ
270 Bohne Rd., Francisco
Glenn Culler, Pastor

Sunday: Worship service 10:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m.

St. John's (Roger's Corners)
12376 Waters Rd., Chelsea
(517) 456-7661

Rev. Nancy M. Doty, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday school and worship, 9:30 a.m.

St. Paul
14800 Old US-12
475-2545

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Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

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THE GARDEN CORNER

Q. Why are some autumns more colorful than others?

A. The fall colors of plants are caused by pigments that plants contain all summer — they become visible when decreasing day length causes green chlorophyll to break down so that it no longer masks the other colors. The best fall color follows a warm, dry summer. An early fall with cool (not freezing) temperatures tends to bring out the red coloration in leaves; other conditions favor yellow. Leaf color is brighter when fall days are sunny; rainy weather dulls colors and causes leaves to drop early. An early freeze shortens the fall color season by killing the leaves, which turn brown and drop prematurely.

Q. I have a small stock of firewood in my basement, and it seems to be the source of a variety of strange-looking bugs. Some look like beetles; there's also an assortment of ants, spiders and other things. Should I be concerned?

A. Most of the insects and other creatures that emerge from stored firewood are nuisance pests indoors. Longhorned beetles (their antennae are as long or longer than their bodies), metallic wood-boring beetles and bark beetles are the most common. One pest worth worrying about is the carpenter ant. These social insects can establish colonies in water-damaged wood in your home. Powderpost beetles and termites can also come indoors on firewood, and they, too, can move into structural timbers or furnishings. The best way to prevent an invasion of firewood insects and potential infestation and damage is to store firewood outdoors and bring in only small amounts to burn as needed. Rapid turnover of wood in heated

Seminar set

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Heritage Day set

Free entertainment, model trains and museum tours are among the attractions during Heritage Day in Grass Lake Saturday, Sept. 7.

Entertainment includes the Jackson Brass Quintet, Blackberry Jam Dancers, Eric Echo Fiddlers and Rose City Harmonica Club. Other attractions include horse-drawn wagon rides, portraits by Grace McCourtie, face painting, a petting zoo and craft demonstrations, such as quilting, spinning, weaving and woodcarving.

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buildings is especially important in late winter and early spring, when the chances of early insect emergence are greatest.

Q. What are those tiny, red, spiderlike creatures that filter into my house in the fall?

A. They're clover mites, tiny spider relatives that live and feed outdoors on plants. Indoors they are harmless but a nuisance — they leave a red stain with crushed. Clearing an 18- to 24-inch strip around the foundation and sealing cracks and other openings may discourage them. If necessary, spray the cleared strip and the foundation and exterior walls with a pesticide labeled for outdoor control of clover mites. Any that get inside can be vacuumed — just be sure to dispose of the bag outdoors promptly.

Q. How can I protect stored dahlias and begonia tubers from mice? My instructions say to store them in paper or mesh bags, but if I'm going to go to all the trouble of digging them, I don't want to end up feeding mice with them.

A. For mouseproof space with good ventilation you

need, ironically, a mouse cage. Any cage that will keep a mouse, gerbil or hamster in will also keep mice out. An old bird cage is a possibility, too, as long as it contains no openings bigger than 1/4 inch. For insurance, hang your cage full of bulbs and tuber from the rafters or suspend it in a bird cage stand. If you don't have an old cage, you can build a bulb storage box out of scrap lumber and 1/4-inch mesh hardware cloth or window screen. Be sure to leave no openings that a mouse could squeeze through or enlarge to get inside.

Q. My neighbor recently applied a herbicide to his lawn and killed not only the weeds but the lawn, too. Now he's upset about having to reseed or sod his yard. The label said the product was a broad-spectrum herbicide that would kill any plant he applied it to. Evidently he didn't read it until it was too late. Does this

sort of thing happen often?

A. Unfortunately, it does. As your neighbor discovered, a broad-spectrum herbicide will kill the lawn grasses as well as the weeds he wanted to get rid of. (It could kill shrubs and other ornamentals, too, and everything in a vegetable garden.) Experiences like this underline the importance of always reading the label before buying and using any garden chemical and following label directions for mixing and applying it.

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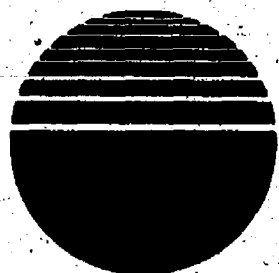
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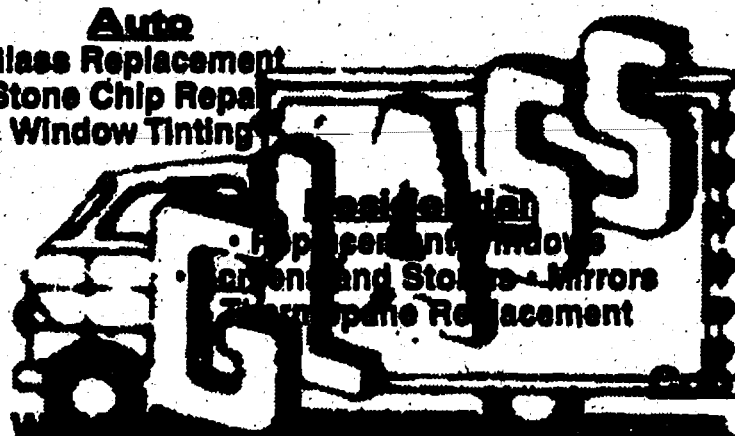
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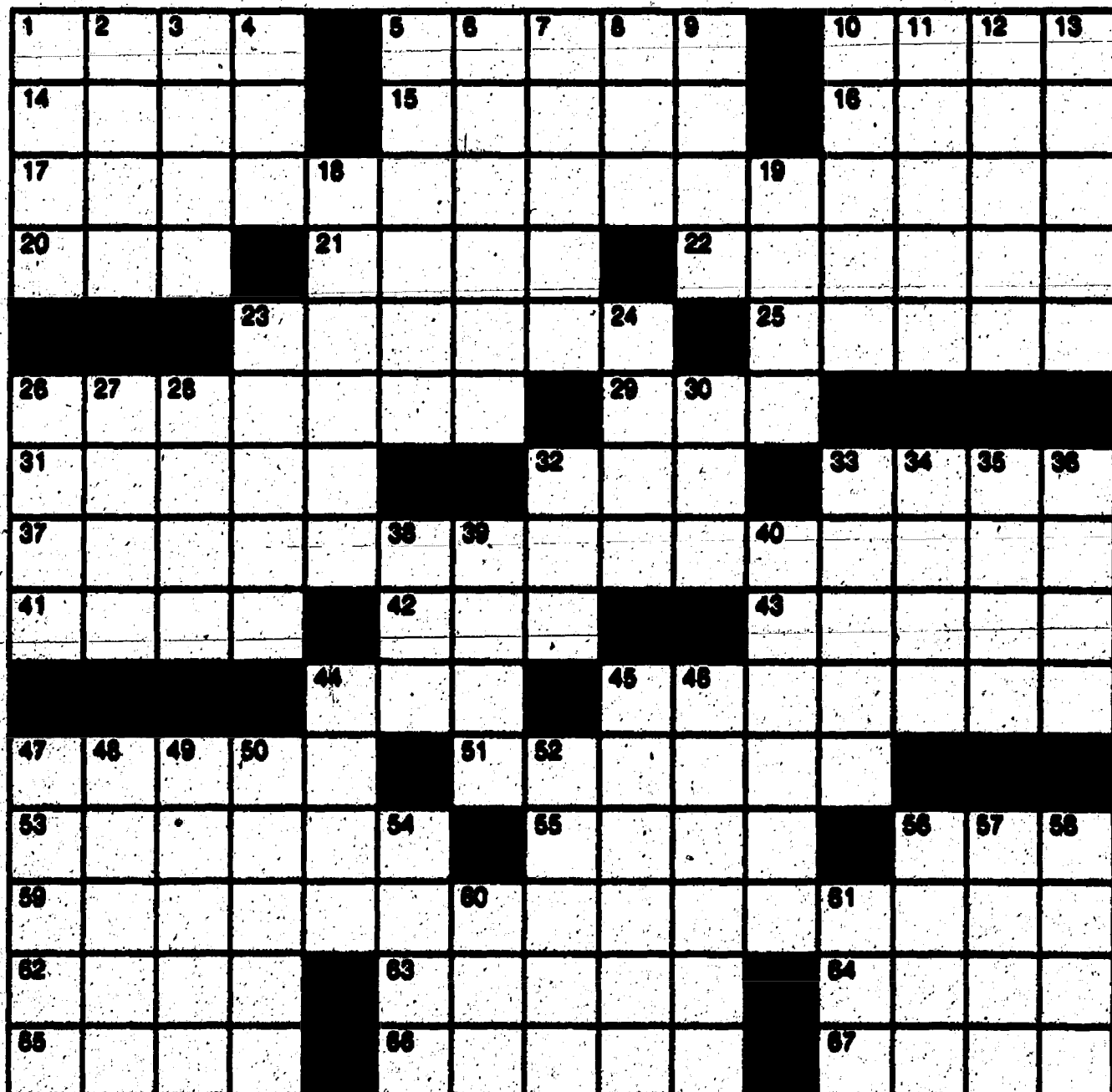
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5. Steel bar
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21. Word with up or backer
22. Assert without proof
23. Loathe
25. See 20 Across
26. Corpse
29. Unper and Capone
31. Sprightly
32. Hairy creature
33. Controversial defense org.
37. Asparagus and peas
41. Chews and swallows
42. Old age security: abbr.
43. Rope with a slipknot
44. Sound of an impact
45. Like a sachet bag
47. Russian girl's name
51. Goes By
53. Resist
55. Permanent name
56. Scallop's home
59. Leukocytes

DOWN

1. Unalightly ones
2. Parts of psyches
3. Meth. and Luth.
4. Strange
5. Light
6. Part of a stove
7. Items used in a combat sport
8. Fitting
9. Breckinridge; 1970 Mae West flick
10. Strips
11. Holiday aides
12. Feudal subject
13. Transportation fees
16. Five and six
19. du Vent
23. Valleys
24. Music lover's purchase
26. Canary's home
27. Taj Mahal's site
28. Limited intake
30. "... From ev'ry mountain-side, __ freedom..."
32. Muslim title
33. Have __ to pick; feel justified in complaining
34. Blood problem
35. __ majesty
36. Not new
38. By way of
39. Ma, Bombeck
40. In need of iron
44. Pedestal
45. Larry, for one
46. Glowing coal
47. Planted
48. Insect
49. __ blida
50. __ - totsy; sophisticated
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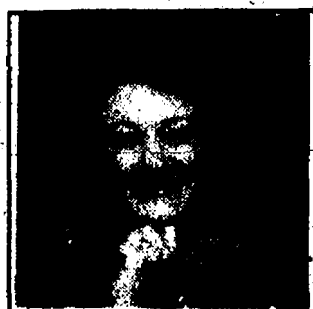
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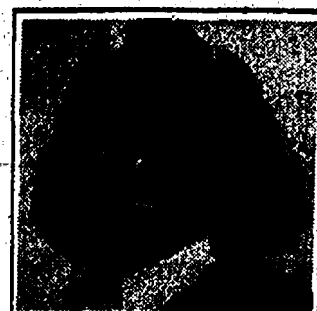
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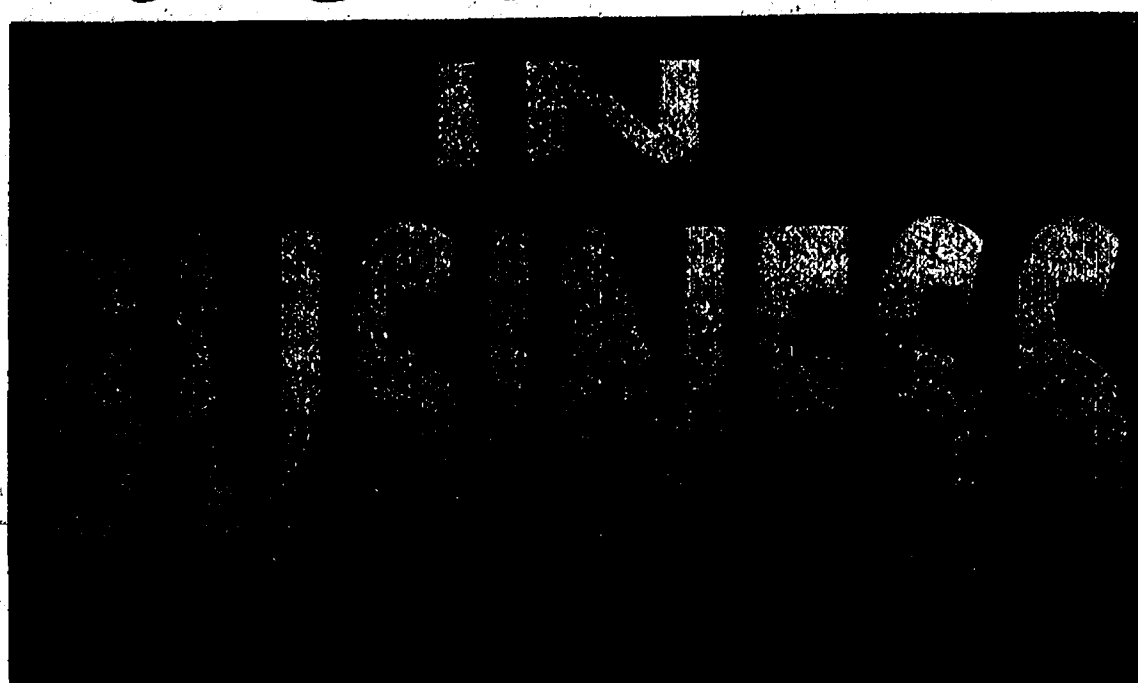
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After retiring from my career as an administrative assistant for the State of Michigan to rear our son, I decided to re-enter the business world as a travel agency owner," states Joy Leitz, owner of UNIGLOBE Chelsea Travel, Inc. "I purchased a Uniglobe franchise and opened Uniglobe Chelsea Travel in 1989." Uniglobe Chelsea Travel is a full-service travel agency with an expertise in corporate travel planning and a focus on cruising for the leisure traveler. Joy takes the time to present to her clients all their travel options. "An informed traveler is a happy traveler," she asserts. One of her greatest pleasures is helping clients travel to exotic places. Joy is active in several civic and charitable organizations and states that Uniglobe Chelsea Travel is a member of the American Society of Travel Agents (ASTA). Joy has served on the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce board of directors for six years, and is a past president of the Chelsea Rotary Club, where she maintains her presences as a member of its board of directors.

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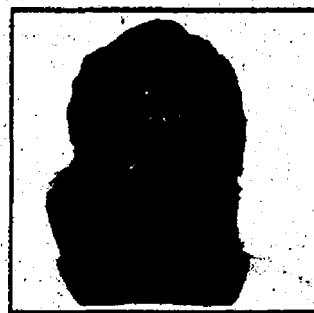
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Bev Hammerstrom takes her job seriously. "I believe I'm here to serve the people, to make government work efficiently and effectively for them," she declares. She tested her first political waters at the age of 8 when she had the opportunity to serve as a "page" for a day on the floor of the Georgia State House. "From that moment, I knew I wanted someday to become a player in the system," Bev recalls. "Every day, every hour is different. I'm constantly dealing with different people and issues—it keeps the job interesting. My work is a challenge a minute!" Bev served as the Republican chairman for Monroe County and was a delegate to the National Convention in New Orleans. A graduate of Adrian College and the University of Toledo, she serves on the Mental Health, Health Policy, and Local Government committees in the state House of Representatives. The Temperance Republican's district includes portions of Lenawee, Monroe, and Washtenaw counties.



RACHEL RIDDLE
Lodi Farms Nursery
2800 S. Wagner Rd.
Ann Arbor
313/665-5651

From perennials to pine trees and everything in between, Lodi Farms has your favorite plants! Since its beginning in 1992, Rachel Riddle, together with her parents, Jane and Dan, (and all their pets), have created a unique, interesting and very family-friendly place to shop. Rachel's primary duties, when not entertaining friends or attending 2nd grade at Lawton School, are to make sure that the kids visiting her nursery have a good experience and lots of fun. Rachel also helps her mom Jane with the Kids' Gardening Club. From kittens to fishes, or Concolor the Great Dane, Rachel will be happy to give your kids the grand tour! See you soon?



NANCY MARTIN
THERAPIST
Nancy Martin, M.S.W.
Saline
313/429-2290

Nancy has 30 years of experience in both clinic and hospital settings. She is very familiar with a wide range of emotional difficulties that emerge from both the influences of family, society, and heredity. (Have you ever thought of depression as a family illness?) To combat the problems, Nancy is now using Epston-White's Narrative Therapy. One of the quickest and best of the new post-Modern therapies, it permits the therapist and the client to work in a collaborative manner to define what the client feels is the problem and then to place it out in the open where they can look for effective ways to challenge, corral and diminish the effects of that problem upon the person's life. As Epston and White say, "The person is not the problem, the problem is the problem." The end result is that the client can identify, confront, and take steps to remove this alien and destructive difficulty from their life and begin to live with happiness and the ability to achieve their goals.



MARY CARTER
ACCOUNTANT/
BOOKKEEPER
Carter Business Services
7215 Jackson Rd.
Ann Arbor
Hours by appointment.
313/998-0437

My goal is to provide affordable, quality service to our clients, regardless of how small or complicated their needs," explained Mary Carter. "Our mission has always been to establish and build long-term relationships with our clients by respecting their opinions and beliefs, as well as providing them with accurate and useful information in a timely manner." Mary realized that she had an aptitude for numbers as a young teenager, when her father gave her the opportunity to work for him at his business. "I learned the importance of money management and inventory control, and enjoyed that kind of work. So I set a goal for myself to become a consultant to small business people." Mary attended Eastern Michigan University, where she majored in Business Administration. Then, in 1972, Mary realized her goal when she opened Carter Business Services. "I always strive to provide my clients with the same type of personalized, quality and caring service that my father had provided to his customers," Mary explained. "The challenge of working with small business owners is that each business has a unique and diverse set of needs. So I establish a very personalized, one-on-one relationship with each client where we work together to achieve their goals. It is very rewarding being able to understand and efficiently assist these owners with their individual needs."



CHARLOTTE REPHOLZ AND SHERRY ENSIGN
Owners
Me 'N' My Sister's Country Store
13 E. Cross Street • Ypsilanti
T-F, 10-6, Sat. 9-5, Sun. 12-5
313/487-0503

Sherry and Charlotte are identical twins that hail from Knoxville. "Our love of country decor, good food, Teddy bears, dolls, and handmade crafts inspired us to open our store," Charlotte says. Located in Ypsilanti's historic Depot Town, the store carries handmade crafts, country decor items, bears, gourmet foods, and coffee. "We feel our Depot Town location and our quality craftsmen have contributed greatly to our success," adds Sherry. "We have enlarged our store twice as space has become available, and we are planning a third expansion that will be finished in time for our Holiday Preview from Friday Oct. 4 through Sunday, Oct. 13." Extended hours are planned for the holiday season in November and December. "We also are planning to enlarge our gourmet coffee line and country foods selection," Charlotte says. Other plans include in-store parties and a men's shopping night during the holiday season.



MARY BLAKE
OWNER
Blake's Bridal & Fashions
4037 Carpenter Rd.
M-F, 11-7 • Sat. 11-4

313/677-2335

Mary specializes in formal wear and bridal fashions. For the last 8 years, she has been committed to "making our salon the best bridal salon for as many people as possible. That really is our mission." Mary believes that Blake's Bridal "thrives because of its people more than its surroundings." Among her specialties are in stock plus-size wedding gowns, maid of honor, bridesmaid, and mothers' dresses. "I am personally interested in each and every one of my customers, and highly respected for it," Mary says.



NELLY COBB-WISNIEWSKI
BROKER
Hometown One, Inc. - Real Estate
33 Cambridge Ct.
Chelsea
Hours: Daily 9-5 p.m.
313/475-7236

Nelly Wisniewski and her husband Tony founded Hometown One, Inc. in July 1994. "My husband Tony and I are active partners and co-owners of the business. We find it very gratifying to work together and share all the many fun projects that come up. We have made hundreds of friends along the way," she said. Nelly, who has had 18 years of experience in real estate, believes that honesty and integrity count above all else - and that "keeping a smile on my face makes business more pleasant for everyone."



CARLA MARCUS
HOME SALES
MANAGER
Party Lite Candles
3552 Inverness Dr.
Dexter
313/426-7901

Carla Marcus earns her living as a pilot for USA Jet Airlines at Willow Run Airport. But when she's not flying, she's probably selling candles for Party Lite. "I got into this business because they have such a great product," Carla declares. "But selling their candles at home parties is a lot of fun and the extra cash is a real bonus." Carla enjoys the opportunities she has for an excellent part-time income, trips to Cancun and the Bahamas, and points to the versatility of the Party Lite program. "The people in Party Lite are drawn from various walks of life and it makes for an interesting party when we all get together. I guess you could say that I'm in the jet set and burning the candle at both ends," she quips. For more information on Party Lite Candles, "don't hesitate to call me!"



DEBORAH TORRES-GORDON
OWNER
Cloth Encounters, LLC
1755 Plymouth Rd.
Ann Arbor
M-F-W 10-6, Th 10-8, Sat. 10-5
313/332-0070

Deborah earned her bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Michigan. She opened her fabric store in September 1995, after searching for a way to combine motherhood with a career. "I've been a stagehand for more than 20 years, and the addition of our daughter required I work shorter hours," Deborah says. "My husband and I thought this would be appropriate for our family. So now, Ana comes to work with me—she's good with the customers, considering she's going on 5 in December." Deborah believes that the "customers come first. We learn what they need and then find it for them." She adds, "My customers are wonderful people with marvelous talents and interests."

EDWARD SUROVELL CO. REALTORS

212 E. Michigan Ave., Saline, MI 48176-2200



FLORENCE CAMMET
ASSOCIATE BROKER & G.R.I.
Home Office
429-7159

Florence has taken intensive training courses at the University of Michigan during her 24 years in real estate. The most helpful courses for her were Interior Decorating and Early American Homes, both of which helped her to get many, many families happily moved. When you think of Florence, don't think of Real Estate, but when you think of Real Estate think of Florence, 429-7159.



BONNIE JURGENSEN
REALTOR
Home Office
439-7522

Bonnie, part of the Surovell leadership for number of sales, has sold Real Estate since 1991. Bonnie works the Milan, Saline, Dundee, Manchester, and Ypsilanti areas, and is a very conscientious person who is both friendly and professional. Besides her career in real estate, Bonnie is very active in her community. She is president of the Milan Area Historical Society and an elder at Peoples Presbyterian Church.



MARTI FISHER
REALTOR
Home Office
429-5953

Marti's sales career began with her first Kool-Aid stand! Marti loves sales and has boundless energy and a true commitment to customer satisfaction. A 25-year resident of Saline, Marti has completed more than 100 successful real estate transactions, totalling over \$25 million in residential sales. "I am proud of my community and involve myself in its history, education, and development," Marti says. "As your Realtor, you can count on me to make our time together productive. Your goals and interests are my number one priority."



MISSY CAULK
REALTOR
Home Office
429-0114
Voice Mail
741-4160

Missy has been a Realtor with The Edward Surovell Co. for one year. "This has been a very exciting year for me," Missy says. "I have met so many people that want to be a part of our school system." Missy's personal philosophy is "not myself, but the grace of God in me. I try to serve people out of that value." Missy notes that the most interesting thing about being in real estate is "meeting all the people who have heard how great our schools and community are, and helping them find a home here."



ELIZABETH GLEN
REALTOR
Home Office
665-1660

Elizabeth, who holds a master's degree in education from the University of Colorado, first became interested in real estate "when I looked for property and built a house. I talked with Joy Wilson and decided the Edward Surovell Co. in Saline was the place for me." Elizabeth says she believes in finding a home "for all who want one," and enjoys working with people, which she cites as one of the most interesting attributes of her career. "I enjoy finding a house that people feel at home in and helping them to realize their dreams," says Elizabeth.



JOY WILSON
RESIDENTIAL SALES
MANAGER
ASSOCIATE BROKER
Home Office
439-2872

Joy has sold real estate in Saline since 1979. She moved to the Edward Surovell Co. four years ago to manage the office and continue her sales activities. "The company provides a lot of ongoing training programs and is a leader in technology," Joy explains. Joy's experience in real estate sales has given her many enjoyable moments. "I always enjoy the contact I have with people and helping them to achieve their goals and dreams when it comes to real estate," says Joy. "It's important to me to make what can sometimes be a perplexing situation as easy as possible."



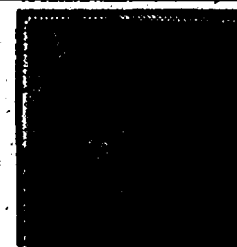
BARBARA GOMBOS
REALTOR
Home Office
517/456-7038
Voice Mail
313/741-5581

Barbara has been a Realtor with the Edward Surovell Co. for six years, and a member of the Leaders Forum for Sales for the past two years. "Making new friends and finding them their dream house is what I enjoy," says Barbara. She feels that a Realtor should be honest and reliable, and go that extra mile for a customer. In addition to her work in Saline and Washtenaw County, Barbara also handles properties in Lenawee County. "I also enjoy making sure each of my clients receives that personal touch before during and after the sale," Barbara says.



M. ESTHER MARTINDALE
REALTOR
Home Office
429-0109

Esther worked for the city of Saline in Economic Development and for the Saline Area Chamber of Commerce prior to becoming a Realtor 18 months ago. Her current total sales volume for 1996 is over \$2.3 million. "My goal is to treat each client as I would a friend or family member," said Esther. "Buying or selling a home can be very stressful and it's important that my clients know I care about them personally. They deserve and receive my respect and integrity."



KAREN BELLERS
REALTOR
Voice Mail Pager
313/741-5594

Karen has been self-employed since 1983, starting with the family business in the maintenance field. In 1988, she started Karen's Properties, her own property management company and in 1995, joined Surovell as a Realtor. Karen is a member of the Leaders Forum for Sales in 1996. "The secret to my success is to always give clients 110 percent and you will always have business," Karen says.

WOMEN IN BUSINESS



VICKI J. MONTIE
Washtenaw Medical
Supplies, Inc.
 4554 Washtenaw Ave.
 Ann Arbor
 M-F 9:30-5
 After hours and Sat. by app't.
313/971-1862

Vicki earned her business degree from Eastern Michigan University, after returning to college at age 30. "I worked part-time as a post-mastectomy fitter and enjoyed it so much, I decided to start my own company when I completed my degree," Vicki explains. She opened Washtenaw Medical Supplies in 1985 and has been on the fast-track ever since. "I find it very rewarding to work with women who are facing the challenge of breast cancer and enjoy sharing their experiences with them," Vicki says. "There's a real feeling of accomplishment when you see a woman's attitude change after she has her prosthesis." Vicki specializes in women's health, but also carries durable medical equipment, orthotics, and prosthetics. "I always put the customer first and try to keep up with the latest advances," Vicki adds.



SUSAN KEEZER
PRESIDENT
Landmark Travel II
 3400 Travis Pointe Rd.
 Ann Arbor
313/996-1930

Landmark Travel II opened in 1991. She has spent many hours in the travel industry and completed a degree as a CTC or Certified Travel Counselor. "My office is everywhere in the world," Susan says. "That's a very interesting part of the job." Her business philosophy is rooted in community service. "I believe that if you gain profit from your community, you give something back to it," Susan declares. Susan is active in the Saline community and recently distinguished herself as volunteer chairperson of the inaugural Celtic Festival, spending hundreds of volunteer hours planning this successful event.



CONNIE WIDMAYER
OWNER
Sutton Insurance Agency
 136 E. Main •
 Manchester
 M,T,W, F-9-4:30
 Thursday-9-12
313/428-9737

Connie began working for Sutton Insurance Agency over 20 years ago and eventually purchased the business from the former owner. The insurance agency provides home, auto, life, farm, business, and health insurance. "Customer service is our first priority," says Connie. "We believe in treating customers as we would wish to be treated, with respect and consideration." Often people are intimidated by insurance. "It is rewarding to help them understand it and guide them in choosing the protection that best suits their individual needs." Sutton Insurance Agency "is the only independent agency in Manchester. This is important because our agents work for the insured, not for the insurance company."



BARBARA M. WEHR
DENTIST
Barbara M. Wehr, D.D.S., PC
 9477 N. Territorial Rd.
 Dexter
 Hours: M-F 7-5; T-Th 7 a.m.-8 p.m.; Sat. by app't.
313/426-4635

Dr. Barbara Wehr earned her dental degree from the University of Michigan. "I worked in a dental office in high school, and enjoyed the people and the work. Dentistry is somewhat like doing 'arts and crafts' inside someone's mouth!" Her philosophy is that if you treat people kindly, you'll be successful. "We specialize in treating challenging patients - those with fears of dental treatment, and mentally and physically challenged individuals," explained Dr. Wehr. "I have a great staff...they help to make this a wonderful place to go for dental treatment. We really enjoy our patients!"

CARLEEN NELSON-NESVIG

BUSINESS CONSULTANT
Bee Tree Consulting, Ltd.
 433 Bee Tree Lane
 Dexter
313/426-8439
Hours by appointment



Carleen Nelson-Nesvig is President of Bee Tree Consulting, Ltd., a general practice human resource consulting firm located in Dexter. She has a degree in Human Resource Management, is president of the Human Resources Management Association of Mid-Michigan, and also teaches at both Davenport and Washtenaw Community Colleges. She is certified in senior-level human resources and employment law. As a consultant, Carleen has traveled throughout the United States with Fortune 100 employers, functioning as their Human Resources Director. In 1990, she returned to Dexter, where she was raised, to open her own human resources consulting firm. Nominated as Entrepreneur of the Year in 1995 by the Lansing Chamber of Commerce, Carleen believes that human resource responsibilities can be changed from fixed to variable costs by outsourcing all but core competencies. Her firm provides a diverse products and services portfolio that allows employers to outsource as much or as little as they want. Says Carleen, "organizations of all sizes should have a Human Resource professional to assist them. Bee Tree Consulting offers general practice products and services customized to fit any businesses' needs and budget."



DEB BAUER
INVESTMENT REPRESENTATIVE
Edward Jones Investments
 134 W. Middle St.
 Suite B • Chelsea
 Hours: M-F 8:30-5 p.m.
313/475-3519

Investment Representative Deb Bauer holds Bachelor's degrees in both Accounting and Finance. After 10 years of experience in real estate brokerage, Deb returned to college to study finance. "She now puts both degrees to good use as a Representative with Edward Jones Investments. "I grew up with an understanding of the stock market - both my grandfather and father were stock investors, and I owned my first shares of stock at age 12," she noted. Deb's professional philosophy is to select quality investments for clients, make sure that their investments are diversified, and then regularly evaluate the investments' performance. "I really enjoy building a one-on-one relationship with my clients, so I can fully understand and help them meet their financial objectives," she said. Deb is an active member of the Chelsea Rotary Club, CART (Chelsea Area Responding to Teens), St. Mary's Church, and the Chelsea Education Foundation.



GINGER J. WINTER
SENIOR SALES DIRECTOR
Mary Kay Cosmetics
 5608 Glen Oak Court
 Saline
313/429-2433

Ginger enjoys helping women develop skills and become successful while keeping a balance with their family lives. "Being a mother of two, I wanted something flexible that I could work around my children's schedules," Ginger says. "I also liked the idea of being my own boss and advancing at my own rate." After being introduced to Mary Kay products by a friend, Ginger decided to start teaching skin care and color cosmetics classes. A 10-year veteran of classroom teaching, Ginger holds a master's degree in educational leadership. "I try to treat my clients and consultants like I would like to be treated, with respect and a personal touch," Ginger explains. "I love working with positive people who are always open to learn and personally grow. I truly enjoy helping my clients look and feel good about themselves."



ARLENE GENSKE
OFFICE MANAGER
Carl F. Genske
State Farm Insurance
7955 Ann Arbor Street
Dexter
313/426-2344

Arlene has been working for her husband, State Farm agent Carl Genske, off and on for the past 23 years, but for the past 9 years, she has been managing the office full time. Arlene, raised in Dearborn, attended Dearborn Junior College. Following a 15-year career with American Airlines, she decided to stay at home and raise two children, who are now attending college. Arlene has continued her education by attending many insurance classes, which has allowed her to stay up-to-date in a most competitive industry. Her career as a businesswoman and interest in selling insurance has come naturally, as her mother also maintained a business career selling real estate and later antiques for more than 40 years.



JANICE HEIDTMAN
REALTOR
Chelsea Realty
1414 S. Main St.
Chelsea
Hours by appointment
313/475-4663
H: 313/475-3384

Janice Heidtman of Chelsea Realty has been involved in the people business for much of her life. "For many years, I enjoyed a career as a jeweler. Helping young couples with an important decision like choosing their engagement and wedding rings was exciting and rewarding. As a Realtor, what I do seems a natural extension of that. Helping families find their dream home or property poses both a challenge and an opportunity. I get the best feeling when I have helped a family realize their dream." Janice is a graduate of the Holloway Institute Realtor Program, and a big fan of the Chelsea area. "The beautiful countryside, state land, lakes, and parks in the area never stop impressing me," she noted. "Come over for a visit!"

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LORI MINER
OWNER/BEAUTICIAN
The Epiderm Salon
6055 Jackson Rd.
Ann Arbor
Hours: M-Sat 9 a.m.—8 p.m.
313/913-0948

The Epiderm Salon is a full service hair, tanning, and nail salon. Lori Miner opened the salon in 1989 in the Dexter area, and relocated the business in April 1995 to its present Jackson Rd. location. The salon offers a range of beauty services, such as hair and nail care, massage, ear piercing, waxing, facials, and pedicures. "We do our best to work with our clients, not just on them, and we offer a comfortable, relaxing atmosphere. I really enjoy helping people feel good about themselves and how they look," said Lori. Lori believes in achieving business success through hard, honest work. "Our clients get our best work at reasonable rates. A reputation for fair pricing and honesty will pay off in the long run by building a good client base, which means financial security for me and my business."



BARBARA LENZ
REALTOR
The Michigan Group
555 Briarwood Circle
• Ann Arbor
313/662-8600

A graduate of the Holloway School of Real Estate and a Graduate of the Realtors Institute of Michigan, Barbara has worked the last three years as a Realtor. She says that she began her career investing in income properties. "I became interested in the dealing of real estate," Barbara says. "I especially enjoy helping first-time buyers fulfill their dream of owning a home." Barbara believes that clients and customers should be treated "like I want to be treated. I really enjoy seeing homeowners happy with a new home."



SHARON A. O'REILLY
R.N.C.
ELAINE C. COLE
C.N.M.

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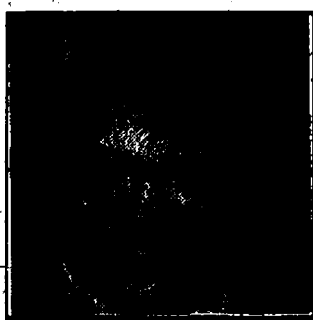
Sharon O'Reilly and Elaine Cole are with the medical offices of Leland, Fleming & Associates. A nurse practitioner, Sharon has been with the practice since 1988. She cares for women of all ages, especially through transitional periods such as adolescence and menopause. Sharon emphasizes health promotion and enjoys educating women about their health needs and concerns. An avid pet lover, Sharon lavishes lots of attention on her cats and dog. She will even show you a picture if you ask! Elaine joined Leland, Fleming & Associates in July 1995. A nurse midwife, Elaine enjoys caring for the obstetrical patient during pregnancy, focusing on providing labor support, delivery, and postpartum care. Elaine enjoys traveling and spending time with her family. Like Sharon, Elaine loves dogs. She has a German wire-hair pointer. Sharon and Elaine are accepting new patients and would love to welcome you to the practice. They can be reached at 313/429-2777 or 434-6700.



LINDA PERNA
OWNER/STYLIST
Village Hair Studio, LLC
107 N. Main St.
Chelsea
Hours: T-F 9-9; Sat. 9-1
313/475-0400

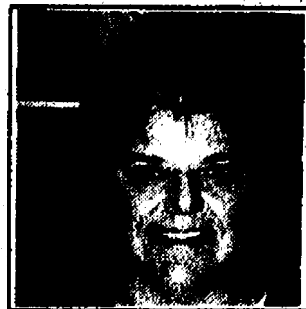
It was the European philosophy that nurtured Linda's interest in cosmetology. "They perceive hair styling as an art form," she explained. Since earning her cosmetology license in 1971 and later opening her first salon in North Muskegon in 1979, Linda has always maintained her focus on pursuing continuing education. "The fashion industry is constantly changing," said Linda. "Regularly attending advanced training courses is the only way to improve one's skills and keep up with the latest trends." She will be fulfilling her life-long career ambition in October by attending a course at the Vidal Sassoon Training Center in London, England. Her real joy comes from creating an environment for her clients where they can relax while she helps bring out their natural beauty.

WOMEN IN BUSINESS



LINDA SEIDEL
OWNER
Linda's Classic Woman
139 E. Chicago Blvd.
Tecumseh
517/423-7155

Clothing for the full-figured woman is the specialty of Linda's Classic Woman. Linda founded her store in 1993 after recognizing the need for fashionable clothing for women size 14 and up. "Every woman is unique," Linda declares. "Every woman deserves to look and feel her best." Linda's Classic Woman carries career wear, sportswear, dresses, and accessories for full-figured women. "Our staff understands our customers' needs and body shape and help to fit her to the most flattering style for her body," Linda says.



LYNNE C. FAIST
OWNER
The Village Shoppe
104 N. Main St.
Chelsea
Hours: M-F 9:30-5:30;
Sat. 10-5; Sun. 12-4.
313/475-6933

The Village Shoppe sells a variety of unique gifts and home accessories. For years, co-owner Lynne Faist has enjoyed seeking out small specialty shops that helped shape her vision of the type of shop she hoped to own one day. "We work very hard to find unique items focusing on folk art and colonial reproductions for the home as well as a variety of gifts, books, and craft items." Lynne, along with her mother and sister, purchased the store in February 1995. "After managing a medical group for 20 years, I decided to make a career change. I moved back to my hometown of Chelsea when we were lucky enough to purchase The Village Shoppe," she said. The store offers customers a comfortable, stress-free hometown shopping experience, with friendly, personalized service. "I want the store to be fun for people to visit," said Lynne. "It's so rewarding when people come in say, 'I love your store!'"



DEANNA ROBBINS
MORTGAGE LENDER
Gateway Mortgage Group, Inc.
Sylvan Building
114 N. Main St., Suite 1
Chelsea
Hours: M-F 8:30-5 and by
appointment
(313) 475-6788

Deanna just recently completed the logo design for her new company, Gateway Mortgage Group, Inc. "It has been a dream of my husband John and I, veterans at sales and customer service, to go into business together," explained Deanna. "John and his family have lived in Chelsea for 25 years. We look forward to contributing to our community through our role as a mortgage lender." Gateway provides loans for people who are buying, building, and refinancing homes. "Gateway Mortgage Group gives us the opportunity we wanted to offer our community great products and quality service," she added.



TAMARA EGGLESTON
OWNER
Eggleston's Jewelers
107 E. Chicago Blvd.
Tecumseh
517/423-2715

Tamara started in the jewelry business in 1980. "I have taken courses through the Gemological Institute of America on diamond grading and colored gemstone identification, and have traveled to seminars for extensive training on gemstone evaluation," says Tamara. "In 1983, my husband, Doug, and I became owners of Eggleston Jewelers, which is still a family-owned business." Part of her education has included trips around the U.S. and abroad to discover the latest jewelry designs and to purchase diamonds at the most competitive prices. "Doug and I are always striving to keep abreast of the latest trends and to stay educated on the world diamond markets," Tamara adds. "We believe our customers want quality jewelry at the best value, a positive experience, and great customer service."



NANETTE HAVENS
INCOME TAX
PREPARER
H&R Block
2904 Baker Rd.
Dexter
Hours: M-Th 9-5
313/426-4313

Nanette Havens has been manager of the Dexter H&R Block office since 1989. "I've always liked working with numbers. But I also enjoy working with people - and in this position I'm able to meet so many different kinds of people," she said. Whenever she prepares a return, Nanette strives to get the lowest tax she can for her clients. She has taken a variety of specialized taxation courses, including ones on corporations and partnerships. During the months of May through December, Nanette divides her time between the Dexter and Chelsea H&R Block offices.



SUSAN GANNON
CUSTOM SEWING AND
TAILORING
Sewing by Susan
8005 Main St.
Dexter
313/426-6471

Susan Gannon holds degrees in Biology and Analytical Chemistry, and had a successful job as a Research Assistant. "But I found that I was seeking a more creative outlet," she explained. "I had always enjoyed sewing, so I spent a few years working for other sewing professionals, attended some seminars, then opened my own shop in 1994." Susan does tailoring, alterations, custom clothing, and home decorative sewing for customers. "There are many people who wish to express themselves a little differently, through their clothing or their home, but cannot afford the services of haute couture clothing designers or interior designers. But they can come to us, where they will find the support of people willing to work with them for a reasonable fee, to ensure that they get the results they are seeking."



JEAN SHONER
Income Tax Preparer
H&R Block
1080 S. Main St.
Chelsea
Hours: M-Th 9-5
313/475-2752

Jean Shoner, a graduate of the University of Michigan, purchased the H&R Block business in Chelsea in 1978. "I started doing tax preparation in college as a part-time job," explained Jean. "After I moved to Stockbridge, I had the opportunity to purchase H&R Block's Chelsea and Dexter offices. One year after that, I opened a new office in Stockbridge as well." Jean's goal is to prepare each return as if it were her own. She enjoys talking to clients and helping them to pay the lowest legal tax they can. "I am an enrolled agent, which means I have passed a two-day comprehensive test on taxation given by the IRS. In addition, every year I either attend or teach a continuing education course on tax preparation."



PRISCILLA L. SCHWARZE
ATTORNEY
Hayes, Schwarze & Hayes
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Hours: By Appointment
313/475-7272

Attorney Priscilla Schwarze began private practice in Chelsea in 1993. She is a partner in Hayes, Schwarze & Hayes, a law firm that engages in a state-wide litigation practice representing individuals and businesses in civil, criminal, and administrative matters involving the state and federal governments. She also maintains a general civil practice. Priscilla received an AB from the University of Michigan, and her law degree from the University of Detroit School of Law. Her overriding goal is to help others successfully, fairly, and efficiently. "The most interesting part of my business is representing clients in white collar criminal matters," she explained. "While each client and each set of facts is different, in every case the client has been confronted by the government with its vast resources. It is challenging to find information or points that the government has failed to see or to consider, which may result in a successful verdict or resolution of the matter for my client." Priscilla's husband is also an attorney. They both attended Chelsea schools, as do their three children.



JACQUELYN WRIGHT
REALTOR
The Charles Reinhart Company
2200 Green Rd.
Ann Arbor
Flexible hours, including evenings, by appointment

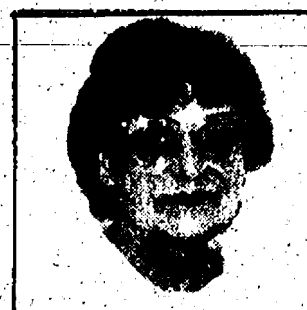
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A passion for renovating houses led me to selling them," explained Realtor Jackie Wright. Jackie holds a builder's license, and has renovated eight houses, from a 1900 Victorian in the center of Ann Arbor to a 1950's passive solar contemporary. Together with her daughter and her family, she is presently completing the second renovation of a barn just outside of Dexter (the old Fischer property). "Buying a home is often the most significant investment that we make," she said. "It deserves to be treated as such. Whether it's a first-time buyer or an upward move, each receives the same enthusiasm from me. I've sold over \$64 million and helped many clients move several times over the years. Helping first-time buyers is one of my favorite things. Often they are afraid that they cannot buy a home and are unaware of the many financing options available to them. Handing them the keys to their new home is a great thrill!"



FRAN COY
OWNER
Fran Coy's Salon & Day Spa
418 S. Wagner Rd.
Ann Arbor
313/665-7207

Some 35 years ago, Fran Coy started her career in cosmetology. After two years of working for someone else, Fran opened her first business, the Magic Mirror Beauty Salon, along with her sister and partner, Toddy Smith. Fourteen years later, and nearly 20 years ago, she opened her current Salon and Day Spa in Ann Arbor. A former Miss Saline, Fran's salon specializes in a wide variety of salon treatments, including hair styling, color, and replacement; manicures and pedicures, body and facial waxing, European facials, body wraps, scrubs, and treatments; makeovers, tanning, and wigs for men, women, and children. A community activist and a supporter of education, Fran helped get the Huron Valley Beauty Academy off the ground, working with local schools to set up the curriculum. She visited Russia and Poland as part of the Ambassadors Exchange Program, and is a past president of the Washtenaw County Cosmetologist Association, and a member of the Miss Saline Pageant board. She also was honored as Cosmetologist of the Year in 1980. Fran and her husband, Edwin, have three children and six grandchildren.



FRAN ZATORSKI
OFFICE SUPPORT
MTF Secretarial Services
124 Wilkinson, #1
Chelsea
Hours: M-F 6:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.
313/475-1547
FX: 313.475-9489

After 38 years as a corporate secretary, I chose to open my own secretarial support business in 1992," explained owner Fran Zatorski. "We offer clients excellence they can afford. I started MTF Secretarial Services as a basic secretarial support service, but have since been able to branch out into more creative endeavors, with offerings such as marketing support materials." Fran is a co-presenter at an eight-hour workshop entitled, "Starting a Home-Based Business," offered through the Michigan State University Extension Service.



CYNTHIA GREENE, ACSW
PRIVATE PSYCHOTHERAPIST
7645 Forest St.
Dexter
Hours: Flexible hours, including evenings, by appointment.
Some insurances accepted.
313/426-5648

Cynthia Greene, ACSW, has worked as a social worker and psychotherapist for more than 12 years. She is a graduate of the University of Michigan School of Social Work. Her work experience has led her to interact with schools, community agencies, hospitals, courts, groups, families, couples, and individuals. She offers individual therapy, family/couples therapy, and therapeutic groups, and has helped people of all ages handle a broad range of problems and issues. "I believe that anyone can move successfully from one life stage to another," explained Cynthia. "Problems can be resolved with caring and supportive listening in a safe atmosphere, by clearly identifying unhealthy beliefs and revealing hurt feelings." Cynthia specializes in women's, family, and adolescent issues. She offers a free initial consultation and a sliding scale fee.



DIANA L. WALSH-RAMSAY
BRANCH MANAGER
Liberty Title Company
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Ann Arbor
Hours: M-F 9-5 p.m.
313/475-6440

Diana, a seven-year resident of the Village of Chelsea, became Branch Manager of Liberty Title Company in April 1993. Liberty Title is co-owned by Tom and Michele Richardson. With a successful background in business management and real estate sales, she has the necessary professional skills for the title insurance field. "Closing on your home, a major investment, can be confusing with all the documents required to be signed," Diana says. "We assist sellers, purchasers, real estate agents, loan officers, and attorneys to achieve a smooth closing." She is an active member of the Chelsea Kiwanis and presently holds the office of president-elect. She notes that volunteering for the first annual American Cancer Society "Relay for Life" on Team Recruitment and Sponsorship was an extremely rewarding experience she looks forward to repeating next year.



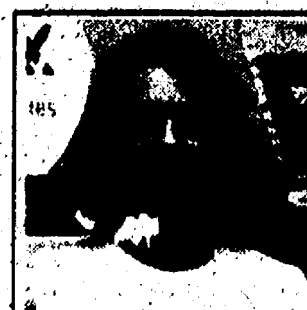
AMY M. HOLIHAN
MORTGAGE BROKER
Money Source Financial Services
141 E. Michigan • Saline
313/944-9700

Amy, who holds a degree in finance from Michigan State University, says she received "a lot of background" in her field "processing mortgages and underwriting commercial loans at a bank." At Money Source, Amy enjoys helping people "realize their dream of buying a home. I enjoy meeting people," she says. "For a lot of people, buying a home can be scary. I will spend time educating my clients and finding a solution that fits their current financial situation."



HEIDI WALTERS
ADMINISTRATIVE MANAGER
Money Source Financial Services
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Heidi, who studied organizational communication at MSU, has a keen interest in human resources and small companies. "That's what led me here," she says. Heidi's father owns Al Walters Heating in Ypsilanti, so she was raised in a small, family-owned business. At Money Source, Heidi "enjoys planning and executing" special events such as seminars and classes. "I believe in treating people like I would want to be treated," says Heidi. "I've grown up in around small businesses and I am really happy to be contributing to one."



ELIZABETH TONCEVICH, CRP
REALTOR • ASSOCIATE
Re/Max Community Associates
3215 Central
Dexter
313/426-9728

Elizabeth has enjoyed a career in real estate for more than 10 years. A graduate of the University of San Francisco, Elizabeth earned her bachelor's degree in business administration and has added a number of specialized training programs and certifications in real estate to enhance her career. She has worked at Re/Max since 1987 and has been a member of the Re/Max Executive Club and Presidents Club and is Washtenaw County's only working Certified Relocation Professional agent. Elizabeth also belongs to a number of organizations for Realtors in the tri-county area. "As a real estate agent, my primary role is not to buy and sell houses, it is to enhance and ensure a positive experience of transition for the people I serve," Elizabeth declares. "I consider it my responsibility to know my clients well enough to represent them in the attainment of their dreams and aspirations, and often well enough to call them friends."



RHONDA CHEMEAR
RESIDENTIAL LOAN MANAGER
Money Source Financial Services
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Rhonda earned her bachelor's degree from Aquinas College in Grand Rapids. "Hard work and determination are part of my personal philosophy," says Rhonda. "It's important to stay focused on your goals." Rhonda says she got her start in the mortgage field mostly out of curiosity. "The mortgage field has always intrigued me and I wanted to explore it further," Rhonda explains. Of her job, she says that one of the most interesting attributes is "the fact that we provide a service that allows people to make their dreams come true by purchasing their own homes."

WOMEN IN BUSINESS



ANN C. HOLT
DIRECTOR
McKune Memorial Library
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Chelsea
Hours: M 10-8; T-Th 12-8; W-F 10-5; Sat. 10-3
313/475-8732

Ann Holt holds a master's in Library Science from the University of Michigan. "My father shared his love of books with me through our regular visits to the Philadelphia Free Library," explained Ann. As a librarian, she believes that "we should embrace the future, but preserve the past. The books in our libraries can provide us with a wealth of information about our history." Ann has worked in every type of library, including the Library of Michigan in Lansing, and the prison library at the State Prison of Southern Michigan (SPSM). Says Ann, "there is something for everyone in the community at the library. When you need information, ask a librarian. If we can't answer your question, we'll refer you to someone who can."



ELIZABETH MARSHALL
OWNER
Business Planning Services
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Ann Arbor
313/995-1162

Beth earned a bachelor's degree in business management and a master's in construction management. She founded her business in 1981 after getting her start when several close friends and relatives asked for her assistance in estate and private pension planning. Business Planning Services specializes in designing complete benefit packages for business owners. "We believe it's important to save employers time and money by designing the best benefit package for them at no cost," says Elizabeth. "I find that my job is full of diverse challenges. Every client is totally different." She adds that "business owners should not have to spend their valuable time searching for benefits that fit their specific needs, when they have me to do it for them absolutely free!" Her status as an independent agent gives her the best possible background in matching businesses with benefits that will fit their needs.



**PAM EATON
BARBARA SEPESI**
OWNERS



135 W. Michigan Ave., Saline

Barbara, a graduate of Saline High School

and IBA Beauty School, and Pam, who graduated from Saline High in 1986 with her diploma and cosmetology license, report that they love their work. "We get a lot of pleasure out of helping people look and feel their best," says Barbara. Adds Pam: "Our professional philosophy is to enjoy what you do and work hard at it. Success will follow." Barb and Pam met three years ago while working at Fran Coy's, and just purchased Hair's Everything in July.

313-429-4277



DENISE L. MCPHERSON-PRATT
OWNER

Denise started Mortgage Solutions in 1991. "Back in 1985, I secured a position as an assistant loan officer for a local mortgage lender," she recalls. "I really enjoyed working with people and assisting them with their financial goals." She has built her business around the philosophy of making sure a customer is satisfied with the outcome. "Satisfied customers tell others, so we practice business by referral only," Denise says. "It's very interesting to put together the tough transactions and assisting customers in achieving home ownership." Mortgage Solutions "specializes in all mortgage transactions, including pre-approvals, new constructions, and loans for people with less than perfect credit," according to Denise. "If we can't do the loan, we will refer them to someone who can." Denise and company recently marked five years of "serving over one thousand satisfied customers."



DIANA KNIGHT
MORTGAGE SPECIALIST

In 1981, Diana took a temporary position in the loan servicing department of a Detroit lender. She has been involved in processing, closings, managing, and originating mortgages. "It's exciting to take a loan request from its beginning to the closing table," Diana adds. Her personal business philosophy centers around customer service. "The customer is our best asset," Diana declares. "I have always believed in good customer service, and having that philosophy gets many more referrals than advertising."



AIMEE HUNKER
MORTGAGE SPECIALIST

Aimee majored in history and literature as a student at Madonna University, where she earned a bachelor of arts degree. "I answered an ad in the paper, and that's how I got started in this business," she recalls. "I really enjoy getting to know many different people," Aimee says. She feels that "each customer has specific needs and goals. We are able to provide nearly everyone with the mortgage program that will serve their needs," Aimee declares.



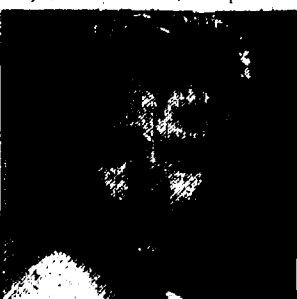
DENISE A. SAWYER-MORAN
LOAN ANALYST

An advertising art major in college, Denise got into real estate literally by accident. "I stopped in a real estate office to use their phone when I had car trouble, and I was offered a job as a real estate secretary," Denise recalls. "From there, I developed an interest in the finance end of the business." With 24 years of experience in mortgage lending, and 15 years as a mortgage underwriter, Denise has seen a lot of loan applications. She says that "every borrower's financial picture is unique," and tries to tailor a mortgage to meet those needs. "No two loan applications are alike," she adds.



ANGELIA M. DAVENPORT
CLOSING MANAGER

A graduate of Livonia Franklin High School, Angelia has continued her education with specialized classes in finance. She had her first taste of real estate while working for a real estate company as a secretary. "I became interested in mortgage processing while I worked there," Angelia says. "I saw an ad in the paper that classes were being offered in mortgage processing, and I signed up. I started with Mortgage Solutions and have been very interested in all aspects of the mortgage business." Angelia is dedicated to customer service. "I believe that excellent customer service in any business is the key to success," she explains. "I believe we offer this and that our customers are very satisfied with our company." Mortgage Solutions, she adds, "is able to get almost anyone approved because of our experienced staff. I enjoy my job very much!"



ROBERTA IACOSONI
MORTGAGE SPECIALIST
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Midland • 517/631-6050

Roberta says that even as a youngster, she knew that she wanted to be involved with families and their homes. "I started out in real estate in the early '80s that evolved into following my interest in financing in the mid-'80s," says Roberta. She believes in providing the best possible service to the customer. "Evaluating the customer's needs and finding the best loan product available for them is an interesting part of my job," she adds. Roberta operates the central Michigan branch of Mortgage Solutions of Michigan. "Centrally located in Michigan, I specialize in helping families acquire the best second home and retirement home financing with no-hassle ease," Roberta declares.

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